

Community Assessment Update

DEMOGRAPHICS

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33.6% of 0-5 year olds living in poverty

Gerber Corning Rancho Tehama
Cities with the highest rates of Poverty

TEHAMA COUNTY MEDIAN INCOME
\$44,514

3 year olds
 4 year olds

The number of Tehama County infants will continue to rise over the next 5 years

Tehama County Birth Rates

TCHS has seen an increase in 3 year old enrollment which is in line with the increase of 3 year olds in the community

Teen birth rates continue to fall as 20-34 year olds birth rates continue to be the highest. Older mothers (over 35 years old) show a significant decrease.

REAL COST MEASURE
\$67,549

Race, Ethnicity & Language

Over the next 5 years in Tehama County, Hispanic children will decrease as the amount of White children will increase

69.5% of HS/EHS children are dual language learners

38% of all Hispanic children living in poverty are served in Tehama County Head Start or Early Head Start

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Foster Care

58% of all child abuse allegations are substantiated

TCEHS continues to witness drops in foster children served from 15 children in 2017-18 to 5 in 2020-21 YTD

Neglect is the most common reason for an allegation of child abuse

There are more White children in Foster Care in Tehama County than Hispanic children

Childcare

342 Transitional Kindergartners in 17-18; tripled from the year before

60% of Tehama County 0-5 year olds without childcare

- 74% of TCHS families have at least 1 parent in the workforce
- 80% of TCEHS families have at least 1 parent in the workforce

Barriers:

- Cost
- Transportation
- Work schedules

Annual Cost of Infant Care is 26% of Tehama County Median Income

Annual Cost of Preschool Care 19% of Tehama County Median Income

Telecommunications Services

- 255 HS/EHS Families Have Cell Phones
- 13% not opted in for text messaging
- 50% of not opted in live in South County

34% of families with 3-18 year olds don't have internet access because it is too expensive

14% of 3-18 year olds have no home internet access

2 Low Cost Broadband Providers At&T for all of Tehama County Charter for North County only

2 Free-Low Cost Cell Providers Safe Link for low income households TMobile for members of 10 Million Project

18% of 3-18 year olds in rural areas have no home internet access
6% of 3-18 year olds only have access to the internet via cell phones

Disabilities

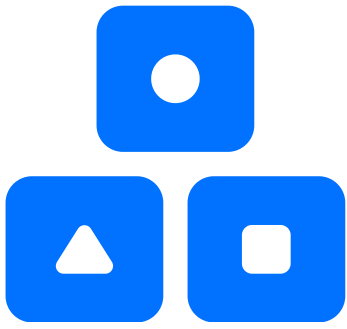
71% of IFSPs are in Early Head Start Home Base

50% of all IEPs are located in north county

63% of all TCHS IEPs are Speech & Language Impairments

There is a decline in IFSPs as the age range of children served in EHS are younger

49% of all TCHS/EHS IEPs & IFSPs are Hispanic children



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Housing & Homelessness



63 TCHS/EHS Families were homeless in 2020

PATH Winter Shelter closed due to COVID-19

PATH Day Center opened to provide services to the homeless community in 2020

11.98% of HS/EHS families received Housing Assistance in 2019

347 individuals homeless, per HUD definition, in Tehama County per 2019 PIT Count

\$1,380 per month to rent a 3 bedroom home

724 K-12 homeless Tehama County students 19-20 per McKinney-Vento Act

TCCAA served 10 families in the Deposit Assistance Program

Domestic Violence

6.59% of HS/EHS families requested and received Domestic Violence services in 2019

Empower Tehama's DV Shelter served 72 adults & children in 2020



Types of DV Served by ET

22% Confinement
29% Destruction of Property
7% Destruction of Pets
61% Physical
16% Sexual
88% Emotional or Verbal
16% Weapons Threatened or Used

496 DV Survivors Served by Empower Tehama end of June 2020

Lack of access has caused a decline in reports of domestic violence because of COVID-19 quarantine

Mental Health

Tehama County Residents experience

4.3 poor mental health days per month

84% of Stepping Stones children have an ACES score of 7+



13% of Tehama County adults experience 14+ days of mental distress per month

37% of 20-21 HS children have 3+ ACEs

179 clients received therapy services at NCCDI's Community Counseling Program YTD 2020

24.5% of HS/EHS families received Mental Health services in 2019

COVID 19

31 HS children have missed classroom instruction due to COVID 19 quarantine accounting for 11.79% of all excused absences thru 12/20

Glenn County 23.1% Positivity Rate 77.4 per 100k

Shasta County 8.2% Positivity Rate 49.6 per 100k

Tehama County 17.4% Positivity Rate 62.7 cases per 100k

Butte County 14.1% Positivity Rate 57.7 per 100k

Challenges

Lack of Access to medical/dental care
Delays in IEP/IFSP assessments
Lack of available workforce
School closures
Decrease in child abuse reports
Decrease in Domestic Violence reports



Wins

Parent Hotline
Zoom Nurturing Parenting P-EBT
Public Ed Distance Learning
Increase in Unemployment Benefits
Drive thru School lunches

1 Mental Health Provider for every 630 Adults

31 HS students have participated in Distance Learning

DUAL LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Dual language learner means a child/pregnant woman who is acquiring two or more languages at the same time, or a child/pregnant woman who is learning a second language while continuing to develop their first language.

TMOBILE 10 MILLION PROJECT

Project to help close the homework gap by offering school districts free internet access and mobile hotspots for 10 million eligible households.

<https://www.t-mobile.com/business/education/project-10-million>

MCKINNEY- VENTO ACT

The definition specifically includes children living in emergency shelters, motels, hotels, trailer parks, cars, parks, public spaces, or abandoned buildings, and those sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason.

IEP

The Individual Education Plan (IEP) is a written plan stating reasonable learning goals for a child 3 years and older with a diagnosed disability and to state the services that the school district will provide to the child.

IFSP

The Individual Family Service Plan (IFSP) is a written treatment plan that maps out the early intervention services that child under the age of 3 years and their family will receive.

PIT COUNT

Every two years, Tehama County CoC performs a Point-in-Time (PIT) Count of all individuals and families experiencing homelessness, including those living on the streets or in other unsheltered situations and those in temporary shelters or transitional living situations.

REAL COST MEASURE

Unlike the official poverty measure which primarily accounts for the cost of food, the Real Cost Measure incorporates the costs of housing, food, health care, child care, transportation and other basic needs to determine what it really costs to live in California.