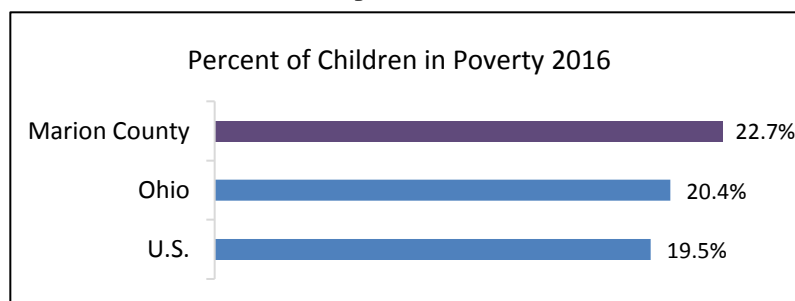


# Marion County



Demographics	Year	Marion	Ohio
Total population (#)	2016	65,096	11,614,373
Child population (#)	2016	13,589	2,612,172
<b>Race and ethnicity of child population</b>			
White (%)	2016	91.7%	79.0%
Black (%)	2016	7.0%	17.9%
Asian (%)	2016	0.9%	2.7%
Hispanic (%)	2016	5.1%	6.0%
Region (Metro, Rural, Suburban, Appalachian)		Rural	
Economic Well-being	Year	Marion	Ohio
Children living in poverty (%)	2016	22.7%	20.4%
Median income (\$)	2016	\$44,783	\$52,357
Unemployment rate (%)	2016	5.0%	4.9%
Children receiving SNAP/Food Stamps (%)	2016	50.4%	35.4%
Students economically disadvantaged (%)	2016-2017	68.4%	50.9%
Education	Year	Marion	Ohio
Children in publicly funded child care (%)	2016	3.4%	6.9%
4th grade math - proficient or higher (%)	2016-2017	65.5%	72.4%
4th grade reading - proficient or higher (%)	2016-2017	51.0%	62.8%
High school graduation rate (%)	2015-2016	53.8%	83.5%
Health	Year	Marion	Ohio
Children enrolled in Medicaid (%)*	2016	75.6%	54.6%
Teen births (rate per 1,000 females age 15-17)	2016	10	8.9
Low birth weight babies (% of all births)	2016	7.8%	8.7%
Infant Mortality (rate per 1,000 births) <sup>†</sup>	2016	10.5	7.4
Safety	Year	Marion	Ohio
Child maltreatment (rate per 1,000 children)	2016	15.0	6.8
Felony adjudications (rate per 1,000 children)	2016	4.4	1.8
Children in foster care (rate per 1,000 children)	2016	8.2	9.3

\*Based on County of Eligibility, unlike data for previous years that had been based on County of Residence

<sup>†</sup>County rate based on fewer than 10 occurrences

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