

A Summary of Selected Youth Indicators

← Spokane County worse
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▲ Issue increasing over time
👤 Racial/ethnic disparities

Indicator	Year	Value (95% CI)		Spokane County*
		Spokane County	Washington State	WNH=White/Non-Hispanic NWH=Non-White/Hispanic
FOCUS AREA 1: Supportive and Self-sufficient Families				
a. Students experiencing food insecurity	2008	8th: 6.6% (5.3-7.9) 10th: 7.4% (6.0-8.8) 12th: 7.6% (6.0-9.2)	8th: 6.0% (4.9-7.1) 10th: 7.1% (6.0-8.2) 12th: 7.3% (6.1-8.5)	WNH 6.3% (4.8-7.8) NWH 9.3% (6.2-12.4)
	2002	8th: 7.1% (4.4-9.8) 10th: 8.1% (5.6-10.6) 12th: 6.9% (4.3-9.5)	8th: 6.9% (5.3-8.5) 10th: 7.1% (5.2-9.0) 12th: 5.4% (4.1-6.7)	**
b. Uninsured	2006/ 2008	0-5 yrs: 5.5% (2.4-12.3) 6-12 yrs: 6.5% (3.5-11.6) 13-18 yrs: 5.3% (2.7-10.5) 19-21: 31.5% (20.1-45.7)	0-5 yrs: 3.9% (3.1-4.9) 6-12 yrs: 4.7% (4.0-5.6) 13-18 yrs: 5.9% (5.0-6.9) 19-21: 30.2% (27.7-33.9)	Not available
c. Household income below 185% of FPL	2006/ 2008	0-5 yrs: 42.6% (32.4-53.5) 6-12 yrs: 25.2% (18.2-33.7) 13-18 yrs: 27.1% (19.6-36.2) 19-21: 34.9% (23.0-49.2)	0-5 yrs: 37.4% (35.1-39.7) 6-12 yrs: 31.9% (30.0-33.9) 13-18 yrs: 27.8% (25.8-29.9) 19-21: 27.9% (24.5-31.6)	Not available
d. Students eligible for free or reduced lunch	2008	K-6: 45.2% 7-12: 37.3%	K-6: 43.7% 7-12: 41.2%	Not available
	2002	K-6: 44.1% 7-12: 33.3%	K-6: 40.1% 7-12: 30.7%	
e. Students reporting homelessness	2008	8th: 2.5% (2.2-2.8) 10th: 4.0% (3.6-4.4) 12th: 5.1% (4.6-5.6)	8th: 2.7% (2.5-2.9) 10th: 4.0% (3.6-4.4) 12th: 5.0% (4.7-5.3)	WNH 3.2% (2.2-4.2) NWH 5.7% (3.3-8.1)
f. Youth living in a foster care home	2008	8th: 0.2% (0.0-0.4) 10th: 0.6% (0.2-1.0) 12th: 0.2% (0.0-0.4)	8th: 0.2% (0.1-0.3) 10th: 0.3% (0.1-0.5) 12th: 0.3% (0.1-0.5)	WNH 0.5% (0.0-1.0) NWH 0.8% (0.0-1.6)
g. Poor family management (Grade 10)	2008	40.8% (38.2-43.4)	42.8% (40.2-45.4)	WNH 39.2% (36.2-42.2) NWH 43.8% (38.3-49.3)
	2002	37.0% (32.8-41.2)	**	
h. Family opportunities for prosocial involvement (Grade 10)	2008	54.4% (51.7-57.1)	51.7% (48.8-54.6)	WNH 56.2% (53.2-59.2) NWH 50.2% (44.6-55.8)
	2002	58.4% (53.9-62.9)		
FOCUS AREA 2: Safe Schools and Communities				
a. Students bullied at school (Grade 10)	2008	22.8% (21.3-24.3)	22.8% (21.6-24.0)	WNH 22.6% (20.9-24.3) NWH 23.2% (20.1-26.2)
	2002	23.6% (20.2-27.3)	**	
b. Child abuse rates	2007 ▲	7.1 per 1,000 (6.6-7.6)	← 4.2 per 1,000 (4.1-4.3)	Not available
	2002	4.5 per 1,000 (4.1-4.9)	← 4.0 per 1,000 (3.9-4.1)	
c. Recurrence of child abuse	2007 ▲	9.8% (7.7-12.1)	← 4.3% (4.2-4.4)	Not available
	2001	9.9% (7.8-12.7)	← 4.4% (4.2-4.5)	
d. Students in a physical fight	2008	8th: 38.2% (36.7-39.7) 10th: 32.4% (30.8-34.0) 12th: 25.4% (23.7-27.1)	8th: 37.2% (35.6-38.8) 10th: 31.7% (30.2-33.2) 12th: 24.2% (22.6-25.8)	Grade 10 WNH 29.5% (27.7-31.3) 👤 NWH 40.0% (36.5-43.5)
	2002	8th: 36.2% (31.5-40.9) 10th: 29.6% (26.9-32.3) 12th: 22.2% (19.2-25.2)	8th: 36.7% (34.9-38.5) 10th: 26.5% (25.2-27.8) 12th: 21.7% (20.2-23.2)	**

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FOCUS AREA 2: Safe Schools and Communities continued...				
e. Youth injured in intimate relationships	2008	8th: 10.3% (8.7-11.9) 10th: 11.9% (10.2-13.6) 12th: 10.0% (8.0-12.0)	8th: 9.6% (8.4-10.8) 10th: 10.7% (9.5-11.9) 12th: 8.6% (7.9-9.6)	Grade 10 WNH 9.7% (7.7-11.7) 🟢 NWH 16.9% (12.9-20.9)
f. Students feeling safe at school	2008	8th: 82.8% (81.6-84.0) 10th: 82.4% (81.1-83.7) 12th: 86.8% (85.5-88.1)	8th: 81.2% (79.3-83.1) 10th: 82.0% (79.6-84.4) 12th: 85.5% (82.2-88.2)	Grade 10 🟢 WNH 83.8% (82.3-85.3) NWH 79.3% (76.4-82.2)
	2002	8th: 83.3% (79.4-87.2) 10th: 85.2% (82.3-88.1) 12th: 90.0% (86.7-93.3)	8th: 79.6% (77.6-81.6) 10th: 84.1% (82.3-85.9) 12th: 88.2% (86.1-90.3)	**
FOCUS AREA 3: Children Ready to Learn				
a. Low birth weight (<2500g)	2007	6.5% (5.9-7.2)	6.3% (6.2-6.5)	WNH 6.5% (5.8-7.2) NWH 6.6% (4.9-8.6)
	2002	6.4% (5.7-7.1)	5.8% (5.6-6.0)	**
b. Premature birth (<37 weeks)	2007	10.7% (9.9-11.6)	10.4% (10.2-10.6)	WNH 10.5% (9.7-11.5) NWH 11.7% (9.5-14.4)
	2002	11.9% (11.0-12.8) ←	9.8% (9.6-10.0)	**
c. Immunization exemptions	07/08↑	6.8% (6.6-6.9) ←	5.2% (5.1-5.2)	Not available
	02/03	5.4% (5.2-5.6) ←	3.8% (3.76-3.84)	
d. Head Start, Early Headstart, and Early Childhood Education and Assistance Program enrollment	2005	27.1%	25.9%	Not available
	2000	31.1%	22.1%	
e. Percent of adults reading to their children (3-7 times per week)	2007	94.0% (86.0-97.2)	91.7% (90.2-93.1)	Not available
	2005	90.0% (79.9-95.3)	90.0% (87.8-91.8)	
FOCUS AREA 4: Healthy Children				
a. Students with history of dental decay (Grades 2 & 3)	2005↑	62.0% (58.9-65.1)	59.0 (57.9-60.1)	WNH 61.2% (57.9-64.4) NWH 70.8% (61.1-79.0)
	2000	49.4% (44.2-54.7)	55.6% (53.7-57.4)	**
b. Sexually transmitted diseases (incidence of chlamydia, 10-19 years)	2007	585.3 per 100,000 (528.4-646.8)	648.9 per 100,000 (632.4-665.7)	Not available
	2002	531.7 per 100,000 (477.2-590.8)	609.7 per 100,000 (593.6-626.3)	
c. Teen births	2007	15.9 per 1,000 (14.6-17.3)	17.0 per 1,000 (16.7-17.4)	WNH 14.7 (13.3-16.1) 🟢 NWH 24.5 (19.7-30.0)
	2002	16.5 per 1,000 (15.1-18.0)	16.5 per 1,000 (16.2-16.9)	**
d. Youth getting 60 minutes of physical activity per day	2008	8th: 20.0% (18.3-21.7)	8th: 21.9% (20.3-23.5)	Grade 10 WNH 20.0% (17.7-22.3) NWH 17.1% (13.4-20.8)
		10th: 18.9% (17.0-20.8)	10th: 18.7% (17.0-20.4)	
		12th: 15.2% (13.1-17.3)	12th: 16.9% (15.3-18.5)	
e. Students reporting depression	2008	8th: 24.7% (23.3-26.1)	8th: 24.2% (22.6-25.8)	Grade 10 WNH 27.7% (25.8-29.6) NWH 32.0% (28.6-35.4)
		10th: 28.9% (27.3-30.5)	10th: 30.2% (28.5-31.9)	
		12th: 27.0% (25.2-28.8)	12th: 29.4% (27.5-31.3)	
2002	8th: 25.2% (23.2-27.2)	8th: 26.5% (24.8-28.2)	**	
	10th: 29.9% (26.6-33.2)	10th: 29.5% (28.2-30.8)		
	12th: 26.0% (22.9-29.1)	12th: 28.7% (26.8-30.6)		

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FOCUS AREA 4: Healthy Children continued...				
f. Use of illegal drugs in past 30 days (excludes alcohol and tobacco)	2008↑ ↑ ↑	8th: 9.8% (8.9-10.7) 10th: 22.4% (20.9-23.9) 12th: 26.4% (24.6-28.2)	8th: 9.1% (7.9-10.3) 10th: 20.4% (19.2-21.6) 12th: 24.6% (22.2-27.0)	Grade 10 WNH 19.9% (18.3-21.5) 🟢 NWH 28.1% (24.9-31.3)
	2004	8th: 7.5% (6.5-8.5) 10th: 18.5% (16.9-20.1) 12th: 22.3% (20.3-24.3)	→ 8th: 9.9% (8.7-11.1) 10th: 18.1% (16.7-19.5) 12th: 20.9% (18.5-23.3)	**
FOCUS AREA 5: Youth Engaged in the Community				
a. Low neighborhood attachment (Grade 10)	2008	45.3% (42.8-47.8)	44.8% (42.3-47.3)	WNH 42.1% (39.3-44.9) 🟢 NWH 54.2% (49.0-59.4)
	2002	44.2% (39.8-48.6)	**	**
b. Community opportunities for prosocial involvement (Grade 10)	2008↑	66.3% (64.0-68.6)	69.2% (65.9-72.5)	🟢 WNH 68.8% (66.1-71.5) NWH 59.2% (54.0-64.4)
	2002	49.4% (44.2-54.5)	**	**
c. Juvenile crime rates (10-17 years)	2007	Property crime 9.6 per 1,000 Violent crime 3.4 per 1,000	Property crime 16.3 per 1,000 Violent crime 2.5 per 1,000	Not available
	2002	Property crime 17.0 per 1,000 Violent crime 1.7 per 1,000	Property crime 19.7 per 1,000 Violent crime 2.3 per 1,000	
d. Participation in supervised after-school activities	2008	8th: 46.3% (44.8-47.8) 10th: 41.8% (40.1-43.5) 12th: 39.3% (37.3-41.3)	8th: 44.1% (41.4-46.8) 10th: 42.7% (40.3-45.1) 12th: 38.9% (36.3-41.5)	Grade 10 🟢 WNH 44.2% (42.2-46.2) NWH 36.3% (32.8-39.8)
e. 19-24 year olds not in school or working full or part time	2006/ 2008	16.1% (11.0-22.9)	14.2% (12.3-16.3)	Not available
f. Rate of petitions filed for truancy (5-18 years of age)	2007↑	22.7% (21.7-23.7)	**	Not available
	2004	18.0% (17.1-18.9)	**	
g. Youth detained for truancy (5-18 years of age)	2007	3.6% (2.8-4.5)	**	Not available
	2004	4.3% (3.4-5.4)	**	
FOCUS AREA 6: Rigor and Relevance in Schools				
a. Students meeting all performance standards (Grades 4 and 10)	2008	Grade 4: 48.9% Grade 10: 45.6%	Grade 4: 43.2% Grade 10: 42.7%	Not available
	2002	Grade 4: 33.7% Grade 10: 33.4%	Grade 4: 29.1% Grade 10: 30.2%	Not available
b. Academic failure (Grade 10)	2008	51.9% (49.4-54.4)	48.2% (46.6-49.8)	WNH 49.1% (46.2-52.0) 🟢 NWH 59.9% (54.7-65.1)
	2002	46.0% (41.4-50.6)	**	**
c. Low commitment to school (Grade 10)	2008	42.3% (39.9-44.7)	38.2% (36.4-40.0)	WNH 42.6% (39.8-45.4) NWH 43.5% (38.4-48.6)
	2002	37.6% (33.9-41.5)	**	**
d. School opportunities for prosocial involvement (Grade 10)	2008	60.5% (58.1-62.9)	59.0% (56.8-61.2)	🟢 WNH 62.2% (59.5-64.9) NWH 53.3% (48.1-58.5)
	2002	64.2% (60.6-67.7)	**	**
e. School rewards for prosocial involvement (Grade 10)	2008	64.4% (62.0-66.8)	63.5% (61.3-65.7)	WNH 65.1% (62.4-67.8) NWH 61.4% (56.3-66.5)
	2002	64.2% (59.2-69.0)	**	**

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FOCUS AREA 7: Addressing the Achievement Gap			
a. Students in a physical fight (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 2, Indicator d	WNH 29.5% (27.7-31.3) 📍 NWH 40.0% (36.5-43.5)
b. Youth injured in intimate relationships (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 2, Indicator e	WNH 9.7% (7.7-11.7) 📍 NWH 16.9% (12.9-20.9)
c. Students feeling safe at school (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 2, Indicator f	📍 WNH 83.8% (82.3-85.3) NWH 79.3% (76.4-82.2)
d. Teen births (10-19 years of age)	2007	Focus Area 4, Indicator c	WNH 14.7 (13.3-16.1) 📍 NWH 24.5 (19.7-30.0)
e. Use of illegal drugs in past 30 days (excludes alcohol and tobacco, Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 4, Indicator f	WNH 19.9% (18.3-21.5) 📍 NWH 28.1% (24.9-31.3)
f. Low neighborhood attachment (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 5, Indicator a	WNH 42.1% (39.3-44.9) 📍 NWH 54.2% (49.0-59.4)
g. Community opportunities for prosocial involvement (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 5, Indicator b	📍 WNH 68.8% (66.1-71.5) NWH 59.2% (54.0-64.4)
h. Participation in supervised after-school activities (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 5, Indicator d	📍 WNH 44.2% (42.2-46.2) NWH 36.3% (32.8-39.8)
i. Academic failure (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 6, Indicator b	WNH 49.1% (46.2-52.0) 📍 NWH 59.9% (54.7-65.1)
j. School opportunities for prosocial involvement (Grade 10)	2008	Focus Area 6, Indicator d	📍 WNH 62.2% (59.5-64.9) NWH 53.3% (48.1-58.5)

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