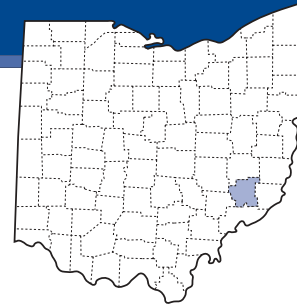


Noble County's Children

General Statistics

Population:	14,021
Child Population:	22.6%
Poverty Rate:	8.3%
Child Poverty Rate:	13.9%
Total Births:	153
Births to Unmarried Parents:	45



County Seat:
Caldwell
Median Household Income:
\$32,940
Unemployment Rate:
7.7%

Child Health & Child Care

Child Health

Percent of births to mothers with late or no prenatal care:	17.8%
Percent of non-medicaid low-birthweight babies:	6.0%
Percent of medicaid low-birthweight babies:	6.0%
Percent of births to teen mothers:	7.2%
Numbers of Help Me Grow home visits:	232
Numbers of births covered by Medicaid:	51
Number enrolled in Healthy Start/Healthy Families:	1,527
Cost per individual:	\$139

Child Care

Number enrolled in the child care assistance program:	48
Number of licensed child care center spaces:	99
Number of certified family child care providers:	61
Weekly Child Care cost for	
• infants:	\$125
• toddlers:	\$110
• preschoolers:	\$90
• school-age:	\$90

Early Childhood Education

Number of allocated Head Start slots:	60	Number of allocated Early Learning Initiative slots:	17
Percentage of filled Head Start slots:	100%	Percentage of filled Early Learning Initiative slots:	76%
Number of allocated Early Head Start slots:	20	Number of allocated Early Childhood Education slots:	0
Percentage of filled Early Head Start slots:	100%		