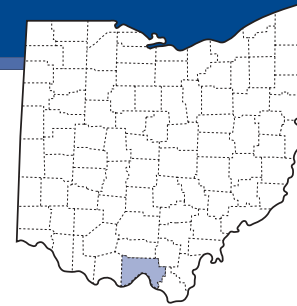


Scioto County’s Children



County Seat:
Portsmouth
Median Household Income:
\$28,008
Unemployment Rate:
8.2%

General Statistics

Population:	77,046
Child Population:	24.4%
Poverty Rate:	15.2%
Child Poverty Rate:	25.4%
Total Births:	968
Births to Unmarried Parents:	388

Child Health & Child Care

Child Health

Percent of births to mothers with late or no prenatal care:	10.5%
Percent of non-medicaid low-birthweight babies:	8.0%
Percent of medicaid low-birthweight babies:	5.0%
Percent of births to teen mothers:	16.8%
Numbers of Help Me Grow home visits:	926
Numbers of births covered by Medicaid:	473
Number enrolled in Healthy Start/Healthy Families:	13,951
Cost per individual:	\$218

Child Care

Number enrolled in the child care assistance program:	584
Number of licensed child care center spaces:	704
Number of certified family child care providers:	126
Weekly Child Care cost for	
• infants:	\$92
• toddlers:	\$87
• preschoolers:	\$84
• school-age:	\$78

Early Childhood Education

Number of allocated Head Start slots:	479
Percentage of filled Head Start slots:	101%
Number of allocated Early Head Start slots:	0
Percentage of filled Early Head Start slots:	0

Number of allocated Early Learning Initiative slots:	45
Percentage of filled Early Learning Initiative slots:	98%
Number of allocated Early Childhood Education slots:	0