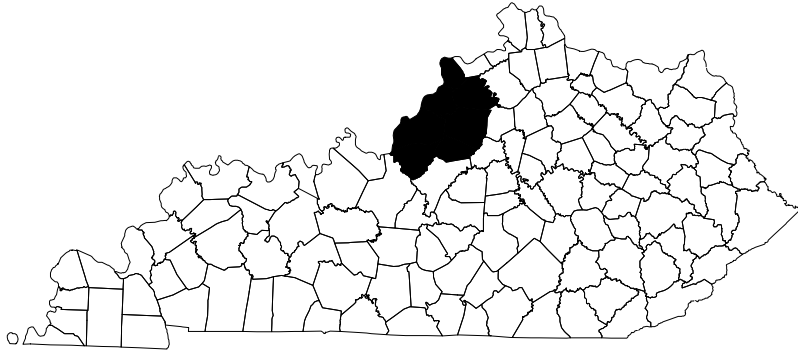


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1999 Kentucky KIDS COUNT
Adolescent Profile

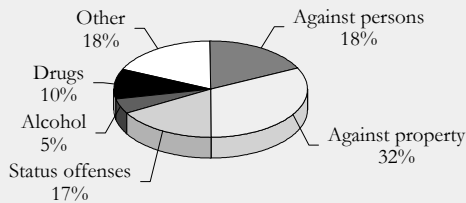


Adolescent Demographics

	Ages 10-14	15-19
Total persons, 1998	55,069	58,522
Percent female	49	49
Percent white	78	78
Percent black	20	20
Percent Hispanic	1	1
Total deaths, 1994-98	62	232
by injury	29	184
Death rate (per 100,000)	28	101
Total Births, 1994-98	252	8,759

Juvenile Justice

Juvenile court referrals, FY 99 10,531



Status Offenses vs. Delinquency

	Status Offenses	Delinquency
Ages 12 and under	187	751
Ages 13 -14	616	1,878
Age 15	505	1,625
Age 16	261	1,959
Ages 17 and over	166	2,367
Percent female	50	25
Percent white	64	57
Percent black	35	42

These data are referrals, not children. An offender may have multiple referrals. Delinquency includes all crimes except status offenses.

Out-of-home placement, FY 99

Number of cases	291
Ages 14 and under	35
Ages 15-18	256
Percent female	6

Teen Birth Trends

	1980-82	1990-92	1996-98
Average annual births to teens ages 15-19	2,164	1,915	1,737
Teen birth rate (per 1,000 females 15-19)	60	69	61
Average annual births to younger teens ages 15-17	867	723	655
Younger teen birth rate (per 1,000 females 15-17)	39	45	38
Teen births as a percent of all births	18	16	15
Percent of teen births occurring to unmarried teens	55	77	86
Percent of teen births that are repeat births	22	27	23
Percent of teen births receiving late, after second trimester, or no prenatal care	14	6	4
Percent of teen births to mothers who reported smoking during pregnancy	Not available	29	25

Post-High School Transition

Total public high school graduates, 1994-98 33,469

Six months after graduation were:

in college	17,865	53
in vocational/technical school	1,020	5
employed	9,277	28
in the military	983	3
combined work and school	2,675	8
not successful	1,649	5
Percent of students grades 7-12 who dropped out, 1994-98	5

