

Missouri Race/Ethnicity Profile

Outcome Measures

Economic Well-Being	Black/ African American	White	Hispanic/ Latino	Asian	Two or more races	Black/ African American	White	Hispanic/ Latino	Asian	Two or more races
	2013					2017				
Children under 18 in poverty (ACS) ^a	42.8%	17.4%	32.2%	**	25.3%	37.6%	14.3%	22.0%	13.5%	23.1%
Food insecurity for children ^a	NO DATA AVAILABLE BY RACE/ETHNICITY					NO DATA AVAILABLE BY RACE/ETHNICITY				
	2012					2016				
Health	Black/ African American	White	All Others		Black/ African American	White	All Others			
	2008-2012			2013-2017						
Low birthweight infants ^a	13.7%	7.0%	7.4%		14.7%	7.2%	8.6%			
Preventable hospitalizations children under 18 (per 1,000 children) ^a	14.3	7.5	8.6		12.6	6.1	7.3			
Child asthma ER visits children under 18 (per 1,000 children) ^a	42.5	5.3	9.1		33.3	3.7	7.3			
	2012			2016						
Family & Community	Black/ African American	White	All Others		Black/ African American	White	All Others			
	2013			2017						
Births to teens (per 1,000 teens, ages 15-19) ^a	47.3	27.6	15.3		35.4	19.1	28.1			
Substantiated abuse/neglect cases (per 1,000 children) ^a	4.9	3.9	0.9		3.8	3.2	1.7			
Education	Black/ African American	White	Hispanic/ Latino	Asian	Two or more races	Black/ African American	White	Hispanic/ Latino	Asian	Two or more races
	2013					2017				
Graduation rate ^b	77.8%	91.1%	83.5%	92.0%	86.6%	83.6%	93.4%	88.0%	94.7%	90.2%
Achievement proficiency ^{b,c}										
3rd Grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	31.9%	63.7%	46.3%	70.3%	62.4%
8th Grade English/Language Arts (MAP)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	35.4%	62.7%	49.7%	74.0%	58.3%
4th Grade Math (MAP)	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	24.6%	55.1%	39.1%	68.8%	52.6%

** Estimate suppressed

^aFor this indicator, Hispanics/Latinos are not considered a separate race and may belong to all race groups shown.

^bFor this indicator, Hispanics/Latinos are treated as a separate racial/ethnic group and are not included in the other categories.

^cAchievement proficiency measures those that scored proficient or above on the MAP tests. Achievement data from 2013 is not shown due to differences in testing standards and assessments used in 2017.