

Child Health Data Profile

	Washington Heights	Central Harlem	Upper Income Community*	New York City	Source
	D12	D10	D8		
Infant mortality, 2008					
rate per 1,000 live births	3.7	6.8	2.5	5.5	VS, 2008
Neonatal mortality, 2008					
rate per 1,000 live births	3.3	3.4	1.4	3.6	VS, 2008
Post Neonatal mortality, 2008					
rate per 1,000 live births	–	–	–	1.8	VS, 2008
Birth Rate, 2008					
rate per 1,000 population	13.3	17.6	11.2	15.3	VS, 2008
Fertility Rate, 2007					
rate per 1,000 women aged 15-44	60.5	73.5	43.8	68.5	VS, 2007
% of total live births with...					
Low Birth Weight, 2008	7.4	11.6	7.9	8.9	VS, 2008
Births to Teenagers (<20 y/o), 2008	9.9	10.8	0.9	6.7	VS, 2008
No Prenatal Care, 2007	0.1	0.8	0.1	0.5	CCC 2007
Late Prenatal Care, 2007	4.1	6.9	1.2	5.5	CCC 2007
No/Late Prenatal Care, 2007	4.3	7.7	1.3	6.0	CCC 2007
Medicaid coverage, 2008	69.5	66.6	5.9	58.0	VS, 2008
Infants receiving WIC, 2006					
% infants under 1 year on WIC	100	60.5	3.8	71.2	CCC 2006
Children receiving WIC, 2006					
% children aged 1-5 on WIC	33.2	37.0	1.9	28.8	CCC 2006
Obesity					
% of 2nd graders moderately/severely obese, 1999	47.2	–	–	37.5	PS128/MMWR
% of HSHF K-5th graders moderate/severe obese					HSHF
(*above data reflects 7 schools of WH & Harlem)					
% of K-8th graders moderately/severely obese, 2009	–	–	–	39.0	NYCVSR 2009
Lead					
Lead poisoning rate:					
• per 1,000 children 0-3 years, 2008	6.2	5.8	4.6	6.0	CCC 2008
• per 1,000 children 6m - <6 years, 2008	6.9	5.7	3.4	6.2	LPPPAR 2008
Lead paint violations per 1,000 children (1-4), 2006	564.4	450.6	53.5	202.2	CCC 2006
Hospitalization Rates, 2006					
rate per 100,000 children 0-9 years	3479.4	6640.1	2320.3	4963.6	SPARCS 2006
rate per 100,000 children 10-17 years	3374.8	5591	2401.0	3276.1	SPARCS 2006
rate per 100,000 children 0-17 years	3434.6	6196.3	2343.4	4227.2	SPARCS 2006
Hospital Admissions by Payor, all ages, 2006					
% of admissions paid by Medicaid	45.4	40.0	9.3	35.1	SPARCS 2006
% of admissions paid by Medicare	34.2	33.0	43.4	34.1	SPARCS 2006
% of admissions paid by Other method	20.4	26.9	47.3	30.8	SPARCS 2006
Asthma hospitalization					
rate per 1,000 children 0-19 years, 2005	2.7	8.4	1.9	4.6	CCC 2005
rate per 1,000 children 0-17 years, 2008	2.6	6.6	1.1	4.6	CCC 2008
Assault injury hospitalization, 1996					
rate per 1,000 children 12-17 years	0.07	0.29	0.10		CHA
Drug abuse hospitalization rate, 2006					

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rate per 100,000 adults 18 + years	418	1155	125	595	CHA 2006
Hospitalization for Mental Disorders, 2008					
rate per 1,000 children 5-14 years	1.8	6.7	0.9	2.1	Infoshare 2008
Uninsured Children 0-17 years, 2008					
% of children 0-17 w/out health insurance	4.1	9.0	1.2	5.8	CCC 2008
Elementary & Middle Schools: School Year 2007-8					
% of students reading at/above grade level	43.6	47.4	80.4	59.1	CCC 2007-8
% of students w/ math skill at/above grade level	66.1	64.7	89.8	76.0	CCC 2007-8
% of students in Special Education	12.0	13.9	13.7	15.4	CCC 2007-8
% of students that are English Language Learners	40.4	11.6	11.1	15.1	CCC 2007-8
Socioeconomic Indicators					
% children (0-17) on Public Assistance, 2008	13.3	14.2	0.5	9.8	CCC 2008
% children born into poor families, 2005	73.3	72.5	5.5	55.5	CCC 2005
% households <\$15,000 income, 2008	19.3	28.4	6.8	15.8	CCC 2008
% rental housing in fair/poor condition, 2008	41.5	39.7	4.9	22.2	CCC 2008
% over-crowded rental housing, 2008	9.8	8.4	3.5	10.2	CCC 2008
children per square mile, 2008	14,077	25,511	20,264	5,911	CCC 2008
abuse/neglect reports per 1,000 children, 2008	26.7	41.2	5.5	31.6	CCC 2008
structural fires per 1,000 children, 2008	12.9	21.8	15.1	14.2	CCC 2008
% streets rated acceptably clean, 2008	97.7	97.3	99.7	97.3	CCC 2008
Children per park acre, 2009	77	137	207	91	CCC 2009
rate of childhood uninsurance, 2008	4.1	9.0	1.2	5.8	CCC 2008

Index Crime Rates, 1997

rate of person crimes per 1,000 population	10.4	29.0	4.6	12.7	SI
rate of total index crimes per 1,000 population	30.8	61.9	39.2	48.6	SI

AIDS Rate, 2008

rate of PLWHA per 100,000 population (people living w/ HIV/AIDS)	1.40	2.90	0.70	1.30	HAASS 2008
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Population, 2008 (estimate)

population of children under 18 years (2008)	40,824	35,716	40,528	1,902,623	CCC 2008
population of children under 5 years (2006-8)	14,327	10,186	12,680	571,167	CCC 2006-8
population of children 5 - 9 years (2006-8)	10,368	9,257	11,395	500,495	CCC 2006-8
population of children 10 - 14 years (2006-8)	12,334	8,492	8,609	520,789	CCC 2006-8
population of children 15 - 17 years (2006-8)	7,681	4,461	3,527	322,431	CCC 2006-8

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