

# Lawrence County

<b>Population</b>	<b>42,259</b>
<b>Child Percent of Population</b>	<b>24.6%</b>
<b>Percent of Children Living in Poverty</b>	<b>29.2%</b>
<b>Child Population by Race/Ethnicity</b>	<b>10,377</b>
White, Including Hispanic	97.4%
Black, Including Hispanic	3.3%
Native American/Alaskan	0.3%



Asian/Pacific Islander	0.5%
Hispanic, All Races	3.3%

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Where there is no % sign, rate is per 1,000 unless otherwise noted.

<b>Safe</b>	Year	Lawrence County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Reported Child Abuse/Neglect Cases	2014	502	4.8%	4.5%	107%	35
<i>Substantiated Child Abuse/Neglect Cases</i>	2014	82	7.9	5.4	146%	70
Juvenile Court Referrals	2014	834	8.0%	5.2%	154%	72
Commitment to State Custody	2014	45	3.9	3.7	105%	39
Remaining in State Custody	2014	94	8.2	4.8	171%	70
Youth who Abuse Illicit Drugs or Alcohol	2012-14	170	5.0%	4.8%	104%	70

<b>Healthy</b>	Year	Lawrence County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Children without Health Insurance</i>	2014	585	5.5%	6.0%	92%	26
Children on TennCare	2014	5,620	47.2%	46.0%	103%	28
People on TennCare	2014	9,822	23.2%	20.8%	112%	50
<i>Teen (15-17) Pregnancy</i>	2014	14	18.6	16.1	116%	64
Adequate Prenatal Care	2014	354	60.8%	56.6%	107%	47
Low Birthweight Babies	2014	39	6.7%	8.9%	75%	17
Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Births	2014	6	10.3	12.3	84%	48
Students Measured as Overweight/Obese	2014	2,692	40.5%	38.3%	106%	33
Neonatal Deaths (in first 28 days)	2014	2	3.4	4.3	79%	46
<i>Infant Mortality (in first year)</i>	2014	3	5.2	6.9	75%	36
<i>Child (1-14) Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	3	36.5	18.7	195%	78
<i>Teen (15-19) Violent Deaths (rate per 100,000)</i>	2014	0	0.0	40.8	0%	1

<b>Educated</b>	Year	Lawrence County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Math	2014	1,987	65.8%	51.3%	128%	5
<i>Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Reading</i>	2014	1,812	60.0%	49.5%	121%	3
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Science	2014	2,294	76.0%	63.6%	119%	7
Proficient/Advanced: TCAP Social Studies	2014	2,764	91.6%	85.0%	108%	9
<i>High School Graduation Rate</i>	2014	440	94.5%	87.2%	108%	23
School-Age Special Education Participation	2014	895	13.5%	12.1%	112%	55
Cohort High School Dropouts	2014	17	3.3%	5.9%	56%	39
Event High School Dropouts	2014	32	1.6%	3.4%	47%	34
<i>School Suspensions</i>	2014	144	2.2%	5.6%	39%	52

<b>Nurtured/Supported</b>	Year	Lawrence County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligibility	2014	4,103	61.7%	59.7%	103%	37
TN Early Intervention Service Participation	2014	22	12.8	17.5	73%	20
Children Receiving SNAP	2014	3,366	32.4%	35.7%	91%	14
People Receiving SNAP	2014	9,087	21.5%	20.6%	104%	36
Children Receiving Families First/TANF	2014	405	3.9%	5.8%	67%	20
WIC Program Participation	2014	1,016	35.5%	36.0%	99%	21

<b>Engaged</b>	Year	Lawrence County		Tennessee Rate	County Rate over State Rate	County Rank
		Number	Rate			
<i>Youth Unemployment</i>	2014	200	23.3%	19.3%	121%	61

Indicators in italics were used to compute the index.