The State of America’s Children® in NEW HAMPSHIRE
2020 Factsheet

Child Population
- 16 percent were children of color: 2 percent were Black; 6 percent were Hispanic; 3 percent were Asian/Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander; and <1 percent were American Indian/Alaska Native.

Child Health
- 7,256 children ages 0-18 (3 percent) were uninsured in 2018.
- 91,337 children ages 0-18 were enrolled in NH Children's Medicaid (combined Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program) in 2018.

Early Childhood
- $13,044 was the average annual cost for an infant in center-based child care in 2018.

Education
- 74 percent of Hispanic and 61 percent of white 4th grade public school students were not proficient in reading in 2019.
- 80 percent of Hispanic and 61 percent of white 8th grade public school students were not proficient in reading in 2019.
- 79 percent of Black, 76 percent of Hispanic and 90 percent of white students graduated high school on time during 2016-2017.
- 19 percent of Black, 14 percent of Hispanic and 4 percent of white public school students had at least one out-of-school suspension in 2013-2014.

Child Welfare
- 1,331 children were abused or neglected in 2018.
- 1,531 children were in foster care on the last day of FY2018.

Youth Justice
- 69 children were in residential placement in 2017. 9 percent were Black; 22 percent were Hispanic; and 61 percent were white.
- 0 children were in adult prisons in 2017.

Gun Violence
- <10 children and teens were killed with guns in 2017.

Note: All numbers in this factsheet are included in the Children's Defense Fund's The State of America's Children® 2020 report, and most have been rounded to the nearest whole number. Facts for states and the District of Columbia were omitted when data were not available. Citations for all data may be found in The State of America's Children® 2020.