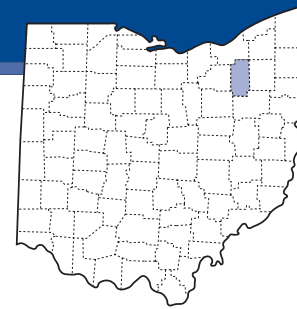


Summit County’s Children



County Seat:
Akron
Median Household Income:
\$42,304
Unemployment Rate:
5.5%

General Statistics

Population:	547,315
Child Population:	25.0%
Poverty Rate:	7.5%
Child Poverty Rate:	14.0%
Total Births:	6,852
Births to Unmarried Parents:	2,394

Child Health & Child Care

Child Health

Percent of births to mothers with late or no prenatal care:	9.4%
Percent of non-medicaid low-birthweight babies:	8.0%
Percent of medicaid low-birthweight babies:	12.0%
Percent of births to teen mothers:	9.2%
Numbers of Help Me Grow home visits:	3,588
Numbers of births covered by Medicaid:	1,626
Number enrolled in Healthy Start/Healthy Families:	57,215
Cost per individual:	\$81

Child Care

Number enrolled in the child care assistance program:	3,464
Number of licensed child care center spaces:	15,314
Number of certified family child care providers:	221
Weekly Child Care cost for	
• infants:	\$157
• toddlers:	\$131
• preschoolers:	\$123
• school-age:	\$93

Early Childhood Education

Number of allocated Head Start slots:	1,735
Percentage of filled Head Start slots:	100%
Number of allocated Early Head Start slots:	0
Percentage of filled Early Head Start slots:	0%

Number of allocated Early Learning Initiative slots:	625
Percentage of filled Early Learning Initiative slots:	25%
Number of allocated Early Childhood Education slots:	146