Converse County

In comparison to Wyoming’s other 22 counties, Converse County has the third lowest percentage (rank: 3rd) of children in single-parent households living in poverty (16%) and children in single-mother households living in poverty (20%). It has the second highest percentage (rank: 22nd) of cesarean births (38%). Converse County has reduced the percentage of WIC enrollments from 34% (rank: 9th) in 2010 to 21% (rank: 5th) in 2016. Based on median salaries for men and women, women make 53 cents for every dollar a man makes, meaning, on average women work 24 weeks for free every year.

Overview

County Population

14,191
Total county population, a rise of 374 since 2010

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Family Structure

Children by Family Type
Percentage of all related children in a home

- Converse County:
  - Married: 75%
  - Single-Parent: 26%

- Wyoming:
  - Married: 72%
  - Single-Parent: 28%

Single-Parent Families
Percentage of all related children in single-parent families

- Converse County:
  - Single Mom: 15%
  - Single Dad: 10%

- Wyoming:
  - Single Mom: 18%
  - Single Dad: 9%

Births to Teens
Number of births to moms under 17 per 1,000 live births

- Converse County: 22.1
- Wyoming: 26.2

Income & Poverty

Median Annual Income & Wage Gap
Median annual income for full-time, working women and men

- Converse County:
  - Women: $32,536
  - Men: $60,962
  - GAP: 53¢

- Wyoming:
  - Women: $36,574
  - Men: $53,881
  - GAP: 68¢

Below the Poverty Line
Percentage of related children in families living below the poverty line

- Converse County:
  - Married: 9%
  - Single-parent: 16%

- Wyoming:
  - Single-mom: 20%
  - Single-dad: 10%

WIC Enrollment
Percentage of mothers who self-reported WIC enrollment

- Converse County:
  - Married: 6%
  - Single-parent: 32%

- Wyoming:
  - Single-mom: 42%
  - Single-dad: 12%
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<td>C-Section Births</td>
<td>172 of the 7,384 babies born in Wyoming</td>
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<td>Pre-Term Deliveries</td>
<td>Percentage of all births delivered via cesarean section</td>
<td>38%</td>
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<td>Risky Birth Outcomes</td>
<td>Percentage of all births ...</td>
<td>&lt; adequate prenatal care: 25%</td>
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<td>Moms smoked while pregnant: 18</td>
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<td>Low birth-weight babies: 8</td>
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No Health Insurance
Percentage of children without health insurance, by age group

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<td>All children</td>
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Medicaid Births
Percentage of all births where the primary source of payment was Medicaid

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<td>41</td>
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Health Care

Reading Proficiency
Percentage of fourth grade students with proficient or advanced reading capabilities

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<td>Reading</td>
<td>73%</td>
<td>50%</td>
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On-Time Graduation Rate
Percentage of high school students graduating within four years, on-time

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<td>Graduation</td>
<td>100%</td>
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Education

Under-Educated Moms

11% of all births are to women with less than a high school education