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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Purpose and Objectives

In 2020-21, the Community Services Bureau of Contra Costa County receives state funding to provide educational support and development services to 1,967 families with 2,145 children eligible for the Early Head Start and Head Start programs. CSB staff are deeply involved in community engagement activities that ensure appropriate representation of child and family interests and provide a consistent forum for the discussion of child and family needs. Examples of the CSB's community commitment and engagement include serving on the county's First 5 Commission, collaborating with community-based organizations on efforts such as the Building Blocks for Kids initiative, a Harlem Children's Zone inspired project in the Iron Triangle of Richmond, and data collection that includes the County Office of Education, the Contra Costa Local Planning Council, and First 5 Contra Costa.

As part of its mission, the CSB conducts an annual Community Assessment to provide a current profile of the health, economic, educational and safety status of the estimated 65,438 children age 0-4 whose families call Contra Costa County home. The Community Assessment is a multi-phase, ongoing process of data collection and analysis that describes community strengths, needs and resources, and integrally involves the Head Start Policy Council, the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors and active parents. Staff and engaged parents use the findings to identify emerging needs and factors that impact the well-being of Head Start eligible children and families, as well as the community assets, opportunities and strengths available to address these needs. Findings inform programmatic approaches, optimize and coordinate service delivery across resources, and guide the Policy Council. The CSB also uses the Community Assessment to provide reports and presentations to the County Administrator to keep the Board of Supervisors updated on the program's responsiveness to the community.

Methodology

The Community Assessment process involves a highly collaborative assimilation of input from and engagement with numerous sources, stakeholders, community members and County staff. CSB Assistant Directors work with program managers and active parents to revise or refine the process, develop and implement surveys to identify emerging needs and issues, and compile and maintain demographic and referral information about CSB enrollment. The Policy Council participates in the assessment process throughout the year providing input through regular meetings, reviewing planning data in the context of shared governance and engaging in many other outreach and dialog opportunities. Each spring, the Policy Council receives a full presentation of the Community Assessment and exercises its mandate to evaluate, discuss and pose questions about its findings. Then in August, the Policy Council approves the current Community Assessment.

A wide variety of data techniques and sources are used to conduct the Community Assessment. Federal and state agencies, such as the U.S. Census and the Departments of Finance, Education, and Employment Development, provide reliable and regularly updated estimates of residents and conditions that may be compared over time. Internal data sources include parent and family partnership data, parent planning sessions and self-assessment surveys. Program Information Reports (PIR) and data compiled by program managers throughout the year provide a profile of the demographics and needs of Head Start families and children. Local committees, commissions and community-based entities that serve low income and at-risk children and families, such as First 5 Contra Costa, the United Way, CalWORKs, the County Health Department, Contra Costa County Local Planning Council for Child Care, and the County Office of Education, also maintain on-the-ground utilization data. Community Care Licensing reports provides information about the demand for and utilization of childcare, as well as the number and location of licensed providers and childcare slots available. In collaboration with McKinney-Vento Local Education Agency Liaisons, the assessment process also helps identify the number and location of age-eligible children experiencing homelessness.

Through this compilation of community knowledge, the assessment process helps identify and communicate the emerging needs and interests of community members. It helps determine the population of eligible children and where their families live, and it describes eligible children and families by age, race and ethnicity, primary language, income, family size, social service needs, educational attainment, employment status, work and job training needs, health factors, nutritional needs, special educational needs, foster care status and housing needs. The assessment process also helps program planners recognize and integrate other community strengths and resources. The following presents findings of the 2021-2023 Community Needs Assessment.

Population Profile

The population of Contra Costa County has grown 9% to 1,142,251 since 2010, compared to 5% in the state, with much faster growth in Pittsburg (up 13%), Oakley (up 17%), Pacheco (up 18%), Brentwood (up 20%), Rodeo (up 20%), Discovery Bay (up 21%) and Contra Costa Centre (up 22%). Growth since 2018 has been 1% overall with much higher growth in Oakley (up 2%), Brentwood (up 3%), Crockett (up 6%) and Bethel Island (up 8%), while Alamo (down 3%), Blackhawk (down 3%), Bayview (down 5%) and Tara Hills (down 5%) had notable declines. Since 2010, growth among Asians (up 39,514 or 26%), Latinos (up 36,738 or 14%), Caucasians (up 23,392 or 4%) and multi-racial residents (up 15,731 or 25%) has outpaced other groups. The county's proportion of Black (9%), Asian (17%) and multi-racial (7%) residents remains somewhat higher than California, while its proportion of Latino residents (26%) remains much lower than the state (39%). In 2019, 75% (852,077) of Contra Costa residents are U.S. born, 12% (131,538) are non-citizens, and 1% of non-citizens are 0-4 year olds.

In 2019, 23% of all residents are 0-17 year olds in both the state and county. About 30% (78,532) of all 261,203 county children are under 6 and 14% (37,670) are under 3. Oakley (up 71), El Sobrante (up 73), Martinez (up 79), Richmond (up 143), Concord (up 232) and Pittsburg (up 293) have seen notable gains in 0-2 year olds, while Antioch (down 113), Brentwood (down 197), Orinda (down 77), Pleasant Hill (down 74) and San Ramon (down 109) have seen declines. About 25% (65,438) of all county children are age 0-4, with the largest concentrations in Brentwood (2,957), Oakley (3,149), Walnut Creek (3,396), San Ramon (4,071), Pittsburg (5,364), Richmond (6,781), Antioch (6,839) and Concord (8,274).

Since 2018, county households rose 2,492 (up 1%) to 394,769, and families rose 2,721 (up 1.0%) to 284,806. Married-couple families saw the largest gains, up 2,345 to 217,370, while families headed by single females rose 360 to 48,256. The county (32%) continues to exceed the state (30%) in its share of families with children, although both rates fell since 2018. Since 2009, married-couple families in the county grew 10% (up 19,208), while those with children grew 3% (up 2,955). Families headed by single females grew 28% (up 10,397) since 2009, while those with children grew 16% (up 3,181). In 2019, 53,617 children age 0-5 live in married-couple families in the county, down 2% or 1,017 since 2018, 4,107 live in single male-headed families, up 7% or 254, and 9,964 live in single female-headed families, up 2% or 196.

Economic Profile

At \$85,837 in 2019, median income for California families rose more than 5% since 2018, while family income in the county (\$114,535) rose 6%. Of householders with children age 0-5, 63% in the state and 64% (48,460) in the county live in families in which all parents work, down 1% since 2018. The 2020 Self-Sufficiency Standard for a Contra Costa family with one adult, an infant and a preschool age child has increased 52% since 2014, and at \$124,649, now represents a fulltime hourly wage of \$59.

In 2019, prior to COVID-19, 65% (590,758) of Contra Costa's 16 and over residents participated in the civilian labor force, up 7,872 (1%) since 2018. However, December 2020 EDD data indicates the statewide labor force shrank 3% or 561,000 workers since January 2020. The county has 545,800 civilian workers in December 2020, also down 3% or 13,800 since January 2020. Current labor statistics indicate that by December 2020, 829,600 more Californians lost jobs, up 99% since January 2020, due largely to COVID-19. Contra Costa has 43,000 unemployed residents in December 2020, up 139% or 25,000 since January 2020.

In 2019, prior to COVID-19, 93% of county workers were commuters, who traveled 38.7 minutes on average, up 2% since 2018. About 50% (222,142) of Contra Costa males 16 and over worked full time in 2019, compared to 34% (160,322) of females, with both rates higher than in the state (49% and 33%, respectively) and both up since 2018. Since 2018, the number of both males and females in the county who worked full time rose 3%. Countywide, 46% (233,583) of commuters were female, 66% (33,622) of women with children age 0-5 worked, and 95% (31,861) were employed in 2019.

In 2019, prior to COVID-19, California residents had seen a 5% decline in poverty, while the county had seen a 6% or 6,087 decline. In Contra Costa, 9% (98,595) of individuals, 12% (9,077) of children less than 6, 6% (17,675) of families and 9% of families with children lived below the FPL in 2019, with all rates improved since 2018. About 9% of all county residents, 8% of native-born, 10% of foreign-born, 6% of naturalized citizens and 15% of non-citizens lived below the FPL, with all rates improved, but rates among non-citizens most improved since 2018. About 28% (1,978) of Contra Costa married-couples below the FPL have children less than 5, compared to 30% in the state, down 6% in the county and 10% in the state since 2018. About 30% (618) of single male-headed families below the FPL in the county have children less than 5, compared to 32% in the state, up 2% in the county but down 12% in the state. About 36% (3,052) of single female-headed households below the FPL in Contra Costa have children less than 5, compared to 36% in the state, down 3% in the county but down 8% in the state. In all, 28,167 Contra Costa children of all ages lived below the FPL in 2019, down more than 5% or 1,615. About 9,077 children under 6 lived in poverty, down 4% since 2018. Countywide, of 13,224 women with recent births, 819 (8%) married and 1,339 (39%) unmarried women lived below the FPL in 2019.

CalWORKs cases have risen 2% since December 2019, with 6,432 cash grant cases involving 11,597 children in July 2020. Critically, the number of children in cases involving two parents has risen 38% or 228 children since COVID-19. In 2019, prior to COVID-19, 21,069 (5%) county households relied on SSI, up 4%; 9,474 (2%) received cash PA, down 6%; and 24,553 (6%) received SNAP, down 2%. About 45,288 (17%) of all county children live in PA households, down 2% or 1,119 since 2018, 46% (20,848) of children in PA households live in married couple families, 44% (20,005) live in single female-headed families, and 9% (4,132) live in single male-headed families, with all down since 2018. About 645 Contra Costa women with births receive PA in 2019, down 22% since 2018, with improvement among both married (down 91) and unmarried (down 93) women.

In 2020, the percentage of county homes affordable to median income households had risen just 2.0 points to 28.4%. The 2021 median monthly rent for a 2-bedroom unit in the county rose another 6% or \$144 to \$2,383. Although owner-occupied housing costs fell 16% in the county since 2018, the number of unaffordable units rose 12% (up 8,286) to 77,395 in the county. Although rental housing costs rose 7% in the county, the number of unaffordable units fell 1% (down 712) to 67,017. Yet to be reflected in these figures, however, is the COVID-19 effects of businesses allowing employees to telecommute, as Contra Costa prices in March 2021 are up a dramatic 18-24% over March 2020. About 2,277 individuals in the county are homeless in 2020, down 1% from 2019, with 31% (707) sheltered. About 5% (92) are families with children, 5% are 18-24 year olds, 7% (154) are minors under age 18, 80% (1,698) have a disabling mental or physical condition, 50% (1,062) struggle with substance abuse, and 68% (1,444) have been incarcerated. Central County now has 33% (514) of all unsheltered homeless, West County has 34% (543) and East County has 33% (513).

Health and Safety Profile

In Contra Costa, 5% (57,973) of residents are uninsured in 2019, compared to 8% statewide, with both rates and numbers improved since 2018. About 3% (7,138) of county children are uninsured, down 4% or 275 since 2018, but 2% (1,456) of the county's 0-5 year olds are uninsured, up 3% or 37 from 2018. Among 0-18 year olds, 92% (252,714) have one type of insurance, 64% (160,766) have employer-based coverage and 7% (18,636) have direct-purchased coverage. Medicaid-only coverage rates among county children rose 2% or 1,692 children to 28% (71,471), compared to 43% in the state. The rate of uninsured among foreign-born (10%) is more than 3 times that of native-born (4%) residents, but both improved. Rates of uninsured among non-citizens (19%), up 1.8 points, are still 5 times higher than among naturalized citizens (4%), up 0.6 points. Whites (97%) are also much more likely than Latinos (89%) and American Indian/Native Alaskans (91%) to have health insurance.

The American Lung Association gives Contra Costa an F grade in 2020 on air quality measures and reports that 16,038 children and 76,494 adults with asthma are at risk from poor air quality in the county. In 2018, 9% of California and 14% of county adults have a current diagnosis of asthma, 15% of state and 18% of county residents of all ages have ever been diagnosed with asthma, including 16% of state and 20% of county adults.

In 2020, chlamydia rates rose 8% to 500.2 in the county and rose 6% to 546.1 in the state. Gonorrhea rates also rose to 310.8 per 100,000 females (up 11%) and 426.2 among males (up 19%) in the county, compared to state increases of 12% (females) and 13% (males). HIV/AIDS diagnoses among Contra Costa residents (266.1 per 100,000 or 2,535 cases) still compares favorably to the state (404.6), but rose 4% in the county versus 2% in the state since 2019. In 2020, the county has 148.0 drug-induced deaths per year (12.2 per 100,000), compared to 13.1 statewide, with both up from 2019. Statewide, opioid-related deaths (3,244) rose 34% since 2018, 17,576,679 opioid prescriptions were written, and 11,767 emergency room visits (28.78 per 100,000) involved opioid overdoses. Countywide, opioid deaths rose 11% since 2018 to 91, 565,236 prescriptions were written (490.0 per 1,000 residents), and 293 ER visits (22.73 per 100,000) involved opioid overdoses in 2020.

About 18% of women with births in Contra Costa in 2015 had inadequate weight gain during pregnancy, and 13% had food insecurity during pregnancy. In 2016, 42% of the county's 2-17 year olds ate fast food more than once a week, more than doubled since 2014. About 39% of Contra Costa 2-11 year olds eat five or more servings of fruits and vegetables each day, but 13% of elementary students had not eaten breakfast on the morning surveyed. About 31% of low income 0-5 year olds in the county had a recent dental visit in 2020, compared to 19% in the prior year and 39% in California. Infant mortality in the county fell from 4.9 per 1,000 infants in 2010 to 3.2 in 2020, compared to 4.3 in the state, and 7% of county and state births are low birthweight. The percentage of county women who receive first trimester prenatal care rose to 88%, compared to 84% in the state, but just 75% of pregnant women in the county receive adequate or better care throughout pregnancy, down from 76% in 2019.

COVID-19 cases worldwide topped 135,756,000 with 2,932,192 deaths and 77,204,630 recoveries as of April 11, 2021. Cases in the U.S. now total 31,348,231, with 567,142 deaths or 1.8% of all cases. A total of 3,696,771 cases and 60,334 deaths (1.6%) have been confirmed in California, with 65,857 cases and 777 deaths (1.2%) in Contra Costa as of April 11, 2021. Since the first confirmed U.S. case on January 21, 2020, COVID-19 has impacted all aspects of life, but by mid-December 2020, the FDA granted emergency use approval for two highly effective vaccines (followed by a third in February 2021), and the U.S. vaccine roll out began by targeting front-line workers, first responders, long-term care residents and others at highest risk for illness. As of April 11,

2021, 22,777,893 doses have been administered in California, with 8,767,321 (27%) residents fully vaccinated. In Contra Costa, 825,275 doses have been administered, with 299,470 (26%) residents fully vaccinated. California currently plans to fully reopen on June 15, 2021.

In 2019, 21,922 students of all ages receive special education in the county, up 3% or 600 since 2018 and up 27% or 4,645 students since 2011. At least 2,511 children under 6 require special education countywide, up 9% or 204 students since 2018. Speech or language impairment continue as most common, followed by autism, and the proportion of 0-5 year olds with autism continues to climb. The 2019 ACS estimates 4% (9,830) of Contra Costa children have a major disability, including 0.5% (327) of county 0-4 year olds. Children age 0-4 with hearing difficulties rose 5% in the state and 11% in the county, with notable increases in Martinez (up 11), San Ramon (up 12), Richmond (up 13) and Tara Hills (up 32). Children age 0-4 year with vision difficulties rose 3% in the state and 46% in the county, with notable increases in Antioch (up 24) and Tara Hills (up 32).

Since 2018, felony arrests among California adults have fallen 3% or 8,028, those for violent offenses are down 3% or 3,485, while arrests for property offenses are down 6% or 3,835. In contrast, arrests for sex offenses in California has risen 6% or 264. Adult felony arrests in Contra Costa have risen 4% or 360 to 8,829 in 2019, with arrests for violent offenses up 4%, property offenses up 1%, and sex offenses up 20% since 2018. California has a death by homicide rate of 5.1 per 100,000, compared to 5.8 in Contra Costa. California has a firearm-related death rate of 7.8 per 100,000, compared to 8.7 in Contra Costa. The 2016 incarceration rate in California is 700.0 per 1,000 adult felony arrests and 404.0 in the county. In the past 8 years, the state's prison population has also been aging, with the percentage age 50 or older up from 4% in 2000 to 23% in 2017. This aging inmate population has cost implications, including costs for health care, with the average annual cost to incarcerate one inmate in the state up 58% since 2011 to \$81,000 per year.

Compared to a 4% decline in the state since 2018, domestic violence calls for assistance from Contra Costa residents fell 6% with 3,066 calls in 2019. The county's December 2019 rate of substantiated child abuse cases at 3.8 per 1,000 continues lower than 7.5 in California, but the county rate rose 11% or 96 children to 949. About 15% involve children less than 1, another 31% involve children age 1-5, and cases that result in children entering foster care fell another 4% since 2018. The county had 869 juvenile arrests in 2019, up 9% or 75 since 2018, with 375 (43%) for felonies and 153 (41%) for violent offenses. Like the state, the county saw an uptick in juvenile felony arrests (up 19% or 59) and arrests for violent offenses (up 15% or 20). In 2019, 59% (222) of all juveniles arrested for felony offenses in Contra Costa are Black, 29% (109) are Latino, and 9% (33) are White. About 4% of Contra Costa 7th graders and 5% of 11th graders report gang membership in 2019, with both improved since 2015.

Profile of Children and Families

In 2019, 13,236 women age 15-50 gave birth in Contra Costa, up 4% since 2018, for a birth rate of 49.1 per 1,000. The 2020 age-specific teen birth rates in both county (9.1) and state (14.2) continue to trend downward. About 8,096 native-born women in the county had births, up 3%, while 5,140 foreign-born women had births, up 5%. About 30% of native-born women with births are unmarried, compared to 20% of foreign-born women, but both rates rose since 2018. About 8,403 (64%) women who gave birth were in the labor force, including 60% of married and 74% of unmarried women with births. Countywide, 2,158 women with births live below the FPL in 2019.

As of October 2020, the county has 661 children in foster care, down 21% or 177, with 247 first entries, down 37% or 146 children age 0-17 since 2019. Foster children age 0-5 continue to represent 32% of all Contra Costa children in care, but the proportion is down from 35%. Infants comprise 32% (61) of first entries, 1-2 year olds comprise 10% (19), 3-5 year olds comprise 13% (25), so 0-5 year olds represent 55% (105) of all 2020 first entries. Contra Costa schools enrolled 863 foster students in 2019-20, down 12% or 113 since 2018-19.

A licensed child care space is available to 25% of California and 28% of Contra Costa children of all ages in working families. Demand for childcare for 0-1 year olds rose slightly since 2018, with 38% of requests for care involving children less than 2, but fulltime care requests rose from 75% to 79%. Another 42% of requests are for 2-5 year olds and between 66% (age 5) and 84% (age 3) of requests are for full time care. Although recognized as an essential service, the child care provider sector has nonetheless been negatively impacted by COVID-19, as California lost 14% or 3,635 family homes and 33% or 4,873 centers from January 2020 to January 2021. In Contra Costa, COVID-19 forced the temporary or permanent closure of 220 child care family homes (down 23%) and 142 centers (down 26%) during the same period.

In February 2021, Contra Costa has 19,233 daycare slots and 2,227 infant slots in licensed centers, a 2% decline in daycare slots and a 1% increase in infant slots since 2020. Contra Costa also has 405 licensed family homes that serve at least 9 children with 5,616 slots, down 30% or 174 homes and 2,366 slots since 2020, most likely due to COVID-19 business closures and stay-at-home orders. The 2019 California Preschool Development Grant Birth Through Five Program Needs Assessment puts California last in the nation for the affordability of infant care, with costs for FT infant care averaging \$12,543 in family homes and \$19,460 in centers, up 10% (\$1,149) in homes and 10% (\$1,770) in centers since 2018. Costs for FT preschool care in homes (\$11,957) also rose 10%, while costs for FT preschool care in centers (\$14,284) rose 14% since 2018.

Educational Profile

Public school enrollment in the county has grown from 168,228 students in 2011 to 178,411 in 2020. Since last year, Brentwood Union Elementary (up 109 or 1%), Contra Costa County Office of Education (up 259 or 5%), Orinda Union Elementary (up 22 or 1%), SBE Synergy Rocketship Futuro Academy (up 109 or 26%) and West Contra Costa Unified (up 383 students or 1%) saw larger than average increases, while Acalanes Union High (down 48 or 1%), John Swett Unified (down 17 or 1%), Knightsen Elementary (down 27 or 4%), Lafayette Elementary (down 39 or 1%), Oakley Union Elementary (down 73 or 1%) and San Ramon Valley Unified (down 227 or 1%) saw notable declines. The county's student population in 2020 is 37% Latino, 29% White, 13% Asian, 9% Black, 7% multi-racial and 4% Filipino, with 1-year declines in Blacks (down 1%), Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islanders (down 3%) and Whites (down 2%), but increases in Latinos (up 2%), multi-racial students (up 6%), Asians (up 2%) and American Indian / Native Alaskans (up 6%). Contra Costa maintains slightly higher proportions of preschoolers (6%), kindergarteners (5%), elementary (40%) and high school (22%) students as compared to the state. Of county residents 3 and older in school, 18,584 (6%) attend nursery or preschool in 2019, up 1% or 129, and 45% of preschoolers attend public schools, compared to 58% statewide. About 15,021 (54%) of 3-4 year olds in the county attend school in 2019, down 128 or 1% since 2018. Although county enrollment of 3-4 year olds (54%) still surpasses the state (50%), the county rate has fallen steadily since 2015, while the state rate continues to rise. About 38% of Californians age 3 and over below the FPL attend school in 2019, compared to 34% (31,637) in the county, but the number in college (9,090) fell 2% or 138, while the number in preschool (1,615) rose 23% or 297 since 2018. Of 79,176 total college students, the county has 35,442 (45%) male and 43,734 (55%) female enrollees, but 11% (41,795) of males age 25 and over have no high school diploma, compared to 10% (41,126) of females.

Compared to 59% statewide, 40% (70,401) of the county's 178,411 students are eligible for free or reduced price meals (FRPM) in 2019-20, down 3% or 2,315 since 2018-19. Acalanes Union High (down 26 or 7%), San Ramon Valley Unified (down 132 or 7%), Mt. Diablo Unified (down 1,327 or 9%) and Lafayette Elementary (down 14 or 13%) saw the largest declines, while John Swett Unified (up 57 or 7%), Contra Costa County Office of Education (up 179 or 7%), Liberty Union High (up 166 or 7%) and SBE Synergy Rocketship Future (up 106 or 34%) saw notable increases. A total of 2,650 Contra Costa students do not have stable housing as of December 2018.

Transitional Kindergarten enrollment in the county fell 1% to 2,569, compared to a 2% statewide increase. Byron Union Elementary (down 11), Mt. Diablo Unified (down 40), Pittsburg Unified (down 24) and SBE Rocketship Futuro Academy (down 24) saw the largest decreases, while Brentwood Union Elementary (up 12), Orinda Union Elementary (up 72) and West Contra Costa Unified (up 13) saw notable gains. The county has 575 (22%) English Learners (EL) and 954 (37%) Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SD) students, with both down from 2018. EL students fell 20% (down 142) countywide, compared to a 10% drop in the state. SD students fell 10% (down 103) countywide, compared to a 1% increase in the state. As the percentage of EL students of all ages in California fell from 25% in 2004 to 19% in 2020, the countywide EL rate has grown from 15% to 16%. In 2020, Contra Costa has 28,454 (16%) EL students, down 2% or 528 students since 2019. Since 2018, California children in linguistically isolated households fell 5%, while the county saw a 6% drop to 13,839, with large declines in Oakley (down 94 or 28%), San Pablo (down 152 or 11%), San Ramon (down 160 or 14%), Pittsburg (down 250 or 19%), Richmond (down 258 or 9%) and Concord (down 269 or 9%). El Cerrito (up 34 or 33%), Martinez (up 57 or 518%), Antioch (up 72 or 6%) and Brentwood (up 137 or 87%) saw notable increases. About 71% (9,774) of Contra Costa children in limited-English households speak Spanish, down 7% or 777 since 2018.

Across all students in Contra Costa in 2018-19, 28% meet and 27% exceed the English Language Arts standard, which compares favorably to the state (29% and 23%, respectively). Across all county students, 20% meet and 24% exceed the Mathematics standard, which also compares favorably to the state (20% and 20%, respectively). In 2019, the countywide chronic absenteeism rate is 12%, but Pacific Islander (26%) and Black (25%) students have much higher rates than White (9%), Filipino (7%) and Asian (5%) students. The county's graduation rate remains relatively unchanged at just under 89%, compared to just under 88% statewide.

Communities Served by Head Start

Based on 2019 ACS estimates, 8,476 0-2 year olds (including 2,158 pregnant women) and 6,853 3-5 year olds in Contra Costa may be income-eligible for Early Head Start or Head Start services in 2021-22. Income-eligible 0-2 year olds fell 4% or 339, but the number of pregnant women below the FPL is relatively unchanged since 2018. Income-eligible 3-5 year olds fell 6% or 463. Concord (up 51), Oakley (up 109), Richmond (up 85) and Walnut Creek (up 721) saw notable increases in income-eligible Early Head Start children and mothers, while Antioch (down 136), Martinez (down 88), Pinole (down 42) and Pittsburg (down 37) saw declines. Brentwood (up 40), Concord (up 36), El Cerrito (up 39) and Walnut Creek (up 631) saw sizable increases in income-eligible Head Start children, while estimates fell in Antioch (down 45), Oakley (down 40), Pittsburg (down 139) and Richmond (down 108).

In 2020-21, the county's Early Head Start program served 798 including 33 pregnant women, while Head Start served 1,347. About 27% (216) of Early Head Start enrollees are less than 1, including 33 unborn babies.

Another 26% (209) are 2 year olds. Of Head Start enrollees, 40% (540) are 5 or older and 39% (519) are 4 year olds. Latino children make up 62% (477) of Early Head Start and 61% (821) of Head Start enrollees, and Spanish is the primary language of 37% (295) of Early Head Start and 39% (520) of Head Start enrollees. White children make up 60% (458) of Early Head Start and 60% (802) of Head Start enrollment, while African Americans make up 27% (209) of Early Head Start and 24% (325) of Head Start enrollment. Less than 3% (19) of Early Head Start and 5% (66) of Head Start enrollees are Asian. About 73% (530) of families served by Early Head Start, up 30 families, and 73% (911) of those served by Head Start, down 22, are single-parent families. The majority enrolled in both Early Head Start (69%) and Head Start (62%) are eligible based on income. Eligibility based on foster care status accounts for nearly 3% (18) of EHS and 3% (32) of HS children. Eligibility based on homelessness (28 children or 4% in EHS and 35 children or 3% in HS) has increased for both programs since 2018.

The Community Assessment reports on the conditions of children and families in the zip codes and census places listed below to access the need for Head Start program services.

City or CDP	Zip code	City or CDP	Zip code
Byron / Discovery Bay	94505	Knightsen	94548
Danville / Blackhawk	94506	Lafayette	94549
Alamo	94507	Martinez / Briones / Pacheco / Vine Hill	94553
Antioch	94509	Moraga	94556
Bethel Island	94511	Oakley	94561
Brentwood	94513	Orinda	94563
Byron / Discovery Bay	94514	Pinole	94564
Canyon	94516	Pittsburg / Bay Point / Port Chicago / W. Pittsburg	94565
Clayton	94517	Port Costa	94569
Concord	94518	Rodeo	94572
Concord	94519	San Ramon	94582
Concord / Clyde	94520	San Ramon	94583
Concord	94521	Walnut Creek	94595
Concord / Pleasant Hill	94523	Walnut Creek / Lafayette	94596
Contra Costa Centre	94597	Walnut Creek	94597
Crockett	94525	Walnut Creek	94598
Danville	94526	Point Richmond / Richmond / North Richmond	94801
Diablo	94528	Richmond / San Pablo / El Sobrante	94803
El Cerrito	94530	Richmond	94804
Antioch	94531	Richmond / East Richmond Heights	94805
Hercules / Rodeo	94547	Richmond / Bayview / San Pablo / Tara Hills	94806

Community Assets and Resources for Head Start Children

No single agency would be capable of eliminating the myriad causes and effects of poverty. Collaborations of the private sector, government agencies, community-based and faith-based organizations play a crucial role as they join forces, multiply individual efforts and leverage resources. The CSB recognizes that the Head Start, Early Head Start, CDD and CSBG programs accessed by many residents are more effective in reducing or eliminating poverty's impact on children and families when they operate in unison through comprehensive partnerships with other local organizations committed to transforming individuals, families, neighborhoods and entire communities. With this perspective, the CSB continues its successful history of merging Head Start and Child Development programs into a unified Child Start program which offers more families full-day, year-round services such as high-quality education; health and dental services; job skills training support for family members in CalWORKS; and family advocacy services. In the 2020-21, 53 Early Head Start families needed and 227 received family services or referrals, while 45 Head Start families needed and 342 received family services or referrals. Services accessed most by Early Head Start families include adult education (20) and parenting education (190). Services accessed most by Head Start families include parenting education (243) and health education (133).

Contra Costa County sponsors its own health care system, the Contra Costa Health Services (CCHS), which offers a wide range of health services to residents. The CCHS uses a broad provider network to support individual, family and community health through primary, specialty, and inpatient medical care, mental health services, substance abuse treatment, public health programs, environmental health protection, hazardous materials response and inspection, and emergency medical services. CCHS operates the Contra Costa Health Plan (CCHP), an HMO that offers Medi-Cal Managed Care coverage, serves Medicare beneficiaries, provides quality care to county employees, businesses, individuals, and families, and implements the ACA Medi-Cal expansion to those with incomes below 138% of the FPL. This CCHS system provides a safety net of quality health care and medical services not otherwise available to low income residents.

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Population Change

In 2019, American Community Survey data indicates that Contra Costa County is now home to 1,142,251 residents, up 0.8% from 2018, compared to a slight 0.3% increase statewide. The county's top population centers remain the same as in prior years led by Concord (129,183), Antioch (111,200), Richmond (109,884), San Ramon (75,648), Pittsburg (71,422) and Walnut Creek (69,567). Nearly half (49.6%) of all Contra Costa County residents live in one of these six population centers.

Growth rates since 2018 exceed the county by far in Bethel Island (up 7.5%), Crockett (up 5.5%), Brentwood (up 2.5%), Oakley (up 1.6%) and Pittsburg (up 1.3%). Communities with declining population estimates include Blackhawk (down 2.6%), Alamo (down 2.7%), Bayview (down 4.7%) and Tara Hills (down 5.3%). As in 2018, Brentwood (up 1,515), Pittsburg (up 930) and Oakley (up 655) saw the largest 1-year population gains. Alamo (down 412), Tara Hills (down 288) and Blackhawk (down 256) saw the largest population declines since 2018.

Since 2010, population growth in Contra Costa County (up 93,226 or 8.9%) has been steeper than in the state (5.4%) as a whole. Within the county, growth rates have been much higher than average in Brentwood (up 20.4% or 10,480), Clayton (up 10.9% or 1,186), Contra Costa Centre (up 22.3% or 1,194), Discovery Bay (up 21.0% or 2,807), Lafayette (up 10.1% or 2,412), Oakley (up 16.6% or 5,892), Orinda (up 11.4% or 2,003), Pacheco (up 18.3% or 676), Pittsburg (up 12.9% or 8,158) and Rodeo (up 19.9% or 1,730). Antioch (up 8,828), Concord (up 7,116), Richmond (up 6,188) and Walnut Creek (up 5,394) also saw large population increases since 2010. Areas with population declines or much lower than average growth since 2010 include East Richmond Heights (down 3.6% or 118), Tara Hills (down 0.2% or 9), Bethel Island (up 1.1% or 24), Alamo (up 2.3% or 335), Blackhawk (up 2.7% or 250) and Vine Hill (up 3.3% or 125).

Figure 1 – Population Change by Area, 2018-2019

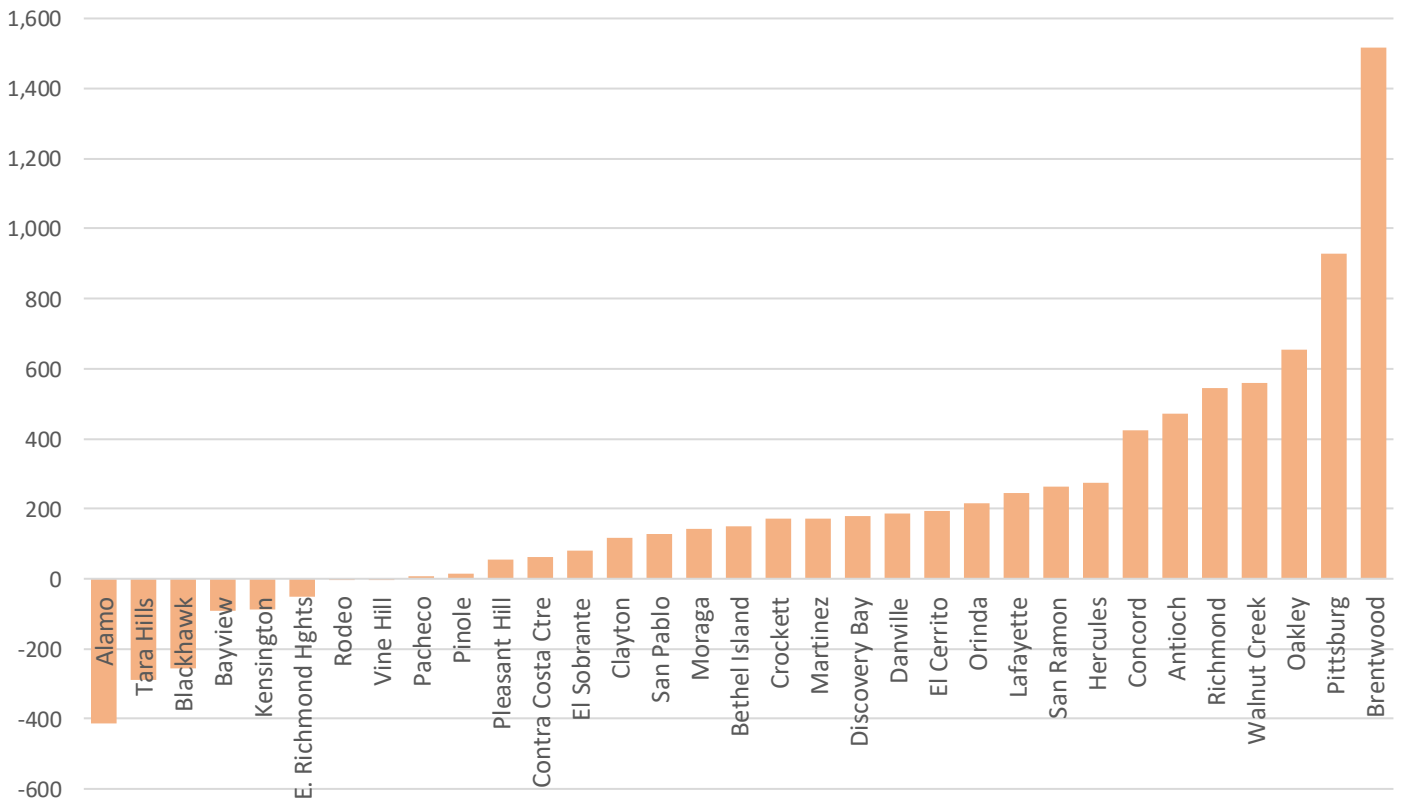


Table 1 – Population by Census Place and Percentage Change, 2010 – 2019

Location	2010	2013	2016	2018	2019	% Change Since 2010	% Change Since 2018
California	37,253,956	37,659,181	38,654,206	39,148,760	39,283,497	5.4	0.3
Contra Costa	1,049,025	1,065,794	1,107,925	1,133,247	1,142,251	8.9	0.8
Alamo CDP	14,570	15,672	16,078	15,317	14,905	2.3	-2.7
Antioch	102,372	104,035	108,675	110,730	111,200	8.6	0.4
Bayview CDP	1,754	2,287	1,753	1,954	1,862	6.2	-4.7
Bethel Island CDP	2,137	2,172	2,199	2,010	2,161	1.1	7.5
Blackhawk CDP	9,354	9,263	9,468	9,860	9,604	2.7	-2.6
Brentwood	51,481	52,494	56,923	60,446	61,961	20.4	2.5
Clayton	10,897	11,137	11,655	11,967	12,083	10.9	1.0
Concord	122,067	123,658	126,938	128,758	129,183	5.8	0.3
Contra Costa Centre CDP	5,364	5,461	6,190	6,497	6,558	22.3	0.9
Crockett CDP	3,094	3,121	3,103	3,094	3,265	5.5	5.5
Danville	42,039	42,476	43,758	44,417	44,605	6.1	0.4
Discovery Bay CDP	13,352	13,030	14,765	15,981	16,159	21.0	1.1
E. Richmond Heights CDP	3,280	3,576	3,364	3,214	3,162	-3.6	-1.6
El Cerrito	23,549	23,862	24,646	25,203	25,398	7.9	0.8
El Sobrante CDP	12,669	13,478	12,963	13,736	13,818	9.1	0.6
Hercules	24,060	24,340	25,011	25,343	25,616	6.5	1.1
Kensington CDP	5,077	5,201	5,602	5,415	5,329	5.0	-1.6
Lafayette	23,893	24,347	25,381	26,060	26,305	10.1	0.9
Martinez	35,824	36,471	37,544	38,117	38,290	6.9	0.5
Moraga	16,016	16,315	16,977	17,398	17,539	9.5	0.8
Oakley	35,432	36,443	38,968	40,669	41,324	16.6	1.6
Orinda	17,643	18,108	18,936	19,431	19,646	11.4	1.1
Pacheco CDP	3,685	4,001	4,059	4,355	4,361	18.3	0.1
Pinole	18,390	18,587	19,040	19,264	19,279	4.8	0.1
Pittsburg	63,264	64,588	67,998	70,492	71,422	12.9	1.3
Pleasant Hill	33,152	33,513	34,395	34,785	34,840	5.1	0.2
Richmond	103,701	105,280	108,303	109,340	109,884	6.0	0.5
Rodeo CDP	8,679	8,689	9,798	10,411	10,409	19.9	0.0
San Pablo	29,139	29,324	29,991	30,839	30,967	6.3	0.4
San Ramon	72,148	72,707	74,366	75,384	75,648	4.9	0.4
Tara Hills CDP	5,126	4,674	4,950	5,405	5,117	-0.2	-5.3
Vine Hill CDP	3,761	4,128	4,264	3,887	3,886	3.3	0.0
Walnut Creek	64,173	65,122	67,568	69,007	69,567	8.4	0.8

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Population by Race and Ethnicity

From 2010 to 2019, the county’s population has grown 93,226 (8.9%) from 1,049,025 to 1,142,251, maintaining an average growth rate of about 1% per year. The population of White residents has grown by 23,392 (up 3.8%), Asian residents by 39,514 (up 26.1%), Hispanic/Latino residents by 36,738 (up 14.4%), multi-racial residents by 15,731 (up 25.3%), Pacific Islander/Native Hawaiian residents by 786 (up 16.2%) and Black/African American residents by 2,481 (up 2.6%). Since 2010, the county has seen population declines among American Indian/Alaskan Native residents (down 616 or 10.1%). Since 2018, the number of White residents fell 1.6% and residents who identify as some unspecified race fell 31.0%, but Hispanic residents rose 1.5%, Black residents rose 2.4%, Asian residents rose 3.2%, multiracial residents rose 58.9%. Note that some increase in multiracial residents is no doubt due to a change in how residents self-identify and/or report their ancestry. Compared to the state, the county as a whole continues to have a much lower proportion of Hispanic residents (39.0% and 25.6%, respectively), White residents (59.7% and 55.8%, respectively) and residents of some other race (14.0% and 10.9%, respectively). Compared to the state, the county also continues to have a higher proportion

of African American residents (5.8% and 8.7%, respectively), Asian residents (14.5% and 16.7%, respectively) and multi-racial residents (4.9% and 6.8%, respectively).

Table 2 – Population by Ethnicity 2010 – 2019

Race / Ethnicity	2010		2019		
	Contra Costa #	Contra Costa %	Contra Costa #	Contra Costa %	California %
Caucasian	614,512	58.6	637,904	55.8	59.7
Black / African American	97,161	9.3	99,642	8.7	5.8
American Indian / Alaska Native	6,122	0.6	5,506	0.5	0.8
Asian	151,469	14.4	190,983	16.7	14.5
Pacific Islander / Native Hawaiian	4,845	0.5	5,631	0.5	0.4
Some other race	112,691	10.7	124,629	10.9	14.0
Two or more races	62,225	5.9	77,956	6.8	4.9
Hispanic or Latino	255,560	24.4	292,298	25.6	39.0
Total population	1,049,025		1,142,251		39,283,497

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Table 3 – Population by Race, Ethnicity and Geography, 2019

Area	Total	White	Black/Afr. Amer.	Amer. Ind. /Alaskan	Asian	Native HI/ Pac. Islander	Other	Two or more	Hispanic / Latino
Alamo	14,905	12,751	43	18	1,299	10	226	558	1,037
Antioch	111,200	45,158	23,873	820	12,998	982	17,469	9,900	36,902
Bayview	1,862	1,284	120	0	318	0	102	38	592
Bethel Island	2,161	1,623	100	0	27	0	390	21	627
Blackhawk	9,604	6,683	161	0	2,059	33	152	516	667
Brentwood	61,961	39,238	5,342	452	6,618	341	5,103	4,867	14,212
Clayton	12,083	10,044	279	15	922	0	136	687	1,241
Concord	129,183	80,796	4,359	587	16,269	732	17,110	9,330	38,663
CC Centre	6,558	4,089	232	0	1,614	0	150	473	737
Crockett	3,265	2,395	239	26	87	0	262	256	662
Danville	44,605	35,927	499	17	6,048	33	304	1,777	2,880
Discovery Bay	16,159	13,105	783	167	1,068	32	214	790	2,726
E Richmond	3,162	1,908	507	0	341	0	215	191	507
El Cerrito	25,398	13,616	1,260	223	7,704	162	656	1,777	2,593
El Sobrante	13,818	7,322	1,571	37	2,461	107	997	1,323	3,977
Hercules	25,616	7,480	3,873	26	11,603	149	1,032	1,453	4,053
Kensington	5,329	4,103	124	18	621	1	18	444	536
Lafayette	26,305	21,374	148	81	2,945	9	311	1,437	2,251
Martinez	38,290	28,869	1,296	104	3,367	0	1,974	2,680	6,406
Moraga	17,539	13,027	121	30	2,841	188	278	1,054	1,352
Oakley	41,324	23,411	4,043	421	2,704	392	6,789	3,564	14,802
Orinda	19,646	14,918	229	0	3,152	61	41	1,245	1,043
Pacheco	4,361	2,583	133	32	913	0	378	322	972
Pinole	19,279	8,290	2,269	114	5,276	28	1,455	1,847	4,119
Pittsburg	71,422	25,288	11,018	550	11,930	408	15,626	6,602	31,011
Pleasant Hill	34,840	25,600	896	62	4,285	265	1,389	2,343	5,102
Richmond	109,884	40,064	22,150	524	16,968	433	23,485	6,260	46,664
Rodeo	10,409	4,618	1,504	0	2,162	98	896	1,131	3,349
San Pablo	30,967	11,414	3,511	156	5,337	134	9,224	1,191	18,622
San Ramon	75,648	32,594	1,767	266	35,324	268	1,057	4,372	5,352
Tara Hills	5,117	1,926	700	45	978	0	1,090	378	2,089
Vine Hill	3,886	2,471	25	0	398	101	535	356	1,259
Walnut Creek	69,567	51,532	1,427	160	10,675	333	1,393	4,047	6,344

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

In 2019, Antioch (23,873), Richmond (22,150) and Pittsburg (11,018) have the highest number of Black or African American residents. San Ramon (35,324), Richmond (16,968) and Concord (16,269) have

the largest populations of Asian residents. The cities of Richmond (46,664), Concord (38,663), Antioch (36,902) and Pittsburg (31,011) have the largest population of Hispanic residents.

In 2019, the cities of Antioch (21.5%), Richmond (20.2%), Pittsburg (15.4%) and Hercules (15.1%) have much higher proportions of Black or African American residents than the county (8.7%). Contra Costa Centre (24.6%), Pinole (27.4%), El Cerrito (30.3%), Hercules (45.3%) and San Ramon (46.7%) have much higher proportions of Asian residents than the county (16.7%). Compared to the countywide proportion of Hispanics (25.6%), San Pablo (60.1%), Pittsburg (43.4%), Richmond (42.5%), Tara Hills (40.8%), Oakley (35.8%) and Antioch (33.2%) have much higher proportions of Hispanic residents.

Table 4 – Percentage of Residents by Race, Ethnicity and Geography, 2019

Area	White	Black/Afr. Amer.	Amer. Ind. /Alaskan	Asian	Native HI/ Pac. Islander	Other	Two or more	Hispanic / Latino
Alamo	85.5	0.3	0.1	8.7	0.1	1.5	3.7	7.0
Antioch	40.6	21.5	0.7	11.7	0.9	15.7	8.9	33.2
Bayview	69.0	6.4	0.0	17.1	0.0	5.5	2.0	31.8
Bethel Island	75.1	4.6	0.0	1.2	0.0	18.0	1.0	29.0
Blackhawk	69.6	1.7	0.0	21.4	0.3	1.6	5.4	6.9
Brentwood	63.3	8.6	0.7	10.7	0.6	8.2	7.9	22.9
Clayton	83.1	2.3	0.1	7.6	0.0	1.1	5.7	10.3
Concord	62.5	3.4	0.5	12.6	0.6	13.2	7.2	29.9
Contra Costa Ctr	62.4	3.5	0.0	24.6	0.0	2.3	7.2	11.2
Crockett	73.4	7.3	0.8	2.7	0.0	8.0	7.8	20.3
Danville	80.5	1.1	0.0	13.6	0.1	0.7	4.0	6.5
Discovery Bay	81.1	4.8	1.0	6.6	0.2	1.3	4.9	16.9
E Richmond Hts	60.3	16.0	0.0	10.8	0.0	6.8	6.0	16.0
El Cerrito	53.6	5.0	0.9	30.3	0.6	2.6	7.0	10.2
El Sobrante	53.0	11.4	0.3	17.8	0.8	7.2	9.6	28.8
Hercules	29.2	15.1	0.1	45.3	0.6	4.0	5.7	15.8
Kensington	77.0	2.3	0.3	11.7	0.0	0.3	8.3	10.1
Lafayette	81.3	0.6	0.3	11.2	0.0	1.2	5.5	8.6
Martinez	75.4	3.4	0.3	8.8	0.0	5.2	7.0	16.7
Moraga	74.3	0.7	0.2	16.2	1.1	1.6	6.0	7.7
Oakley	56.7	9.8	1.0	6.5	0.9	16.4	8.6	35.8
Orinda	75.9	1.2	0.0	16.0	0.3	0.2	6.3	5.3
Pacheco	59.2	3.0	0.7	20.9	0.0	8.7	7.4	22.3
Pinole	43.0	11.8	0.6	27.4	0.1	7.5	9.6	21.4
Pittsburg	35.4	15.4	0.8	16.7	0.6	21.9	9.2	43.4
Pleasant Hill	73.5	2.6	0.2	12.3	0.8	4.0	6.7	14.6
Richmond	36.5	20.2	0.5	15.4	0.4	21.4	5.7	42.5
Rodeo	44.4	14.4	0.0	20.8	0.9	8.6	10.9	32.2
San Pablo	36.9	11.3	0.5	17.2	0.4	29.8	3.8	60.1
San Ramon	43.1	2.3	0.4	46.7	0.4	1.4	5.8	7.1
Tara Hills	37.6	13.7	0.9	19.1	0.0	21.3	7.4	40.8
Vine Hill	63.6	0.6	0.0	10.2	2.6	13.8	9.2	32.4
Walnut Creek	74.1	2.1	0.2	15.3	0.5	2.0	5.8	9.1

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Population by Age

In 2019, Contra Costa County is home to an estimated 261,203 (22.9%) children age 0-17, 93,870 (8.2%) residents age 18-24, 611,296 (53.5%) age 25-64, 132,773 (11.6%) age 65-79 and 43,109 (3.8%) age 80 and over. Within the county, the largest populations of children age 0-17 reside in Antioch (27,630), Concord (26,659), Richmond (23,954) and San Ramon (21,401). The largest populations of residents age 18-24 reside in Antioch (10,838), Richmond (10,460), Concord (10,438) and Pittsburg (7,264). The largest populations of Contra Costa County residents age 80 and over reside in Walnut Creek (7,465), Concord (4,733), Richmond (3,308) and Antioch (3,191).

Table 5 – Contra Costa County Residents by Age Group, 2019

Area	Total	< 18 years	18-24 years	25-64 years	65-79 years	80 and over
California	39,283,497	9,022,146	3,789,808	20,985,502	4,111,290	1,374,751
	%	23.0	9.6	53.4	10.5	3.5
Contra Costa County	1,142,251	261,203	93,870	611,296	132,773	43,109
	%	22.9	8.2	53.5	11.6	3.8
Alamo	14,905	3,415	856	7,059	2,668	907
	%	22.9	5.7	47.4	17.9	6.1
Antioch	111,200	27,630	10,838	59,185	10,356	3,191
	%	24.8	9.7	53.2	9.3	2.9
Bayview	1,862	346	231	957	216	112
	%	18.6	12.4	51.4	11.6	6.0
Bethel Island	2,161	347	218	1,104	365	127
	%	16.1	10.1	51.1	16.9	5.9
Blackhawk	9,604	2,014	540	4,963	1,713	374
	%	21.0	5.6	51.7	17.8	3.9
Brentwood	61,961	16,396	5,291	30,995	6,802	2,477
	%	26.5	8.5	50.0	11.0	4.0
Clayton	12,083	2,762	1,014	6,199	1,605	503
	%	22.9	8.4	51.3	13.3	4.2
Concord	129,183	26,659	10,438	72,684	14,669	4,733
	%	20.6	8.1	56.3	11.4	3.7
Contra Costa Centre	6,558	640	597	4,759	560	2
	%	9.8	9.1	72.6	8.5	0.0
Crockett	3,265	518	187	2,057	386	117
	%	15.9	5.7	63.0	11.8	3.6
Danville	44,605	11,217	3,134	22,032	5,955	2,267
	%	25.1	7.0	49.4	13.4	5.1
Discovery Bay	16,159	3,740	1,262	8,584	2,268	305
	%	23.1	7.8	53.1	14.0	1.9
E. Richmond Heights	3,162	433	82	1,883	632	132
	%	13.7	2.6	59.6	20.0	4.2
El Cerrito	25,398	4,497	1,425	14,448	3,548	1,480
	%	17.7	5.6	56.9	14.0	5.8
El Sobrante	13,818	2,603	1,267	7,997	1,640	311
	%	18.8	9.2	57.9	11.9	2.3
Hercules	25,616	5,001	2,189	14,546	3,333	547
	%	19.5	8.5	56.8	13.0	2.1
Kensington	5,329	1,058	224	2,602	1,140	305
	%	19.9	4.2	48.8	21.4	5.7
Lafayette	26,305	6,701	1,339	13,546	3,811	908
	%	25.5	5.1	51.5	14.5	3.5
Martinez	38,290	7,563	3,259	21,258	4,890	1,320
	%	19.8	8.5	55.5	12.8	3.4
Moraga	17,539	3,769	2,791	7,245	2,652	1,082
	%	21.5	15.9	41.3	15.1	6.2
Oakley	41,324	12,078	4,431	20,978	3,366	471
	%	29.2	10.7	50.8	8.1	1.1
Orinda	19,646	4,532	884	9,781	3,259	1,190
	%	23.1	4.5	49.8	16.6	6.1
Pacheco	4,361	762	277	2,631	565	126
	%	17.5	6.4	60.3	13.0	2.9
Pinole	19,279	3,315	1,205	10,914	2,972	873
	%	17.2	6.3	56.6	15.4	4.5
Pittsburg	71,422	17,698	7,264	38,626	6,215	1,619
	%	24.8	10.2	54.1	8.7	2.3
Pleasant Hill	34,840	6,701	2,738	19,803	4,150	1,448
	%	19.2	7.9	56.8	11.9	4.2
Richmond	109,884	23,954	10,460	60,780	11,382	3,308

Area	Total	< 18 years	18-24 years	25-64 years	65-79 years	80 and over
	%	21.8	9.5	55.3	10.4	3.0
Rodeo	10,409	2,327	1,022	5,654	1,021	385
	%	22.4	9.8	54.3	9.8	3.7
San Pablo	30,967	7,622	3,661	16,544	2,358	782
	%	24.6	11.8	53.4	7.6	2.5
San Ramon	75,648	21,401	4,436	41,868	6,378	1,565
	%	28.3	5.9	55.3	8.4	2.1
Tara Hills	5,117	1,062	493	2,902	500	160
	%	20.8	9.6	56.7	9.8	3.1
Vine Hill	3,886	1,083	287	2,154	238	124
	%	27.9	7.4	55.4	6.1	3.2
Walnut Creek	69,567	11,804	3,321	33,870	13,107	7,465
	%	17.0	4.8	48.7	18.8	10.7

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

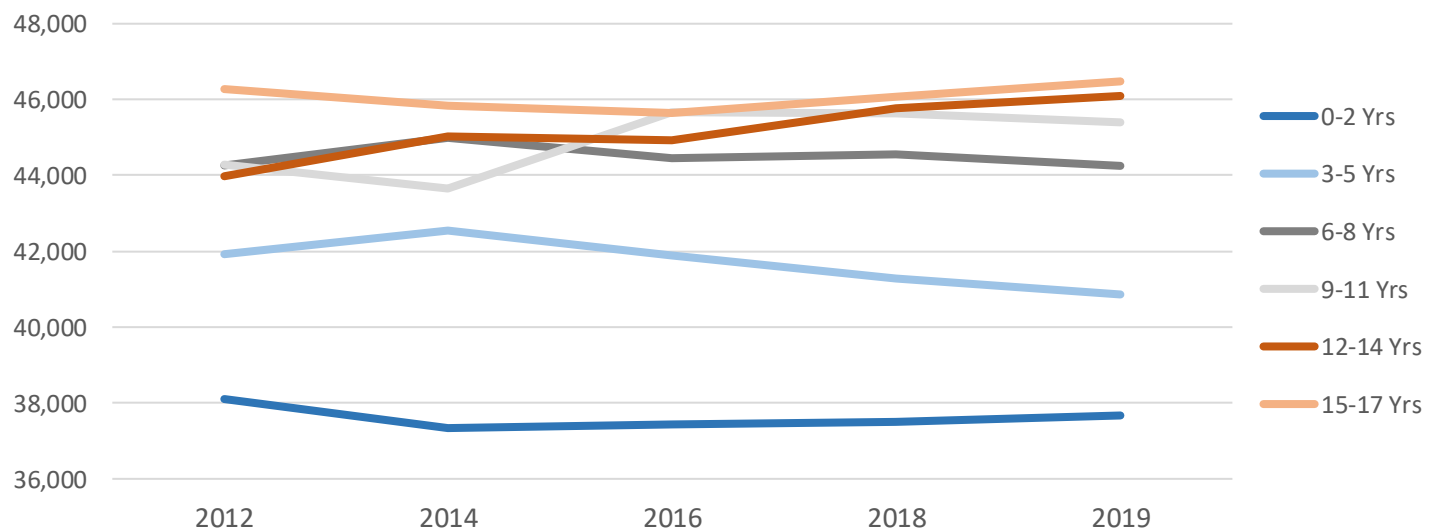
In 2018, Contra Costa County is home to an estimated 261,203 children age 0-17, with 260,785 (99.8%) in households and 78,532 (30.1%) less than 6 years old. Since 2018, the number of children age 0-17 and children in households remains fairly stable, while the number age 0-5 fell a slight 258 (down 0.3%). The countywide population of 0-2 year olds (37,670) rose a slight 155 or 0.4%, and the population of 3-5 year olds fell a slight 413 or 1.0%.

Table 6 – Contra Costa County Children in Households by Age Group, 2012 – 2019

Age Group	2012	2014	2016	2018	2019
0-2 Years	38,104	37,339	37,441	37,515	37,670
3-5 Years	41,935	42,546	41,893	41,275	40,862
6-8 Years	44,262	44,991	44,451	44,567	44,268
9-11 Years	44,272	43,654	45,666	45,635	45,411
12-14 Years	43,978	45,042	44,919	45,756	46,095
15-17 Years	46,289	45,847	45,646	46,084	46,479
Total Children Age 0-17	258,840	259,419	260,016	260,832	260,785

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Figure 2 – Population of Children by Age, 2012-2019



Statewide, 6.2% of residents are 0-4 years old in 2019, while 5.7% (65,438) are 0-4 years old in Contra Costa County. About 3.3% (37,670) county residents are 0-2 year olds, while 2.4% (27,768) are 3-4 years old. Compared to the countywide proportion of residents age 0-4 (5.7%), proportions are notably higher in Antioch (6.2%), Concord (6.4%), El Cerrito (6.0%), Martinez (6.1%), Oakley (7.6%), Pittsburg

(7.5%), Pleasant Hill (6.2%), Richmond (6.2%), San Pablo (6.0%) and Vine Hill (8.4%). Places with the highest number of 0-4 year olds include Antioch (6,839), Brentwood (2,957), Concord (8,274), Oakley (3,149), Pittsburg (5,364), Richmond (6,781), San Ramon (4,071) and Walnut Creek (3,396). Over half (53.9%) of the county's 0-2 year olds live in the 6 cities of Concord (4,920), Richmond (4,148), Antioch (4,008), Pittsburg (3,142), Walnut Creek (2,084) and San Ramon (2,011). The most notable one-year gains in the number of 0-2 year olds occur in Oakley (up 71), El Sobrante (up 73), Martinez (up 79), Richmond (up 143), Concord (up 232) and Pittsburg (up 293), while the most notable loses occur in Antioch (down 113), Brentwood (down 197), Orinda (down 77), Pleasant Hill (down 74) and San Ramon (down 109). The most notable one-year gains in the number of 3-4 year olds occur in Discovery Bay (up 72), Antioch (up 105), Concord (up 156), Walnut Creek (up 157) and Martinez (up 188), while the most notable loses occur in Moraga (down 70), Pittsburg (down 71), Brentwood (down 126), Pleasant Hill (down 150), Oakley (down 152) and San Ramon (down 159).

Table 7 – Population by Age Group and Census Place, 2019

Area	Population	0-2 years	3-4 years	5 years	6-17 years	Total 0-17	0-17 in group qtrs	18 and
California	39,283,497	1,428,700	1,021,399	477,011	6,073,749	9,022,146	21,287	30,261,351
	%	3.6	2.6	1.2	15.5	23.0	0.1	77.0
Contra Costa County	1,142,251	37,670	27,768	13,094	182,253	261,203	418	881,048
	%	3.3	2.4	1.1	16.0	22.9	0.0	77.1
Alamo	14,905	170	149	196	2,895	3,415	5	11,490
	%	1.1	1.0	1.3	19.4	22.9	0.0	77.1
Antioch	111,200	4,008	2,831	1,386	19,373	27,630	32	83,570
	%	3.6	2.5	1.2	17.4	24.8	0.0	75.2
Bayview	1,862	33	59	0	254	346	0	1,516
	%	1.8	3.2	0.0	13.6	18.6	0.0	81.4
Bethel Island	2,161	21	38	0	288	347	0	1,814
	%	1.0	1.8	0.0	13.3	16.1	0.0	83.9
Blackhawk	9,604	174	212	48	1,580	2,014	0	7,590
	%	1.8	2.2	0.5	16.5	21.0	0.0	79.0
Brentwood	61,961	1,487	1,470	774	12,664	16,396	1	45,565
	%	2.4	2.4	1.2	20.4	26.5	0.0	73.5
Clayton	12,083	313	273	91	2,082	2,762	3	9,321
	%	2.6	2.3	0.8	17.2	22.9	0.0	77.1
Concord	129,183	4,920	3,354	1,750	16,608	26,659	27	102,524
	%	3.8	2.6	1.4	12.9	20.6	0.0	79.4
Contra Costa Centre	6,558	314	39	57	230	640	0	5,918
	%	4.8	0.6	0.9	3.5	9.8	0.0	90.2
Crockett	3,265	87	51	44	336	518	0	2,747
	%	2.7	1.6	1.3	10.3	15.9	0.0	84.1
Danville	44,605	1,359	1,122	480	8,251	11,217	5	33,388
	%	3.0	2.5	1.1	18.5	25.1	0.0	74.9
Discovery Bay	16,159	429	482	184	2,645	3,740	0	12,419
	%	2.7	3.0	1.1	16.4	23.1	0.0	76.9
E. Richmond Heights	3,162	68	22	35	304	433	4	2,729
	%	2.2	0.7	1.1	9.6	13.7	0.1	86.3
El Cerrito	25,398	880	637	294	2,682	4,497	4	20,901
	%	3.5	2.5	1.2	10.6	17.7	0.0	82.3
El Sobrante	13,818	440	287	72	1,804	2,603	0	11,215
	%	3.2	2.1	0.5	13.1	18.8	0.0	81.2
Hercules	25,616	650	439	287	3,593	5,001	32	20,615
	%	2.5	1.7	1.1	14.0	19.5	0.1	80.5
Kensington	5,329	138	35	71	813	1,058	1	4,271
	%	2.6	0.7	1.3	15.3	19.9	0.0	80.1
Lafayette	26,305	614	557	228	5,302	6,701	0	19,604
	%	2.3	2.1	0.9	20.2	25.5	0.0	74.5

Area	Population	0-2 years	3-4 years	5 years	6-17 years	Total 0-17	0-17 in group qtrs	18 and
Martinez	38,290	1,464	871	336	4,799	7,563	93	30,727
	%	3.8	2.3	0.9	12.5	19.8	0.2	80.2
Moraga	17,539	264	183	163	3,159	3,769	0	13,770
	%	1.5	1.0	0.9	18.0	21.5	0.0	78.5
Oakley	41,324	1,683	1,466	486	8,428	12,078	15	29,246
	%	4.1	3.5	1.2	20.4	29.2	0.0	70.8
Orinda	19,646	348	400	244	3,540	4,532	0	15,114
	%	1.8	2.0	1.2	18.0	23.1	0.0	76.9
Pacheco	4,361	167	89	49	457	762	0	3,599
	%	3.8	2.0	1.1	10.5	17.5	0.0	82.5
Pinole	19,279	545	334	132	2,296	3,315	8	15,964
	%	2.8	1.7	0.7	11.9	17.2	0.0	82.8
Pittsburg	71,422	3,142	2,222	757	11,560	17,698	17	53,724
	%	4.4	3.1	1.1	16.2	24.8	0.0	75.2
Pleasant Hill	34,840	1,261	882	450	4,082	6,701	26	28,139
	%	3.6	2.5	1.3	11.7	19.2	0.1	80.8
Richmond	109,884	4,148	2,633	1,401	15,742	23,954	30	85,930
	%	3.8	2.4	1.3	14.3	21.8	0.0	78.2
Rodeo	10,409	332	280	94	1,615	2,327	6	8,082
	%	3.2	2.7	0.9	15.5	22.4	0.1	77.6
San Pablo	30,967	1,091	770	259	5,502	7,622	0	23,345
	%	3.5	2.5	0.8	17.8	24.6	0.0	75.4
San Ramon	75,648	2,011	2,060	1,014	16,292	21,401	24	54,247
	%	2.7	2.7	1.3	21.5	28.3	0.0	71.7
Tara Hills	5,117	134	106	46	776	1,062	0	4,055
	%	2.6	2.1	0.9	15.2	20.8	0.0	79.2
Vine Hill	3,886	158	167	48	710	1,083	0	2,803
	%	4.1	4.3	1.2	18.3	27.9	0.0	72.1
Walnut Creek	69,567	2,084	1,312	428	7,971	11,804	9	57,763
	%	3.0	1.9	0.6	11.5	17.0	0.0	83.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Population by Nativity

In 2019, about 74.6% (852,077) of Contra Costa County residents are U.S. born, virtually unchanged since 2018. The county has an estimated 290,174 residents born outside the U.S., up another 6,966 (2.5%) from the prior year. Of these, 54.7% (158,636) have become naturalized citizens, which is up 3.7% or 5,692 from 152,944 in 2018. Compared to the state (13.0%) and the county (11.5%), the percentage of residents who are non-citizens is notably higher in Concord (15.0%), San Ramon (15.1%), Pittsburg (15.2%), Richmond (20.1%) and San Pablo (29.4%). In 2019, particularly large numbers of non-citizens live in Concord (19,425) and Richmond (22,126). Statewide, about 0.9% of non-citizens are 0-4 year olds, compared to about 1.3% in the county as a whole, and the percentage of non-citizens who are 0-4 year olds exceeds the countywide rate in Antioch (2.0%), Concord (2.5%), San Ramon (2.8%) and Walnut Creek (3.0%).

Households and Families

Since 2018, the number of households in Contra Costa County rose 0.6%, for a gain of about 2,492 households to 394,769. The number of Contra Costa County families also rose by 1.0% or 2,721 families to 284,806, which represents about 72.1% of all households in the county, compared to 68.7% in the state. Married-couple families again saw the largest growth, up 1.1% or 2,345 families to 217,370, which represents 55.1% of all households in the county, compared to 49.8% in the state. The number of county families headed by single females, now 48,256, rose 0.8% or 360 families since 2018, representing 12.2% of all households in the county, compared to 13.0% in the state. Since 2018, the number of all county households with children less than 18 has been relatively stable, down a slight

0.2% or 282 households, the number of married-couple families with children also fell a slight 0.4% or 347 families, while the number of single female-headed families with children rose a slight 0.5% or 125 families.

Since 2009, the number of California households has risen 7.8% in the state compared to 9.0% or 32,667 households in the county, while the number of county families has risen 12.5% (up 31,702). The number of county households with children has also increased 5.9% or 7,910 since 2009. The number of married-couple families has increased 9.7% or 19,208 families, and those with children has grown by 3.2% or 2,955 families. By comparison, the number of families headed by single females (48,256) has increased 27.5% or 10,397 families since 2009, while those with children (23,648) has grown by 15.5% or 3,181 families.

Table 8 – Population by Nativity and Place, 2019

Area	Total Pop.	% Age 0-4	Native	% Age 0-4	Foreign born	% Age 0-4	Foreign born; Naturalized	% Age 0-4	Foreign born; Non-citizen	% Age 0-4
California	39,283,497	6.2	28,736,287	8.3	10,547,210	0.5	5,451,086	0.2	5,096,124	0.9
Countywide	1,142,251	5.7	852,077	7.4	290,174	0.7	158,636	0.2	131,538	1.3
Antioch	111,200	6.2	86,277	7.6	24,923	1.0	13,681	0.1	11,242	2.0
Brentwood	61,961	4.8	52,917	5.5	9,044	0.3	6,017	0.0	3,027	0.8
Concord	129,183	6.4	93,624	8.2	35,559	1.6	16,134	0.4	19,425	2.5
Danville	44,605	5.6	37,463	6.6	7,142	0.3	4,770	0.5	2,372	0.0
El Cerrito	25,398	6.0	17,437	8.2	7,961	1.1	4,844	1.2	3,117	0.9
Hercules	25,616	4.3	17,027	6.3	8,589	0.2	6,664	0.1	1,925	0.4
Pittsburg	71,422	7.5	48,514	10.9	22,908	0.4	12,083	0.2	10,825	0.6
Richmond	109,884	6.2	71,230	9.4	38,654	0.3	16,528	0.3	22,126	0.3
San Pablo	30,967	6.0	16,645	10.7	14,322	0.5	5,212	0.1	9,110	0.7
San Ramon	75,648	5.4	47,681	7.8	27,967	1.3	16,580	0.2	11,387	2.8
Walnut Creek	69,567	4.9	53,346	6.0	16,221	1.0	10,620	0.0	5,601	3.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Table 9 – Family Composition, 2009 – 2019

HOUSEHOLD TYPE	2009			2019		
	COUNTY NUMBER	COUNTY % OF HHS	CALIFORNIA % OF HHS	COUNTY NUMBER	COUNTY % OF HHS	CALIFORNIA % OF HHS
Family households (families)	253,104	69.2	68.5	284,806	72.1	68.7
HHs with own children < 18 yrs	120,947	33.4	34.8	127,879	32.4	30.2
Married-couple family	198,162	54.7	49.7	217,370	55.1	49.8
HHs with own children < 18 yrs	92,821	25.6	24.5	95,776	24.3	21.5
Female householder, no husband	37,859	10.5	12.9	48,256	12.2	13.0
HHs with own children < 18 yrs	20,467	5.7	7.4	23,648	6.0	6.1
HHs with individuals < 18 years	133,420	36.8	38.7	141,330	35.8	34.4
Total Households	362,102		12,097,894	394,769		13,044,266

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Figures shown represent the percentage of all households.

Since 2018, Contra Costa County’s 2,492 gain in households is spread unevenly across subcommunities with the largest increases in Walnut Creek (up 285), Hercules (up 304), Brentwood (up 363) and Pittsburg (up 399), while Antioch (down 74), Kensington (down 79), Tara Hills (down 81) and Richmond (down 121) saw the largest decreases. Several communities saw sizable gains in the number of families including Danville (up 217), Walnut Creek (up 246), Brentwood (up 315), Pleasant Hill (up 320) and Richmond (up 434). In contrast, Alamo (down 132), Martinez (down 156) and Antioch (down 291) saw the most notable declines in the number of families.

Although the county as a whole saw a scant 0.5% or 125 increase in the number of single female-headed families with children age 0-17, several communities saw more dramatic 1-year changes including large increases in Concord (up 104), Danville (up 114), Walnut Creek (up 154) and Antioch (up 189). In

contrast, Contra Costa Centre (down 51), Richmond (down 98), San Pablo (down 98) and Pittsburg (down 190) saw the largest declines. Critically, the countywide percentage of single female-headed families with children (49.0%) is surpassed by far in Oakley (53.6%), San Pablo (54.7%), Antioch (64.3%), San Ramon (64.4%) and Contra Costa Centre (74.5%).

Table 10 – Family Composition by Presence of Children, 2019

Area	Total HHs	All Families			Married-couples			Single Male-headed			Single Female-headed		
		Total	With kids < 18	% with < 18	Total	With kids < 18	% with < 18	Total	With kids < 18	% with < 18	Total	With < 18	% with < 18
California	13,044,266	8,958,436	3,935,576	43.9	6,491,236	2,801,975	43.2	776,575	331,798	42.7	1,690,625	801,803	47.4
CC County	394,769	284,806	127,879	44.9	217,370	95,776	44.1	19,180	8,455	44.1	48,256	23,648	49.0
Alamo	5,156	4,310	1,534	35.6	3,993	1,374	34.4	127	86	67.7	190	74	38.9
Antioch	34,028	25,990	11,856	45.6	16,716	6,448	38.6	2,325	941	40.5	6,949	4,467	64.3
Bayview	587	438	209	47.7	337	159	47.2	61	34	55.7	40	16	40.0
Bethel Isl.	906	532	146	27.4	344	146	42.4	101	0	0.0	87	0	0.0
Blackhawk	3,458	3,116	1,230	39.5	2,894	1,121	38.7	95	50	52.6	127	59	46.5
Brentwood	19,906	16,038	7,716	48.1	12,967	6,196	47.8	777	433	55.7	2,294	1,087	47.4
Clayton	4,232	3,300	1,406	42.6	2,963	1,305	44.0	85	34	40.0	252	67	26.6
Concord	46,455	31,691	13,239	41.8	23,929	9,748	40.7	2,465	1,089	44.2	5,297	2,402	45.3
CC Centre	3,611	1,446	529	36.6	1,281	488	38.1	110	0	0.0	55	41	74.5
Crockett	1,448	775	289	37.3	582	193	33.2	35	20	57.1	158	76	48.1
Danville	16,053	12,451	5,727	46.0	10,578	4,805	45.4	445	242	54.4	1,428	680	47.6
Discov. Bay	5,482	4,442	1,772	39.9	3,619	1,356	37.5	254	154	60.6	569	262	46.0
E Rich. Hts.	1,360	794	249	31.4	678	201	29.6	26	18	69.2	90	30	33.3
El Cerrito	10,034	6,798	2,678	39.4	5,553	2,230	40.2	279	104	37.3	966	344	35.6
El Sobrante	4,901	3,472	1,415	40.8	2,482	1,008	40.6	326	136	41.7	664	271	40.8
Hercules	8,402	6,531	2,553	39.1	5,000	2,017	40.3	434	86	19.8	1,097	450	41.0
Kensington	2,254	1,511	547	36.2	1,328	462	34.8	44	44	100.0	139	41	29.5
Lafayette	9,426	7,239	3,258	45.0	6,351	2,752	43.3	301	215	71.4	587	291	49.6
Martinez	14,723	9,617	3,924	40.8	7,496	2,902	38.7	402	238	59.2	1,719	784	45.6
Moraga	5,867	4,354	1,888	43.4	3,907	1,663	42.6	46	46	100.0	401	179	44.6
Oakley	11,778	9,795	5,208	53.2	7,835	4,131	52.7	639	369	57.7	1,321	708	53.6
Orinda	7,167	5,679	2,427	42.7	5,238	2,234	42.6	101	81	80.2	340	112	32.9
Pacheco	1,692	1,174	452	38.5	848	322	38.0	86	32	37.2	240	98	40.8
Pinole	6,748	4,798	1,604	33.4	3,188	990	31.1	267	153	57.3	1,343	461	34.3
Pittsburg	21,357	16,225	7,239	44.6	10,100	4,503	44.6	2,069	816	39.4	4,056	1,920	47.3
Pleasant Hill	13,817	8,964	3,806	42.5	6,969	2,966	42.6	542	258	47.6	1,453	582	40.1
Richmond	37,088	24,908	11,053	44.4	15,726	6,810	43.3	2,712	1,134	41.8	6,470	3,109	48.1
Rodeo	3,384	2,627	1,042	39.7	1,653	617	37.3	214	36	16.8	760	389	51.2
San Pablo	9,221	6,809	3,525	51.8	3,959	2,113	53.4	931	362	38.9	1,919	1,050	54.7
San Ramon	25,535	20,184	12,586	62.4	17,882	11,184	62.5	599	306	51.1	1,703	1,096	64.4
Tara Hills	1,678	1,227	551	44.9	809	356	44.0	134	69	51.5	284	126	44.4
Vine Hill	1,314	956	495	51.8	749	436	58.2	83	54	65.1	124	5	4.0
Walnut Crk	31,390	18,093	6,729	37.2	15,444	5,392	34.9	736	364	49.5	1,913	973	50.9

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

In 2019, about 192,278 (73.8%) Contra Costa County children age 0-17 live in married-couple families, up 7.1% or 12,701 children since 2018. Communities with much lower proportions of children in married-couple families include Pittsburg (59.3%), San Pablo (58.9%), Rodeo (57.0%), Antioch (55.0%) and Pinole (53.9%). Another 10,310 (4.0%) Contra Costa children age 0-17 live in single male-headed families, which is a considerable decrease of 22.2% or 2,946 children since 2018. Communities with the highest proportions of children in single male-headed families include San Pablo (5.4%), Lafayette (5.7%), Pittsburg (8.1%), Vine Hill (9.2%) and East Richmond Heights (14.5%). An estimated 41,397 (15.9%) Contra Costa County children age 0-17 live in single female-headed families, up a significant 4.3% or 1,722 children since 2018. Critically, in several communities much higher proportions of

children live in families headed by single females including Pittsburg (21.4%), Pacheco (22.4%), Richmond (22.7%), San Pablo (23.6%), Pinole (24.0%), Tara Hills (26.1%), Antioch (31.0%) and Rodeo (38.9%). Over half (52.5%) of those in single female-headed families live in Pittsburg (3,786), Concord (3,977), Richmond (5,440) and Antioch (8,532).

Table 11 – Children in Households by Family Type, 2019

Area	Children Age 0-17	In Married-Couples	In Single Male HHs	In Single Female HHs
California	8,997,470	6,189,547	427,892	1,596,989
Contra Costa County	260,707	192,278	10,310	41,397
Alamo	3,410	3,057	75	131
Antioch	27,539	15,135	1,018	8,532
Bayview	346	267	0	48
Bethel Island	347	308	12	27
Blackhawk	2,014	1,867	70	47
Brentwood	16,395	13,129	681	2,002
Clayton	2,759	2,595	42	103
Concord	26,632	19,740	1,322	3,977
Contra Costa Centre	640	596	0	22
Crockett	518	400	21	66
Danville	11,212	9,513	329	1,128
Discovery Bay	3,740	2,790	186	522
East Richmond Heights	429	331	62	36
El Cerrito	4,493	3,731	115	412
El Sobrante	2,603	1,811	111	396
Hercules	4,969	4,026	154	630
Kensington	1,057	913	44	91
Lafayette	6,701	5,794	380	308
Martinez	7,470	5,634	226	1,060
Moraga	3,769	3,451	38	242
Oakley	12,063	9,516	222	1,630
Orinda	4,532	4,180	62	197
Pacheco	762	541	0	171
Pinole	3,307	1,783	121	793
Pittsburg	17,681	10,481	1,439	3,786
Pleasant Hill	6,675	5,232	272	907
Richmond	23,924	14,458	902	5,440
Rodeo	2,321	1,322	39	903
San Pablo	7,622	4,486	411	1,795
San Ramon	21,358	19,138	409	1,544
Tara Hills	1,062	668	20	277
Vine Hill	1,083	876	100	107
Walnut Creek	11,795	9,377	348	1,734

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

In 2019, about 53,617 children age 0-5 live in married-couple families in the county overall, down 1.9% or 1,017 children since 2018. The largest 1-year declines in the number of 0-5 year olds in married couple families occurred in Brentwood (down 249), San Ramon (down 393) and Antioch (down 451). In contrast, Concord (up 283) and Martinez (up 381) saw large increases in 0-5 year olds in married couple families since 2018. Countywide, about 48.1% of all 0-5 year olds in married couple families are 0-2 year olds, and 35.2% are 3-4 year olds.

About 4,107 children age 0-5 live in single male-headed families in the county overall, up 6.6% or 254 children since 2018. The largest 1-year gains in the number of 0-5 year olds in single male-headed families occurred in Walnut Creek (up 80), Pittsburg (up 158) and Pinole (up 180). In contrast, Pleasant Hill (down 46), Brentwood (down 72) and Concord (down 156) saw large declines in 0-5 year olds in single male-headed families since 2018. Countywide, about 44.3% of all 0-5 year olds in single male-headed families are 0-2 year olds, and 38.1% are 3-4 year olds.

Table 12 – Population of Children Age 0-5 in Married-Couple Families, 2019

Area	Total < 18	Age 0-2	Age 3-4	Age 5
California	5,567,122	864,716	626,939	293,369
Contra Costa County	178,989	25,814	18,889	8,914
Alamo	2,981	151	149	153
Antioch	12,988	1,753	1,228	709
Bayview	243	33	59	0
Bethel Island	270	21	11	0
Blackhawk	1,843	174	212	48
Brentwood	12,248	1,238	1,051	492
Clayton	2,547	266	273	91
Concord	18,210	3,464	2,442	1,288
Contra Costa Centre	596	314	39	57
Crockett	380	76	40	24
Danville	9,221	1,250	1,030	430
Discovery Bay	2,593	320	321	140
East Richmond Heights	321	62	22	35
El Cerrito	3,575	711	515	260
El Sobrante	1,686	269	214	49
Hercules	3,697	433	294	250
Kensington	893	138	35	71
Lafayette	5,612	530	537	203
Martinez	5,363	1,121	686	235
Moraga	3,322	250	183	133
Oakley	8,731	1,040	915	369
Orinda	4,163	333	356	224
Pacheco	443	132	72	26
Pinole	1,531	292	171	36
Pittsburg	9,122	1,618	1,054	391
Pleasant Hill	5,104	964	748	372
Richmond	12,879	2,316	1,310	578
Rodeo	1,176	165	171	25
San Pablo	4,022	517	338	143
San Ramon	18,706	1,704	1,883	888
Tara Hills	607	82	49	0
Vine Hill	809	158	134	48
Walnut Creek	9,246	1,841	947	300

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Table 13 – Population of Children Age 0-5 in Single Male-Headed Families, 2019

Area	Total < 18	Age 0-2	Age 3-4	Age 5
California	591,232	95,257	67,950	31,259
Contra Costa County	13,461	1,821	1,565	721
Alamo	94	0	0	20
Antioch	1,560	151	173	128
Bayview	31	0	0	0
Bethel Island	0	0	0	0
Blackhawk	70	0	0	0
Brentwood	783	38	32	25
Clayton	42	0	0	0
Concord	1,692	184	192	140
Contra Costa Centre	0	0	0	0
Crockett	41	0	11	20
Danville	424	0	13	40
Discovery Bay	281	58	43	0
East Richmond Heights	46	0	0	0
El Cerrito	170	10	16	0
El Sobrante	178	36	12	16
Hercules	160	0	39	0

Area	Total < 18	Age 0-2	Age 3-4	Age 5
Kensington	53	0	0	0
Lafayette	295	8	0	0
Martinez	322	107	36	19
Moraga	50	0	0	0
Oakley	550	0	166	11
Orinda	135	15	14	0
Pacheco	31	0	0	0
Pinole	418	101	79	0
Pittsburg	1,293	247	349	69
Pleasant Hill	318	93	0	41
Richmond	1,895	511	125	102
Rodeo	51	0	17	0
San Pablo	599	116	58	0
San Ramon	427	28	14	44
Tara Hills	107	12	10	0
Vine Hill	81	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	585	62	86	46

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Table 14 – Population of Children Age 0-5 in Single Female-Headed Families, 2019

Area	Total < 18	Age 0-2	Age 3-4	Age 5
California	1,549,424	193,560	154,765	77,546
Contra Costa County	39,761	4,755	3,538	1,671
Alamo	102	0	0	14
Antioch	7,651	1,108	705	207
Bayview	32	0	0	0
Bethel Island	0	0	0	0
Blackhawk	67	0	0	0
Brentwood	2,011	62	286	111
Clayton	84	19	0	0
Concord	3,946	664	320	79
Contra Costa Centre	44	0	0	0
Crockett	77	11	0	0
Danville	1,084	14	38	0
Discovery Bay	579	0	24	37
East Richmond Heights	31	6	0	0
El Cerrito	463	80	24	18
El Sobrante	388	59	50	7
Hercules	588	49	15	0
Kensington	63	0	0	0
Lafayette	430	37	0	25
Martinez	1,098	115	116	55
Moraga	229	0	0	0
Oakley	1,302	263	131	75
Orinda	205	0	22	20
Pacheco	158	19	17	0
Pinole	810	100	22	87
Pittsburg	3,718	580	260	88
Pleasant Hill	834	142	68	37
Richmond	5,195	468	608	390
Rodeo	865	70	20	69
San Pablo	1,816	269	294	70
San Ramon	1,567	86	95	37
Tara Hills	263	40	40	39
Vine Hill	4	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	1,653	116	209	68

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

An estimated 9,964 0-5 year olds live in single female-headed families in 2019, up 2.0% or 196 children since 2018, despite the state’s 3.3% decline. Concord (up 159), Brentwood (up 170) and Antioch (up 176) saw the largest 1-year increases in the number of 0-5 year olds in families headed by single females. But several areas saw significant declines, most notably Discovery Bay (down 107), Pittsburg (down 109) and Richmond (down 219). Countywide, about 47.7% of all 0-5 year olds in single female-headed families are 0-2 year olds, and 35.5% are 3-4 year olds.

ECONOMIC INDICATORS

Self-Sufficiency

The Self-Sufficiency Standard, a project of the Center for Women’s Welfare (CWW), calculates the local and regional costs associated with each basic need to determine the household income individuals and families need to meet these basic needs without public subsidies or private assistance. It provides a more detailed, up-to-date, and regionally-specific measure than the FPL of what people must earn to be self-sufficient.

Updated in 2020 for Contra Costa County, the Self-Sufficiency Standard for a family with one adult, an infant and one preschool age child has increased 52% since 2014, and at \$124,649 annually, now represents a fulltime hourly wage of \$59.02. By comparison, the median family income in Contra Costa County is \$114,535 in 2019.

Table 15 – Self-Sufficiency Wage for Various Family Types, Contra Costa County, 2020

Monthly Expenses	Adult	Adult + Infant	Adult + Preschooler	Adult + Infant + Preschooler	Adult + Infant Preschooler + Schoolage	2 Adults + Infant + Preschooler	2 Adults + Preschooler + Schoolage
Housing	\$1,817	\$2,251	\$2,251	\$2,251	\$3,030	\$2,231	\$2,231
Child Care	\$0	\$1,905	\$1,590	\$3,496	\$4,336	\$3,512	\$2,424
Food	\$299	\$446	\$455	\$598	\$852	\$882	\$970
Transportation	\$318	\$326	\$326	\$326	\$162	\$324	\$324
Health Care	\$169	\$571	\$570	\$581	\$536	\$572	\$581
Miscellaneous	\$260	\$550	\$519	\$725	\$892	\$752	\$653
Taxes	\$666	\$1,697	\$1,477	\$2,844	\$3,967	\$2,248	\$1,629
Earned Income Tax Credit	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Child Care Tax Credit	\$0	(\$50)	(\$50)	(\$100)	(\$100)	(\$100)	(\$100)
Child Tax Credit	\$0	(\$167)	(\$167)	(\$333)	(\$500)	(\$333)	(\$333)
Self-Sufficiency Hourly	\$20.05	\$42.78	\$39.61	\$59.02	\$74.85	\$28.66	\$23.80
						<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly Wages	\$3,529	\$7,529	\$6,972	\$10,387	\$13,174	\$10,088	\$8,379
Annual Wages	\$42,343	\$90,346	\$83,664	\$124,649	\$158,093	\$121,062	\$100,544

Source: Self-Sufficiency Standard Report for California, 2020; Center for Women’s Welfare, UW; <http://www.selfsufficiencystandard.org/>

Annual Income

In 2019, median annual income for California households rose to \$75,235, while median household income in Contra Costa County rose to \$99,716. Since 2018, estimates of median family income in California also rose 5.4% or \$4,421 to \$85,837, while median family income in the county rose 6.1% or \$6,628 to \$114,535 annually. In the county, median family income ranges from a high of over \$250,000 in Alamo and Orinda to a low of \$49,018 in Bethel Island. Besides Bethel Island, four other Contra Costa communities have median family incomes that fall below the state as a whole (\$85,837), including Antioch (\$84,102), Pittsburg (\$77,476), Richmond (\$74,051) and San Pablo (\$60,583). In contrast, annual median family income is much higher than the statewide average (\$85,837) in Danville (\$192,116), Blackhawk (\$218,125), Lafayette (\$221,467), Alamo (over \$250,000) and Orinda (over \$250,000). Since 2018, median family income has risen most notably in Concord (up 8.4% or \$7,976 to \$102,814), Discovery Bay (up 11.6% or \$14,238 to \$136,765), East Richmond Heights (up 26.6% or \$28,003 to \$133,182), El Cerrito (up 10.2% or \$12,044 to \$129,820), Lafayette (up 11.2% or \$22,254

to \$221,467), Martinez (up 8.6% or \$9,926 to \$125,515), Oakley (up 8.5% or \$8,712 to \$111,438), Pacheco (up 25.2% or \$18,199 to \$90,276), San Pablo (up 10.7% or \$5,836 to \$60,583) and San Ramon (up 8.3% or \$14,209 to \$185,927).

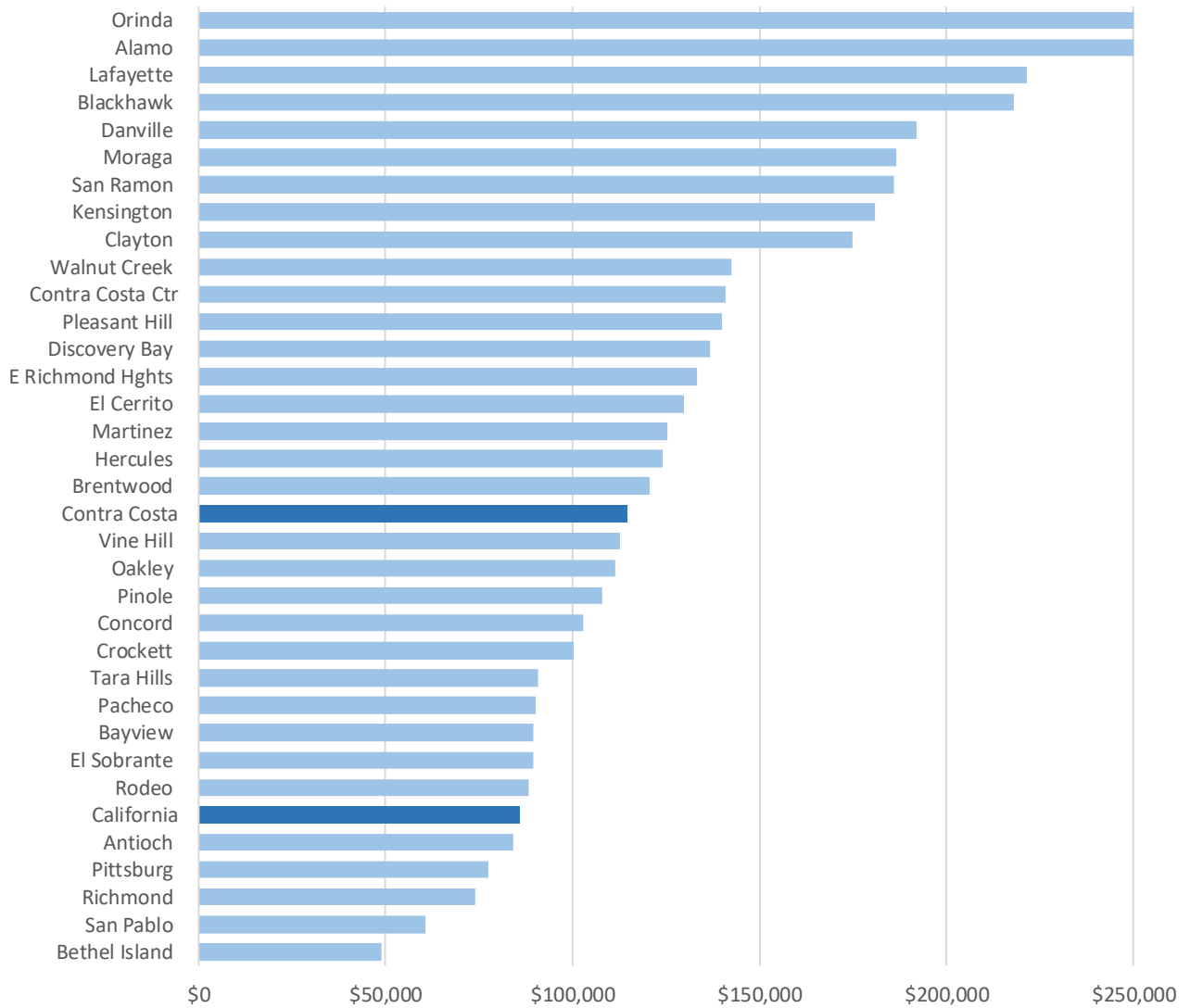
In 2019, an estimated 62.6% of householders with children under 6 in California and 63.8% in Contra Costa County are in families in which all parents are in the workforce, whether employed or not. In the county, this represents 48,460 householders, down a slight 318 or 0.7% from a year ago. Areas with significant 1-year declines in the number of householders with children 0-5 and all parents in the workforce include Brentwood (down 182), Discovery Bay (down 122), Moraga (down 142), Oakley (down 161), Pittsburg (down 261) and San Ramon (down 164). In contrast, areas that saw significant increases in the number of these householders include Antioch (up 354), Concord (up 133) and Martinez (up 238). Especially high concentrations of householders with children 0-5 whose parents all work occur in communities which also have a much lower than average median family income, such as Antioch (5,272), Concord (5,995), Oakley (1,989), Pittsburg (3,418) and Richmond (4,780).

Table 16 – Householders in Workforce with Children Age 0-5 and Family Income, 2019

Area	Civilian labor force	Householders with kids 0-5	With kids 0-5, all parents in workforce	% w/ kids 0-5, all parents in workforce	Total Families	Median family income	Mean family income
California	19,790,474	2,820,796	1,766,708	62.6	8,958,436	\$85,837	\$119,126
Contra Costa Cty	590,758	76,005	48,460	63.8	284,806	\$114,535	\$152,942
Alamo	6,532	515	307	59.6	4,310	\$250,000+	\$319,657
Antioch	55,494	7,916	5,272	66.6	25,990	\$84,102	\$97,307
Bayview	874	92	57	62.0	438	\$89,643	\$113,753
Bethel Island	812	32	0	0.0	532	\$49,018	\$77,349
Blackhawk	5,068	434	150	34.6	3,116	\$218,125	\$323,605
Brentwood	30,398	3,669	2,331	63.5	16,038	\$120,736	\$138,828
Clayton	6,112	649	503	77.5	3,300	\$174,741	\$210,434
Concord	70,556	9,697	5,995	61.8	31,691	\$102,814	\$119,709
Contra Costa Ctr	4,650	410	222	54.1	1,446	\$140,769	\$157,003
Crockett	1,866	182	171	94.0	775	\$100,375	\$108,760
Danville	21,945	2,941	1,783	60.6	12,451	\$192,116	\$245,145
Discovery Bay	8,403	1,095	553	50.5	4,442	\$136,765	\$163,954
E Richmond Hts	1,919	125	113	90.4	794	\$133,182	\$163,289
El Cerrito	13,714	1,727	1,109	64.2	6,798	\$129,820	\$161,237
El Sobrante	7,936	784	640	81.6	3,472	\$89,431	\$107,479
Hercules	14,518	1,346	1,031	76.6	6,531	\$124,144	\$139,663
Kensington	2,815	244	166	68.0	1,511	\$181,050	\$249,841
Lafayette	12,662	1,348	696	51.6	7,239	\$221,467	\$290,452
Martinez	21,744	2,602	1,746	67.1	9,617	\$125,515	\$145,198
Moraga	7,958	600	326	54.3	4,354	\$186,500	\$244,495
Oakley	20,755	3,499	1,989	56.8	9,795	\$111,438	\$120,754
Orinda	9,658	984	667	67.8	5,679	\$250,000+	\$324,649
Pacheco	2,473	282	234	83.0	1,174	\$90,276	\$106,352
Pinole	10,695	980	737	75.2	4,798	\$107,893	\$125,464
Pittsburg	36,653	5,710	3,418	59.9	16,225	\$77,476	\$95,717
Pleasant Hill	19,062	2,556	1,741	68.1	8,964	\$140,121	\$160,937
Richmond	57,845	7,808	4,780	61.2	24,908	\$74,051	\$93,609
Rodeo	5,208	665	472	71.0	2,627	\$88,342	\$109,654
San Pablo	15,793	2,084	1,328	63.7	6,809	\$60,583	\$69,481
San Ramon	39,260	4,960	3,389	68.3	20,184	\$185,927	\$206,785
Tara Hills	2,769	286	230	80.4	1,227	\$90,739	\$94,056
Vine Hill	1,963	352	222	63.1	956	\$112,683	\$122,943
Walnut Creek	33,688	3,773	2,453	65.0	18,093	\$142,430	\$178,572

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Figure 3 – Annual Median Family Income by Area, 2019



Unemployment

Prior to the COVID-19 outbreak, the Employment Development Department estimated the county’s January 2020 unemployment rate (2.7%) continued lower than the state overall (3.7%) with both rates improved since 2018. Since 2004, unemployment rates in the county had improved by 42.6%, while the state’s rate had improved 35.1%. Since 2018, the county’s unemployment rate had improved by 10.0%, while the state’s rate had improved 9.8%. However, since early 2020 and the outbreak of COVID-19, the unemployment rate in California at 8.8% has risen 5.1 percentage points or 137.8%, while the county’s rate at 7.9%, has risen 5.2 points or 192.6%.

Table 17 – Unemployment Rates in Contra Costa County and California, 2004 – 2021

	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2021
Contra Costa County	4.7	4.0	7.5	10.8	9.0	5.7	4.3	3.0	2.7	7.9
California	5.7	4.7	9.0	12.1	9.6	6.6	5.1	4.1	3.7	8.8

Source: CA Employment Development Department, Labor Market Information Division. 2004 –2021.
<https://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/cgi/databrowsing/localAreaProfileQSResults.asp?selectedarea=California&selectedindex=0&menuChoice=localAreaPro&state=true&geogArea=0601000000&countyName=>

Figure 4 – Unemployment Rates, 2004 – 2021

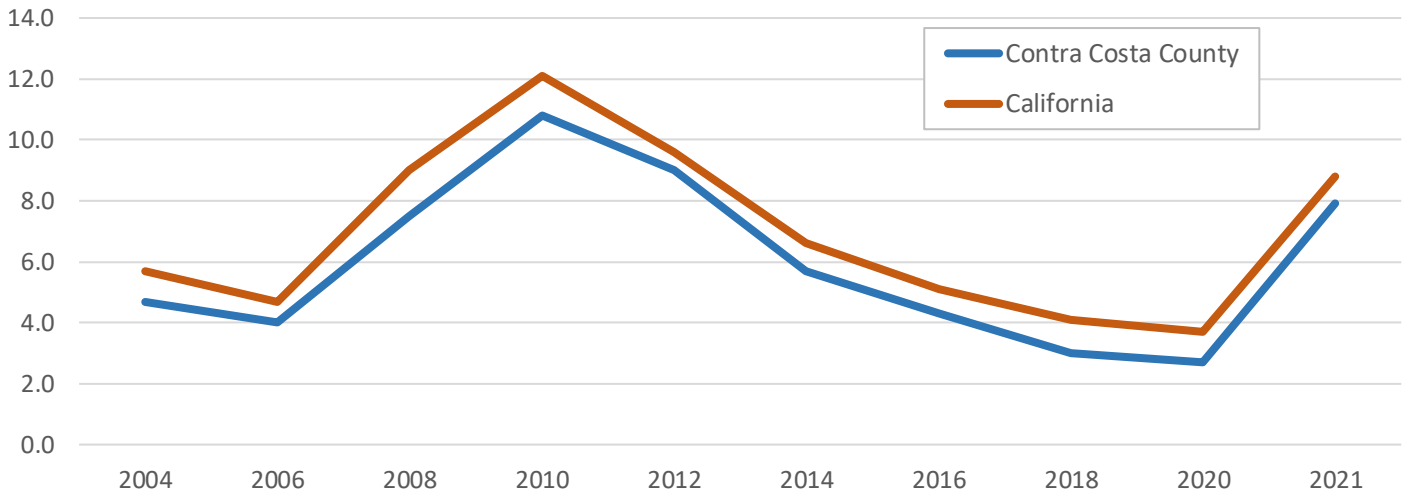


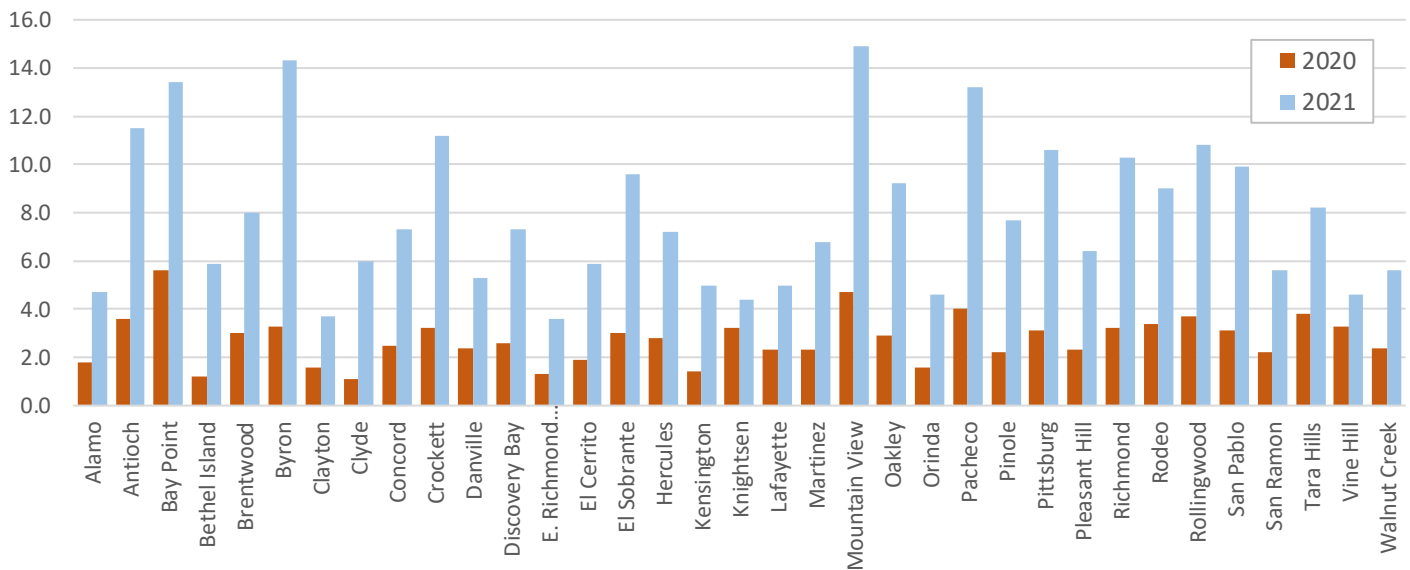
Table 18 – Annual EDD Unemployment Rates by County Sub-Area, 2006 – 2021

	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2021
Alamo (CDP)	1.4	2.0	4.0	3.3	2.1	2.3	1.6	1.8	4.7
Antioch (City)	4.6	6.4	12.2	10.2	6.5	6.3	3.8	3.6	11.5
Bay Point (CDP)							5.1	5.6	13.4
Bethel Island (CDP)	8.1	11.1	20.2	17.2	11.3	5.9	1.3	1.2	5.9
Brentwood (City)	3.5	5.0	9.6	8.0	5.0	3.8	3.4	3.0	8.0
Byron (CDP)							2.8	3.3	14.3
Clayton (City)	0.9	1.3	2.6	2.2	1.3	4.0	2.4	1.6	3.7
Clyde (CDP)							1.0	1.1	6.0
Concord (City)	4.4	6.1	11.6	9.8	6.2	4.9	2.7	2.5	7.3
Crockett (CDP)	8.4	11.6	21.0	17.9	11.8	2.9	2.7	3.2	11.2
Danville (City)	2.1	2.9	5.7	4.7	3.0	3.6	2.6	2.4	5.3
Discovery Bay (CDP)	2.8	3.9	7.7	6.4	4.0	4.6	2.7	2.6	7.3
E. Richmond Hghts (CDP)	4.9	6.8	13.0	10.9	7.0	4.7	1.6	1.3	3.6
El Cerrito (City)	3.6	5.0	9.6	8.0	5.1	4.0	2.3	1.9	5.9
El Sobrante (CDP)	3.6	5.0	9.6	8.0	4.6	4.3	3.4	3.0	9.6
Hercules (City)	2.8	4.0	7.7	6.4	4.0	3.0	2.6	2.8	7.2
Kensington (CDP)	1.4	2.0	3.9	3.2	2.0	1.7	1.4	1.4	5.0
Knightsen (CDP)							2.6	3.2	4.4
Lafayette (City)	1.4	2.0	3.9	3.3	2.0	2.5	2.2	2.3	5.0
Martinez (City)	3.2	4.5	8.6	7.2	4.5	4.1	2.8	2.3	6.8
Mountain View (CDP)							7.0	4.7	14.9
Oakley (City)	2.8	4.0	7.8	6.5	4.1	5.7	3.6	2.9	9.2
Orinda (City)	1.5	2.1	4.1	3.4	2.1	2.2	1.7	1.6	4.6
Pacheco (CDP)	4.2	5.8	11.1	9.3	5.9	7.0	5.1	4.0	13.2
Pinole (City)	2.7	3.9	7.5	6.2	3.9	3.8	2.2	2.2	7.7
Pittsburg (City)	6.6	9.1	16.9	14.3	9.3	5.4	3.6	3.1	10.6
Pleasant Hill (City)	3.2	4.5	8.8	7.3	4.6	3.8	2.5	2.3	6.4
Richmond (City)	6.7	9.3	17.2	14.6	9.5	5.2	3.4	3.2	10.3
Rodeo (CDP)	2.3	3.3	6.5	5.4	8.3	4.8	3.3	3.4	9.0
Rollingwood (CDP)							3.8	3.7	10.8
San Pablo (City)	8.5	11.7	21.1	18.0	11.8	7.0	3.3	3.1	9.9
San Ramon (City)	1.6	2.3	4.5	3.7	2.3	3.0	2.3	2.2	5.6
Tara Hills (CDP)	4.5	6.3	11.9	10.0	6.4	9.2	5.3	3.8	8.2
Vine Hill (CDP)	6.0	8.3	15.6	13.1	8.5	9.8	4.8	3.3	4.6
Walnut Creek (City)	2.7	3.7	7.3	6.1	3.8	3.1	2.6	2.4	5.6

Source: CA Employment Development Department, Labor Market Information Division. 2004 –2021.
<http://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/cgi/dataanalysis/labForceReport.asp?menuchoice=LABFORCE>.

In Contra Costa County sub-communities, unemployment is up between 1.2 and 11.0 percentage points since early 2020. Areas that have seen the mildest impacts on unemployment include Knightsen (up 1.2 points), Vine Hill (up 1.3 points), Clayton (up 2.1 points), East Richmond Heights (up 2.3 points) and Lafayette (up 2.7 percentage points). Sub-areas with more dramatic COVID-related impacts to unemployment include Pittsburg (up 7.5 points), Bay Point (up 7.8 points), Antioch (up 7.9 points), Crockett (up 8.0 points), Pacheco (up 9.2 points), Mountain View (up 10.2 points) and Byron (up 11.0 percentage points). Notably, several population centers also have unemployment rates that exceed the countywide rate (7.9%), including Oakley (9.2%), San Pablo (9.9%), Richmond (10.3%), Pittsburg (10.6%) and Antioch (11.5%).

Figure 5 – Unemployment Rates, 2020 – 2021



Employment

Prior to the COVID-19 outbreak and based on 2019 ACS data, about 64.8% (590,758) of Contra Costa County’s 2019 population age 16 and over participated in the civilian labor force, and countywide, the work force had grown by 7,872 (1.4%) since 2018. Both figures compared favorably to the state with a 63.3% civilian labor force participation rate and just 0.8% growth since 2018. Within the county, growth in the civilian labor force since 2018 had most notably outpaced the county in Antioch (up 2.3% or 1,238), Brentwood (up 4.3% or 1,260), Contra Costa Centre (up 3.7% or 167), Crockett (up 5.7% or 100), Danville (up 2.5% or 527), Discovery Bay (up 3.4% or 278), Oakley (up 2.0% or 408), Orinda (up 5.0% or 457), Pinole (up 3.4% or 353) and Vine Hill (up 6.9% or 127). In contrast, areas that saw sizable declines in the number of workers from 2018 to 2019 included Alamo (down 3.4% or 227), Bethel Island (down 4.6% or 39), Blackhawk (down 1.9% or 100), East Richmond Heights (down 2.4% or 47), Kensington (down 3.3% or 95), Pacheco (down 7.8% or 209) and Tara Hills (down 5.3% or 154).

Prior to the COVID-19 outbreak, ACS data indicated 3.4% (31,392) of the county’s civilian workforce were unemployed, an 11.7% improvement over 35,563 in 2018 and a continuation of steady declines seen since 2014. However, community-level employment disparities persisted, with the highest rates of unemployment among workers in Antioch (5.4%), Bayview (6.8%), Brentwood (4.3%), El Sobrante (3.9%), Pittsburg (5.5%), Richmond (3.9%), Rodeo (5.2%) and San Pablo (4.4%). Areas with the lowest estimated unemployment rates in 2019 include Alamo (1.0%), Bethel Island (2.2%), Clayton (2.0%), Contra Costa Centre (1.8%), Danville (2.1%), East Richmond Heights (1.2%), Moraga (2.2%), San Ramon (2.2%), Tara Hills (1.7%) and Walnut Creek (2.1%). Since 2018, unemployment estimates had improved most notably in Alamo (down 51.2%), Contra Costa Centre (down 27.2%), Crockett (down 36.4%), East Richmond Heights (down 38.2%), Martinez (down 27.6%), Oakley (down 30.6%), Pacheco (down 52.0%) and Tara

Hills (down 61.1%). The population centers of Antioch (4,666), Concord (3,517), Pittsburg (3,033) and Richmond (3,454) continue to have the largest number of unemployed residents, and together account for 46.7% of all unemployed residents according to 2019 estimates. The 2019 ACS unemployment rate for the county (5.3%) was exceeded most notably in Antioch (8.4%), Bayview (11.8%), Brentwood (6.7%), Pittsburg (8.3%), Richmond (6.0%), Rodeo (8.4%) and San Pablo (6.7%).

Table 19 – Civilian Labor Force, Unemployed and Unemployment Rate by Area, 2019

Geography	Population 16 and over	Civilian labor force	% in Civilian labor force	Employed	% Employed	Unemployed	% Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
California	31,284,669	19,790,474	63.3	18,591,241	59.4	1,199,233	3.8	6.1
Contra Costa Cty	912,021	590,758	64.8	559,366	61.3	31,392	3.4	5.3
Alamo	12,036	6,532	54.3	6,414	53.3	118	1.0	1.8
Antioch	87,031	55,494	63.8	50,828	58.4	4,666	5.4	8.4
Bayview	1,516	874	57.7	771	50.9	103	6.8	11.8
Bethel Island	1,839	812	44.2	772	42.0	40	2.2	4.9
Blackhawk	8,021	5,068	63.2	4,846	60.4	222	2.8	4.4
Brentwood	47,933	30,398	63.4	28,359	59.2	2,039	4.3	6.7
Clayton	9,673	6,112	63.2	5,920	61.2	192	2.0	3.1
Concord	104,960	70,556	67.2	67,039	63.9	3,517	3.4	5.0
Contra Costa Ctr	5,948	4,650	78.2	4,543	76.4	107	1.8	2.3
Crockett	2,876	1,866	64.9	1,768	61.5	98	3.4	5.3
Danville	34,978	21,945	62.7	21,209	60.6	736	2.1	3.4
Discovery Bay	12,943	8,403	64.9	8,036	62.1	367	2.8	4.4
E. Richmond Hts	2,757	1,919	69.6	1,885	68.4	34	1.2	1.8
El Cerrito	21,259	13,714	64.5	13,116	61.7	598	2.8	4.4
El Sobrante	11,407	7,936	69.6	7,488	65.6	448	3.9	5.6
Hercules	21,108	14,518	68.8	13,953	66.1	565	2.7	3.9
Kensington	4,396	2,815	64.0	2,690	61.2	125	2.8	4.4
Lafayette	20,501	12,662	61.8	12,090	59.0	572	2.8	4.5
Martinez	31,798	21,744	68.4	20,892	65.7	852	2.7	3.9
Moraga	14,241	7,958	55.9	7,641	53.7	317	2.2	4.0
Oakley	30,599	20,755	67.8	19,950	65.2	805	2.6	3.9
Orinda	15,896	9,658	60.8	9,290	58.4	368	2.3	3.8
Pacheco	3,696	2,473	66.9	2,339	63.3	134	3.6	5.4
Pinole	16,299	10,695	65.6	10,126	62.1	569	3.5	5.3
Pittsburg	55,399	36,653	66.2	33,620	60.7	3,033	5.5	8.3
Pleasant Hill	28,952	19,062	65.8	18,315	63.3	747	2.6	3.9
Richmond	88,315	57,845	65.5	54,391	61.6	3,454	3.9	6.0
Rodeo	8,391	5,208	62.1	4,773	56.9	435	5.2	8.4
San Pablo	24,230	15,793	65.2	14,728	60.8	1,065	4.4	6.7
San Ramon	57,039	39,260	68.8	37,990	66.6	1,270	2.2	3.2
Tara Hills	4,225	2,769	65.5	2,697	63.8	72	1.7	2.6
Vine Hill	2,937	1,963	66.8	1,885	64.2	78	2.7	4.0
Walnut Creek	59,156	33,688	56.9	32,446	54.8	1,242	2.1	3.7

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

According to more recent EDD labor force figures which capture impacts of the COVID-19 outbreak, 18,916,400 Californians participate in the labor force in December 2020, down 561,000 or 2.9% since January 2020. In Contra Costa County, 545,800 participate in the civilian labor force in December 2020, down 13,800 or 2.5% since 559,600 in January 2020. Within sub-areas of the county, declines in the size of the labor force since January 2020 have most notably surpassed the county (down 2.5%) in Alamo (down 4.5%), Clayton (down 5.1%), Clyde (down 25.0%), Danville (down 4.8%), East Richmond Heights (down 5.3%), Lafayette (down 4.8%), Orinda (down 4.5%), San Ramon (down 4.1%), Vine Hill (down 5.6%) and Walnut Creek (down 4.4%).

Table 20 – COVID-19 Impacts on Labor Force and Number Unemployed, 2020

Geography	Labor Force		Number Unemployed	
	January 2020	December 2020	January 2020	December 2020
California	19,477,400	18,916,400	840,000	1,669,600
Contra Costa	559,600	545,800	18,000	43,000
Alamo	6,600	6,300	100	300
Antioch	50,700	51,000	2,200	5,900
Bay Point	11,900	12,000	700	1,600
Bethel Island	800	800	0	0
Brentwood	29,500	28,700	1,100	2,300
Byron	600	600	0	100
Clayton	5,900	5,600	100	200
Clyde	400	300	0	0
Concord	65,700	63,900	1,900	4,700
Crockett	1,700	1,700	100	200
Danville	20,700	19,700	600	1,000
Diablo	100	100	0	0
Discovery Bay	7,800	7,600	200	600
E. Richmond Hts	1,900	1,800	0	100
El Cerrito	13,800	13,300	100	800
El Sobrante	7,500	7,400	300	700
Hercules	13,900	13,500	400	1,000
Kensington	2,800	2,700	100	100
Knightsen	600	600	0	0
Lafayette	12,600	12,000	400	600
Martinez	20,600	19,900	600	1,300
Moraga	7,700	--	200	--
Oakley	19,800	19,500	700	1,800
Orinda	8,900	8,500	200	400
Pacheco	2,500	2,500	100	300
Pinole	9,900	9,700	300	700
Pittsburg	34,300	34,200	1,300	3,600
Pleasant Hill	18,100	17,400	500	1,100
Richmond	52,700	52,600	1,900	5,400
Rodeo	4,900	4,800	200	400
San Pablo	13,900	13,800	500	1,400
San Ramon	39,500	37,900	1,000	2,100
Tara Hills	2,800	2,700	100	200
Vine Hill	1,800	1,700	0	100
Walnut Creek	34,300	32,800	1,000	1,800

Source: Employment Development Department, <https://www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov/data/unemployment-and-labor-force.html>

Current labor statistics also indicate that by December 2020, an additional 829,600 Californians became unemployed, up 98.8% since January, due largely to the COVID-19 outbreak and various public health control measures. Contra Costa County has 43,000 residents unemployed in December 2020, up 25,000 or 138.9% from 18,000 in January 2020. Since the COVID-19 outbreak, sub-areas of the county with the largest increases in unemployment include Oakley (up 1,100), San Ramon (up 1,100), Brentwood (up 1,200), Pittsburg (up 2,300), Concord (up 2,800), Richmond (3,500) and Antioch (up 3,700). Note that although December 2020 EDD figures are somewhat improved from April 2020, they are not seasonally adjusted and so likely include temporary or seasonal employment.

According to ACS data, about 50.4% (222,142) of Contra Costa County males age 16 and over in the labor force worked full time in 2019, compared to 34.0% (160,322) of females in the labor force. Both rates were higher than the proportion of full time working males (49.4%) and females (33.3%) in California overall, and both rates were up since 2018. Rates exceeded the countywide percentage of working males who work full time (50.4%) by far in Blackhawk (53.2%), Contra Costa Centre (72.1%), Discovery Bay (54.6%), East Richmond Heights (54.1%), Hercules (54.5%), Lafayette (53.1%), San

Ramon (62.1%) and Vine Hill (57.7%). Compared to the countywide proportion of working females who worked full time (34.0%), far higher proportions could be found in Costa Contra Centre (46.5%), Crockett (42.8%), Discovery Bay (38.1%), East Richmond Heights (44.6%), Hercules (40.4%), Martinez (40.5%), Pacheco (40.9%) and Pinole (38.2%). The largest populations of working females who worked full time were estimated in Antioch (15,366), Concord (19,374), Pittsburg (9,922), Richmond (15,667), San Ramon (10,920) and Walnut Creek (9,519). Since 2018, the number of Contra Costa County males who worked full time increased 3.2% or 6,958 workers, while the number of females who worked full time increased 3.4% or 5,243.

Table 21 – Full Time Workers by Sex, 2019

Area	Pop. 16 & over	Male			Female		
		Total 16 & over	Worked FT	% FT	Total 16 & over	Worked FT	% FT
California	31,284,669	15,439,989	7,630,114	49.4	15,844,680	5,274,541	33.3
Contra Costa County	912,021	440,954	222,142	50.4	471,067	160,322	34.0
Alamo	12,036	6,178	2,866	46.4	5,858	1,443	24.6
Antioch	87,031	41,558	18,559	44.7	45,473	15,366	33.8
Bayview	1,516	902	416	46.1	614	225	36.6
Bethel Island	1,839	969	245	25.3	870	175	20.1
Blackhawk	8,021	3,782	2,013	53.2	4,239	1,349	31.8
Brentwood	47,933	23,538	11,425	48.5	24,395	7,788	31.9
Clayton	9,673	4,520	2,185	48.3	5,153	1,573	30.5
Concord	104,960	51,759	26,700	51.6	53,201	19,374	36.4
Contra Costa Centre	5,948	3,362	2,425	72.1	2,586	1,202	46.5
Crockett	2,876	1,379	575	41.7	1,497	641	42.8
Danville	34,978	16,814	8,833	52.5	18,164	5,938	32.7
Discovery Bay	12,943	6,349	3,465	54.6	6,594	2,511	38.1
E. Richmond Heights	2,757	1,119	605	54.1	1,638	731	44.6
El Cerrito	21,259	10,029	4,842	48.3	11,230	4,039	36.0
El Sobrante	11,407	5,715	3,020	52.8	5,692	2,131	37.4
Hercules	21,108	10,110	5,515	54.5	10,998	4,442	40.4
Kensington	4,396	2,116	1,039	49.1	2,280	589	25.8
Lafayette	20,501	9,636	5,121	53.1	10,865	3,173	29.2
Martinez	31,798	15,137	7,596	50.2	16,661	6,755	40.5
Moraga	14,241	6,767	2,902	42.9	7,474	1,577	21.1
Oakley	30,599	14,752	7,678	52.0	15,847	5,266	33.2
Orinda	15,896	7,499	3,583	47.8	8,397	2,811	33.5
Pacheco	3,696	1,750	782	44.7	1,946	796	40.9
Pinole	16,299	7,653	3,514	45.9	8,646	3,300	38.2
Pittsburg	55,399	26,691	13,671	51.2	28,708	9,922	34.6
Pleasant Hill	28,952	14,092	7,330	52.0	14,860	5,459	36.7
Richmond	88,315	43,038	20,939	48.7	45,277	15,667	34.6
Rodeo	8,391	3,964	1,791	45.2	4,427	1,381	31.2
San Pablo	24,230	12,196	5,762	47.2	12,034	3,716	30.9
San Ramon	57,039	27,969	17,363	62.1	29,070	10,920	37.6
Tara Hills	4,225	2,268	1,043	46.0	1,957	708	36.2
Vine Hill	2,937	1,457	841	57.7	1,480	393	26.6
Walnut Creek	59,156	26,912	12,894	47.9	32,244	9,519	29.5

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

According to ACS data, 63.6% (8,403) of all Contra Costa County females with births (13,217) in the past year participate in the civilian labor force in 2019, compared to 60.4% in the state. In the county, labor force participation rates among women with births varies between married (59.8%) and unmarried (74.3%) women. The largest populations of married women with births in the labor force occur in Antioch (597), Concord (800), Richmond (401) and Walnut Creek (423). The largest populations of unmarried women with births in the labor force are found in Antioch (343), Concord (411) and Richmond (501).

Table 22 – Women Age 16-50 with Births in the Past Year in the Labor Force, 2019

Area	Females Age 16-50	With births	Married			Unmarried		
			With births	In labor force	% in labor force	With births	In labor force	% in labor force
California	9,372,910	469,302	322,261	192,783	59.8	147,041	90,893	61.8
Contra Costa County	261,985	13,217	9,788	5,855	59.8	3,429	2,548	74.3
Alamo	2,293	19	19	0	0.0	0	0	--
Antioch	27,343	1,432	991	597	60.2	441	343	77.8
Bayview	335	30	14	14	100.0	16	16	100.0
Bethel Island	364	10	10	0	0.0	0	0	--
Blackhawk	2,008	64	64	46	71.9	0	0	--
Brentwood	13,370	589	524	306	58.4	65	48	73.8
Clayton	2,434	70	70	46	65.7	0	0	--
Concord	29,196	1,745	1,334	800	60.0	411	411	100.0
Contra Costa Centre	1,917	144	144	100	69.4	0	0	--
Crockett	709	28	28	28	100.0	0	0	--
Danville	8,431	393	377	224	59.4	16	16	100.0
Discovery Bay	3,567	200	172	78	45.3	28	21	75.0
E. Richmond Heights	673	6	6	6	100.0	0	0	--
El Cerrito	5,987	232	219	146	66.7	13	6	46.2
El Sobrante	3,042	117	100	61	61.0	17	0	0.0
Hercules	5,876	220	159	133	83.6	61	61	100.0
Kensington	856	45	32	19	59.4	13	13	100.0
Lafayette	5,352	135	124	93	75.0	11	11	100.0
Martinez	8,411	404	314	279	88.9	90	66	73.3
Moraga	4,017	123	110	60	54.5	13	13	100.0
Oakley	10,605	669	431	243	56.4	238	229	96.2
Orinda	3,781	111	95	79	83.2	16	16	100.0
Pacheco	1,036	54	54	54	100.0	0	0	--
Pinole	4,436	250	142	110	77.5	108	88	81.5
Pittsburg	17,591	1,267	778	285	36.6	489	190	38.9
Pleasant Hill	8,188	280	232	124	53.4	48	48	100.0
Richmond	27,792	1,714	1,013	401	39.6	701	501	71.5
Rodeo	2,624	134	56	33	58.9	78	55	70.5
San Pablo	7,764	457	200	107	53.5	257	189	73.5
San Ramon	18,451	606	537	390	72.6	69	48	69.6
Tara Hills	1,091	85	36	29	80.6	49	11	22.4
Vine Hill	877	7	7	7	100.0	0	0	--
Walnut Creek	13,828	661	610	423	69.3	51	39	76.5

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Countywide, 342,872 residents are women age 20-64 and 129,592 (37.8%) have children less than 18, compared to 35.0% statewide, with both down less than 1% from 2018. Of Contra Costa women age 20-64 with children, 50,963 (39.3%) have children age 0-5 in their household, compared to 42.5% statewide. This represents a 2.8% decrease in the county (down 1,481), compared to a 1.5% decrease in the state. About 66.0% (33,622) of women with children age 0-5 participate in the civilian workforce countywide, which although down 3.3% or 1,086 women since 2018, continues higher than the state as a whole (64.3%). Estimates in 2019 indicate 94.8% (31,861) of Contra Costa County women in the civilian work force who have children age 0-5 are employed, compared to 93.3% statewide. These estimates represent a 1.9% decline of 605 women in the county, while the state rate is relatively unchanged.

Compared to the county (66.0%), much higher than average work force participation rates among women with 0-5 year olds occur in Antioch (69.8%), Clayton (86.1%), Crockett (90.4%), East Richmond Heights (88.9%), El Sobrante (79.8%), Hercules (82.5%), Orinda (71.8%), Pacheco (82.1%), Pinole (81.0%), Rodeo (78.7%), San Ramon (69.3%) and Tara Hills (72.7%). Areas with the highest populations of women

with 0-5 year olds who are employed include Antioch (3,275), Brentwood (1,641), Concord (3,998), Pittsburg (1,912), Richmond (2,949), San Ramon (2,447) and Walnut Creek (1,744).

Table 23 – Women Age 20-64 in the Labor Force with Children Age 0-5, 2019

Area	Females Age 20-64	With Children < 18	With Children < 6	In Civilian labor force with Children < 6	Employed
California	11,660,274	4,075,279	1,731,508	1,114,200	1,039,586
	%	35.0	42.5	64.3	93.3
Contra Costa County	342,872	129,592	50,963	33,622	31,861
	%	37.8	39.3	66.0	94.8
Alamo	3,753	1,501	287	185	177
	%	40.0	19.1	64.5	95.7
Antioch	34,659	13,436	5,343	3,732	3,275
	%	38.8	39.8	69.8	87.8
Bayview	423	200	83	55	55
	%	47.3	41.5	66.3	100.0
Bethel Island	626	176	10	0	0
	%	28.1	5.7	0.0	--
Blackhawk	2,815	1,183	243	100	91
	%	42.0	20.5	41.2	91.0
Brentwood	17,031	7,709	2,658	1,733	1,641
	%	45.3	34.5	65.2	94.7
Clayton	3,487	1,372	460	396	396
	%	39.3	33.5	86.1	100.0
Concord	39,280	13,139	6,320	4,124	3,998
	%	33.4	48.1	65.3	96.9
Contra Costa Centre	2,257	536	351	198	198
	%	23.7	65.5	56.4	100.0
Crockett	1,126	268	115	104	104
	%	23.8	42.9	90.4	100.0
Danville	12,717	5,494	1,865	1,211	1,211
	%	43.2	33.9	64.9	100.0
Discovery Bay	4,761	1,752	684	365	308
	%	36.8	39.0	53.4	84.4
E. Richmond Heights	1,123	249	90	80	80
	%	22.2	36.1	88.9	100.0
El Cerrito	8,008	2,599	1,190	797	788
	%	32.5	45.8	67.0	98.9
El Sobrante	4,467	1,402	575	459	411
	%	31.4	41.0	79.8	89.5
Hercules	8,346	2,708	1,013	836	814
	%	32.4	37.4	82.5	97.4
Kensington	1,405	526	143	97	97
	%	37.4	27.2	67.8	100.0
Lafayette	7,756	3,088	901	544	544
	%	39.8	29.2	60.4	100.0
Martinez	12,237	3,911	1,590	1,062	1,037
	%	32.0	40.7	66.8	97.6
Moraga	3,904	1,885	456	269	254
	%	48.3	24.2	59.0	94.4
Oakley	12,288	5,346	2,426	1,452	1,368
	%	43.5	45.4	59.9	94.2
Orinda	5,469	2,306	641	460	460
	%	42.2	27.8	71.8	100.0
Pacheco	1,470	458	268	220	206
	%	31.2	58.5	82.1	93.6
Pinole	6,196	1,601	569	461	444
	%	25.8	35.5	81.0	96.3
Pittsburg	22,385	7,687	3,547	2,089	1,912
	%	34.3	46.1	58.9	91.5

Area	Females Age 20-64	With Children < 18	With Children < 6	In Civilian labor force with Children < 6	Employed
Pleasant Hill	11,046	3,658	1,696	1,091	1,086
%		33.1	46.4	64.3	99.5
Richmond	34,167	11,545	5,103	3,138	2,949
%		33.8	44.2	61.5	94.0
Rodeo	3,316	1,150	445	350	278
%		34.7	38.7	78.7	79.4
San Pablo	9,199	3,548	1,331	837	789
%		38.6	37.5	62.9	94.3
San Ramon	22,710	12,247	3,767	2,610	2,447
%		53.9	30.8	69.3	93.8
Tara Hills	1,432	487	165	120	120
%		34.0	33.9	72.7	100.0
Vine Hill	1,177	494	248	157	157
%		42.0	50.2	63.3	100.0
Walnut Creek	18,678	6,346	2,624	1,761	1,744
%		34.0	41.3	67.1	99.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Transportation

In 2019, 93.4% of Contra Costa County workers age 16 and older must commute to work, and the mean time workers spend traveling to work has risen to 38.7 minutes. This represents a 1.8% increase in travel time from 38.0 minutes since 2018 and is still notably longer than the statewide average of 29.8 minutes. The county's commuters continue to drive alone to work less than commuters in the state overall (67.5% to 73.7%, respectively). The percentage of commuters who drive alone to work exceeds the county (67.5%) by far in Bayview (81.8%), Bethel Island (92.1%), Brentwood (74.4%), Clayton (74.0%), Danville (74.3%), Discovery Bay (73.5%), Martinez (74.6%), Oakley (75.8%), Pacheco (75.0%), Rodeo (75.0%) and Vine Hill (81.9%).

An estimated 11.5% of county commuters carpool compared to just 10.1% in the state, but rates are notably higher among commuters in Antioch (17.2%), Hercules (15.9%), Oakley (15.4%), Pittsburg (15.6%), Richmond (15.1%) and San Pablo (18.0%). Commuters in Contra Costa also continue to use public transportation much more than commuters in the state (10.9% to 5.1%, respectively), with the highest rates in Contra Costa Centre (40.1%), El Cerrito (26.2%), Kensington (19.9%), Lafayette (19.1%), Moraga (16.1%), Orinda (21.4%) and Walnut Creek (18.5%).

Since 2018, the number of Contra Costa County workers age 16 and over who travel to a work place rose another 2.1% or 10,455 workers to 508,264. Antioch (up 1,089), Brentwood (up 1,227) and Richmond (up 1,159) saw the largest estimated increases in workers who commute, while Alamo (down 181), Kensington (down 119), Pacheco (down 145) and Rodeo (down 134) saw the largest decreases.

Countywide, about 46.0% (233,583) of commuters are female, compared to 46.2% (229,964) in 2018. Areas that saw notable increases in female commuters since 2018 include Blackhawk (up 5.8% or 100), Brentwood (up 5.4% or 604), Crockett (up 11.5% or 86), Martinez (up 5.1% or 463), Oakley (up 8.4% or 665), Orinda (up 6.6% or 224), San Pablo (up 4.8% or 270) and Vine Hill (up 6.8% or 48). Females are much less likely than males to leave for work between midnight and 6:59 am and somewhat more likely than males to leave for work between 7:00 am to 10:59 am. However, these countywide differences are more or less pronounced within sub-communities.

Table 24 – How Workers Commute to Work by Area, 2019

Area	Workers Age 16 and over	Drove alone	% Drove alone	Carpooled	% Carpooled	Took Public trans.	% Public trans.	Walked or other	% Walked or other	Mean Commute (Min.)
Countywide	544,376	367,467	67.5	62,385	11.5	59,068	10.9	19,344	3.6	38.7
Alamo	6,285	4,165	66.3	245	3.9	610	9.7	88	1.4	36.0
Antioch	49,236	33,032	67.1	8,454	17.2	3,907	7.9	1,534	3.1	46.7
Bayview	707	578	81.8	93	13.2	17	2.4	19	2.7	49.3
Bethel Island	772	711	92.1	49	6.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	37.8
Blackhawk	4,787	3,227	67.4	355	7.4	246	5.1	135	2.8	41.1
Brentwood	27,727	20,636	74.4	3,578	12.9	1,020	3.7	864	3.1	46.2
Clayton	5,697	4,215	74.0	271	4.8	621	10.9	125	2.2	42.8
Concord	65,571	44,191	67.4	7,281	11.1	7,295	11.1	3,396	5.2	35.6
Contra Costa Ctr	4,453	2,010	45.1	219	4.9	1,787	40.1	122	2.7	42.2
Crockett	1,768	1,142	64.6	226	12.8	129	7.3	140	7.9	37.6
Danville	20,792	15,439	74.3	1,188	5.7	1,230	5.9	738	3.5	33.3
Discovery Bay	7,868	5,783	73.5	902	11.5	72	0.9	248	3.2	47.9
E Richmond Hts	1,836	1,100	59.9	168	9.2	280	15.3	41	2.2	35.4
El Cerrito	12,604	6,480	51.4	1,055	8.4	3,296	26.2	452	3.6	34.1
El Sobrante	7,303	5,041	69.0	786	10.8	973	13.3	99	1.4	37.5
Hercules	13,536	9,258	68.4	2,152	15.9	1,249	9.2	147	1.1	42.2
Kensington	2,656	1,337	50.3	207	7.8	528	19.9	125	4.7	37.7
Lafayette	11,884	7,294	61.4	600	5.0	2,267	19.1	320	2.7	33.0
Martinez	20,327	15,162	74.6	1,919	9.4	1,254	6.2	809	4.0	32.9
Moraga	7,419	4,282	57.7	531	7.2	1,192	16.1	554	7.5	33.6
Oakley	19,170	14,534	75.8	2,956	15.4	574	3.0	312	1.6	44.0
Orinda	9,103	5,229	57.4	496	5.4	1,949	21.4	227	2.5	36.1
Pacheco	2,294	1,721	75.0	277	12.1	24	1.0	86	3.7	31.2
Pinole	9,761	7,177	73.5	1,000	10.2	968	9.9	237	2.4	38.7
Pittsburg	32,596	21,641	66.4	5,096	15.6	3,582	11.0	1,163	3.6	43.6
Pleasant Hill	18,064	12,587	69.7	991	5.5	2,485	13.8	765	4.2	34.4
Richmond	52,482	32,853	62.6	7,934	15.1	7,114	13.6	2,207	4.2	35.6
Rodeo	4,533	3,399	75.0	597	13.2	362	8.0	61	1.3	38.7
San Pablo	14,206	9,142	64.4	2,552	18.0	1,618	11.4	519	3.7	35.6
San Ramon	37,501	27,009	72.0	3,059	8.2	3,420	9.1	682	1.8	38.8
Tara Hills	2,574	1,892	73.5	266	10.3	258	10.0	48	1.9	37.2
Vine Hill	1,819	1,489	81.9	172	9.5	85	4.7	53	2.9	34.9
Walnut Creek	31,539	19,371	61.4	1,730	5.5	5,838	18.5	1,702	5.4	36.6

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

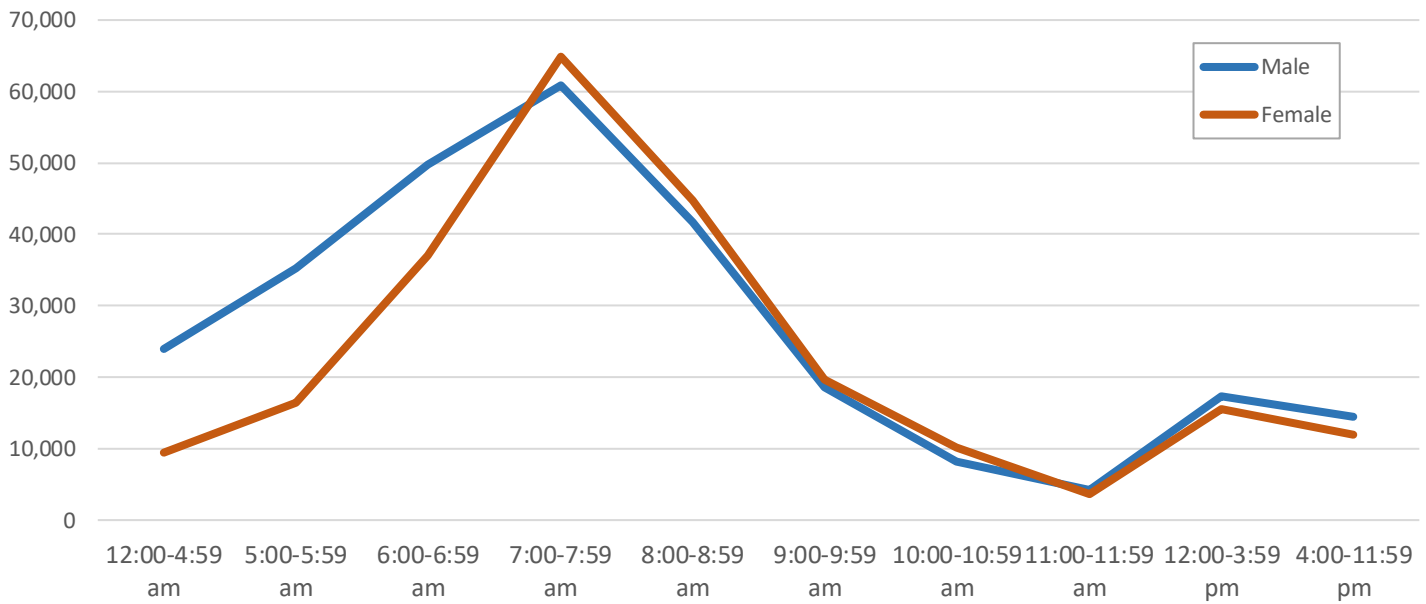
Table 25 – Time Leave for Work, 2019

Area	Sex	Commuters	0:00-4:59	5:00-5:59	6:00-6:59	7:00-7:59	8:00-8:59	9:00-9:59	10:00-10:59	11:00-11:59	12:00-15:59	16:00-23:59
County	Male	274,681	24,050	35,324	49,800	60,861	41,662	18,606	8,265	4,217	17,408	14,488
	Female	233,583	9,366	16,492	37,042	64,874	44,789	19,604	10,200	3,636	15,596	11,984
Alamo	Male	3,131	86	320	634	789	747	320	141	8	40	46
	Female	1,977	0	94	175	463	771	234	127	53	34	26
Antioch	Male	24,681	3,925	4,703	4,190	3,622	2,136	1,248	734	471	2,197	1,455
	Female	22,246	1,745	2,635	4,516	4,523	2,752	1,766	913	286	1,555	1,555
Bayview	Male	439	15	57	201	87	0	32	30	0	17	0
	Female	268	14	44	63	50	16	26	0	0	25	30
Bethel Island	Male	428	108	75	39	68	16	32	39	0	51	0
	Female	332	0	67	0	118	86	34	27	0	0	0
Blackhawk	Male	2,151	97	174	348	569	545	314	48	0	12	44
	Female	1,812	40	69	182	482	576	264	86	5	61	47
Brentwood	Male	14,367	2,584	2,275	2,408	1,851	1,586	1,125	301	138	1,197	902
	Female	11,731	716	1,270	1,995	2,938	1,970	770	222	182	975	693
Clayton	Male	2,788	120	306	828	651	292	182	59	35	42	273
	Female	2,444	149	93	531	853	282	149	68	0	138	181

Area	Sex	Commuters	0:00-4:59	5:00-5:59	6:00-6:59	7:00-7:59	8:00-8:59	9:00-9:59	10:00-10:59	11:00-11:59	12:00-15:59	16:00-23:59
Concord	Male	33,779	2,626	3,252	7,057	8,460	4,485	2,134	959	688	2,378	1,740
	Female	28,384	896	1,551	4,116	9,010	5,334	2,481	1,311	332	1,871	1,482
Contra Costa Cntr	Male	2,666	69	116	413	526	1,087	209	32	20	181	13
	Female	1,472	0	103	158	583	328	119	96	7	56	22
Crockett	Male	804	47	53	97	261	143	77	34	28	11	53
	Female	833	63	63	95	210	224	23	45	50	41	19
Danville	Male	10,128	218	920	1,601	2,954	2,257	770	345	184	436	443
	Female	8,467	106	314	856	2,797	2,095	957	354	141	597	250
Discovery Bay	Male	4,097	594	920	595	567	610	176	171	36	105	323
	Female	2,908	123	328	602	705	513	142	121	0	142	232
E Richmond Heights	Male	723	4	7	90	232	203	39	115	0	28	5
	Female	866	10	14	148	309	200	124	29	9	23	0
El Cerrito	Male	5,837	202	383	535	1,478	1,596	777	245	114	285	222
	Female	5,446	150	194	457	1,643	1,504	579	282	124	253	260
El Sobrante	Male	3,649	277	462	463	825	467	314	128	125	298	290
	Female	3,250	38	161	427	705	800	216	200	62	488	153
Hercules	Male	6,688	635	868	1,223	1,315	905	366	372	48	418	538
	Female	6,118	199	389	1,220	1,766	1,118	417	134	114	389	372
Kensington	Male	1,221	10	74	85	398	425	149	24	9	27	20
	Female	976	0	29	108	324	229	204	43	5	16	18
Lafayette	Male	5,689	129	354	1,098	1,636	1,452	498	116	0	225	181
	Female	4,792	63	367	573	1,321	1,083	657	253	115	209	151
Martinez	Male	9,596	656	1,215	1,840	2,361	1,257	597	554	230	376	510
	Female	9,548	313	550	1,417	3,511	1,939	503	404	75	510	326
Moraga	Male	3,535	135	301	631	1,003	701	221	196	49	174	124
	Female	3,024	19	19	286	947	593	336	161	59	458	146
Oakley	Male	9,801	2,384	1,434	1,429	1,666	565	388	89	221	761	864
	Female	8,575	558	936	1,289	1,887	1,644	499	417	154	519	672
Orinda	Male	4,262	134	286	796	1,273	1,139	371	68	13	96	86
	Female	3,639	19	100	377	1,194	977	480	208	13	213	58
Pacheco	Male	1,053	92	173	96	224	168	95	27	41	41	96
	Female	1,055	24	39	178	327	243	167	14	0	44	19
Pinole	Male	4,649	414	642	927	824	588	343	123	58	497	233
	Female	4,733	92	389	1,040	1,292	1,014	110	227	53	290	226
Pittsburg	Male	17,022	2,115	3,305	3,479	2,734	1,276	729	487	285	1,203	1,409
	Female	14,460	1,000	1,127	3,341	3,336	2,122	873	559	235	929	938
Pleasant Hill	Male	9,225	624	814	1,865	2,386	1,547	745	463	59	467	255
	Female	7,603	216	323	1,260	2,750	1,436	565	420	189	198	246
Richmond	Male	27,080	2,156	4,019	5,208	6,033	3,627	1,184	696	382	2,069	1,706
	Female	23,028	1,400	1,701	3,684	5,643	3,704	1,886	1,245	344	2,034	1,387
Rodeo	Male	2,423	265	370	279	388	262	210	35	189	235	190
	Female	1,996	64	230	335	466	337	81	90	31	235	127
San Pablo	Male	7,909	870	1,459	1,362	1,412	732	424	205	100	828	517
	Female	5,922	351	568	1,151	1,347	939	300	219	175	500	372
San Ramon	Male	19,459	669	1,492	2,702	5,097	5,111	2,294	608	211	694	581
	Female	14,711	191	618	1,715	4,619	3,666	1,864	557	188	594	699
Tara Hills	Male	1,373	69	225	402	252	52	133	0	16	135	89
	Female	1,091	61	55	217	237	175	28	31	78	138	71
Vine Hill	Male	1,042	137	202	189	206	106	85	60	19	17	21
	Female	757	48	62	108	263	80	38	40	23	38	57
Walnut Creek	Male	14,923	336	1,345	2,759	4,350	3,137	1,262	367	195	710	462
	Female	13,718	209	785	1,824	4,049	3,198	1,528	692	215	817	401

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Figure 6 – Time Leave for Work by Sex of Commuter, Contra Costa County 2019



Since 2019, Bay Area commuting patterns and use of public transportation has been dramatically altered by the COVID-19 outbreak and stay-at-home public health response. Although analysts predict some Bay Area communities may take up to two years to fully recover economically, traffic congestion will return to and surpass pre-COVID levels in the very near future, as travelers may be slow to accept the close confinement of crowded buses and BART trains.

Poverty Status

The US Department of Health and Human Services issues the official annual federal poverty level (FPL) annually, which provides the income level thresholds used to determine eligibility for a range of social service programs, including Head Start. The 2021 FPL income limits are presented below.

Table 26 – Federal Poverty Levels (FPL) by Household Size, 2021

Persons in family or household	100% Poverty Income Level
1	\$12,880
2	\$17,420
3	\$21,960
4	\$26,500
5	\$31,040
6	\$35,580
7	\$40,120
*8	\$44,660

*Add \$4,540 for each additional person over 8

Source: <https://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty-guidelines>

Estimates for 2019 based on results of the 2015-2019 5-Year American Community Survey data collected prior to the COVID-19 outbreak indicate that 8.7% of all individuals in Contra Costa County live at income levels below the federal poverty level (FPL), a moderate improvement from 9.1% in the prior year. This compares favorably to California’s poverty rate for individuals (13.4%), which improved notably from 14.3% in 2018. The county’s poverty rate among families (6.2%) continues to compare favorably to the statewide rate (9.6%), with both rates down since 2018 (6.5% and 10.4%, respectively). Poverty rates among all families with a single female head of household also fell from 18.3% to 17.6% in Contra Costa County and from 24.7% to 23.7% in the state. Notably, since 2017 the poverty rate among Contra Costa families with a single female head of household and children age 0-4 only has increased from 34.8% to 36.0%, while the statewide rate fell from 37.4% to 34.6%.

Table 27 – Percentage of Contra Costa Families with Income below FPL, 2013-2019

Family Type	Percent Below Poverty				
	2013	2016	2017	2018	2019
All families	8.2	7.3	6.9	6.5	6.2
With related children under 18 years	12.4	11.2	10.6	9.7	9.3
With related children under 5 years only	12.0	10.5	9.8	9.0	9.0
Families with single female householder	21.5	20.4	18.9	18.3	17.6
With related children under 18 years	30.9	30.2	28.2	26.8	26.0
With related children under 5 years only	40.0	37.7	34.8	35.3	36.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Importantly, poverty also varies considerably by citizenship status, as 13.4% of all California residents live below the FPL in 2019, compared to 20.1% of all non-citizens in the state. In Contra Costa County, 8.7% of all residents, 8.2% of native born, 10.3% of all foreign born, 6.2% of naturalized citizens and 15.2% of non-citizens live below the FPL. All four rates are estimated lower in 2019, with poverty among non-citizens (down 1.1 percentage points) most improved. However, poverty rates among non-citizens remain particularly high in Concord (17.4%), Richmond (20.9%) and San Pablo (20.0%), while non-citizens in Danville (12.9%), Hercules (11.0%), San Ramon (6.3%) and Walnut Creek (10.1%) have much lower than average poverty rates.

Table 28 – Percentage of Residents with Income below FPL by Nativity, 2019

Area	Population		Native		Foreign born		Naturalized		Non-citizen	
	With known poverty status	% < FPL	With known poverty status	% < FPL	With known poverty status	% < FPL	With known poverty status	% < FPL	With known poverty status	% < FPL
California	38,535,926	13.4	28,090,609	12.8	10,445,317	14.8	5,414,083	9.9	5,031,234	20.1
Contra Costa	1,132,877	8.7	843,757	8.2	289,120	10.3	158,158	6.2	130,962	15.2
Antioch	110,518	13.9	85,679	14.9	24,839	10.6	13,658	6.2	11,181	15.9
Brentwood	61,862	5.9	52,818	5.4	9,044	8.8	6,017	5.7	3,027	15.1
Concord	128,307	9.8	92,889	8.3	35,418	13.5	16,062	8.9	19,356	17.4
Danville	44,381	3.4	37,262	2.6	7,119	7.9	4,749	5.3	2,370	12.9
El Cerrito	25,308	8.5	17,360	6.5	7,948	12.9	4,843	11.1	3,105	15.6
Hercules	25,538	4.6	16,964	4.0	8,574	5.6	6,664	4.1	1,910	11.0
Pittsburg	70,780	12.9	47,890	13.8	22,890	11.1	12,069	6.9	10,821	15.8
Richmond	108,804	14.7	70,332	14.2	38,472	15.4	16,483	8.1	21,989	20.9
San Pablo	30,573	16.3	16,277	16.8	14,296	15.7	5,203	8.2	9,093	20.0
San Ramon	75,456	3.7	47,519	3.3	27,937	4.3	16,580	3.0	11,357	6.3
Walnut Creek	68,652	5.3	52,609	4.9	16,043	6.7	10,494	4.9	5,549	10.1

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Of population whose poverty status has been determined.

Among all married-couple families, the poverty rate in 2019 is 5.7% in the state and 3.3% in the county, with both rates improved since 2018. About 7,132 married-couple Contra Costa families live below the FPL, down 2.8% or 207 families since 2018. Poverty rates for married-couple families exceeds the county (3.3%) most notably in Antioch (6.4%), Bethel Island (15.1%), Kensington (4.4%), Pittsburg (5.5%), Richmond (6.4%), San Pablo (9.3%) and Tara Hills (4.3%). Among all single male-headed households, the 2019 poverty rate is 12.7% in the state and 10.6% in the county, with both rates improved since 2018. About 2,039 single male-headed Contra Costa families live below the FPL, down 8.0% or 178 families since 2018. The highest poverty rates for single male-headed families occur in Bethel Island (28.7%), Brentwood (17.2%), El Sobrante (15.6%), Pittsburg (15.6%), San Pablo (23.4%) and Walnut Creek (16.2%).

Among single female-headed households, the poverty rate is 23.1% in the state and 17.6% in the county. The number of single female-headed households below poverty fell 7.2% in the state and 2.7% (down 239 families) in the county since 2018. An estimated 8,504 single female-headed Contra Costa families live below the FPL in 2019, with notable high numbers in Antioch (1,828), Concord (1,113), Pittsburg

(744) and Richmond (1,604). The poverty rate for single female-headed families exceeds the county (17.6%) by far in Antioch (26.3%), Bethel Island (26.4%), Contra Costa Centre (36.4%), Richmond (24.8%) and Rodeo (39.6%). Areas that saw the largest 1-year declines in single female-headed families below the FPL include El Sobrante (down 79), Martinez (down 50), Pittsburg (down 77) and Richmond (down 167). In contrast, Antioch (up 201), Concord (up 27) and Pleasant Hill (up 54) saw the largest increases in single female-headed families below the FPL.

Table 29 – Poverty Rate of Families by Family Type, 2019

Area	Married-couple family			Single Male householder			Single Female householder		
	Total	< FPL	% < FPL	Total	< FPL	% < FPL	Total	< FPL	% < FPL
California	6,491,236	372,346	5.7	776,575	98,863	12.7	1,690,625	391,254	23.1
Countywide	217,370	7,132	3.3	19,180	2,039	10.6	48,256	8,504	17.6
Alamo	3,993	65	1.6	127	0	0.0	190	22	11.6
Antioch	16,716	1,071	6.4	2,325	270	11.6	6,949	1,828	26.3
Bayview	337	0	0.0	61	0	0.0	40	0	0.0
Bethel Island	344	52	15.1	101	29	28.7	87	23	26.4
Blackhawk	2,894	56	1.9	95	0	0.0	127	28	22.0
Brentwood	12,967	223	1.7	777	134	17.2	2,294	239	10.4
Clayton	2,963	0	0.0	85	10	11.8	252	7	2.8
Concord	23,929	811	3.4	2,465	181	7.3	5,297	1,113	21.0
Contra Costa Ctr	1,281	0	0.0	110	0	0.0	55	20	36.4
Crockett	582	23	4.0	35	0	0.0	158	10	6.3
Danville	10,578	145	1.4	445	54	12.1	1,428	67	4.7
Discovery Bay	3,619	89	2.5	254	0	0.0	569	107	18.8
E Richmond Hgts	678	0	0.0	26	0	0.0	90	5	5.6
El Cerrito	5,553	189	3.4	279	17	6.1	966	135	14.0
El Sobrante	2,482	96	3.9	326	51	15.6	664	66	9.9
Hercules	5,000	111	2.2	434	5	1.2	1,097	104	9.5
Kensington	1,328	58	4.4	44	0	0.0	139	0	0.0
Lafayette	6,351	40	0.6	301	0	0.0	587	0	0.0
Martinez	7,496	110	1.5	402	24	6.0	1,719	112	6.5
Moraga	3,907	64	1.6	46	0	0.0	401	11	2.7
Oakley	7,835	169	2.2	639	81	12.7	1,321	222	16.8
Orinda	5,238	88	1.7	101	0	0.0	340	20	5.9
Pacheco	848	0	0.0	86	11	12.8	240	20	8.3
Pinole	3,188	56	1.8	267	9	3.4	1,343	45	3.4
Pittsburg	10,100	559	5.5	2,069	322	15.6	4,056	744	18.3
Pleasant Hill	6,969	218	3.1	542	41	7.6	1,453	216	14.9
Richmond	15,726	1,006	6.4	2,712	316	11.7	6,470	1,604	24.8
Rodeo	1,653	52	3.1	214	0	0.0	760	301	39.6
San Pablo	3,959	368	9.3	931	218	23.4	1,919	417	21.7
San Ramon	17,882	393	2.2	599	24	4.0	1,703	169	9.9
Tara Hills	809	35	4.3	134	0	0.0	284	0	0.0
Vine Hill	749	0	0.0	83	0	0.0	124	31	25.0
Walnut Creek	15,444	371	2.4	736	119	16.2	1,913	170	8.9

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Of population whose poverty status has been determined.

About 27.7% (1,978) of all married-couple families living below the FPL in Contra Costa County have children less than 5, compared to 30.0% in the state, with the county numbers down 6.2% or 130 families and the state numbers down 10.0% since 2018. Significant 1-year decreases in married-couples with 0-4 year olds living below the FPL occurred in Antioch (down 73 families to 404), Oakley (down 59 families to 22), Pittsburg (down 41 families to 207) and Walnut Creek (down 38 families to 26). In contrast, Richmond (up 30 families to 436) saw a notable 1-year increase in married-couples with 0-4 year olds below the FPL. About 30.3% (618) of all single male-headed families living below the FPL in Contra Costa have children less than 5, compared to 31.9% in the state, with the county numbers up 2.0% or 12 families while the state numbers fell 11.9% since 2018. Significant 1-year decreases in single male-headed families with 0-4 year olds below the FPL occurred in Concord (down 32 families to

98), El Cerrito (down 11 families to 7) and Pittsburg (down 10 families to 75). In contrast, Richmond (up 52 families to 159) and Walnut Creek (up 23 families to 77) saw notable 1-year increases in single male-headed families with 0-4 year olds below the FPL.

About 35.9% (3,052) of all single female-headed households living below the FPL in Contra Costa County have children less than 5, compared to 36.1% statewide. Since 2018, the county saw a moderate 2.6% or 80 family decrease in the number of single female-headed families with children age 0-4 living below the FPL, while the state as a whole saw a sizable 8.1% decrease. The number of single female-headed families with 0-4 year olds below the FPL fell most notably in El Sobrante (down 32 families to 14), Martinez (down 54 families to 27), Pinole (down 22 families to 10), Pittsburg (down 62 families to 270) and Richmond (down 57 families to 591). In contrast, large increases in the number of single female-headed families with 0-4 year olds below the FPL occurred in Brentwood (up 29 families to 44), Concord (up 130 families to 486), El Cerrito (up 24 families to 40) and Oakley (up 52 families to 174). In 2018, areas with the highest number of single female-headed families with 0-4 year olds below the FPL include Antioch (661), Concord (486), Oakley (174), Pittsburg (270), Richmond (591) and San Pablo (172).

Table 30 – Families below FPL with Children Age 0-4, Contra Costa County 2019

Area	Total Families	Families < FPL	Married-Couple HH < FPL			Single Male HH < FPL			Single Female HH < FPL		
			All < FPL	With Kids < 5	% of All < FPL	All < FPL	With Kids < 5	% of All < FPL	All < FPL	With Kids < 5	% of All < FPL
California	8,958,436	862,463	372,346	111,761	30.0	98,863	31,566	31.9	391,254	141,197	36.1
Countywide	284,806	17,675	7,132	1,978	27.7	2,039	618	30.3	8,504	3,052	35.9
Alamo	4,310	87	65	0	0.0	0	0	--	22	0	0.0
Antioch	25,990	3,169	1,071	404	37.7	270	90	33.3	1,828	661	36.2
Bayview	438	0	0	0	--	0	0	--	0	0	--
Bethel Island	532	104	52	11	21.2	29	0	0.0	23	23	100.0
Blackhawk	3,116	84	56	0	0.0	0	0	--	28	0	0.0
Brentwood	16,038	596	223	24	10.8	134	0	0.0	239	44	18.4
Clayton	3,300	17	0	0	--	10	0	0.0	7	0	0.0
Concord	31,691	2,105	811	291	35.9	181	98	54.1	1,113	486	43.7
Contra Costa Ctr	1,446	20	0	0	--	0	0	--	20	0	0.0
Crockett	775	33	23	0	0.0	0	0	--	10	0	0.0
Danville	12,451	266	145	9	6.2	54	0	0.0	67	0	0.0
Discovery Bay	4,442	196	89	12	13.5	0	0	--	107	28	26.2
E Richmond Hts	794	5	0	0	--	0	0	--	5	5	100.0
El Cerrito	6,798	341	189	28	14.8	17	7	41.2	135	40	29.6
El Sobrante	3,472	213	96	17	17.7	51	0	0.0	66	14	21.2
Hercules	6,531	220	111	0	0.0	5	0	0.0	104	11	10.6
Kensington	1,511	58	58	0	0.0	0	0	--	0	0	--
Lafayette	7,239	40	40	17	42.5	0	0	--	0	0	--
Martinez	9,617	246	110	20	18.2	24	0	0.0	112	27	24.1
Moraga	4,354	75	64	0	0.0	0	0	--	11	0	0.0
Oakley	9,795	472	169	22	13.0	81	0	0.0	222	174	78.4
Orinda	5,679	108	88	0	0.0	0	0	--	20	0	0.0
Pacheco	1,174	31	0	0	--	11	0	0.0	20	0	0.0
Pinole	4,798	110	56	12	21.4	9	0	0.0	45	10	22.2
Pittsburg	16,225	1,625	559	207	37.0	322	75	23.3	744	270	36.3
Pleasant Hill	8,964	475	218	93	42.7	41	0	0.0	216	44	20.4
Richmond	24,908	2,926	1,006	436	43.3	316	159	50.3	1,604	591	36.8
Rodeo	2,627	353	52	16	30.8	0	0	--	301	105	34.9
San Pablo	6,809	1,003	368	162	44.0	218	105	48.2	417	172	41.2
San Ramon	20,184	586	393	70	17.8	24	0	0.0	169	42	24.9
Tara Hills	1,227	35	35	0	0.0	0	0	--	0	0	--
Vine Hill	956	31	0	0	--	0	0	--	31	0	0.0
Walnut Creek	18,093	660	371	26	7.0	119	77	64.7	170	78	45.9

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Includes population with known poverty status.

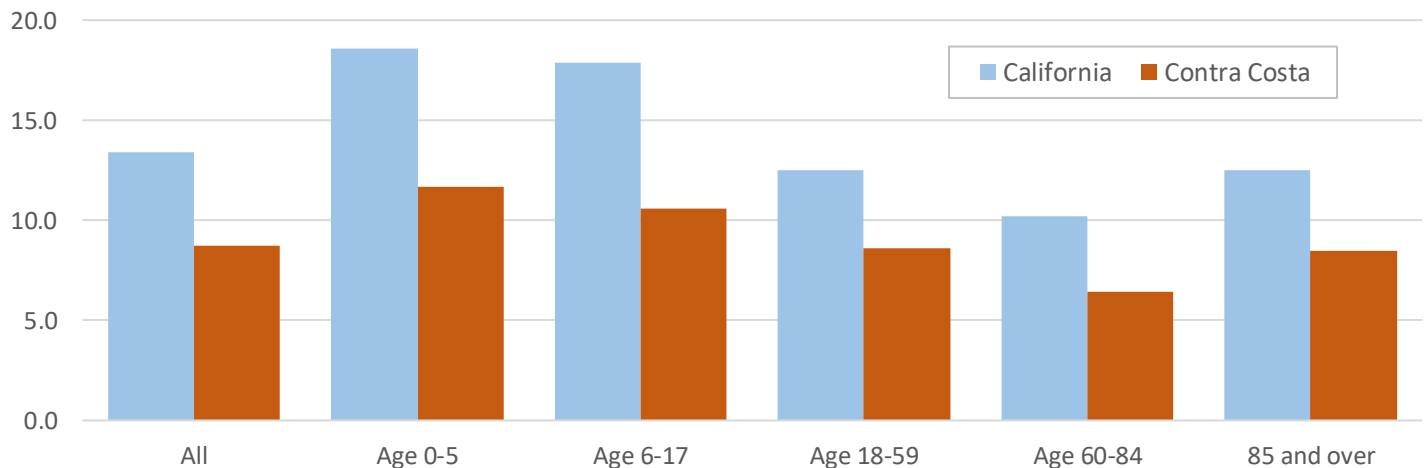
California has an estimated 5,149,742 (13.4%) residents of all ages living below the FPL in 2019, which represents a 6.1% decline of 337,399 residents since 2018. Contra Costa County saw a similar 3.9% decline of 3,948 residents living below the FPL. In 2019, Contra Costa has an estimated 102,543 (8.7%) residents of all ages in poverty. The poverty rate among 0-5 year olds is 18.6% in California, down from 20.2% in 2018, and a 9.1% reduction of the number in poverty. The poverty rate among 0-5 year olds is 11.7% in the county, down from 12.2% in 2018, and a 4.3% reduction of the number in poverty. The poverty rate among 6-17 year olds is 17.9% in California and 10.6% in the county, with both rates down since 2018 and with the number of Contra Costa 6-17 year olds below the FPL (19,090) down a sizable 5.9% or 1,207 children. The poverty rate among 60-84 year olds is 10.2% in California and 6.4% in the county, but the number of 60-84 year olds below the FPL in the county (14,256) has risen 5.0% and 367728 residents since 2018. The poverty rate among seniors age 85 and older is 12.5% in California and 8.5% in the county, with the rate and number of county seniors age 85 and older below the FPL (1,810) relatively unchanged since 2018.

Table 31 – Residents below Poverty and Poverty Rates, 2019

Area	Pop. Total	< FPL	Age 0-5 < FPL	Age 6-17 < FPL	Age 18-59 < FPL	Age 60-84 < FPL	> 84 < FPL
California	38,535,926	5,149,742	535,885	1,075,038	2,746,769	707,788	84,262
	%	13.4	18.6	17.9	12.5	10.2	12.5
Contra Costa	1,132,877	98,595	9,077	19,090	54,362	14,256	1,810
	%	8.7	11.7	10.6	8.6	6.4	8.5

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Includes population with known poverty status.

Figure 7 – State and County Poverty Rates by Age Group, 2019



About 28,167 Contra Costa children of all ages live below the FPL in 2019, which is a notable 5.4% improvement since 2018 and 1,615 fewer children in poverty. Several areas saw notable declines in children in poverty including Antioch (down 189), Clayton (down 42), Concord (down 340), El Sobrante (down 78), Hercules (down 42), Martinez (down 95), Pittsburg (down 141), Richmond (down 96), San Pablo (down 105), San Ramon (down 61) and Walnut Creek (down 232). However, several areas saw significant increases in children in poverty since 2018 including Bethel Island (up 89), Crockett (up 37), Danville (up 56), Moraga (up 30), Oakley (up 117), Pleasant Hill (up 110) and Rodeo (up 65).

Considering children age 0-5, poverty rates in the county are significantly higher than the countywide average (11.7%) in Antioch (24.4%), Bethel Island (100.0%), Pittsburg (15.0%), Richmond (24.0%), Rodeo (29.1%), San Pablo (29.8%) and Walnut Creek (46.6%). Critically, large populations of 0-5 year olds below the FPL may be found in Antioch (1,986), Concord (1,288), Pittsburg (880), Richmond (1,940) and San Pablo (630). Since 2018, areas that saw the largest decreases in 0-5 year olds below the FPL include Antioch (down 121), El Sobrante (down 34), Martinez (down 56), Pittsburg (down 94), San Pablo (down 41) and Walnut Creek (down 86). Areas with notable increases include Brentwood (up 77), Concord (up 77) and Richmond (up 66).

Table 32 – Population below Poverty Level and Poverty Rates by Age Group, 2019

Area	Pop. Total	< FPL	Age 0-5 < FPL	Age 6-17 < FPL	Age 18-59 < FPL	Age 60-84 < FPL	> 84 < FPL
Alamo	14,818	662	14	71	363	201	13
	%	4.5	2.7	2.5	5.6	4.3	4.2
Antioch	110,518	15,359	1,986	3,795	8,018	1,396	164
	%	13.9	24.4	19.9	12.7	7.6	9.7
Bayview	1,862	14	0	0	0	14	0
	%	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.1	0.0
Bethel Island	2,161	510	59	89	256	106	0
	%	23.6	100.0	30.9	21.3	17.7	0.0
Blackhawk	9,593	308	0	51	137	120	0
	%	3.2	0.0	3.3	2.9	4.6	0.0
Brentwood	61,862	3,641	186	1,157	1,679	558	61
	%	5.9	5.0	9.2	5.1	4.9	4.4
Clayton	12,033	164	0	9	95	58	2
	%	1.4	0.0	0.4	1.5	2.0	0.8
Concord	128,307	12,533	1,288	1,759	7,196	2,120	170
	%	9.8	13.0	10.7	9.6	8.5	8.4
Contra Costa Ctr	6,558	482	0	22	375	83	2
	%	7.3	0.0	9.6	7.4	9.8	100.0
Crockett	3,245	280	0	50	203	27	0
	%	8.6	0.0	15.8	11.0	3.2	0.0
Danville	44,381	1,528	17	278	717	444	72
	%	3.4	0.6	3.4	3.2	4.5	5.8
Discovery Bay	16,133	1,242	75	399	599	162	7
	%	7.7	6.8	15.2	6.8	4.7	5.9
E. Richmond Hgts	3,157	101	6	5	56	24	10
	%	3.2	4.8	1.6	3.3	2.5	11.4
El Cerrito	25,308	2,154	95	171	1,457	321	110
	%	8.5	5.3	6.4	10.3	5.4	15.7
El Sobrante	13,818	1,135	34	178	826	89	8
	%	8.2	4.3	9.9	9.7	3.5	4.6
Hercules	25,538	1,169	27	156	726	236	24
	%	4.6	2.0	4.4	4.9	4.2	10.0
Kensington	5,329	287	0	14	212	61	0
	%	5.4	0.0	1.7	8.7	3.7	0.0
Lafayette	26,120	896	42	82	590	138	44
	%	3.4	3.1	1.6	4.5	2.3	11.5
Martinez	37,702	1,933	50	211	1,341	310	21
	%	5.1	1.9	4.5	6.3	3.7	3.3
Moraga	15,648	647	0	58	370	174	45
	%	4.1	0.0	1.8	5.2	4.2	7.6
Oakley	41,071	3,111	300	657	1,812	342	0
	%	7.6	8.5	7.9	7.8	6.0	0.0
Orinda	19,588	603	0	101	274	130	98
	%	3.1	0.0	2.9	3.0	2.5	13.4
Pacheco	4,361	237	0	22	141	62	12
	%	5.4	0.0	4.8	5.5	6.3	21.1
Pinole	19,117	889	56	103	541	154	35
	%	4.7	5.7	4.7	5.0	3.3	6.6
Pittsburg	70,780	9,129	880	2,007	4,933	1,249	60
	%	12.9	15.0	17.7	11.8	11.2	11.5
Pleasant Hill	34,535	2,695	177	206	1,832	445	35
	%	7.8	6.9	5.1	9.2	6.1	4.4
Richmond	108,804	15,946	1,940	3,132	8,680	2,044	150
	%	14.7	24.0	20.1	13.5	10.7	9.4
Rodeo	10,394	1,526	201	503	720	98	4
	%	14.7	29.1	31.0	11.8	5.7	1.6
San Pablo	30,573	4,975	630	1,002	2,720	566	57
	%	16.3	29.8	18.3	14.5	14.1	25.0

Area	Pop. Total	< FPL	Age 0-5 < FPL	Age 6-17 < FPL	Age 18-59 < FPL	Age 60-84 < FPL	> 84 < FPL
San Ramon	75,456	2,802	153	403	1,384	710	152
	%	3.7	3.1	2.5	3.2	6.9	19.4
Tara Hills	5,117	272	0	79	166	24	3
	%	5.3	0.0	10.2	5.5	2.4	4.0
Vine Hill	3,886	277	0	45	172	60	0
	%	7.1	0.0	6.3	8.0	10.2	0.0
Walnut Creek	68,652	3,658	320	416	245	1,845	498
	%	5.3	46.6	0.6	5.8	5.1	3.6

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Includes population with known poverty status.

Figure 8 – Poverty Rate of Children Age 0-5, 2019

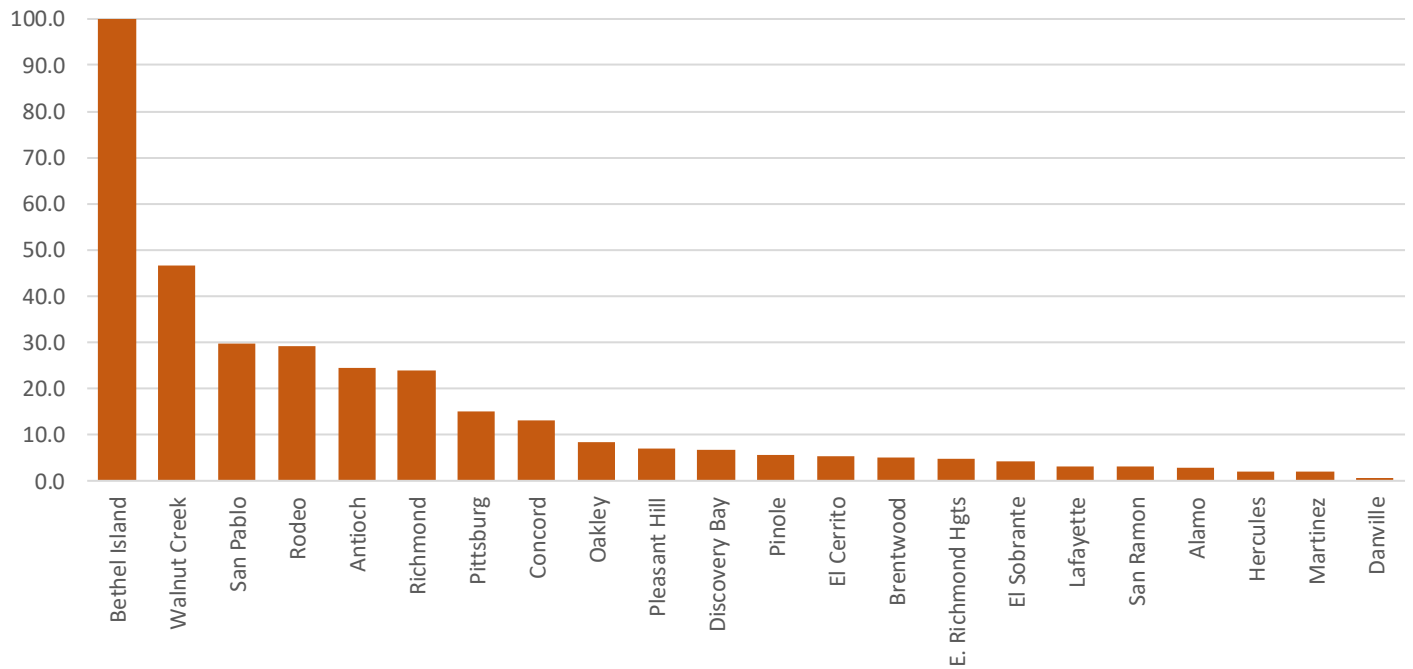
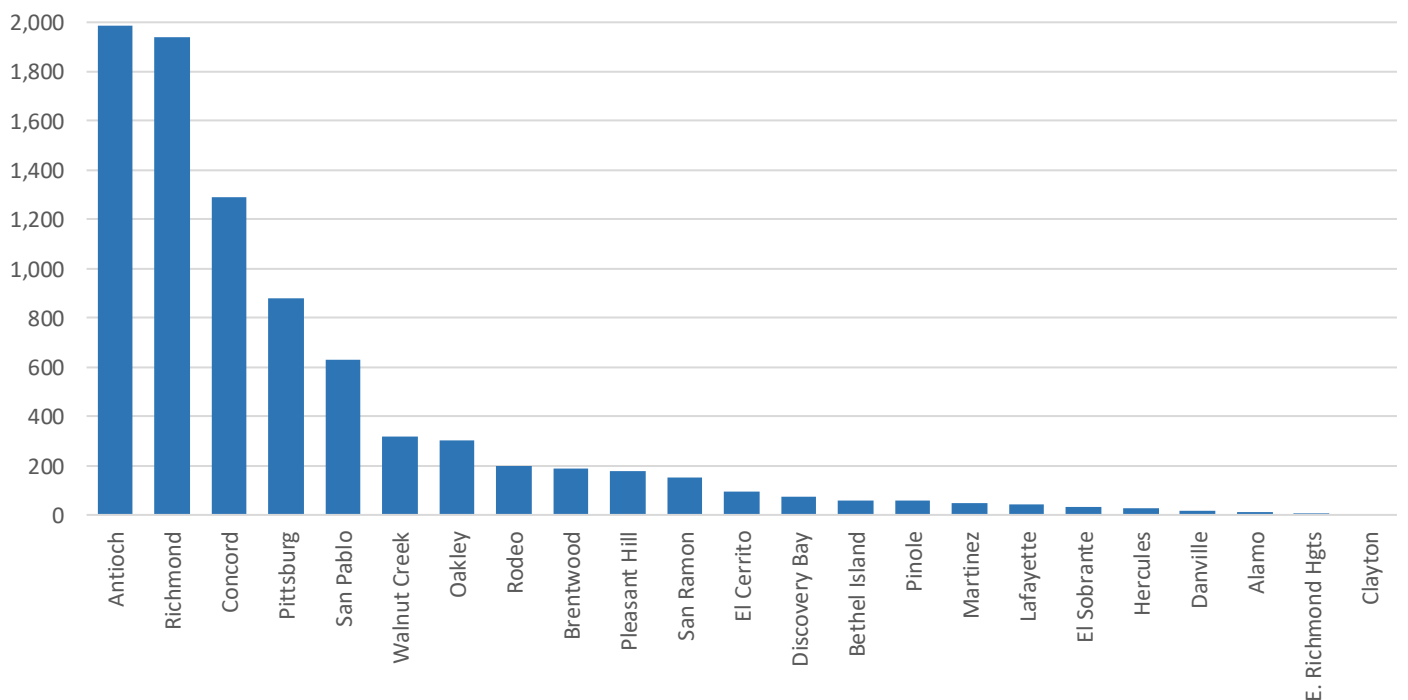


Figure 9 – Number of Children Age 0-5 Living Below FPL, 2019



In 2019, 5.2% (4,029) of all 0-5 year olds in the county live below 50% of FPL, virtually unchanged since 2018. This rate continues to compare favorably to California as a whole (7.8%), although California saw a 9.5% reduction in 0-5 year olds below 50% of FPL since 2018. Another 3.0% (2,336) of all 0-5 year olds in the county live between 50% and 74% of FPL, compared to 5.1% statewide. Overall, 15,203 (19.7%) of all 0-5 year olds in the county live at or below 149% of FPL in 2019, which represents a sizable 5.6% reduction from 16,105 in 2018. Although the percentage of Contra Costa 0-5 year olds at or below 149% of FPL still compares favorably to the state (30.2%), the state saw a higher 7.4% reduction since 2018.

Communities with a much higher than average rate (19.7%) of 0-5 year olds below 150% of FPL include Antioch (37.9%), Bayview (38.0%), Bethel Island (100.0%), Pittsburg (26.0%), Richmond (40.0%), Rodeo (43.4%) and San Pablo (45.2%). Areas with the largest population of 0-5 year olds at or below 149% of FPL include Antioch (3,078), Brentwood (593), Concord (2,005), Pittsburg (1,527), Richmond (3,230) and San Pablo (954). Communities that saw the largest 1-year declines in the number of 0-5 year olds below 150% of FPL include Pinole (down 71), Pittsburg (down 219), Richmond (down 181), San Ramon (down 49) and Walnut Creek (down 106).

In 2018 in California as a whole, an estimated 11.3% of married and 40.1% of unmarried women with births live below the FPL, down 1.0 and 2.3 percentage points, respectively. In Contra Costa County, 8.4% of married and 39.0% of unmarried women with births live below the FPL in 2018, also down 0.5 and 2.8 percentage points, respectively. Within subcommunities, poverty rates among married women with births fell most notably in Antioch (down 6.1 points to 13.4%), Concord (down 2.4 points to 6.0%), El Cerrito (down 6.1 points to 0.0%), Hercules (down 4.3 points to 4.4%) and San Pablo (down 3.9 points to 18.5%). In contrast, poverty rates among married women with births rose considerably in Brentwood (up 2.0 points to 4.2%), Discovery Bay (up 4.4 points to 22.7%) and Pleasant Hill (up 5.8 points to 36.2%). Since 2018, poverty rates among unmarried women with births fell most notably in Antioch (down 7.4 points to 34.2%), Brentwood (down 22.1 points to 26.2%), Discovery Bay (down 50.0 points to 0.0%), Martinez (down 29.0 points to 7.8%), Richmond (down 7.4 points to 40.0%), San Ramon (down 15.4 points to 18.8%) and Walnut Creek (down 59.1 points to 0.0%). In contrast, poverty rates among unmarried women with births rose significantly in Oakley (up 43.1 points to 49.6%), Pittsburg (up 2.6 points to 52.8%) and San Pablo (up 4.2 points to 44.4%).

Countywide, of 13,224 women age 15-50 who gave birth in the past year, 819 married and 1,339 unmarried women live below the FPL in 2019, which represents 38 fewer married women but 30 more unmarried women with births below the FPL since 2018. Estimates of the number of women with births in poverty fell most notably in Antioch (down 67), El Cerrito (down 13), Hercules (down 13), Martinez (down 53), Rodeo (down 22), San Ramon (down 15) and Walnut Creek (down 16). In contrast, the number of women with births living below the FPL rose significantly in Concord (up 26), Oakley (up 117), Richmond (up 90) and San Pablo (up 28).

Table 33 – Ratio of Income to Poverty Level for Children Age 0-5 by Geography, 2019

Area	Total 0-5	Under .50 FPL	.50 to .74 FPL	.75 to .99 FPL	1.00 to 1.24	1.25 to 1.49	Total < 150%
California	2,881,148	224,290	147,088	164,507	178,201	156,977	871,063
	%	7.8	5.1	5.7	6.2	5.4	30.2
Contra Costa Cnty	77,307	4,029	2,336	2,712	3,306	2,820	15,203
	%	5.2	3.0	3.5	4.3	3.6	19.7
Alamo	515	14	0	0	0	0	14
	%	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.7
Antioch	8,128	698	347	941	553	539	3,078
	%	8.6	4.3	11.6	6.8	6.6	37.9
Bayview	92	0	0	0	35	0	35
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	38.0	0.0	38.0
Bethel Island	59	32	27	0	0	0	59

Area	Total 0-5	Under .50 FPL	.50 to .74 FPL	.75 to .99 FPL	1.00 to 1.24	1.25 to 1.49	Total < 150%
	%	54.2	45.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0
Brentwood	3,731	48	70	68	299	108	593
	%	1.3	1.9	1.8	8.0	2.9	15.9
Clayton	649	0	0	0	19	0	19
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	0.0	2.9
Concord	9,907	603	453	232	460	257	2,005
	%	6.1	4.6	2.3	4.6	2.6	20.2
Contra Costa Ctr	410	0	0	0	53	0	53
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	12.9	0.0	12.9
Crockett	182	0	0	0	11	0	11
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	0.0	6.0
Danville	2,941	17	0	0	0	0	17
	%	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6
Discovery Bay	1,095	24	0	51	0	0	75
	%	2.2	0.0	4.7	0.0	0.0	6.8
E Richmond Hts	125	0	0	6	0	0	6
	%	0.0	0.0	4.8	0.0	0.0	4.8
El Cerrito	1,793	61	10	24	142	26	263
	%	3.4	0.6	1.3	7.9	1.5	14.7
El Sobrante	799	0	21	13	33	59	126
	%	0.0	2.6	1.6	4.1	7.4	15.8
Hercules	1,346	27	0	0	10	179	216
	%	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	13.3	16.0
Lafayette	1,360	29	13	0	0	0	42
	%	2.1	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.1
Martinez	2,644	0	0	50	30	13	93
	%	0.0	0.0	1.9	1.1	0.5	3.5
Oakley	3,532	195	78	27	96	93	489
	%	5.5	2.2	0.8	2.7	2.6	13.8
Pacheco	305	0	0	0	0	49	49
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.1	16.1
Pinole	991	18	38	0	9	23	88
	%	1.8	3.8	0.0	0.9	2.3	8.9
Pittsburg	5,874	503	267	110	304	343	1,527
	%	8.6	4.5	1.9	5.2	5.8	26.0
Pleasant Hill	2,556	68	17	92	16	44	237
	%	2.7	0.7	3.6	0.6	1.7	9.3
Richmond	8,076	690	510	740	679	611	3,230
	%	8.5	6.3	9.2	8.4	7.6	40.0
Rodeo	691	113	17	71	49	50	300
	%	16.4	2.5	10.3	7.1	7.2	43.4
San Pablo	2,112	315	244	71	222	102	954
	%	14.9	11.6	3.4	10.5	4.8	45.2
San Ramon	4,973	124	29	0	0	21	174
	%	2.5	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.4	3.5
Tara Hills	286	0	0	0	14	6	20
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.9	2.1	7.0
Vine Hill	373	0	0	0	73	0	73
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.6	0.0	19.6
Walnut Creek	3,777	240	61	19	0	5	325
	%	6.4	1.6	0.5	0.0	0.1	8.6

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Based on population age 0-5 with known poverty status. Census places with zero estimates for children age 0-5 at 149% of FPL or less are not reported.

Table 34 – Poverty Status of Women with Births in Past Year by Census Place, 2019

Area	Women 15-50 with known poverty status	With births	Married			Unmarried		
			With births	With births < FPL	% < FPL	With births	With births < FPL	% < FPL
California	9,472,961	468,816	321,965	36,362	11.3	146,851	58,816	40.1
Contra Costa Cty	268,188	13,224	9,788	819	8.4	3,436	1,339	39.0
Alamo	2,425	19	19	9	47.4	0	0	--
Antioch	28,336	1,432	991	133	13.4	441	151	34.2
Bayview	335	30	14	0	0.0	16	0	0.0
Bethel Island	364	10	10	10	100.0	0	0	--
Blackhawk	2,090	64	64	0	0.0	0	0	--
Brentwood	14,021	589	524	22	4.2	65	17	26.2
Clayton	2,555	70	70	0	0.0	0	0	--
Concord	29,774	1,745	1,334	80	6.0	411	240	58.4
Contra Costa Ctr	1,917	144	144	0	0.0	0	0	--
Crockett	709	28	28	0	0.0	0	0	--
Danville	8,689	393	377	0	0.0	16	0	0.0
Discovery Bay	3,806	211	172	39	22.7	39	0	0.0
E Richmond Hts	673	6	6	0	0.0	0	0	--
El Cerrito	6,071	231	219	0	0.0	12	6	50.0
El Sobrante	3,097	117	100	0	0.0	17	17	100.0
Hercules	5,971	220	159	7	4.4	61	0	0.0
Kensington	925	45	32	0	0.0	13	0	0.0
Lafayette	5,627	135	124	0	0.0	11	0	0.0
Martinez	8,579	404	314	0	0.0	90	7	7.8
Moraga	2,941	123	110	0	0.0	13	0	0.0
Oakley	10,860	669	431	16	3.7	238	118	49.6
Orinda	3,977	119	95	0	0.0	24	0	0.0
Pacheco	1,056	54	54	0	0.0	0	0	--
Pinole	4,509	250	142	0	0.0	108	0	0.0
Pittsburg	17,980	1,267	778	69	8.9	489	258	52.8
Pleasant Hill	8,255	280	232	84	36.2	48	0	0.0
Richmond	28,257	1,703	1,013	242	23.9	690	276	40.0
Rodeo	2,681	134	56	0	0.0	78	56	71.8
San Pablo	8,093	457	200	37	18.5	257	114	44.4
San Ramon	19,165	606	537	34	6.3	69	13	18.8
Tara Hills	1,116	85	36	0	0.0	49	0	0.0
Vine Hill	885	7	7	0	0.0	0	0	--
Walnut Creek	14,180	661	610	14	2.3	51	0	0.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Public Assistance

According to the California Department of Social Services CalWORKs Annual Report (July 2020), California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) caseloads have increased since December 2019. As of July 2020, the county has 6,432 cash grant CalWORKs cases, up 1.6% or 100 cases since 2019. Of 6,432 cases, 31.7% (2,041) involve no parents. Cash grant CalWORKs cases in July 2020 involve 11,597 children, up 2.2% or 245 children, and 30.3% (3,514) of children in the program are parentless. Critically, the number of children in cases involving two parents has increased a considerable 37.7% or 228 children since the COVID-19 outbreak.

Based on 2019 ACS estimates, 6.1% of California households receive SSI benefits, compared to 5.3% (21,069) of Contra Costa households, a 1.1% decline in the state but a notable 4.1% increase in the county. Compared to a mean \$10,315 statewide, SSI households in the county receive an average of \$10,665, ranging from \$7,029 (Pacheco) and \$14,718 (Moraga) annually. Since 2018, the number of Contra Costa County households with SSI benefits rose most notably in Alamo (up 114), Brentwood (up 114), Richmond (up 128), Pittsburg (up 219) and Antioch (up 274), while Martinez (down 80), Pacheco (down 109) and Concord (down 144) saw the largest declines in SSI households.

Table 35 – CalWORKs Cash Grant Cases and Children, Contra Costa County 2010 - 2020

		Two Parent	Zero Parent	All Other	TANF Timed-Out	Safety Net / FF / LTS	Total
Dec 2010	Cases	757	3,633	4,962	828	1,063	11,243
	Children in Caseload	1,517	6,335	7,573	1,590	2,276	19,291
Dec 2012	Cases	635	3,413	4,176	720	1,543	10,487
	Children in Caseload	1,230	5,853	6,177	1,421	3,169	17,850
Dec 2014	Cases	608	2,949	3,870	757	1,668	9,852
	Children in Caseload	1,221	5,143	5,867	1,507	3,403	17,141
Dec 2016	Cases	372	2,632	2,622	551	1,660	7,837
	Children in Caseload	794	4,582	3,904	1,098	3,366	13,744
July 2018	Cases	288	2,284	2,171	499	1,631	6,873
	Children in Caseload	647	3,971	3,351	989	3,323	12,281
Dec 2019	Cases	255	2,013	1,992	408	1,664	6,332
	Children in Caseload	604	3,446	3,012	819	3,471	11,352
July 2020	Cases	346	2,041	1,952	425	1,668	6,432
	Children in Caseload	832	3,514	2,987	824	3,440	11,597

Source: <http://www.cdss.ca.gov/inforesources/Research-and-Data>.

Table 36 – Public Assistance Households and Income by Place, 2019

Area	Total HHs	Median HH income	HHs with SSI	% with SSI	Mean SSI	HHs with cash PA	% with cash PA	Mean cash PA	HHs with SNAP	% with SNAP
California	13,044,266	\$75,235	791,896	6.1	\$10,315	421,752	3.2	\$4,578	1,164,713	8.9
Contra Costa	394,769	\$99,716	21,069	5.3	\$10,665	9,474	2.4	\$4,719	24,553	6.2
Alamo	5,156	\$239,545	289	5.6	\$7,343	28	0.5	--	28	0.5
Antioch	34,028	\$76,601	3,530	10.4	\$11,476	2,073	6.1	\$4,725	4,896	14.4
Bayview	587	\$90,984	25	4.3	--	16	2.7	--	27	4.6
Bethel Island	906	\$33,583	21	2.3	--	22	2.4	--	63	7.0
Blackhawk	3,458	\$214,754	39	1.1	\$12,146	10	0.3	--	16	0.5
Brentwood	19,906	\$108,994	1,180	5.9	\$9,123	507	2.5	\$6,003	988	5.0
Clayton	4,232	\$157,768	202	4.8	\$10,726	28	0.7	--	61	1.4
Concord	46,455	\$89,564	2,279	4.9	\$10,705	1,234	2.7	\$4,419	3,203	6.9
Contra Costa Ctr	3,611	\$97,684	161	4.5	\$11,289	36	1.0	--	22	0.6
Crockett	1,448	\$79,951	21	1.5	--	80	5.5	\$4,518	145	10.0
Danville	16,053	\$160,808	310	1.9	\$12,865	199	1.2	\$4,407	139	0.9
Discovery Bay	5,482	\$130,547	88	1.6	\$9,890	93	1.7	\$7,583	252	4.6
E Richmond Hts	1,360	\$91,100	63	4.6	\$12,159	27	2.0	\$3,933	12	0.9
El Cerrito	10,034	\$108,298	366	3.6	\$9,438	119	1.2	\$4,041	220	2.2
El Sobrante	4,901	\$86,626	354	7.2	\$10,661	174	3.6	\$4,393	424	8.7
Hercules	8,402	\$117,018	412	4.9	\$9,577	131	1.6	\$3,279	429	5.1
Kensington	2,254	\$146,563	12	0.5	--	24	1.1	\$7,267	0	0.0
Lafayette	9,426	\$178,889	351	3.7	\$9,092	49	0.5	\$1,886	118	1.3
Martinez	14,723	\$107,328	635	4.3	\$9,863	217	1.5	\$4,750	332	2.3
Moraga	5,867	\$140,378	71	1.2	\$14,718	9	0.2	--	9	0.2
Oakley	11,778	\$104,893	723	6.1	\$9,571	374	3.2	\$4,220	754	6.4
Orinda	7,167	\$223,217	152	2.1	\$6,338	42	0.6	\$4,298	65	0.9
Pacheco	1,692	\$72,383	72	4.3	\$7,029	23	1.4	--	142	8.4
Pinole	6,748	\$100,315	426	6.3	\$13,477	122	1.8	\$5,484	415	6.1
Pittsburg	21,357	\$74,459	1,730	8.1	\$9,857	913	4.3	\$4,809	3,041	14.2
Pleasant Hill	13,817	\$118,947	417	3.0	\$11,240	121	0.9	\$4,606	314	2.3
Richmond	37,088	\$68,472	2,918	7.9	\$10,930	1,035	2.8	\$3,973	3,545	9.6
Rodeo	3,384	\$74,688	448	13.2	\$14,598	300	8.9	\$6,622	685	20.2
San Pablo	9,221	\$53,198	975	10.6	\$9,732	213	2.3	\$4,004	1,430	15.5
San Ramon	25,535	\$160,783	500	2.0	\$10,235	264	1.0	\$4,905	281	1.1
Tara Hills	1,678	\$73,857	124	7.4	\$10,210	0	0.0	--	31	1.8
Vine Hill	1,314	\$106,855	88	6.7	\$8,927	93	7.1	\$2,235	66	5.0
Walnut Creek	31,390	\$105,948	860	2.7	\$12,023	423	1.3	\$6,025	682	2.2

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

The number of households receiving cash public assistance fell 4.8% in the state and 6.4% in the county, with 9,474 (2.4%) Contra Costa households on cash PA in 2019. The estimated number of Contra Costa households with cash PA fell most notably in San Pablo (down 113), Richmond (down 160) and Concord (down 320), while Vine Hill (up 30) and Brentwood (up 46) saw the largest increases. Compared to the countywide average of 2.4%, the percentage of households with cash PA exceeds the county by far in Oakley (3.2%), El Sobrante (3.6%), Pittsburg (4.3%), Crockett (5.5%), Antioch (6.1%), Vine Hill (7.1%) and Rodeo (8.9%). Pittsburg (913), Richmond (1,035), Concord (1,234) and Antioch (2,073) have the highest number of cash PA households and together comprise 55.5% of all Contra Costa cash PA households. Mean annual cash PA is up \$20 in the state (\$4,578) and \$67 (\$4,719) in the county, with the highest benefits in Brentwood (\$6,003), Walnut Creek (\$6,025), Rodeo (\$6,622), Kensington (\$7,267) and Discovery Bay (\$7,583) and the lowest in Hercules (\$3,279), Vine Hill (\$2,235) and Lafayette (\$1,886).

About 24,553 (6.2%) of all Contra Costa households are estimated to receive SNAP benefits prior to the COVID-19 outbreak in 2019, compared to 8.9% statewide, and both state (down 1.7%) and county (down 2.0%) saw a decline in the number of SNAP households since 2018. The number of SNAP households fell most notably in Martinez (down 64), Concord (down 130) and Richmond (down 528) but rose notably in Bethel Island (up 36), Lafayette (up 55), Antioch (up 61), Rodeo (up 90) and Brentwood (up 102).

Table 37 – Children in Public Assistance Households by Family Type and Place, 2019

Area	Pop. 0-17 in HHs	0-17 in SSI, cash PA or SNAP HH	% 0-17 in SSI, cash PA or SNAP HH	Children in PA Households			
				In married-couple HH	In Single Male HH	In Single Female HH	In Non-families
California	9,000,859	2,213,941	24.6	1,057,366	231,564	910,593	14,418
Contra Costa Cnty	260,785	45,288	17.4	20,848	4,132	20,005	303
Alamo	3,410	180	5.3	180	0	0	0
Antioch	27,598	9,627	34.9	3,001	1,213	5,380	33
Bayview	346	48	13.9	0	0	48	0
Bethel Island	347	89	25.6	89	0	0	0
Blackhawk	2,014	20	1.0	20	0	0	0
Brentwood	16,395	2,613	15.9	1,760	247	606	0
Clayton	2,759	144	5.2	76	11	57	0
Concord	26,632	4,928	18.5	2,623	451	1,765	89
Contra Costa Ctr	640	26	4.1	4	0	22	0
Crockett	518	39	7.5	29	0	10	0
Danville	11,212	169	1.5	131	0	38	0
Discovery Bay	3,740	453	12.1	56	123	274	0
E Richmond Hts	429	10	2.3	10	0	0	0
El Cerrito	4,493	293	6.5	140	51	102	0
El Sobrante	2,603	533	20.5	188	94	244	7
Hercules	4,969	911	18.3	669	81	161	0
Kensington	1,057	13	1.2	13	0	0	0
Lafayette	6,701	227	3.4	159	26	42	0
Martinez	7,470	707	9.5	281	0	416	10
Moraga	3,769	4	0.1	4	0	0	0
Oakley	12,063	2,301	19.1	1,456	101	744	0
Orinda	4,532	150	3.3	114	36	0	0
Pacheco	762	124	16.3	60	0	64	0
Pinole	3,307	675	20.4	324	95	183	73
Pittsburg	17,681	5,706	32.3	2,166	595	2,871	74
Pleasant Hill	6,675	647	9.7	362	0	275	10
Richmond	23,924	6,200	25.9	2,541	520	3,132	7
Rodeo	2,321	1,084	46.7	240	11	833	0
San Pablo	7,622	2,122	27.8	1,044	129	949	0
San Ramon	21,377	762	3.6	693	0	69	0
Tara Hills	1,062	40	3.8	0	0	40	0
Vine Hill	1,083	308	28.4	205	0	103	0
Walnut Creek	11,795	982	8.3	426	196	360	0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

The 2019 ACS estimates that 24.6% of 0-17 year olds in California and 17.4% (45,288) in Contra Costa County households live in a home that receives SSI, cash PA or SNAP benefits, with both estimates improved since 2018. California saw a 4.8% drop in the number of children in PA households, while the county saw a 2.4% drop, which represents 1,119 fewer children in PA households countywide. Areas with much higher than average rates (17.4%) of children in PA households include Pinole (20.4%), El Sobrante (20.5%), Bethel Island (25.6%), Richmond (25.9%), San Pablo (27.8%), Vine Hill (28.4%), Pittsburg (32.3%), Antioch (34.9%) and Rodeo (46.7%).

More than half (58.4%) of all Contra Costa children age 0-17 in PA households live in Concord (4,928), Pittsburg (5,706), Richmond (6,200) and Antioch (9,627), noting, however, that Concord (down 611) and Richmond (down 951) saw sizable declines in the number of children in PA households between 2018 and 2019. In contrast to the county overall, Vine Hill (up 158), Pittsburg (up 178), Rodeo (up 213), Brentwood (up 256) and Antioch (up 489) saw large gains in the number of children in PA households. Countywide, 46.0% (20,848) of children in PA households live in married couple families, 44.2% (20,005) live in single female-headed families, and 9.1% (4,132) live in single male-headed families, with all three estimates down since 2018.

Students Eligible for Free and Reduced Price Meals

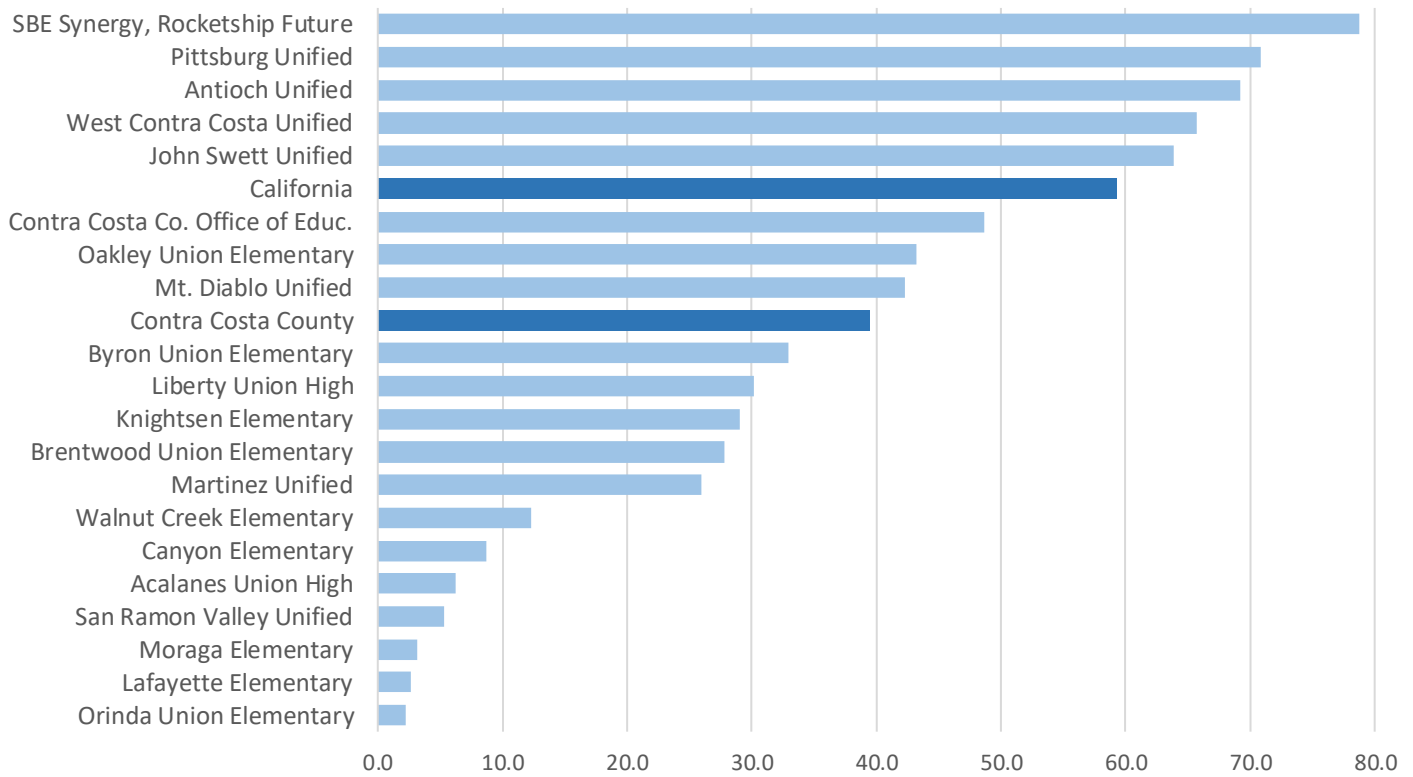
In the 2019-20 school year, 59.3% of all California students are eligible for free or reduced price meals (FRPM), virtually unchanged since 2018-19. By comparison, 70,401 (39.5%) of all 178,411 students attending Contra Costa County schools in 2019-20 are FRPM-eligible, down 3.2% or 2,315 students since 2018-19. Districts that saw the largest 1-year drop in FRPM-eligible students include Acalanes Union High (down 26 students or 7.0%), San Ramon Valley Unified (down 132 or 7.2%), Mt. Diablo Unified (down 1,327 or 9.2%) and Lafayette Elementary (down 14 students or 12.7%). In contrast, districts with the largest 1-year increase in FRPM-eligible students include John Swett Unified (up 57 students or 6.7%), Contra Costa County Office of Education (up 179 or 6.8%), Liberty Union High (up 166 or 7.1%) and SBE Synergy Rocketship Future (up 106 students or 33.8%).

Table 38 – Students Eligible for Free or Reduced Price Meals by District, 2004 – 2020

District	2004-05 Percent	2009-10 Percent	2013-14 Percent	2018-19 Count	2018-19 Percent	2019-20 Count	2019-20 Percent
Acalanes Union High	0.9	2.52	5.0	374	6.6	348	6.2
Antioch Unified	36.1	54.1	63.2	11,874	69.1	11,887	69.2
Brentwood Union Elementary	23.5	28.4	27.4	2,613	28.5	2,584	27.8
Byron Union Elementary	15.5	26.5	27.6	748	32.9	750	33.0
Canyon Elementary	9.4	10.1	11.1	6	8.8	6	8.7
Contra Costa Co. Office of Educ.	40.8	62.7	36.1	2,638	47.7	2,817	48.7
John Swett Unified	36.9	45.5	67.5	852	59.2	909	63.9
Knightsen Elementary	8.4	29.1	45.5	186	29.4	176	29.1
Lafayette Elementary	0.9	2.3	2.9	110	3.1	96	2.7
Liberty Union High	13.2	19.7	28.1	2,345	28.2	2,511	30.2
Martinez Unified	15.8	27.3	26.1	1,096	26.3	1,082	26.0
Moraga Elementary	1.0	1.0	1.4	59	3.2	60	3.2
Mt. Diablo Unified	28.5	39	46.2	14,471	46.7	13,144	42.3
Oakley Union Elementary	29	49.1	48.7	2,382	45.2	2,243	43.2
Orinda Union Elementary	0	1.1	32.4	57	2.2	56	2.2
Pittsburg Unified	64.6	78.4	84.3	8,072	71.2	8,060	70.9
San Ramon Valley Unified	1.7	2.7	4.2	1,822	5.7	1,690	5.3
SBE – Synergy, Rocketship Future	0	0	77.1	314	74.1	420	78.8
Walnut Creek Elementary	8.5	12.1	10.5	425	12.0	436	12.3
West Contra Costa Unified	57.5	65.8	70.9	22,272	70.1	21,126	65.7
Contra Costa County	30.0	37.1	40.8	72,716	40.9	70,401	39.5
California	49.7	55.9	59.4	3,675,129	59.4	3,654,943	59.3

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Figure 10 – Percentage of FRPM-Eligible Students by District, 2019-20



Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Many Contra Costa districts continue to exceed the county’s overall percentage of FRPM-eligible (39.5%) including SBE–Rocketship Future Academy (78.8%), Pittsburg Unified (70.9%), Antioch Unified (69.2%), West Contra Costa Unified (65.7%), John Swett Unified (63.9%), Contra Costa County Office of Education (48.7%), Oakley Union Elementary (43.2%) and Mt. Diablo Unified (42.3%). Districts with the highest number of FRPM-eligible continue to be West Contra Costa Unified (21,126), Mt. Diablo (13,144), Antioch (11,887) and Pittsburg (8,060). Schools with the highest number of FRPM-eligible students in 2020 also continue to be Mt. Diablo High (1,091), Deer Valley High (1,097), Richmond High (1,328), Antioch High (1,455) and Pittsburg Senior High (2,356).

Table 39 – Students Eligible for Free or Reduced Price Meals by School, 2019 – 2020

District	School	Enrollment	FRPM	% FRPM
Acalanes Union High	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	29	0	0.0
Byron Union Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	1	0	0.0
Lafayette Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	1	0	0.0
Moraga Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	3	0	0.0
Orinda Union Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	6	0	0.0
San Ramon Valley Unified	District Office	1	0	0.0
Walnut Creek Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	9	0	0.0
Lafayette Elementary	Burton Valley Elementary	740	5	0.7
Orinda Union Elementary	Glorietta Elementary	458	5	1.1
Moraga Elementary	Camino Pablo Elementary	349	6	1.7
San Ramon Valley Unified	Green Valley Elementary	501	9	1.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	John Baldwin Elementary	514	10	1.9
San Ramon Valley Unified	Sycamore Valley Elementary	639	13	2.0
Lafayette Elementary	Happy Valley Elementary	536	11	2.1
San Ramon Valley Unified	Alamo Elementary	336	7	2.1
Orinda Union Elementary	Del Rey Elementary	428	9	2.1
Orinda Union Elementary	Wagner Ranch Elementary	424	9	2.1
Lafayette Elementary	Springhill Elementary	458	10	2.2

District	School	Enrollment	FRPM	% FRPM
Orinda Union Elementary	Sleepy Hollow Elementary	354	8	2.3
San Ramon Valley Unified	Rancho Romero Elementary	476	11	2.3
San Ramon Valley Unified	Vista Grande Elementary	606	16	2.6
Moraga Elementary	Los Perales Elementary	410	11	2.7
Orinda Union Elementary	Orinda Intermediate	898	25	2.8
Moraga Elementary	Joaquin Moraga Intermediate	673	19	2.8
Walnut Creek Elementary	Tice Creek	432	13	3.0
Acalanes Union High	Campolindo High	1,376	44	3.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	Diablo Vista Middle	954	31	3.2
Acalanes Union High	Miramonte High	1,236	42	3.4
Lafayette Elementary	M. H. Stanley Middle	1,256	45	3.6
San Ramon Valley Unified	San Ramon Valley High	2,062	74	3.6
San Ramon Valley Unified	Monte Vista High	2,467	90	3.6
San Ramon Valley Unified	Charlotte Wood Middle	985	38	3.9
San Ramon Valley Unified	Los Cerros Middle	582	23	4.0
San Ramon Valley Unified	Montair Elementary	529	21	4.0
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Central County Special Education Programs	24	1	4.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	Stone Valley Middle	623	26	4.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	Greenbrook Elementary	642	28	4.4
Lafayette Elementary	Lafayette Elementary	546	25	4.6
San Ramon Valley Unified	Neil A. Armstrong Elementary	545	26	4.8
Acalanes Union High	Acalanes High	1,318	66	5.0
San Ramon Valley Unified	Windemere Ranch Middle	1,318	69	5.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	Bollinger Canyon Elementary	514	28	5.4
San Ramon Valley Unified	Creekside Elementary	603	33	5.5
San Ramon Valley Unified	Hidden Hills Elementary	654	36	5.5
San Ramon Valley Unified	Walt Disney Elementary	541	30	5.5
Moraga Elementary	Donald L. Rheem Elementary	420	24	5.7
San Ramon Valley Unified	Live Oak Elementary	759	44	5.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	Iron Horse Middle	1,098	64	5.8
Mt. Diablo Unified	Walnut Acres Elementary	633	37	5.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	Montevideo Elementary	650	38	5.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	Pine Valley Middle	1,000	59	5.9
San Ramon Valley Unified	California High	2,882	172	6.0
San Ramon Valley Unified	Dougherty Valley High	3,378	205	6.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Kensington Elementary	506	32	6.3
San Ramon Valley Unified	Golden View Elementary	674	43	6.4
San Ramon Valley Unified	Venture (Alternative)	142	10	7.0
San Ramon Valley Unified	Tassajara Hills Elementary	464	33	7.1
San Ramon Valley Unified	Coyote Creek Elementary	813	58	7.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Eagle Peak Montessori	313	23	7.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	Mt. Diablo Elementary	786	58	7.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Valle Verde Elementary	468	35	7.5
San Ramon Valley Unified	Gale Ranch Middle	1,230	96	7.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	Country Club Elementary	558	44	7.9
San Ramon Valley Unified	Twin Creeks Elementary	557	45	8.1
San Ramon Valley Unified	Quail Run Elementary	953	77	8.1
Canyon Elementary	Canyon Elementary	69	6	8.7
Walnut Creek Elementary	Parkmead Elementary	443	40	9.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Bancroft Elementary	661	66	10.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Foothill Middle	903	94	10.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Northgate High	1,487	155	10.4
Walnut Creek Elementary	Walnut Heights Elementary	413	44	10.7
San Ramon Valley Unified	Del Amigo High (Continuation)	96	11	11.5
Acalanes Union High	Las Lomas High	1,627	190	11.7
Mt. Diablo Unified	Strandwood Elementary	599	72	12.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Sequoia Elementary	576	70	12.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	Bella Vista Elementary	533	65	12.2
Acalanes Union High	Acalanes Center for Independent Study	49	6	12.2

District	School	Enrollment	FRPM	% FRPM
Walnut Creek Elementary	Indian Valley Elementary	368	46	12.5
Martinez Unified	Morello Park Elementary	542	70	12.9
Walnut Creek Elementary	Walnut Creek Intermediate	1,051	146	13.9
Walnut Creek Elementary	Buena Vista Elementary	460	69	15.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Diablo View Middle	622	97	15.6
Martinez Unified	John Swett Elementary	514	82	16.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Highlands Elementary	529	85	16.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Valhalla Elementary	574	101	17.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Madera Elementary	480	85	17.7
Liberty Union High	Heritage High	2,595	478	18.4
Oakley Union Elementary	Almond Grove Elementary	541	101	18.7
Brentwood Union Elementary	Ron Nunn Elementary	660	129	19.5
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Clayton Valley Charter High	2,234	439	19.7
Brentwood Union Elementary	R. Paul Krey Elementary	825	169	20.5
Walnut Creek Elementary	Murwood Elementary	379	78	20.6
Mt. Diablo Unified	College Park High	2,015	419	20.8
Liberty Union High	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	24	5	20.8
Knightsen Elementary	Old River Elementary	286	60	21.0
San Ramon Valley Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	32	7	21.9
Brentwood Union Elementary	Loma Vista Elementary	617	135	21.9
Brentwood Union Elementary	Adams (J. Douglas) Middle	1,149	255	22.2
Mt. Diablo Unified	Monte Gardens Elementary	508	114	22.4
Brentwood Union Elementary	Pioneer Elementary	892	208	23.3
Byron Union Elementary	Timber Point Elementary	484	116	24.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Pleasant Hill Elementary	637	153	24.0
Martinez Unified	Alhambra Senior High	1,217	300	24.7
Liberty Union High	Independence High	202	50	24.8
Martinez Unified	Briones (Alternative)	64	16	25.0
Brentwood Union Elementary	William B. Bristow Middle	1,182	297	25.1
Antioch Unified	Antioch Charter Academy	198	52	26.3
Martinez Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	19	5	26.3
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Contra Costa School of Performing Arts	451	123	27.3
Martinez Unified	Martinez Junior High	934	262	28.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Horizons School: Independent Study	192	54	28.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Hidden Valley Elementary	879	248	28.2
Brentwood Union Elementary	District Office	7	2	28.6
Mt. Diablo Unified	District Office	182	52	28.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Harding Elementary	454	131	28.9
Brentwood Union Elementary	Marsh Creek Elementary	765	230	30.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Ayers Elementary	432	130	30.1
Liberty Union High	Liberty High	2,795	844	30.2
Mt. Diablo Unified	Gregory Gardens Elementary	378	115	30.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Valley View Middle	795	243	30.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Hanna Ranch Elementary	419	131	31.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	105	33	31.4
Pittsburg Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	38	12	31.6
Byron Union Elementary	Excelsior Middle	528	169	32.0
Brentwood Union Elementary	Brentwood Elementary	805	259	32.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Ohlone Elementary	468	151	32.3
West Contra Costa Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	89	29	32.6
Martinez Unified	John Muir Elementary	421	141	33.5
West Contra Costa Unified	Olinda Elementary	371	126	34.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Sequoia Middle	936	318	34.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Pleasant Hill Middle	815	282	34.6
Brentwood Union Elementary	Edna Hill Middle	955	342	35.8
Mt. Diablo Unified	Pine Hollow Middle	569	204	35.9
Byron Union Elementary	Discovery Bay Elementary	416	150	36.1
Knightsen Elementary	Knightsen Elementary	319	116	36.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Silverwood Elementary	530	194	36.6

District	School	Enrollment	FRPM	% FRPM
Byron Union Elementary	Vista Oaks Charter	845	315	37.3
West Contra Costa Unified	Hercules Middle	601	227	37.8
Brentwood Union Elementary	Garin Elementary	731	277	37.9
West Contra Costa Unified	Hercules High	856	326	38.1
Antioch Unified	Antioch Charter Academy II	202	79	39.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Prospect High (Continuation)	51	20	39.2
Martinez Unified	Vicente Martinez High	61	24	39.3
Oakley Union Elementary	Laurel Elementary	447	176	39.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Woodside Elementary	321	127	39.6
West Contra Costa Unified	El Cerrito High	1,605	639	39.8
Brentwood Union Elementary	Mary Casey Black Elementary	695	278	40.0
Oakley Union Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	5	2	40.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Westwood Elementary	297	120	40.4
Oakley Union Elementary	Summer Lake Elementary	346	141	40.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Lupine Hills Elementary	416	170	40.9
Oakley Union Elementary	O'Hara Park Middle	789	324	41.1
Oakley Union Elementary	Iron House Elementary	504	207	41.1
Liberty Union High	Freedom High	2,545	1,052	41.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	Mountain View Elementary	323	134	41.5
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Far East County Programs	67	28	41.8
West Contra Costa Unified	West County Mandarin	211	89	42.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Fred T. Korematsu Middle	708	300	42.4
Brentwood Union Elementary	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	7	3	42.9
West Contra Costa Unified	Ellerhorst Elementary	376	167	44.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Delta View Elementary	669	303	45.3
Oakley Union Elementary	Gehringer Elementary	757	350	46.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Stewart Elementary	432	201	46.5
Martinez Unified	Las Juntas Elementary	384	182	47.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Fairmont Elementary	504	241	47.8
Oakley Union Elementary	Delta Vista Middle	903	436	48.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	Concord High	1,295	639	49.3
John Swett Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	4	2	50.0
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Heritage CCCOE Special Education Programs	45	23	51.1
Oakley Union Elementary	Vintage Parkway Elementary	512	262	51.2
John Swett Unified	John Swett High	446	229	51.3
West Contra Costa Unified	Valley View Elementary	364	187	51.4
Mt. Diablo Unified	Holbrook Language Academy	342	182	53.2
Mt. Diablo Unified	Summit High (Continuation)	95	51	53.7
West Contra Costa Unified	Middle College High	279	155	55.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Pinole Valley High	1,261	721	57.2
Liberty Union High	La Paloma High (Continuation)	143	82	57.3
Antioch Unified	Dozier-Libbey Medical High	717	413	57.6
Antioch Unified	Deer Valley High	1,886	1,097	58.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Manzanita Middle	119	70	58.8
West Contra Costa Unified	District Office	44	26	59.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Mira Vista Elementary	608	363	59.7
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Floyd I. Marchus	60	36	60.0
West Contra Costa Unified	Collins Elementary	304	185	60.9
West Contra Costa Unified	Pinole Middle	514	315	61.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	El Dorado Middle	873	536	61.4
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Invictus Academy of Richmond	159	98	61.6
West Contra Costa Unified	De Anza High	1,401	873	62.3
Oakley Union Elementary	Oakley Elementary	390	244	62.6
John Swett Unified	Willow High	41	26	63.4
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Summit Public School K2	602	382	63.5
Mt. Diablo Unified	El Monte Elementary	430	273	63.5
Pittsburg Unified	Foothill Elementary	564	361	64.0
Antioch Unified	Sutter Elementary	591	379	64.1
Antioch Unified	Dallas Ranch Middle	937	603	64.4

District	School	Enrollment	FRPM	% FRPM
Antioch Unified	Orchard Park	760	492	64.7
Antioch Unified	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian Schools	159	103	64.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Sheldon Elementary	315	205	65.1
Pittsburg Unified	Pittsburg Senior High	3,604	2,356	65.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Tara Hills Elementary	429	282	65.7
West Contra Costa Unified	Shannon Elementary	365	241	66.0
West Contra Costa Unified	Vista High (Alternative)	239	159	66.5
John Swett Unified	Carquinez Middle	305	203	66.6
Antioch Unified	Bidwell Continuation High	150	100	66.7
Mt. Diablo Unified	Sun Terrace Elementary	456	305	66.9
Antioch Unified	Muir (John) Elementary	591	396	67.0
Antioch Unified	Prospects High (Alternative)	328	221	67.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Summit Public School: Tamalpais	446	301	67.5
West Contra Costa Unified	Washington Elementary	453	306	67.5
Antioch Unified	Grant Elementary	439	297	67.7
Mt. Diablo Unified	Olympic Continuation High	253	173	68.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Crespi Junior High	371	254	68.5
Antioch Unified	Live Oak High (Continuation)	146	100	68.5
Mt. Diablo Unified	Sunrise (Special Education)	29	20	69.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Ygnacio Valley High	1,285	893	69.5
Antioch Unified	Diablo Vista Elementary	492	342	69.5
Antioch Unified	Black Diamond Middle	382	266	69.6
Antioch Unified	Lone Tree Elementary	574	402	70.0
Antioch Unified	Carmen Dragon Elementary	428	300	70.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Aspire Richmond Ca. College Preparatory	549	388	70.7
Mt. Diablo Unified	Mt. Diablo High	1,540	1,091	70.8
Pittsburg Unified	Hillview Junior High	952	676	71.0
Antioch Unified	Antioch High	2,042	1,455	71.3
Antioch Unified	Rocketship Delta Prep	474	339	71.5
Pittsburg Unified	Rancho Medanos Junior High	891	638	71.6
Mt. Diablo Unified	Fair Oaks Elementary	328	235	71.6
Antioch Unified	Jack London Elementary	522	374	71.6
John Swett Unified	Rodeo Hills Elementary	626	449	71.7
West Contra Costa Unified	Richmond College Preparatory	554	398	71.8
West Contra Costa Unified	John F. Kennedy High	953	688	72.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Ford Elementary	452	327	72.3
Pittsburg Unified	Los Medanos Elementary	698	507	72.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Murphy Elementary	449	327	72.8
Pittsburg Unified	Heights Elementary	595	434	72.9
West Contra Costa Unified	Bayview Elementary	496	365	73.6
Pittsburg Unified	Stoneman Elementary	633	468	73.9
Mt. Diablo Unified	Wren Avenue Elementary	362	269	74.3
Pittsburg Unified	Marina Vista Elementary	632	470	74.4
Pittsburg Unified	Willow Cove Elementary	654	490	74.9
Antioch Unified	Park Middle	1,123	843	75.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Voices College-Bound Language Academy at West	172	130	75.6
Pittsburg Unified	Martin Luther King Jr. Junior High	691	524	75.8
Mt. Diablo Unified	Crossroads High	25	19	76.0
Pittsburg Unified	Highlands Elementary	536	408	76.1
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Caliber: Beta Academy	859	660	76.8
Antioch Unified	Mission Elementary	572	440	76.9
Antioch Unified	Marsh Elementary	669	518	77.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Wilson Elementary	421	326	77.4
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Making Waves Academy	1,021	792	77.6
Antioch Unified	Belshaw Elementary	482	378	78.4
SBE - Rocketship Futuro Acad	Rocketship Futuro Academy	533	420	78.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Dover Elementary	655	519	79.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Greenwood Academy	288	229	79.5
Mt. Diablo Unified	Ygnacio Valley Elementary	437	348	79.6

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Pittsburg Unified	Black Diamond High (Continuation)	246	197	80.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Highland Elementary	472	378	80.1
Contra Costa Office of Educ	Golden Gate Community	142	114	80.3
West Contra Costa Unified	Riverside Elementary	367	295	80.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Aspire Richmond Technology Academy	375	304	81.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Leadership Public Schools: Richmond	599	486	81.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Stege Elementary	268	218	81.3
West Contra Costa Unified	Richmond Charter Elementary-Benito Juarez	488	397	81.4
Pittsburg Unified	Parkside Elementary	633	519	82.0
Antioch Unified	Turner Elementary	511	419	82.0
Antioch Unified	Antioch Middle	874	717	82.0
Antioch Unified	Kimball Elementary	474	391	82.5
Mt. Diablo Unified	Rio Vista Elementary	492	411	83.5
Antioch Unified	Fremont Elementary	444	371	83.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Lake Elementary	390	326	83.6
Mt. Diablo Unified	Riverview Middle	842	706	83.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Grant Elementary	550	464	84.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Helms Middle	851	718	84.4
Contra Costa Office of Educ	East County Elementary Special Education	26	22	84.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Richmond Charter Academy	267	226	84.6
West Contra Costa Unified	Montalvin Manor Elementary	539	464	86.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Oak Grove Middle	790	691	87.5
West Contra Costa Unified	John Henry High	328	287	87.5
West Contra Costa Unified	Peres Elementary	553	486	87.9
Mt. Diablo Unified	Meadow Homes Elementary	839	745	88.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Richmond High	1,494	1,328	88.9
Mt. Diablo Unified	Shore Acres Elementary	478	426	89.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Edward M. Downer Elementary	542	488	90.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Bel Air Elementary	477	431	90.4
West Contra Costa Unified	Martin Luther King, Jr. Elementary	473	439	92.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Coronado Elementary	401	373	93.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Cambridge Elementary	567	528	93.1
Mt. Diablo Unified	Diablo Community Day	16	15	93.8
West Contra Costa Unified	Verde Elementary	348	327	94.0
West Contra Costa Unified	Nystrom Elementary	490	461	94.1
West Contra Costa Unified	Lovonya DeJean Middle	446	420	94.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Lincoln Elementary	381	359	94.2
West Contra Costa Unified	Cesar E. Chavez Elementary	524	497	94.8
Contra Costa Office of Educ.	Mt. McKinley	99	99	100.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	Gateway High (Continuation)	1	1	100.0

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Housing and Homelessness

HOUSING AFFORDABILITY

The Housing Opportunity Index (HOI) is a measure used by the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB) and mortgage lenders to determine the affordability of homes in a given region. The HOI is the proportion of homes sold in an area that would have been affordable to a median income family in the same area, assuming families can afford to spend no more than 28% of their income on housing. Based on 2020 HOI data, all major housing markets of the Oakland-Fremont-Hayward region, which includes Contra Costa County, remain significantly less affordable than the national average (28.4 and 58.3, respectively). In 2020, the Vallejo-Fairfield (38.3) and Santa Rosa-Petaluma (37.3) markets are the most affordable of those near Contra Costa County, and all regions except the Sacramento-Roseville region saw significant improvement in affordability as measured by the HOI since 2019. The Santa Rosa-Petaluma region experienced the largest 1-year improvement, rising 11.7 points from 25.6 to 37.3 affordable since 2019. The Oakland-Contra Costa County region experienced the smallest improvement,

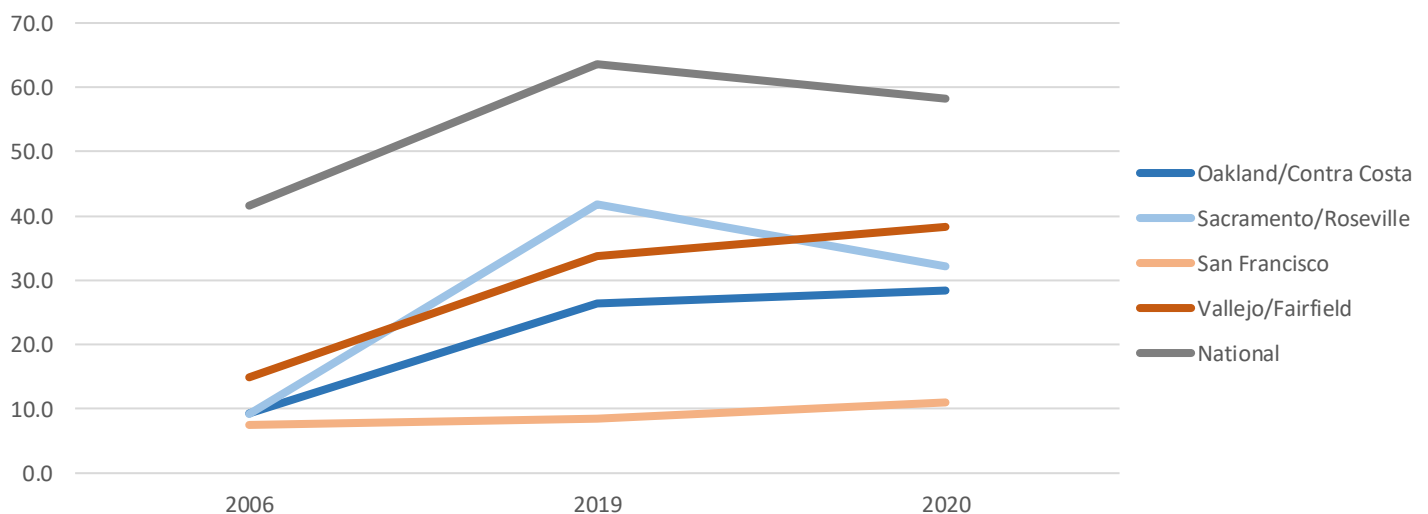
rising just 2.0 points from 26.4 to 28.4 affordable. Since 2019, the national housing market and the market of the Sacramento-Roseville region became significantly less affordable, with the HOI falling 5.3 points and 9.7 points, respectively.

Table 40 – Percentage of Homes Affordable to Median Income Households, 2006 – 2020

Region	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2019	2020
Napa	4.3	35.3	62.5	64.4	10.2	21.0	15.8	22.3	24.4
Oakland-Fremont-Hayward-Contra Costa	9.3	60.1	67.3	64.4	29.4	29.3	16.4	26.4	28.4
Sacramento--Arden-Arcade--Roseville	9.2	66.0	79.3	79.5	46.2	40.4	31.4	41.8	32.1
San Francisco-San Mateo-Redwood City	7.5	20.6	31.5	28.4	11.4	9.7	6.0	8.4	11.0
San Jose-Sunnyvale-Santa Clara	13.7	44.0	54.1	48.5	20.9	19.4	12.7	18.4	22.0
Santa Rosa-Petaluma	10.4	47.4	61.9	66.2	25.6	19.5	16.7	25.6	37.3
Vallejo-Fairfield	14.9	64.6	84.8	86.4	56.0	46.8	22.4	33.7	38.3
National Average	41.6	62.4	73.9	74.9	61.8	61.4	56.6	63.6	58.3

Source: National Association of Builders, Housing Opportunity Index, December 2020; <http://www.nahb.org/>

Figure 11 – Percentage of Homes Affordable to Median Income Households, 2006-20



The 2021 HUD fair market rents (FMR) in the greater San Francisco Bay Area region have all risen since 2020 with 4-7% increases in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties, 5-8% increases in Marin and San Francisco Counties and 1-6% increases in Solano County. As of February 2021, the FMR for a 2-bedroom unit in Contra Costa County had risen \$144 per month (up 6.4%) from the prior year to \$2,383 in 2021. In the first quarter of 2021, the median rent for a 2-bedroom unit ranged from \$1,617 per month in Solano County to \$3,553 in Marin, San Francisco and San Mateo Counties.

Table 41 – Median Monthly Rents, 2021

County	Studio	1 Bedroom	2 Bedrooms	3 Bedrooms	4 Bedrooms
Alameda / Contra Costa Counties	\$1,595	\$1,934	\$2,383	\$3,196	\$3,863
Marin / San Francisco / San Mateo	\$2,350	\$2,923	\$3,553	\$4,567	\$4,970
Napa County	\$1,331	\$1,531	\$2,018	\$2,826	\$2,836
Santa Clara County	\$2,228	\$2,558	\$3,051	\$3,984	\$4,593
Solano County	\$1,190	\$1,351	\$1,617	\$2,314	\$2,800

Source: HUD, User Data Sets, 40th percentile rents, FY 2021. <https://www.huduser.gov/portal/datasets/fmr.html>

ACS data indicates that in 2019, owner-occupied rates increased in both the state and the county by about 1.0%, with 2,716 more owner-occupied units in Contra Costa County since 2018. Brentwood (up 674), Concord (up 430), Discovery Bay (up 159), Hercules (up 334), Martinez (up 247), Pleasant Hill (up 313), San Ramon (up 453) and Walnut Creek (up 283) saw the largest gains in owner-occupied units, while Alamo (down 94), Kensington (down 81), Oakley (down 101), Pinole (down 136), Pittsburg (down

235) and Richmond (down 340) saw the largest loses. The number of renter-occupied units also rose a slight 0.2% in the state but fell a slight 0.2% in the county, with 224 fewer renter-occupied units in Contra Costa County. Brentwood (down 311), Concord (down 450), Martinez (down 192) and Pleasant Hill (down 175) saw the largest loses in renter-occupied units, while Pinole (up 215), Pittsburg (up 634), Richmond (up 219) and Rodeo (up 137) saw the largest gains. Median monthly housing costs for California home owners fell an estimated \$467 (down 20.5%) since 2018, while costs for home owners in the county fell \$430 (down 16.3% to \$2,211). In contrast, monthly housing costs for California renters rose 5.2% (up \$74) and rose 6.9% (up \$117 to \$1,819) in the county.

HUD defines affordable housing as housing which costs no more than 30% of household income. Based on this definition, in 2019 California had an estimated 32.0% of owner-occupied units with a mortgage and 54.0% of renter-occupied units which are unaffordable to their occupants. Of Contra Costa County residents in owner-occupied housing units with a mortgage, 30.3% (77,395) expended at least 30% of their household income on housing costs in 2019, up 12.0% or 8,286 owner-occupied units since 2018. Among Contra Costa renters, 51.5% (67,017) expend at least 30% of their household income on housing costs in 2019, down a slight 1.1% and 712 rental units since 2018.

Table 42 – Housing Units, Monthly Costs, and Unaffordable Units, 2019

Area	Occupied units	Owner-occupied	Renter-occupied	Median SMOC Owner-Occ.	Median costs Renter-Occ.	30% or more of income to housing		
						Owner-occupied	Renter-occupied	
California	Count	13,044,266	7,154,580	5,889,686	\$1,815	\$1,503	2,227,776	3,066,425
	%		54.8	45.2			32.0	54.0
Contra Costa	Count	394,769	260,244	134,525	\$2,211	\$1,819	77,395	67,017
	%		65.9	34.1			30.3	51.5
Alamo	Count	5,156	4,784	372	\$4,000+	\$2,796	1,274	221
	%		92.8	7.2			27.6	59.4
Antioch	Count	34,028	20,514	13,514	\$1,882	\$1,790	6,785	7,954
	%		60.3	39.7			33.9	60.3
Bayview	Count	587	543	44	\$1,715	--	170	0
	%		92.5	7.5			34.0	0.0
Bethel Island	Count	906	751	155	\$763	\$730	256	49
	%		82.9	17.1			38.0	31.6
Blackhawk	Count	3,458	3,185	273	\$3,968	\$3,500+	976	61
	%		92.1	7.9			31.3	22.3
Brentwood	Count	19,906	15,364	4,542	\$2,492	\$2,156	5,557	2,415
	%		77.2	22.8			36.3	56.1
Clayton	Count	4,232	3,933	299	\$2,940	\$2,627	1,068	139
	%		92.9	7.1			27.7	46.4
Concord	Count	46,455	27,805	18,650	\$2,034	\$1,716	8,103	10,067
	%		59.9	40.1			29.4	55.5
Contra Costa Ctr	Count	3,611	830	2,781	\$2,462	\$2,223	290	1,137
	%		23.0	77.0			34.9	41.7
Crockett	Count	1,448	788	660	\$1,227	\$1,337	199	227
	%		54.4	45.6			26.2	34.4
Danville	Count	16,053	13,453	2,600	\$3,397	\$2,489	4,067	1,038
	%		83.8	16.2			31.0	40.0
Discovery Bay	Count	5,482	4,571	911	\$2,552	\$2,541	1,326	365
	%		83.4	16.6			30.9	40.1
E Richmond Hts	Count	1,360	1,081	279	\$1,545	\$2,007	302	151
	%		79.5	20.5			27.9	54.1
El Cerrito	Count	10,034	5,969	4,065	\$2,271	\$1,956	1,693	1,864
	%		59.5	40.5			29.0	47.3
El Sobrante	Count	4,901	3,074	1,827	\$1,992	\$1,623	1,033	879
	%		62.7	37.3			33.6	49.0
Hercules	Count	8,402	6,859	1,543	\$2,363	\$2,201	2,226	641
	%		81.6	18.4			26.5	23.1

Area	Occupied units	Owner-occupied	Renter-occupied	Median SMOC Owner-Occ.	Median costs Renter-Occ.	30% or more of income to housing		
						Owner-occupied	Renter-occupied	
	%		81.6	18.4			32.6	41.5
Kensington	Count	2,254	1,898	356	\$2,531	\$2,763	442	153
	%		84.2	15.8			23.6	45.4
Lafayette	Count	9,426	6,730	2,696	\$3,374	\$2,222	1,534	884
	%		71.4	28.6			23.1	34.7
Martinez	Count	14,723	9,902	4,821	\$2,215	\$1,728	2,577	1,977
	%		67.3	32.7			26.1	43.0
Moraga	Count	5,867	4,832	1,035	\$2,916	\$2,128	1,405	428
	%		82.4	17.6			30.1	41.3
Oakley	Count	11,778	8,982	2,796	\$2,030	\$1,688	2,721	1,250
	%		76.3	23.7			30.4	46.6
Orinda	Count	7,167	6,456	711	\$3,715	\$2,813	1,523	287
	%		90.1	9.9			24.2	41.4
Pacheco	Count	1,692	1,199	493	\$1,109	\$1,709	324	141
	%		70.9	29.1			27.0	28.6
Pinole	Count	6,748	4,512	2,236	\$1,946	\$1,835	980	1,120
	%		66.9	33.1			22.6	50.9
Pittsburg	Count	21,357	11,606	9,751	\$1,795	\$1,734	3,652	5,714
	%		54.3	45.7			32.0	60.6
Pleasant Hill	Count	13,817	9,042	4,775	\$2,340	\$2,014	2,126	1,756
	%		65.4	34.6			24.6	40.3
Richmond	Count	37,088	18,482	18,606	\$1,747	\$1,509	6,300	9,932
	%		49.8	50.2			34.5	54.7
Rodeo	Count	3,384	1,951	1,433	\$1,744	\$1,406	329	861
	%		57.7	42.3			17.8	62.7
San Pablo	Count	9,221	3,509	5,712	\$1,363	\$1,416	1,139	3,245
	%		38.1	61.9			33.6	58.4
San Ramon	Count	25,535	18,484	7,051	\$3,480	\$2,391	4,981	3,219
	%		72.4	27.6			27.9	47.8
Tara Hills	Count	1,678	1,036	642	\$1,706	\$1,750	333	376
	%		61.7	38.3			33.2	58.5
Vine Hill	Count	1,314	1,008	306	\$2,047	\$1,811	396	54
	%		76.7	23.3			39.2	17.7
Walnut Creek	Count	31,390	20,255	11,135	\$1,878	\$2,095	6,017	4,562
	%		64.5	35.5			30.1	41.9

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Based on units with mortgage or rent for which SMOCAPI or GRAPI can be computed.

As compared to the overall county (30.3%), the percentage of owner-occupied housing units that by HUD definition are unaffordable is notably higher in Antioch (33.9%), Bayview (34.0%), Bethel Island (38.0%), Brentwood (36.3%), Contra Costa Centre (34.9%), Richmond (34.5%) and Vine Hill (39.2%). Compared to the countywide rate (51.5%), the percentage of unaffordable renter-occupied units is considerably higher Alamo (59.4%), Antioch (60.3%), Pittsburg (60.6%), Rodeo (62.7%), San Pablo (58.4%) and Tara Hills (58.5%).

COVID-19 IMPACTS ON HOUSING AFFORDABILITY

In anticipation of widespread impacts of the COVID-19 outbreak on local economies, such as from stay-at-home orders and temporary business closures, Governor Newsom issued several Executive Orders in March 2020 allowing local jurisdictions to restrict COVID-related non-payment evictions of residential and commercial tenants and prohibiting landlords from evicting tenants for nonpayment of rent, with protections effective through May 31, 2020. In April 2020, the Judicial Council of California followed suit by temporarily suspending judicial foreclosures and action on or entry of default in eviction cases statewide. On April 21, 2020, the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors adopted an urgency ordinance to temporarily prohibit evictions of residential and commercial tenants and establish a

moratorium on some rent increases, recognizing that the COVID-19 outbreak and resulting public health stay-at-home order and business closures threaten to severely reduce the incomes of a widespread portion of the population. These emergency actions took into consideration the county’s pre-COVID housing affordability crisis, with its notable lack of affordable housing, spike in homelessness and displacement of low income families. Major utilities, such as Pacific Gas and Electric Company, have further acknowledged the exceptional financial burden of COVID-19 on Bay Area households by offering flexible payment plans, suspending service disconnections for non-payment, waiving security deposit requirements, suspending medical baseline removals, accelerating climate credits on customer bills and providing additional support for low-income customers.

But even as the Bay Area gradually recovers from the pandemic, the vast impact COVID-19 has had on housing, work and migration patterns is only beginning to emerge. Analysts report dramatic migration from major cities to the suburbs, causing spikes in home prices and steeper competition. Early evidence also suggests that as businesses have shifted employees from dense office spaces to home offices, it allows workers to live further from workplaces and has contributed to significant home price increases in many suburban communities, including in Contra Costa County. In March 2021, Redfin and Realtor.com both confirm that Contra Costa home prices have risen 18% to 24% over March 2020, with a median sales price of over \$800,000.

HOMELESSNESS

The HUD-based Continuum of Care (CoC) Program promotes and supports community efforts to reduce and eliminate homelessness. California is served by 43 CoCs, including 1 in Contra Costa County. Contra Costa's Homeless Continuum of Care (CoC) Point-in-Time (PIT) Count,¹ conducted by service agencies, community partners, and volunteers each January, provides a one day snapshot of the conditions of individuals sleeping in emergency shelters or transitional housing and in cars, abandoned properties, or other places not meant for human habitation. According to this snapshot, in 2020 a total of 2,277 individuals in the county were identified as currently homeless, down 18 people or 0.8% since 2019.

Of 2,277 currently homeless, only 31.0% (707) live in shelters, up from 29% in 2019. About 5% (92) are families with children, and 30 families are unsheltered. About 5% are transition age youth (18-24 year olds) and 7% (154) are minors under age 18, but no unaccompanied minors were identified. About 80% (1,698) of all homeless in the county report they have a disabling condition (mental or physical health issue or chronic health condition), and 50% (1,062) report a substance use disorder. About 68% (1,444) report they have been incarcerated at least once.

Table 43 – Point-In-Time Count of Unsheltered Persons by County Sub-Area, 2011 – 2020

Area	2011		2015		2018		2019		2020	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
West County	581	39.0	196	24.3	323	21.0	510	31.3	543	34%
Central County	677	45.4	331	41.0	523	34.0	678	41.7	514	33%
East County	232	15.6	280	34.7	692	45.0	439	27.0	513	33%
County Total	1,490		807		1,537		1,627		1,570	

Source: <https://cchealth.org/h3/coc/pdf/PIT-report-2019.pdf>.

The most notable change in homelessness since 2019 may be the even distribution of unsheltered homeless across the three regions of Contra Costa. In contrast to 2019, Central County cities and census places now have 33% (514) of all unsheltered homeless, which is about equal to West County cities (34% or 543) and East County cities (33% or 513). The 2020 PIT count reveals the majority of Contra Costa County’s unsheltered homeless are found in Richmond (280), Antioch (238), Concord (160), Martinez (127) and Pittsburg (102). The largest one-year increases in the number of unsheltered homeless occurred in Pleasant Hill (up 31), Oakley (up 37) and Brentwood (up 66), while Concord (down 190), Richmond (down 53), Martinez (down 29) and Pittsburg (down 26) saw the largest decreases. Due

¹ Contra Costa County: Annual Point in Time Count Report (cchealth.org)

to COVID-19, the majority of Bay Area counties have decided to postpone 2021 P-I-T counts to minimize the chance that the census could put volunteers or homeless populations at increased risk of contracting the virus. Currently, Contra Costa plans to conduct its count in late February 2021.

Table 44 – Estimated Unsheltered Homeless in Contra Costa by Sub-Area, 2015 – 2020

City	2015		2019		2020	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Alamo	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
Antioch	122	12.1	226	13.9	238	15.2
Bay Point	25	2.5	57	3.5	49	3.1
Bayview	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
Bethel Island	5	0.5	1	0.1	2	0.1
Blackhawk	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	0.4
Brentwood	11	1.1	14	0.9	80	5.1
Clayton	10	1.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
Concord	114	11.3	350	21.5	160	10.2
Crockett	0	0.0	12	0.7	35	2.2
Danville	0	0.0	0	0.0	7	0.4
Discovery Bay	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
El Cerrito	30	3.0	8	0.5	24	1.5
El Sobrante	14	1.4	16	1.0	9	0.6
Hercules	12	1.2	1	0.1	7	0.4
Lafayette	1	0.1	3	0.2	3	0.2
Moraga	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	0.3
Martinez	72	7.2	156	9.6	127	8.1
North Richmond	9	0.9	38	2.3	22	1.4
Oakley	8	0.8	13	0.8	50	3.2
Orinda	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1
Pacheco	18	1.8	10	0.6	26	1.7
Pinole	11	1.1	3	0.2	7	0.4
Pittsburg	56	5.6	128	7.9	102	6.5
Pleasant Hill	63	6.3	59	3.6	90	5.7
Richmond	356	35.4	333	20.5	280	17.8
Rodeo	12	1.2	41	2.5	62	3.9
San Pablo	23	2.3	58	3.6	67	4.3
San Ramon	1	0.1	1	0.1	6	0.4
Walnut Creek	33	3.3	99	6.1	80	5.1
Unspecified	0	0.0	0	0.0	18	1.1
Total	1,006	100.0	1,627	100.0	1,570	100.0

Source: <https://cchealth.org/h3/coc/pdf/PIT-report-2020.pdf>

As part of its mission, the Contra Costa County Health Services Department (CCHS) also operates the Homeless Program, a comprehensive system of care that provides services to the county's homeless, including information and referrals, case management and support, outreach, SSI benefit eligibility determination, emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent supportive housing for adults, youth, and families. The Homeless Program is the county's primary provider of emergency shelter for single adults, it is the only provider of shelter and transitional housing for transition-age youth, it administrates the Rental Assistance Program (Shelter-Plus-Care), and it serves as the advisory body to the Contra Costa Interjurisdictional Council on Homelessness (CCICH).

Table 45 – Homeless Students in Contra Costa County Schools by Grade, 2011 – 2018

Grade Level	2011	2012	2014	2016	2018
Pre-Kindergarten - Grade 5	878	957	1,526	1,117	1,027
Grades 6 – Grade 8	506	478	622	589	667
Grades 9 – Grade 12	613	602	1,043	910	956
Total	1,997	2,037	3,191	2,616	2,650

Source: <https://www.kidsdata.org/topic/794/homeless-students-grade/>

Per the McKinney-Vento Homeless Act Demographics Database, 2,650 students attending Contra Costa schools do not have stable housing as of December 2018, up 34 students or 1.2% over 2,616 in 2016. Based on the 2018 distribution, 1,027 or 38.8% are younger than the sixth grade, down a notable 90 students or 8.1% since 2016.

HEALTH INDICATORS

One of only a few counties in the U.S. to sponsor its own health care system, Contra Costa offers a broad range of health-related services to residents under one organizational structure known as the Contra Costa Health Services (CCHS). As the largest department of the Contra Costa County government, CCHS is an integrated health care system that serves and supports individual, family and community health. The CCHS program network provides a wide array of primary, specialty and inpatient medical care, mental health services, substance abuse treatment, public health programs, environmental health protection, hazardous materials response and inspection, and emergency medical services. CCHS also operates the nation's first federally qualified, state-licensed and county-sponsored HMO, the Contra Costa Health Plan (CCHP). The CCHP, the first county-sponsored health plan in California to offer Medi-Cal Managed Care coverage and serve Medicare beneficiaries, has been expanded several times in response to the needs of the community. After implementation of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) in 2014, it began facilitating the ACA Medi-Cal coverage expansion to include individuals with incomes below 138% of the FPL. For lower-income and uninsured residents, the CCHS system offers a safety net of comprehensive health care and medical services not otherwise available. Through ACA legislation, the CCHS ensures all Medi-Cal recipients in Contra Costa have access to essential health benefits, including doctor visits, hospital care, 3 pregnancy-related services, SNF, home health and hospice care, mental health care, autism care and some substance use disorder care.

Healthcare Insurance

The 2019 American Community Survey estimates that 7.5% of California residents and 5.1% (57,973) of Contra Costa residents are uninsured, with both rates improved since 2018 (8.5% and 5.7%, respectively). The number of uninsured in the county fell another 9.7% or 6,216 since 2018. Coverage among the county's children also continues to improve and compare favorably to the state. About 3.3% of 0-18 year olds in the state and 2.6% (7,138) in the county are uninsured in 2019, with the number of uninsured 0-18 year olds in the county down another 3.7% or 275 since 2018. The state also saw a notable improvement in the rate of uninsured 0-5 year olds, now 2.4% compared to 2.7% in 2018. In contrast, the rate (1.9%) and number (1,456) of uninsured 0-5 year olds increased 2.6% or 37 children since 2018.

Areas of the county with the highest rates of uninsured 0-5 year olds include Martinez (2.1%), Pittsburg (2.2%), San Ramon (2.3%), Lafayette (2.8%), Pinole (3.6%), Rodeo (3.7%), Clayton (4.1%), Richmond (4.2%) and Vine Hill (5.4%). The largest numbers of uninsured 0-5 year olds continue to be in the population centers of San Ramon (118), Pittsburg (137), Antioch (147), Concord (172) and Richmond (343). Since 2018, Concord (up 34), Martinez (up 34), Richmond (up 36) and San Ramon (up 75) saw notable increases in the number of uninsured 0-5 year olds, while Oakley (down 30), Rodeo (down 77) and Antioch (down 80) saw significant declines.

In California, 91.1% of children age 0-18 have one type of health insurance coverage in 2019, compared to 91.8% (252,714) in Contra Costa County, with both figures virtually unchanged since 2018. Among 0-18 year olds in the county with one type of insurance, 63.6% (160,766) have employer-based coverage only, which represents a slight 0.2 percentage point decline or 276 fewer children. Another 7.4% (18,636) have direct-purchased coverage only, down 5.2% or 1,031 children since 2018.

Table 46 – Health Insurance Coverage Rates for Children by Area, 2019

Area	Civilian noninst. population			Population Age 0-5			Population Age 0-18		
	Total	Uninsured	% Uninsured	Total	Uninsured	% Uninsured	Total	Uninsured	% Uninsured
California	38,787,337	2,915,070	7.5	2,928,438	70,548	2.4	9,538,507	313,815	3.3
Contra Costa Cty	1,137,149	57,973	5.1	78,546	1,456	1.9	275,331	7,138	2.6
Alamo	14,886	267	1.8	515	0	0.0	3,653	75	2.1
Antioch	110,870	6,994	6.3	8,225	147	1.8	29,385	846	2.9
Bayview	1,862	119	6.4	92	0	0.0	437	32	7.3
Bethel Island	2,161	281	13.0	59	0	0.0	347	0	0.0
Blackhawk	9,604	87	0.9	434	0	0.0	2,147	17	0.8
Brentwood	61,865	1,431	2.3	3,731	50	1.3	17,356	213	1.2
Clayton	12,083	89	0.7	679	28	4.1	2,851	65	2.3
Concord	128,468	8,267	6.4	10,026	172	1.7	28,090	867	3.1
Contra Costa Ctr	6,558	244	3.7	410	0	0.0	640	0	0.0
Crockett	3,265	65	2.0	182	0	0.0	531	0	0.0
Danville	44,526	932	2.1	2,961	0	0.0	11,922	32	0.3
Discovery Bay	16,159	350	2.2	1,095	9	0.8	4,031	94	2.3
E Richmond Hts	3,157	139	4.4	125	0	0.0	435	0	0.0
El Cerrito	25,355	1,129	4.5	1,813	11	0.6	4,593	89	1.9
El Sobrante	13,818	548	4.0	799	0	0.0	2,776	55	2.0
Hercules	25,542	1,031	4.0	1,376	18	1.3	5,154	101	2.0
Kensington	5,329	86	1.6	244	0	0.0	1,065	12	1.1
Lafayette	26,207	346	1.3	1,399	39	2.8	6,818	89	1.3
Martinez	37,790	1,058	2.8	2,671	55	2.1	7,777	125	1.6
Moraga	17,459	265	1.5	610	0	0.0	4,458	61	1.4
Oakley	41,247	974	2.4	3,635	50	1.4	12,859	246	1.9
Orinda	19,600	237	1.2	992	0	0.0	4,772	64	1.3
Pacheco	4,361	212	4.9	305	0	0.0	824	43	5.2
Pinole	19,259	1,039	5.4	1,011	36	3.6	3,398	62	1.8
Pittsburg	71,208	5,117	7.2	6,121	137	2.2	18,611	777	4.2
Pleasant Hill	34,556	1,122	3.2	2,593	42	1.6	7,084	84	1.2
Richmond	108,968	10,955	10.1	8,185	343	4.2	25,534	1,213	4.8
Rodeo	10,409	531	5.1	706	26	3.7	2,522	77	3.1
San Pablo	30,592	4,016	13.1	2,120	7	0.3	8,115	377	4.6
San Ramon	75,589	1,751	2.3	5,085	118	2.3	22,259	336	1.5
Tara Hills	5,117	421	8.2	286	0	0.0	1,234	64	5.2
Vine Hill	3,886	222	5.7	373	20	5.4	1,120	58	5.2
Walnut Creek	68,720	1,856	2.7	3,824	0	0.0	12,223	164	1.3

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Statewide, 42.5% of children age 0-18 have Medicaid (means-tested) coverage only, compared to 28.3% (71,471) in the county, which represents a 2.4% or 1,692 increase of Contra Costa children on Medicaid. The highest rates of Medicaid only coverage occur in Pacheco (29.9%), Tara Hills (30.9%), Vine Hill (32.0%), Concord (35.1%), El Sobrante (35.9%), Bayview (40.6%), Antioch (49.0%), Pittsburg (49.0%), Bethel Island (53.3%), Rodeo (55.1%), Richmond (58.0%) and San Pablo (59.9%). Areas with the highest numbers of children age 0-18 with Medicaid only include Walnut Creek (1,011), Martinez (1,023), Hercules (1,140), Rodeo (1,261), Oakley (2,445), Brentwood (3,522), San Pablo (4,377), Pittsburg (8,152), Concord (8,985), Antioch (12,883) and Richmond (13,227). Communities that saw notable 1-year increases in the number of children with Medicaid only coverage include Rodeo (up 110), Richmond (up 199), Concord (up 407), Brentwood (up 415), Antioch (up 647) and Pittsburg (up 762). About 5.6% (15,479) of county children have more than one type of health insurance coverage in 2019.

Table 47 – Children with Health Insurance Coverage by Coverage Type, 2019

Area	Pop. < 19	One Coverage Type							Two or more types
		Total	Employer-based	Direct-purchase	Medicare only	Medicaid/means-test	TRICARE/military	VA Care only	
California	9,538,507	8,688,111	4,275,713	567,626	41,952	3,694,778	105,800	2,242	536,581
	%	91.1	49.2	6.5	0.5	42.5	1.2	0.0	5.6
Contra Costa Cnty	275,331	252,714	160,766	18,636	952	71,471	856	33	15,479
	%	91.8	63.6	7.4	0.4	28.3	0.3	0.0	5.6
Alamo	3,653	3,369	2,778	498	0	93	0	0	209
	%	92.2	82.5	14.8	0.0	2.8	0.0	0.0	5.7
Antioch	29,385	26,297	11,871	1,326	38	12,883	146	33	2,242
	%	89.5	45.1	5.0	0.1	49.0	0.6	0.1	7.6
Bayview	437	355	172	39	0	144	0	0	50
	%	81.2	48.5	11.0	0.0	40.6	0.0	0.0	11.4
Bethel Island	347	347	152	0	0	185	10	0	0
	%	100.0	43.8	0.0	0.0	53.3	2.9	0.0	0.0
Blackhawk	2,147	2,060	1,572	429	0	59	0	0	70
	%	95.9	76.3	20.8	0.0	2.9	0.0	0.0	3.3
Brentwood	17,356	15,773	11,401	626	16	3,522	208	0	1,370
	%	90.9	72.3	4.0	0.1	22.3	1.3	0.0	7.9
Clayton	2,851	2,744	2,339	278	0	127	0	0	42
	%	96.2	85.2	10.1	0.0	4.6	0.0	0.0	1.5
Concord	28,090	25,633	14,586	1,648	387	8,985	27	0	1,590
	%	91.3	56.9	6.4	1.5	35.1	0.1	0.0	5.7
Contra Costa Ctr	640	584	400	68	0	116	0	0	56
	%	91.3	68.5	11.6	0.0	19.9	0.0	0.0	8.8
Crockett	531	511	389	54	0	68	0	0	20
	%	96.2	76.1	10.6	0.0	13.3	0.0	0.0	3.8
Danville	11,922	11,505	10,076	1,222	0	207	0	0	385
	%	96.5	87.6	10.6	0.0	1.8	0.0	0.0	3.2
Discovery Bay	4,031	3,504	2,657	278	0	524	45	0	433
	%	86.9	75.8	7.9	0.0	15.0	1.3	0.0	10.7
E Richmond Heights	435	435	330	8	0	97	0	0	0
	%	100.0	75.9	1.8	0.0	22.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
El Cerrito	4,593	4,228	3,149	279	55	745	0	0	276
	%	92.1	74.5	6.6	1.3	17.6	0.0	0.0	6.0
El Sobrante	2,776	2,444	1,395	144	27	878	0	0	277
	%	88.0	57.1	5.9	1.1	35.9	0.0	0.0	10.0
Hercules	5,154	4,837	3,426	230	0	1,140	41	0	216
	%	93.8	70.8	4.8	0.0	23.6	0.8	0.0	4.2
Kensington	1,065	1,040	799	207	0	34	0	0	13
	%	97.7	76.8	19.9	0.0	3.3	0.0	0.0	1.2
Lafayette	6,818	6,437	5,329	874	0	234	0	0	292
	%	94.4	82.8	13.6	0.0	3.6	0.0	0.0	4.3
Martinez	7,777	7,225	5,598	579	0	1,023	25	0	427
	%	92.9	77.5	8.0	0.0	14.2	0.3	0.0	5.5
Moraga	4,458	4,228	3,714	460	0	38	16	0	169
	%	94.8	87.8	10.9	0.0	0.9	0.4	0.0	3.8
Oakley	12,859	11,352	8,184	723	0	2,445	0	0	1,261
	%	88.3	72.1	6.4	0.0	21.5	0.0	0.0	9.8
Orinda	4,772	4,599	3,898	665	0	36	0	0	109
	%	96.4	84.8	14.5	0.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	2.3
Pacheco	824	748	463	61	0	224	0	0	33
	%	90.8	61.9	8.2	0.0	29.9	0.0	0.0	4.0
Pinole	3,398	3,145	2,028	218	0	879	20	0	191
	%	92.6	64.5	6.9	0.0	27.9	0.6	0.0	5.6
Pittsburg	18,611	16,638	7,519	792	15	8,152	160	0	1,196
	%	89.4	45.2	4.8	0.1	49.0	1.0	0.0	6.4
	7,084	6,529	5,143	760	105	521	0	0	471

Area	Pop. < 19	One Coverage Type							Two or more types
		Total	Employer-based	Direct-purchase	Medicare only	Medicaid/means-test	TRICARE/military	VA Care only	
Pleasant Richmond	%	92.2	78.8	11.6	1.6	8.0	0.0	0.0	6.6
	25,534	22,811	8,727	757	11	13,227	89	0	1,510
	%	89.3	38.3	3.3	0.0	58.0	0.4	0.0	5.9
Rodeo	2,522	2,288	992	35	0	1,261	0	0	157
	%	90.7	43.4	1.5	0.0	55.1	0.0	0.0	6.2
San Pablo	8,115	7,311	2,647	278	9	4,377	0	0	427
	%	90.1	36.2	3.8	0.1	59.9	0.0	0.0	5.3
San Ramon	22,259	20,934	17,987	2,070	0	827	50	0	989
	%	94.0	85.9	9.9	0.0	4.0	0.2	0.0	4.4
Tara Hills	1,234	1,109	646	109	0	343	11	0	61
	%	89.9	58.3	9.8	0.0	30.9	1.0	0.0	4.9
Vine Hill	1,120	1,003	572	31	79	321	0	0	59
	%	89.6	57.0	3.1	7.9	32.0	0.0	0.0	5.3
Walnut Creek	12,223	11,820	9,178	1,449	182	1,011	0	0	239
	%	96.7	77.6	12.3	1.5	8.6	0.0	0.0	2.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Critically, health insurance coverage and access to coverage vary by nativity. In the state overall, 14.3% of foreign-born residents have no health insurance, compared to 5.0% of native-born residents, but the rate of uninsured among foreign-born (down 1.7 percentage points) and native born residents (down 0.7 points) both improved since 2018. In Contra Costa County, 10.4% of foreign-born residents and 3.3% of native-born residents are uninsured in 2019, with rates among foreign-born residents down 1.2 points and rates among native-born down 0.4 points from the prior year. In both the state and the county, naturalized foreign-born residents continue to be much more likely than non-citizens to access health insurance, with rates of uninsured among non-citizens 4.6 times higher in the state and 5.1 times higher in the county as compared to naturalized citizens. Since 2018, statewide rates of uninsured among naturalized citizens (5.2%) improved 0.8 points, while rates of uninsured among non-citizens (24.0%) improved 2.5 percentage points. Countywide, rates of uninsured among naturalized citizens (3.6%) improved 0.6 points, while rates of uninsured among non-citizens (18.5%) improved 1.8 percentage points. Rates of uninsured among non-citizens exceed the countywide average (18.5%) by far in Bayview (65.3%), Concord (24.2%), East Richmond Heights (45.6%), Richmond (26.5%), San Pablo (30.3%) and Tara Hills (38.7%), noting that small sample sizes may result in large percentages.

Health insurance coverage and access to coverage also varies by race and ethnicity. In California as a whole, white, non-Hispanic residents (96.0%) are much more likely than Hispanic residents (87.7%), American Indian/Native Alaskan residents (88.3%), Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander residents (92.7%) or residents of another unspecified race (85.7%) to have health insurance. In Contra Costa County, white, non-Hispanic residents (97.4%) are much more likely than Hispanic residents (89.3%), American Indian/Native Alaskan residents (91.4%) and residents of another unspecified race (85.7%) to have health insurance. Coverage rates among Hispanics in the county are much lower than average (89.3%) in Concord (85.6%), Richmond (84.2%), San Pablo (82.2%) and Tara Hills (86.7%). Coverage rates among Black or African American residents in the county are much lower than average (95.5%) in El Sobrante (90.1%), Kensington (90.3%), Lafayette (90.3%), Orinda (91.3%), Pacheco (81.2%) and Tara Hills (87.9%). Coverage rates among the county's Asian residents are much lower than average (96.1%) in Bayview (72.6%), Danville (92.6%), Discovery Bay (89.0%), El Cerrito (92.6%), Pittsburg (92.6%) and San Pablo (91.7%).

Table 48 – Health Insurance Coverage Rates by Nativity and Area, 2019

Area	Native Born		All Foreign born		Foreign - Naturalized		Foreign - Non-Citizen	
	Total	% Uninsured	Total	% Uninsured	Total	% Uninsured	Total	% Uninsured
California	28,312,118	5.0	10,475,219	14.3	5,415,359	5.2	5,059,860	24.0
Countywide	847,804	3.3	289,345	10.4	158,150	3.6	131,195	18.5
Alamo	12,583	1.4	2,303	3.8	1,584	0.3	719	11.7
Antioch	86,022	5.2	24,848	10.1	13,634	3.8	11,214	17.8
Bayview	1,469	2.2	393	22.1	344	16.0	49	65.3
Bethel Island	1,938	14.5	223	0.0	95	0.0	128	0.0
Blackhawk	7,250	0.6	2,354	1.9	1,883	0.0	471	9.3
Brentwood	52,833	2.0	9,032	4.3	6,005	1.9	3,027	8.9
Clayton	10,761	0.8	1,322	0.0	979	0.0	343	0.0
Concord	93,044	3.1	35,424	15.1	16,006	4.1	19,418	24.2
Contra Costa Ctr	4,607	4.3	1,951	2.4	724	3.0	1,227	2.0
Crockett	2,969	2.2	296	0.0	149	0.0	147	0.0
Danville	37,407	1.3	7,119	6.3	4,749	3.1	2,370	12.6
Discovery Bay	14,712	2.1	1,447	2.8	967	1.8	480	5.0
E Richmond Hts	2,712	2.4	445	16.9	309	4.2	136	45.6
El Cerrito	17,398	3.1	7,957	7.4	4,843	4.5	3,114	11.9
El Sobrante	10,261	4.3	3,557	3.0	1,952	1.5	1,605	4.7
Hercules	16,968	2.6	8,574	6.9	6,664	3.2	1,910	19.9
Kensington	4,443	1.8	886	0.9	663	0.0	223	3.6
Lafayette	22,216	1.0	3,991	3.1	2,376	0.3	1,615	7.2
Martinez	33,147	2.4	4,643	5.6	3,157	4.5	1,486	7.9
Moraga	14,873	1.6	2,586	1.3	1,810	0.4	776	3.4
Oakley	34,513	1.9	6,734	4.8	3,942	3.9	2,792	6.1
Orinda	16,257	1.4	3,343	0.2	2,527	0.3	816	0.0
Pacheco	3,196	4.5	1,165	5.8	728	1.9	437	12.4
Pinole	14,125	4.3	5,134	8.3	3,559	2.3	1,575	21.9
Pittsburg	48,323	5.1	22,885	11.7	12,064	6.1	10,821	17.8
Pleasant Hill	27,903	2.6	6,653	6.1	3,754	2.1	2,899	11.2
Richmond	70,490	6.1	38,478	17.4	16,483	5.3	21,995	26.5
Rodeo	7,553	5.0	2,856	5.4	1,759	2.2	1,097	10.6
San Pablo	16,296	5.5	14,296	21.9	5,203	7.1	9,093	30.3
San Ramon	47,628	1.7	27,961	3.3	16,580	1.1	11,381	6.5
Tara Hills	3,608	3.2	1,509	20.1	899	7.6	610	38.7
Vine Hill	3,165	4.1	721	12.8	312	0.0	409	22.5
Walnut Creek	52,662	1.8	16,058	5.6	10,509	2.6	5,549	11.3

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Since 2018, coverage rates among Hispanic residents rose 1.5 percentage points in California and 0.8 points in Contra Costa County. Coverage among Black or African American residents rose a slight 0.8 percentage points in California and 0.3 points in Contra Costa County since 2018. Coverage rates among Asian residents rose 0.8 percentage points in California and a slight 0.4 points in the county. Coverage rates among white, non-Hispanic residents also rose a slight 0.6 percentage points in California and 0.5 points in the county.

In June 2020, a collaborative of First 5 Contra Costa, Contra Costa Health Services Department, Trauma Transformed and the county’s Employment and Human Services Department received a \$299,261 grant from the Office of the California Surgeon General and the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to participate in California’s ACEs Aware initiative. Part of Governor Newsom’s California for All initiative, ACEs Aware has a goal to reduce Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) and toxic stress by half in one generation by developing trauma-informed systems of care through core training, screening tools, clinical protocols and funds for screening children and adults. Especially critical in the midst of COVID-induced stress, funds will be used by First 5 Contra Costa and their partners to expand provider training, provider engagement activities and education and communications strategies to promote the ACEs Aware initiative.

Table 49 – Health Insurance Coverage Rates by Race and Ethnicity, 2020

Area	White, non-Hisp.	Black/African Amer.	Amer. Indian/Alaskan	Asian	HI / Pac. Islander	Other	Two or more	Hispanic /Latino
California	96.0	94.2	88.3	95.2	92.7	85.7	95.1	87.7
Contra Costa	97.4	95.5	91.4	96.1	97.8	85.7	96.0	89.3
Alamo	99.1	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.2	96.2	87.1
Antioch	95.9	95.6	93.7	95.6	100.0	87.3	92.2	90.4
Bayview	100.0	100.0	--	72.6	--	100.0	100.0	94.6
Bethel Island	85.1	100.0	--	100.0	--	82.8	100.0	89.3
Blackhawk	99.1	100.0	--	99.4	100.0	100.0	96.7	100.0
Brentwood	98.1	99.0	84.3	96.6	100.0	93.9	98.7	95.5
Clayton	99.0	99.3	100.0	100.0	--	100.0	100.0	100.0
Concord	97.2	94.9	94.0	96.5	98.6	77.9	96.9	85.6
Contra Costa Ctr	94.2	100.0	--	100.0	--	100.0	92.0	100.0
Crockett	97.6	94.1	100.0	100.0	--	100.0	100.0	100.0
Danville	98.7	100.0	100.0	92.6	100.0	99.7	98.9	98.6
Discovery Bay	98.0	100.0	100.0	89.0	100.0	100.0	98.1	100.0
E Richmond Hts	97.3	96.2	--	96.5	--	70.6	100.0	87.5
El Cerrito	97.6	94.6	91.9	92.6	100.0	93.0	97.9	94.2
El Sobrante	97.3	90.1	100.0	98.1	100.0	96.8	96.1	95.5
Hercules	94.8	98.6	100.0	96.7	100.0	91.7	98.2	91.7
Kensington	99.0	90.3	100.0	97.6	100.0	100.0	95.0	100.0
Lafayette	99.1	90.3	92.6	94.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Martinez	97.5	97.5	100.0	96.4	--	92.9	98.2	96.2
Moraga	98.4	100.0	100.0	99.2	100.0	100.0	99.2	97.4
Oakley	98.2	96.6	100.0	98.5	100.0	96.0	98.9	97.0
Orinda	99.1	91.3	--	98.4	100.0	100.0	98.3	98.8
Pacheco	92.8	81.2	100.0	100.0	--	89.7	100.0	97.2
Pinole	94.5	95.3	87.7	95.6	3.6	95.9	91.4	94.5
Pittsburg	97.1	94.8	89.3	92.6	94.1	87.3	97.2	89.6
Pleasant Hill	97.3	92.1	100.0	96.2	87.5	91.0	99.0	95.9
Richmond	94.0	94.5	75.8	95.2	97.8	83.7	88.5	84.2
Rodeo	93.7	99.3	--	98.2	100.0	91.9	97.1	91.1
San Pablo	95.8	96.9	100.0	91.7	100.0	83.1	96.1	82.2
San Ramon	97.8	97.8	92.9	97.8	100.0	94.4	98.3	96.6
Tara Hills	95.8	87.9	100.0	98.8	--	75.3	100.0	86.7
Vine Hill	93.8	100.0	--	100.0	100.0	85.2	100.0	92.6
Walnut Creek	97.7	95.0	100.0	96.8	96.4	88.6	99.6	94.3

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Physical Fitness

Students who meet all six of the fitness standards of the California Physical Fitness Test are considered to be physically fit. Since 2004, the percentage of 5th, 7th and 9th graders in Contra Costa County who are physically fit has generally exceeded that of the state. However, in the 2018-19 school year the proportion of Contra Costa County students who meet all six fitness standards fell across all three grades tested. Among 5th graders, the proportion who meet all six standards fell 2.3 percentage points to 24.5%. Among 7th graders, the proportion fell 1.7 points to 27.2%. Among 9th graders, the proportion fell 0.9 points to 33.5%. Although in 2018-19, the proportion of 9th graders in the county who meet all six fitness standards has grown from 30.6% in 2004 to 33.5% in 2019, this represents a 7.4 percentage point decline from 40.9% in 2013. Across all grades, 5th graders continue to be least likely to meet all six fitness standards.

Fitness also varies considerably by race, ethnicity and economic status. In 2019 across all grade levels, students who identify as African American, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, Filipino, Asian or multi-racial are less likely to be physically fit, while White and Hispanic students are more likely to be physically fit. Since 2018, the percentage of 5th graders who are physically fit fell most notably among those who

identify as Asian (down 1.1 points) or White (down 1.9 points), while the percentage of multi-racial 5th graders who are physically fit gained 2.8 percentage points. The percentage of White 7th graders who are physically fit fell 1.2 points since 2018, and the percentage of White 9th graders who are fit fell 1.9 points since 2018. In contrast, 9th graders who identify as multi-racial improved their rate by 1.4 points.

Table 50 – Percentage of Students who are Physically Fit, 2004 – 2019

	GRADE	2004	2007	2010	2013	2018	2019
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY	Grade 5	28.4	30.6	27.1	28.1	26.8	24.5
	Grade 7	32.3	34.3	31.4	33.4	28.9	27.2
	Grade 9	30.6	39.8	38.3	40.9	34.4	33.5
CALIFORNIA	Grade 5	24.8	28.5	25.2	26.6	24.3	23.1
	Grade 7	29.1	32.9	32.1	33.0	30.1	28.2
	Grade 9	26.3	35.6	36.8	38.1	34.4	33.0

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Table 51 – Percentage of Students who are Physically Fit by Race and Ethnicity, 2019

	Percent in Grade 5	Percent in Grade 7	Percent in Grade 9
Black or African American	8.3	8.7	8.4
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.4	0.3	0.4
Asian	14.0	15.1	14.8
Filipino	3.9	4.2	4.6
Hispanic or Latino	36.9	36.3	34.7
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0.7	0.7	0.7
White	27.6	29.1	31.3
Two or more races	8.2	5.6	5.1

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Table 52 – Percentage of Physically Fit 5th Graders in Contra Costa Districts, 2019

District	2019	
	Count	Percent
Antioch Unified	171	14.0
Brentwood Union Elementary	198	20.2
Byron Union Elementary	68	42.8
John Swett Unified	13	11.7
Knightsen Elementary	14	23.7
Lafayette Elementary	166	40.1
Martinez Unified	86	29.1
Moraga Elementary	129	60.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	398	16.7
Oakley Union Elementary	98	19.4
Orinda Union Elementary	153	53.9
Pittsburg Unified	117	14.4
San Ramon Valley Unified	1,141	47.7
Walnut Creek Elementary	54	14.1
West Contra Costa Unified	246	12.8
Contra Costa County	3,111	24.5

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Individual districts in the county vary widely in the percentage of students who meet all six fitness standards. Among 5th graders, Moraga Elementary has the highest proportion at 60.3%, followed by Orinda Unified (53.9%), San Ramon Valley Elementary (47.7%), Byron Union Elementary (42.8%) and Lafayette Elementary (40.1%). Schools on the other end of the fitness spectrum in the 2018-19 school year include John Swett Unified (11.7%), West Contra Costa Unified (12.8%), Antioch Unified (14.0%), Walnut Creek Elementary (14.1%) and Pittsburg Unified (14.4%). Districts that experienced larger than average 1-year declines in the proportion of 5th graders who are physically fit include Knightsen

Elementary (down 23.8 points), Walnut Creek Elementary (down 15.1 points), Brentwood Union Elementary (down 5.1 points) and San Ramon Valley Unified (down 4.8 points). In contrast, Martinez Unified (up 4.7 points), Byron Union Elementary (up 6.2 points), John Swett Unified (up 9.6 points) and Orinda Union Elementary (up 13.6 points) saw notable improvement in the percentage of physically fit 5th graders. Given that districts with lower than average fitness scores are also among those with the highest numbers of SD students, these results support the understanding that healthy outcomes in children, such as physical fitness, are inextricably linked to economic factors. The 2018-19 results of the California Physical Fitness test are the latest data published by the CDE.

Asthma

Asthma has long been recognized by national health organizations, such as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the American Lung Association, as one of the most common chronic diseases in the United States that overburdens health care systems, carries enormous costs in terms of missed days of work or school and other disruptions in daily life, and disproportionately impacts children, people of color and low-income communities. Because additional risk factors for the disease include workplace and environmental exposures, asthma is of special concern in Contra Costa County, which in 2020 received an F grade on the air quality measures of high ozone and particle pollution days used by the American Lung Association's State of the Air evaluation. The ALA further reports that in 2019, about 16,038 Contra Costa children and 76,494 adults with asthma are at special risk from low air quality.

According to the most recent public health data available, the air quality impacts of climate change, industrial pollutants and wildfires put about 8.8% of California and 11.8% of Contra Costa County residents of all ages with a current diagnosis of asthma at risk in 2018. In 2018, about 9.1% of California and 13.5% of county adults have a current diagnosis of asthma. Statewide, 9.5% of 5-17 year olds have a current asthma diagnosis, and although rates for 5-17 year olds in the county are unreported, they are estimated to be somewhat higher than the statewide rate. In 2018, about 15.4% of California and 17.5% of Contra Costa residents of all ages have ever been diagnosed with asthma. About 15.9% of California and 19.7% of Contra Costa adults have ever been diagnosed with asthma. About 4.8% of California 0-4 year olds have ever been diagnosed with asthma, with higher rates among Contra Costa County 0-4 year olds, based on data patterns seen among other age groups.

Sexually Transmitted Diseases

Because rates for STDs are considered a proxy for unsafe sexual practices and HIV risk factors, trends in incidence rates are particularly important to maintain healthy communities, and STD rates are closely monitored by a statewide surveillance system that defines high-risk populations; assesses STD trends; measures prevalence of select STDs, health impacts, and costs; and evaluates progress toward reducing incidence rates. In recent years, incidence of chlamydia among residents of all ages has been generally lower in the county as compared to the state. In the CDPH 2020 County Health Status Profile report, chlamydia incidence rates have risen to 500.2 per 100,000 in Contra Costa County and 546.1 in California, based on 3-year averages. County rates, up 8.1% since the prior year, continue to gradually gain on the state rate, which rose just 6.1%. Incidence of gonorrhea among both females and males age 15-44 has also been steadily increasing since 2015 in both the county and state, with the latest public health data indicating 310.8 cases per 100,000 females and 426.2 cases per 100,000 males in Contra Costa County, compared to 282.9 (females) and 501.4 (males) in the state. Rates among county females have risen 11.4% since the prior year, compared to a 12.1% increase in the state, and rates among county males have risen 19.2%, compared to a 12.7% increase in the state. County rates among females continue to exceed state rates, while county rates among males are significantly less than the statewide incidence rate among males.

The CDPH reports in its 2020 County Health Status Profile that the rate of HIV/AIDS diagnoses among Contra Costa County residents age 13 and older (266.1 per 100,000 or 2,535 cases) continues to compare favorably to the state (404.6), but both the county rate and number of cases (up 5.1%) have

increased since 2019, with the county rate up another 3.7% from 256.7 compared to a 1.7% increase from 397.7 in the state.

Table 53 – STD Incidence for Chlamydia and Gonorrhea, All Ages

Year	STD	Contra Costa Rate	County Cases (3-yr average)	California Rate
2017	Chlamydia	395.3	4,331	460.2
	Gonorrhea Female 15-44	217.4	459	192.2
	Gonorrhea Male 15-44	233.5	492	307.3
2018	Chlamydia	422.6	4,720	480.3
	Gonorrhea Female 15-44	246.0	521	218.0
	Gonorrhea Male 15-44	295.6	632	372.6
2019	Chlamydia	462.8	5,226	514.6
	Gonorrhea Female 15-44	278.6	594	252.4
	Gonorrhea Male 15-44	358.3	772	444.8
2020	Chlamydia	500.2	5,693	546.1
	Gonorrhea Female 15-44	310.8	662	282.9
	Gonorrhea Male 15-44	426.2	920	501.4

Source: https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CountyHealthStatusProfiles_2020_ADA.pdf. Rate per 100,000

Figure 12 – Chlamydia Incidence Rates, 2017-2020

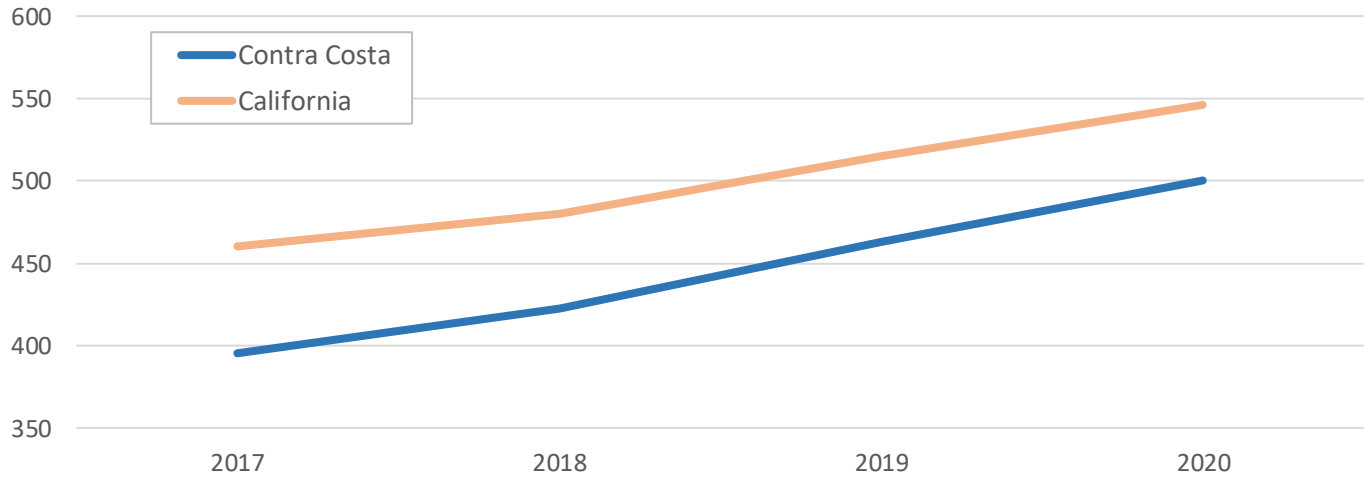
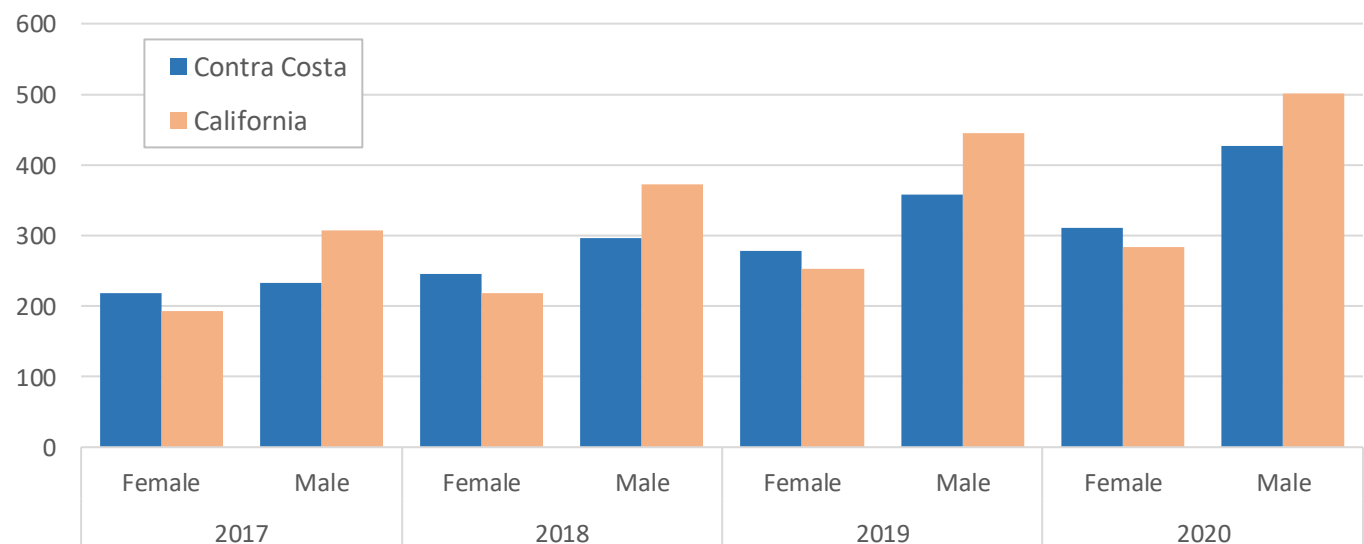


Figure 13 – Gonorrhea Incidence Rates, 2017-2020



Pediatric Nutrition

Nutritional status (weight, height, and hematology) among low income, high-risk infants and children is an important indicator of health and wellbeing. Poor nutrition and poverty are also significantly correlated. A baby is considered to be low weight if it weighs less than 2,500 grams (5lb. 8oz.). In 2019, the overall county rate of low birth weight children (7.0%) slightly exceeds the statewide rate (6.9%), based on three-year averages as calculated by the CDPH. Based on 2015 Maternal and Infant Health Assessment (MIHA) population-based survey data, an estimated 18.4% of women with live births in Contra Costa County had inadequate weight gain during their pregnancy, and 12.8% experienced food insecurity during pregnancy.²

Another indicator of poor nutrition that contributes to multiple health risks such as obesity, dental decay, type 2 diabetes, high cholesterol and high blood pressure is the consumption of fast food which tends to be very high in fat and sugar. In 2016 the CDC reports that 36.6% of U.S. adults consume fast food on any given day, 91% of surveyed parents said they had purchased a fast-food meal for their child in the prior week, and the frequency of fast food consumption is not related to family income.³ Alarmingly, in California the percentage of children age 2-17 who ate fast food more than once a week increased to 43.2% in 2016, up from 39% in 2014 and 37% in 2012. Although Contra Costa County has steadily maintained a lower rate than the state since 2007, in 2016 the percentage of the county's 2-17 year olds who eat fast food more than once a week jumped markedly to 42.1% from 19% in 2014. In 2016, only about 35.4% of California children age 2-11 eat five or more serving of fruits and vegetables each day, compared to 39.0% of all 2-11 year olds in Contra Costa County.⁴ Additionally, the Contra Costa County California Healthy Kids Survey (2015-16) indicates that about 13% of elementary school students reported they had not eaten breakfast on the morning surveyed.

Oral Health Status of Children

Dental disease and oral health problems impact more children in the United States than any other chronic disease. Dental disease may negatively impact a child's health and development, interfere with proper nutrition, deter speech development, and reduce school attendance and academic performance. When children miss school due to oral health problems, school districts also suffer from the loss of funding. In California, dental problems result in an estimated 874,000 missed school days annually, over half of kindergarteners have experienced tooth decay, and rates are higher among low-income and Latino children.⁵

According to the 2021 California County Scorecard of Children's Wellbeing published by Children Now,⁶ about 31% of low income children age 0-5 in Contra Costa County had visited a dentist in the past year, compared to 19% in the prior report and 39% in California as a whole. The percentage is somewhat higher among the county's low-income 0-5 year olds who are Latino (40%), but lower among those who are White (17%) or Black/African American (29%). Countywide, 53% of children of all ages in foster care had timely dental exams, compared to 67% statewide. The state overall received a C-grade for children's oral health care in the 2020 Children's Report Card also published by ChildrenNow.org.

In September 2019, the Department of Public Health (CDPH) released its CA Oral Health Surveillance Plan to further its mission of promoting oral health and reducing oral diseases through "prevention, education and organized community efforts." The Plan, offered as "a model for monitoring oral disease, identifying emerging oral health issues and detecting changes in oral health-related practices and access to services," proposes to be a source of reliable and valid oral health data for use in developing,

² https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CFH/DMCAH/MIHA/CDPH%20Document%20Library/2013-2015/SnapshotCo_ContraCosta_2013-2015_MaternalCharacteristics.pdf

³ <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/databriefs/db213.htm>

⁴ <https://www.kidsdata.org/topic/737/nutrition-fastfood-age/table#fmt=1121&loc=2,171&tf=109&ch=1091,486,1092&sortColumnId=0&sortType>

⁵ <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CCDPHP/DCDIC/CDCB/CDPH%20Document%20Library/Oral%20Health%20Program/FINAL%20REDESIGNED%20COHP-Oral-Health-Plan-ADA.pdf>

⁶ <https://www.childrennow.org/portfolio-posts/2021-california-county-scorecard-of-childrens-well-being/>

implementing and evaluating the effectiveness of programs designed to improve the oral health of California residents.⁷

Substance Abuse

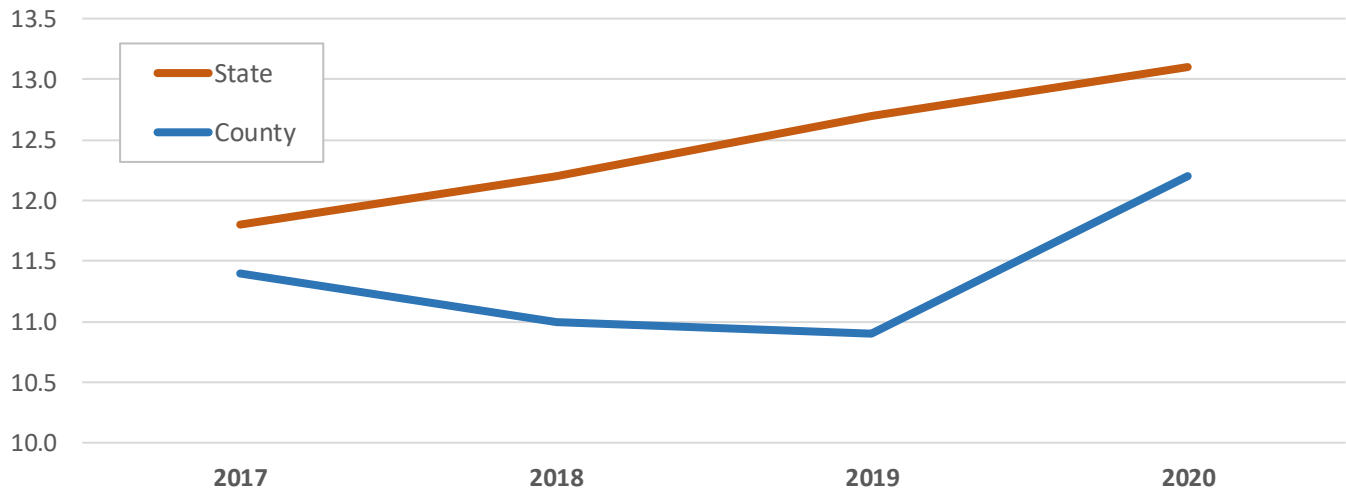
The 2020 California Department of Public Health County Health Status Profile reports that Contra Costa County has 148.0 drug-induced deaths per year based on a 3-year average, which translates into an age-adjusted rate of 12.2 deaths per 100,000, compared to 13.1 statewide. The county rate has risen significantly since 10.9 in 2019, similar to the state’s age-adjusted drug-induced death rate, which increased from 12.7 in the prior year. Notably, the statewide rate has trended upward since at least 2012, when the rate was 10.8 per 100,000.

Table 54 – Drug-Induced Death Rates, 2017-2020

Area	2017	2018	2019	2020
State	11.8	12.2	12.7	13.1
County	11.4	11.0	10.9	12.2

Source: <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CHSP-County%20Profiles%202018.pdf>

Figure 14 – Drug-Induced Death Rates, 2017-2020



According to the CDPH, the rise in opioid abuse is closely related to other statewide trends, including the rise in homelessness, rising rates of social inequity, and increases in mental illnesses such as depression. Increases in opioid abuse, addiction and overdoses disproportionately impact a community’s most vulnerable and marginalized residents. CDPH data indicates that in 2019, opioid-related deaths rose an alarming 33.6% since 2018 to 3,244 total deaths in the state. Statewide, medical professionals wrote 17,576,679 opioid prescriptions, and opioid overdoses resulted in 11,767 emergency department visits (28.78 per 100,000) in 2019. Opioid-related overdose deaths in the county rose to 91 in 2019, up 11.0% from 82 in 2018, but up 75% from 52 in 2017. The 2019 death rate per 100,000 residents (7.86) is exceeded by far in 94507 (14.13), 94506 (14.47), 94526 (14.68), 94518 (17.26), 94521 (17.59), 94595 (20.47), 94517 (25.26) and 94525 (44.29). Countywide, there were 565,236 (490.0 per 1,000 residents) prescriptions written for opioids (excluding buprenorphine) in Contra Costa in 2019, and opioid overdoses resulted in 293 emergency room visits (22.73 per 100,000) from Q3 2019 to Q3 2020, with much higher rates in 94519 (70.11), 94518 (79.84), 94521 (80.88), 94520 (117.65) and 94525 (131.83). In 2018, this dramatic surge spurred Contra Costa County to join in a lawsuit brought by a consortium of at least 30 California counties against a number of opioid manufacturers and distributors. The lawsuit is intended to provide, in part, cost recovery for

⁷ <https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CCDPHP/DCDIC/CDCB/CDPH%20Document%20Library/Oral%20Health%20Program/OH%20Surveillance%20Plan%20-%20ADA%209.25.2019.pdf>

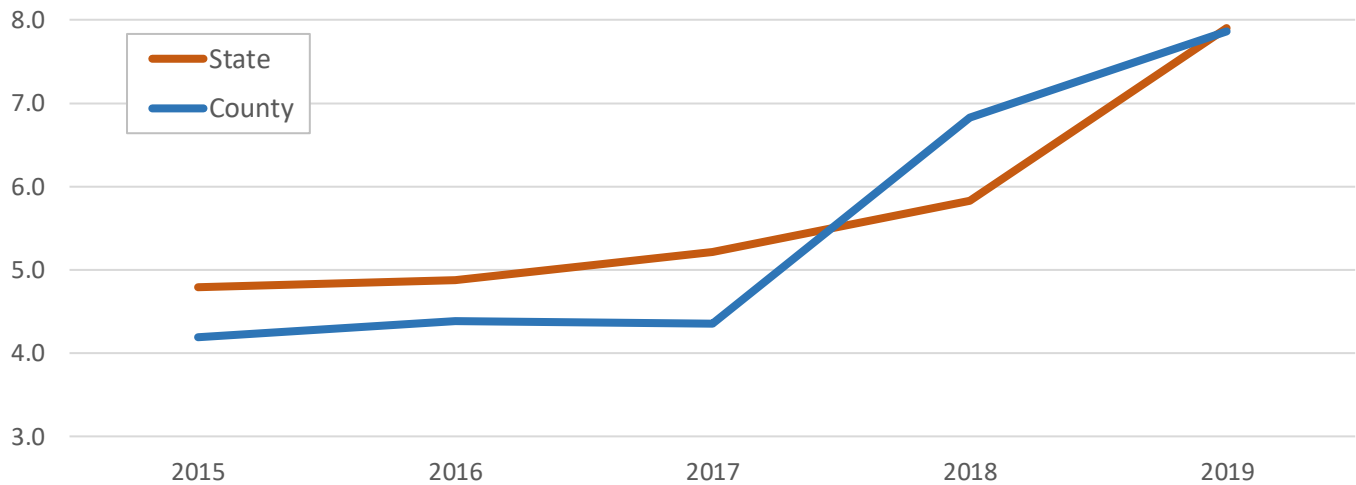
tax dollars spent in response to the opioid epidemic, including emergency services, prevention, monitoring, treatment, dependency relief and other ongoing actions required to fight the crisis.⁸

Table 55 – Opioid-Related Overdose Deaths and Age-Adjusted Rates, 2015-2019

Area		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
State	Number	1,992	2,039	2,194	2,428	3,244
	Rate	4.79	4.87	5.22	5.82	7.90
County	Number	49	53	52	82	91
	Rate	4.19	4.38	4.35	6.82	7.86

Source: <https://skylab.cdph.ca.gov/ODdash/>. Rate per 100,000 residents.

Figure 15 – Opioid Overdose Death Rates, 2015-2019



Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)

COVID-19 has had a rapidly accelerating spread with cases worldwide currently topping 135,756,507 including 2,932,192 deaths and 77,204,630 recoveries as of April 11, 2021, according to the World Health Organization (WHO). A total of 31,348,231 cases have been confirmed in the United States, including 567,142 deaths or 1.8% of all cases, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). A total of 3,696,771 cases and 60,334 deaths or 1.6% of all cases have been confirmed in California, with 65,857 cases and 777 deaths or 1.2% of all cases in Contra Costa County as of April 11, 2021.⁹

Since the first confirmed U.S. case on January 21, 2020, COVID-19 has impacted all aspects of life including a decline and destabilizing of financial markets, a steep spike in unemployment, the closure of many small businesses, bans on international and domestic travel, the suspension or postponement of public events such as the MLB season and the 2020 Olympics, a curtailment of social interactions including closing nursing homes and prisons to all visitors, shortages linked to consumer panic-shopping and hoarding, a strain on medical supplies and resources, and a potentially dangerous overextension of health care systems. But by mid-December 2020, the FDA had approved two highly effective COVID-19 vaccines developed in less than 12 months, and the U.S. COVID-19 vaccine roll out began by targeting front-line workers, first responders, long-term care residents and others at highest risk for illness. As of April 11, 2021, there have been 22,777,893 doses administered in California, with 8,767,321 or 27.1% of residents fully vaccinated. In Contra Costa County, 825,275 doses have been administered, and 299,470 or 26% of residents are fully vaccinated. California currently plans to fully reopen on June 15, 2021.

⁸ <https://cchealth.org/press-releases/2018/0502-Fight-Against-Opioid-Epidemic.php>

⁹ <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>

COMMUNITY SAFETY INDICATORS

Crime Rate and Adult Arrests

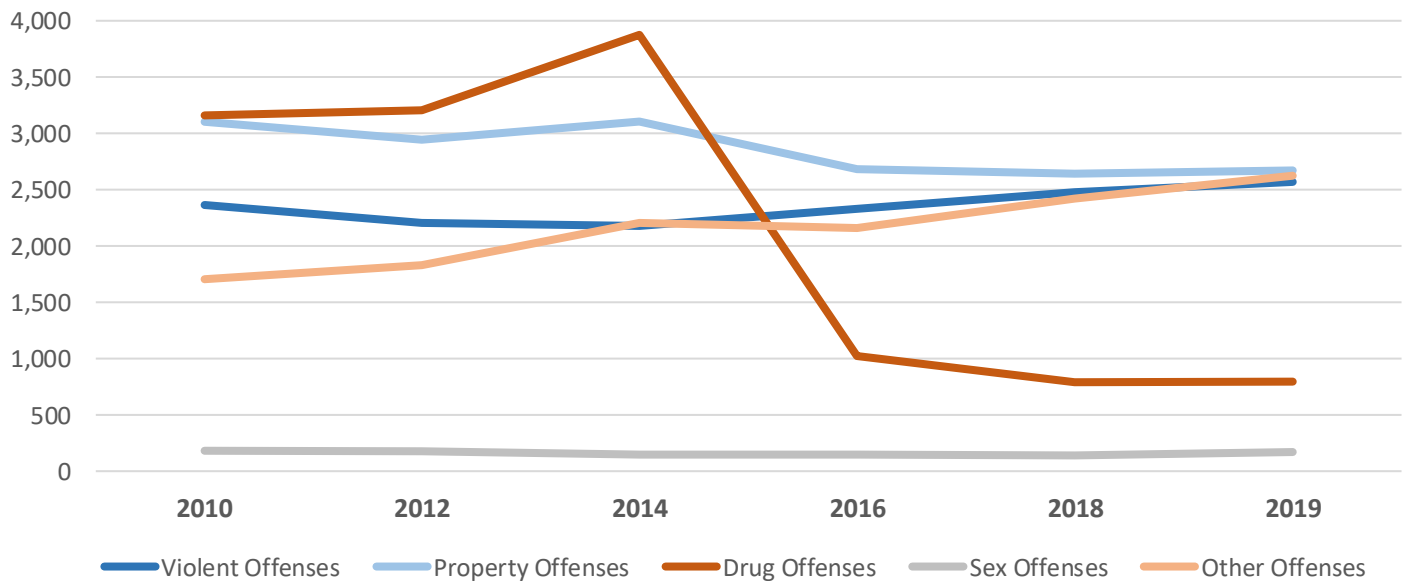
Since 2018, statewide felony arrests among adults have fallen 2.8% or 8,028 arrests. Arrests for violent offenses are also down 3.3% or 3,485, while arrests for property offenses are down 5.6% or 3,835 since 2018. In contrast, California has seen a 5.7% or 264 increase in arrests for sex offenses since 2018. In contrast to generally declining numbers statewide, adult felony arrests in Contra Costa County have risen 4.3% or 360 arrests to 8,829 in 2019. Arrests for violent offenses (up 3.5%), property offenses (up 1.1%) and sex offenses (up 20.0%) all increased in Contra Costa County since 2018. According to the 2020 County Health Status Profile published by the CDPH, California has an age-adjusted death by homicide rate of 5.1 per 100,000, compared to 5.8 in Contra Costa County. CDPH also reports that California has an age-adjusted firearm-related death rate of 7.8 per 100,000, compared to 8.7 in Contra Costa County.

Table 56 – Arrests for Adult Offenders, 2010 – 2019

California	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2019
FELONY ARRESTS	396,532	393,439	412,307	289,204	285,249	277,221
Violent Offenses	102,937	97,732	99,767	101,849	105,141	101,656
Property Offenses	100,328	95,889	87,672	69,640	68,162	64,327
Drug Offenses	115,089	117,350	133,996	37,655	27,889	26,854
Sex Offenses	6,678	6,233	5,256	4,718	4,667	4,931
Other Offenses	71,500	76,235	85,616	75,342	79,390	79,453
MISDEMEANORS	812,026	724,337	713,715	768,812	760,022	735,220
Contra Costa County	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2019
FELONY ARRESTS	10,509	10,360	11,519	8,354	8,469	8,829
Violent Offenses	2,360	2,204	2,178	2,335	2,481	2,569
Property Offenses	3,103	2,945	3,105	2,683	2,642	2,671
Drug Offenses	3,165	3,200	3,875	1,027	790	797
Sex Offenses	176	177	152	147	140	168
Other Offenses	1,705	1,834	2,209	2,162	2,416	2,624
MISDEMEANORS	15,719	13,678	13,695	16,218	15,747	14,869

Source: <https://openjustice.doj.ca.gov/exploration/crime-statistics/arrests>

Figure 16 – Felony Arrests by Offense, Contra Costa County 2010 – 2019



Most analysts conclude the COVID-19 outbreak has led to significant reductions in arrests, particularly for lower-level offenses, as law enforcement departments sought to limit officers' and citizens' exposure

to COVID-19 and to reduce the number of people entering county jails and justice systems. Statewide data confirm the number of weekly bookings dropped nearly 30% from February 2020 to September 2020.

Adult Incarcerations

According to CJCJ analysis, the 2016 incarceration rate in California is 700 per 1,000 adult felony arrests and 404 in Contra Costa County. Although the incarceration rate per 1,000 arrests remains much lower than that the state, the county incarceration rate has risen 33% since 2013. From 2013 to 2016, the incarceration rate per 1,000 felony arrests has also increased 34% statewide.

Fortunately, the Public Policy Institute of California reports that the number and proportion of female inmates is declining, with 11,800 or 6.8% of the state’s prison population in 2006 and 5,800 or 4.6% in 2017. However, African Americans continue to be over-represented in the statewide prison population, as 28% of the prison population are African American in 2018, compared to just 6% of the state’s residents. Hispanics are also over-represented in statewide prisons, representing 44% of the state’s prisoners and just 36% of its population. During the past 10 years, while the number of individuals in prison has fallen 25%, the proportion of Black inmates has gradually fallen, but the proportion of Hispanic inmates has grown 15%. Notably, foreign-born Californians are less likely to be imprisoned, as 81.4% of inmates are native-born, compared to 65.4% of all adult Californians. In contrast, just 13.5% of the state’s prison population are foreign-born, while California’s adult immigrant population is 34.6%.

Over the past eight years, the state’s prison population has also been aging. The percentage of prisoners age 18 to 29 has declined, while the percentage age 50 or older has increased from 4% in 2000 to 23% in 2017. An aging inmate population also has cost implications, including costs for health care, with the average annual cost to incarcerate one inmate in California up \$32,000 or 58% since 2011 to about \$81,000 per year.

Table 57 – Total Adult Incarceration Rate, 2013 - 2016

Geography	2013	2014	2015	2016
California	523	501	682	700
Contra Costa County	303	268	375	404

Source: <http://casi.cjcf.org/Adult/Contra-Costa>. Incidence is total of state prison and county jail incarcerations per 1,000 adult felony arrests.

Much previous research suggests a significant linkage between adult prison populations and experience in foster care systems. A 2014 statewide analysis by the California Department of Social Services Research Services Branch¹⁰ was undertaken to explore this linkage in California by matching records from two datasets: 1) California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation prison admissions data, and 2) CDSS Child Welfare Services Case Management System foster care data. The results of the matched data analysis found that 27% of young adult prison inmates who were admitted to state prison between July 2011 and June 2013 had experienced a foster care placement. Additionally, although male inmates had a much higher number of matched records than female inmates, a significantly higher proportion of female inmates (36%) had a foster care history as compared to male inmates (27%). When analysis was limited to a specific age cohort, those born after January 1988, 25% of male and 34% of female inmates had a foster care history.

Domestic Violence

In 2019, the number of domestic violence calls for assistance from Contra Costa County residents fell a notable 6.0% or 197 calls over 2018, with 3,066 total calls. During the same period, the total number of domestic violence calls for assistance in California overall also fell by 3.5% to 161,123.

¹⁰ *CaliforniaStatePrisonChildWelfareDataLinkageStudy.pdf*

Table 58 – Number of Domestic Violence Calls for Assistance, 2008–2019

	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2017	2018	2019
California	166,343	166,361	157,634	155,965	164,569	169,362	166,890	161,123
Contra Costa	3,868	3,687	3,286	3,410	2,947	3,206	3,263	3,066

Source: State of California Dept. of Justice, <https://openjustice.doj.ca.gov/crime-statistics/domestic-violence>

Child Abuse

Since 2005, the county’s rate of substantiated child abuse cases per 1,000 children age 0-17 has been considerably lower than in California as a whole, and in December 2019, the county’s rate is 3.8 compared to a state rate of 7.5 per 1,000. However, the number of substantiated cases in the county rose a substantial 11.3% or 96 children from 853 in 2018 to 949 in 2019, ending a period of decreasing numbers since 2014.

Table 59 – Rate of Substantiated Child Abuse Cases, 2005–2019

	2005	2007	2009	2011	2013	2015	2017	2019
California	11.3	10.7	10.0	9.5	8.9	8.2	7.5	7.5
Contra Costa County	7.6	8.8	5.1	5.5	5.1	4.5	3.8	3.8

Source: http://cssr.berkeley.edu/ucb_childwelfare/. Rate per 1,000 children (ages 0-17); the substantiated rate measures the number of child abuse reports that warrant an in-person investigation and are determined to have occurred.

Table 60 – Number of Substantiated Child Abuse Cases in Contra Costa, 2009–2019

Year	2009	2011	2013	2015	2017	2018	2019
Number of Cases	1,332	1,422	1,348	1,155	975	853	949

Source: http://cssr.berkeley.edu/ucb_childwelfare/.

The distribution of substantiated child abuse cases by age indicates that the percentage of all cases (949) involving infants (14.9%) has fallen since 2018 (17.9%), as has the number of substantiated cases (down 7.8% or 12 children). Another 290 (30.6%) substantiated cases involve children age 1 to 5, up 16.0% or 40 children since 2018. Encouragingly, the number of cases that result in children entering foster care (369) has fallen another 4.4% or 17 children from 386 in 2018.

Table 61 –Child Abuse Allegations, Substantiations and Entries by Age, 2019

Age Group	Child Population	Children w/ Allegations	per 1,000 children	Children w/ Substantiations	per 1,000	% of Allegations	Children w/ Entries	Entries per 1,000
< 1	12,010	487	40.5	141	11.7	29.0	88	7.3
1-2	24,419	798	32.7	128	5.2	16.0	40	1.6
3-5	37,971	1,431	37.7	162	4.3	11.3	54	1.4
6-10	70,139	2,946	42.0	234	3.3	7.9	78	1.1
11-15	75,148	3,041	40.5	225	3.0	7.4	92	1.2
16-17	31,214	1,028	32.9	59	1.9	5.7	17	0.5
Total	250,901	9,731	38.8	949	3.8	9.8	369	1.5

Source: http://cssr.berkeley.edu/ucb_childwelfare/.

Juvenile Arrests

According to an Annie E. Casey Foundation and Children Now report, the U.S. leads the industrialized world in the rate at which youth are arrested, and in 2013 California ranked 12th highest among all states.¹¹ Fortunately, the rate of juvenile arrests in the state has fallen significantly in the past several years and this trend continues in 2019. Although Contra Costa County has also seen falling numbers in the past few years, juvenile arrests are up 9.4% in 2019. Statewide, there were 43,181 juvenile arrests of all types reported by law enforcement agencies in 2019, down another 7.0% or 3,242 juvenile arrests reported by law enforcement agencies in 2018 (46,423) after a 17.5% drop the prior year. Of 43,181

¹¹ <http://www.kpbs.org/news/2013/feb/27/youth-incarceration-rates-still-high-california/>

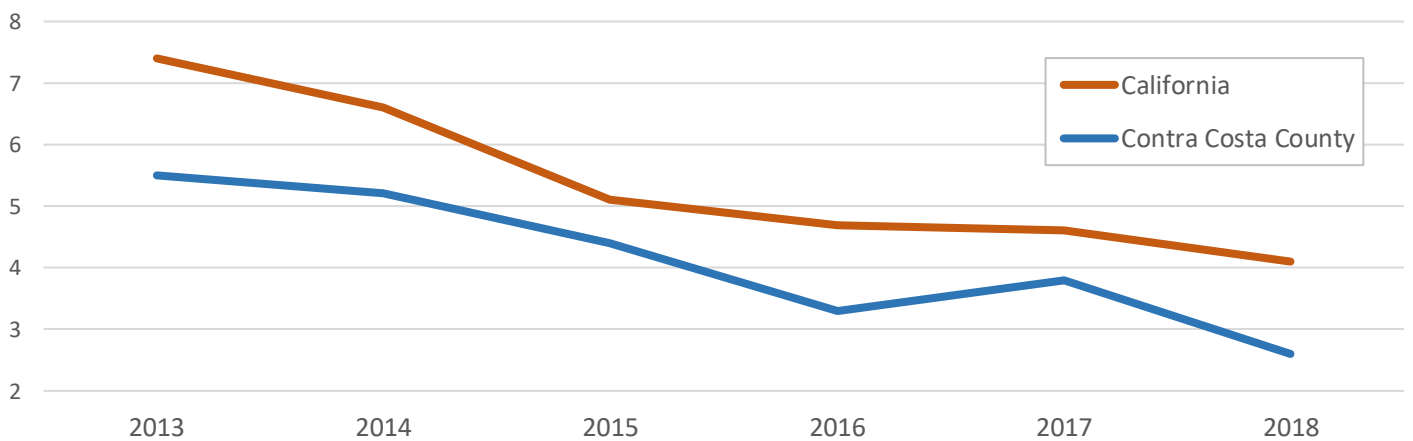
arrests, 16,288 (37.7%) were for felony offenses, and 43.8% (7,129) of these were for violent offenses. Unfortunately, the state saw a slight uptick in the percentage of arrests that are for felony (up 0.5 points) and violent offenses (up 1.4 points). Countywide, there were 869 juvenile arrests of all types reported by law enforcement agencies in 2019, up 9.4% or 75 juvenile arrests since 2018 (794). Of 869 arrests, 375 (43.2%) were for felony offenses, and 153 (40.8%) of these were for violent offenses. Like the state, the county saw an uptick in juvenile felony arrests (up 18.7% or 59 arrests) and arrests for violent offenses (up 15.0% or 20 arrests).

Table 62 – Juvenile Felony Arrest Rates, 2013–2018

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
California	7.4	6.6	5.1	4.7	4.6	4.1
Contra Costa County	5.5	5.2	4.4	3.3	3.8	2.6

Source: <https://www.kidsdata.org/topic/165/arrest-rate/table#fmt=2332&loc=2,171&tf=108,95,88,84,79,73&sortType=asc>. Rates per 1,000 youth age 10-17.

Figure 17 – Juvenile Felony Arrest Rates, 2013 – 2018



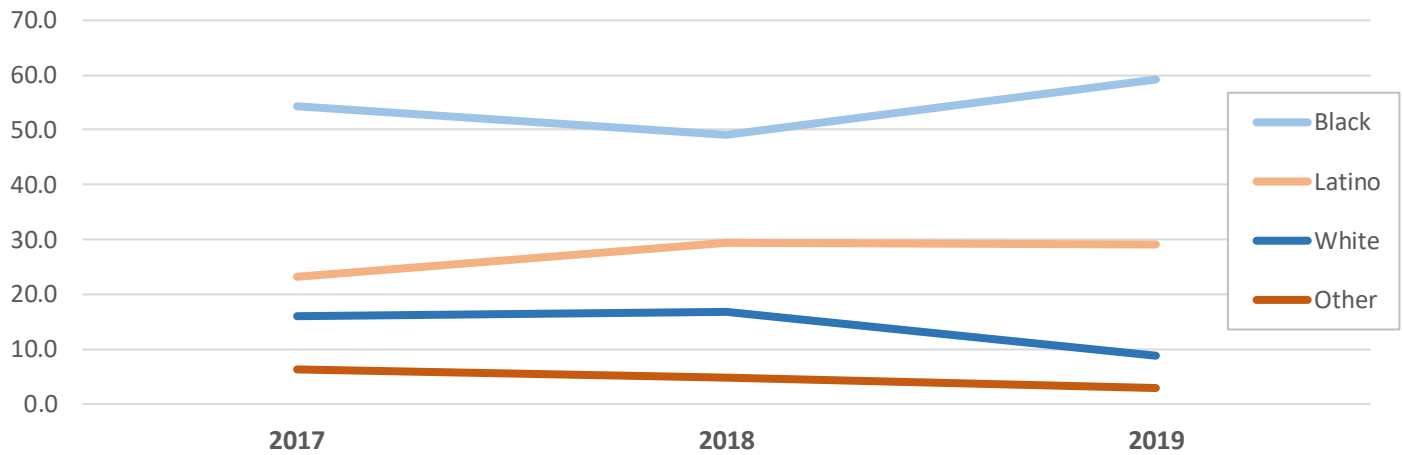
Juvenile felony arrest rates vary significantly by race and ethnicity with the rate among African American / Black youth the highest across all youth at 13.9 per 1,000 in the county and 20.4 in the state in 2018. Rates among the county’s Latino (2.3 per 1,000) and White (1.3 per 1,000) youth are considerably lower. Although African American juveniles continued to have the highest arrest rate by far in 2018, they have nonetheless seen the steepest declines since 2009, with rates in the state dropping from 47.2 (2009) to 20.4 (2018), and rates in the county dropping from 43.8 (2009) to 13.9 (2018) per 1,000 youth age 0-17. In 2019, about 59.2% (222) of all juveniles arrested for felony offenses in Contra Costa County were African American / Black youth, 29.1% (109) were Hispanic/Latino youth, and 8.8% (33) were White youth.

Table 63 – Juvenile Felony Arrests by Race and Ethnicity, Contra Costa 2017–2019

		2017	2018	2019
Black / African American	Count	251	155	222
	Percent	54.4	49.1	59.2
Hispanic / Latino	Count	107	93	109
	Percent	23.2	29.4	29.1
White	Count	74	53	33
	Percent	16.1	16.8	8.8
Other	Count	29	15	11
	Percent	6.3	4.7	2.9
TOTAL JUVENILE FELONY ARRESTS		1,179	794	869

Source: <https://openjustice.doj.ca.gov/exploration/crime-statistics/arrests>

Figure 18 – Percentage of Juvenile Felony Arrests by Race and Ethnicity, 2019



Gang Membership Among Youth

Despite its recognition as a serious threat to youth and community health, gang activity and membership is not easily tracked and current data is not maintained by most criminal justice agencies. However, data compiled by Helping Gang Youth indicates that 40% of gang members are juveniles. A number of factors increase the chance that youth will turn to gangs including difficulty or failure in school, high rate of truancy, lack of opportunity for positive activities outside of school, being from a low income household or community, and struggling with learning disabilities and/or emotional disorders. An estimated 60% to 78% of all incarcerated gang members have a learning disability or an emotional disorder that may inhibit them from engaging or excelling in school.¹²

Although gang activity and gang-related crime is not adequately tracked, several gangs are known to be active in Contra Costa County, including in East Contra Costa and on Richmond's South Side with the Backstreets and Easter Hills in the old GlobeTown projects (Richmond Townhouses) and, more recently, Pullman Point, the 30s, the 40s, the Manor (Kennedy Manor), Maine Line and Crescent Park. The Sheriff's Office reports that from August 2018 to July 2019, 6 of 107 (6%) violent incidents in Richmond occurred in or near Crescent Park, with 2 of these in 94804. In the prior year, 2 of 125 (2%) violent incidents in Richmond occurred in or near Crescent Park, with 1 in 94804.¹³ However, data from the County Sheriff and the Richmond and Lafayette police departments shows that in the past 6 months, 125 of 659 (19%) violent incidents in Richmond occurred in 94804. Compared to a national average of 100, Richmond received a violent crime score of 173.36 in 2017, a marked improvement over 210.72 in 2014. County authorities are also aware of the Broad Day gang which has been active in East Contra Costa, particularly in Antioch and Pittsburg, since the 1990s.

According to the 2017-19 California Healthy Kids Survey, self-reports of gang membership among Contra Costa County 7th graders encouragingly dropped from 5.5% in 2011-13 to 4.6% in 2015-17, and improved further to 4.0% in 2017-19. Among 11th graders, student reported gang membership rose from 4.8% in 2011-13 to 5.5% in 2015-17, but also fell to 5.0% in 2017-19.¹⁴

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Births

In 2019, the birth rate in Contra Costa County increased to 49.1 per 1,000 women 15-50, reversing its downward trend. However, the teen birth rate in both the county (1.9) and state (10.1) continues to trend down. An estimated 13,236 women gave birth in Contra Costa in 2019, up 3.6% or 459 women

¹² http://www.helpinggangyouth.com/disability-best_corrections_survey.pdf

¹³ <https://www.crimereports.com/agency/contra-costa#!/>

¹⁴ https://data.calschls.org/resources/Contra_Costa_County_1719_Sec_CHKS.pdf

since 2018, in contrast to California, which saw a 0.7% decline in women with births. Areas with the largest 1-year increases in women with births include Antioch (up 10.0% or 130), Concord (up 5.4% or 89), Oakley (up 34.9% or 173), Richmond (up 23.3% or 324) and San Pablo (up 21.9% or 82). However, some areas had notable declines in women with births including Blackhawk (down 37.3% or 38), Brentwood (down 9.0% or 58), Hercules (down 24.1% or 70), Martinez (down 13.7% or 64), Pacheco (down 50.5% or 55), Pinole (down 23.5% or 77) and San Ramon (down 6.2% or 40). The highest birth rates in the county occur in Bayview (89.6 per 1,000), Concord (58.6), Contra Costa Centre (75.1), Discovery Bay (55.4), Oakley (61.6), Pinole (55.4), Pittsburg (70.5), Richmond (60.3), San Pablo (56.5) and Tara Hills (76.2 per 1,000). In 2019 as in 2018 and 2017, the four communities of Pittsburg (1,267), Antioch (1,432), Richmond (1,714) and Concord (1,745) have the highest number of women with births.

Table 64 – Birth Rate of Women Age 15-50, Contra Costa County (2009–2019)

	2009	2011	2013	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Rate per 1,000	62.3	58.1	58.0	51.1	49.5	47.8	47.6	49.1

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Table 65 – Births and Birth Rates by Census Place, 2019

Area	Women 15-50	Women with births	Rate/1,000	Females 15-19	Teens with births	Rate/1,000
California	9,621,148	469,884	48.8	1,255,373	12,727	10.1
Countywide	269,717	13,236	49.1	35,662	66	1.9
Alamo	2,426	19	7.8	512	0	0.0
Antioch	28,351	1,432	50.5	4,322	0	0.0
Bayview	335	30	89.6	38	0	0.0
Bethel Island	364	10	27.5	0	0	--
Blackhawk	2,090	64	30.6	458	0	0.0
Brentwood	14,021	589	42.0	2,664	0	0.0
Clayton	2,555	70	27.4	556	0	0.0
Concord	29,792	1,745	58.6	3,125	0	0.0
Contra Costa Ctr	1,917	144	75.1	9	0	0.0
Crockett	709	28	39.5	103	0	0.0
Danville	8,689	393	45.2	1,251	0	0.0
Discovery Bay	3,806	211	55.4	752	18	23.9
E Richmond Hts	673	6	8.9	26	0	0.0
El Cerrito	6,082	232	38.1	513	0	0.0
El Sobrante	3,097	117	37.8	229	0	0.0
Hercules	5,982	220	36.8	588	0	0.0
Kensington	925	45	48.6	157	0	0.0
Lafayette	5,627	135	24.0	909	0	0.0
Martinez	8,602	404	47.0	1,077	0	0.0
Moraga	4,186	123	29.4	1,228	0	0.0
Oakley	10,863	669	61.6	1,691	9	5.3
Orinda	3,977	119	29.9	790	8	10.1
Pacheco	1,056	54	51.1	86	0	0.0
Pinole	4,516	250	55.4	429	0	0.0
Pittsburg	17,984	1,267	70.5	2,088	31	14.8
Pleasant Hill	8,261	280	33.9	734	0	0.0
Richmond	28,407	1,714	60.3	2,993	0	0.0
Rodeo	2,681	134	50.0	329	0	0.0
San Pablo	8,093	457	56.5	1,401	0	0.0
San Ramon	19,178	606	31.6	2,711	0	0.0
Tara Hills	1,116	85	76.2	176	0	0.0
Vine Hill	885	7	7.9	97	0	0.0
Walnut Creek	14,192	661	46.6	1,436	0	0.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

In 2019, about 8,096 native-born women age 15-50 in Contra Costa County had births, up 2.7% or 213 births, while 5,140 foreign-born women had births, up 5.0% or 246 since 2018. Of native-born women with births, 29.9% are unmarried, up from 28.9% in the prior year. Of foreign born women with births, 19.9% are unmarried, up from 17.7% in 2018. The largest number of foreign-born women with births may be found in San Ramon (380), Antioch (463), Pittsburg (533), Concord (652) and Richmond (858).

Table 66 – Births by Nativity and Census Place, 2019

Area	Women 15-50	With birth(s)	Married with births			Unmarried with births		
			All	Native	Foreign born	All	Native	Foreign born
California	9,621,148	469,884	322,272	198,495	123,777	147,612	112,818	34,794
Contra Costa Cnty	269,717	13,236	9,788	5,673	4,115	3,448	2,423	1,025
Alamo	2,426	19	19	0	19	0	0	0
Antioch	28,351	1,432	991	676	315	441	293	148
Bayview	335	30	14	14	0	16	16	0
Bethel Island	364	10	10	0	10	0	0	0
Blackhawk	2,090	64	64	32	32	0	0	0
Brentwood	14,021	589	524	393	131	65	48	17
Clayton	2,555	70	70	36	34	0	0	0
Concord	29,792	1,745	1,334	813	521	411	280	131
Contra Costa Ctr	1,917	144	144	42	102	0	0	0
Crockett	709	28	28	28	0	0	0	0
Danville	8,689	393	377	266	111	16	0	16
Discovery Bay	3,806	211	172	120	52	39	39	0
E Richmond Hts	673	6	6	6	0	0	0	0
El Cerrito	6,082	232	219	111	108	13	7	6
El Sobrante	3,097	117	100	41	59	17	17	0
Hercules	5,982	220	159	100	59	61	56	5
Kensington	925	45	32	32	0	13	13	0
Lafayette	5,627	135	124	53	71	11	11	0
Martinez	8,602	404	314	273	41	90	90	0
Moraga	4,186	123	110	62	48	13	13	0
Oakley	10,863	669	431	361	70	238	161	77
Orinda	3,977	119	95	65	30	24	8	16
Pacheco	1,056	54	54	54	0	0	0	0
Pinole	4,516	250	142	90	52	108	108	0
Pittsburg	17,984	1,267	778	401	377	489	333	156
Pleasant Hill	8,261	280	232	140	92	48	32	16
Richmond	28,407	1,714	1,013	365	648	701	491	210
Rodeo	2,681	134	56	9	47	78	78	0
San Pablo	8,093	457	200	50	150	257	128	129
San Ramon	19,178	606	537	175	362	69	51	18
Tara Hills	1,116	85	36	7	29	49	49	0
Vine Hill	885	7	7	7	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	14,192	661	610	414	196	51	51	0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

In California overall, 4.3% of married and 14.7% of unmarried women with births receive some type of public assistance in 2019, down from 2018 rates of 4.4% and 15.9%, respectively. In Contra Costa County, 2.3% (223) of married and 12.2% (422) of unmarried women with births receive PA in 2019, with both rates down from 2018 (3.3% and 16.4%, respectively). Despite these countywide improvements, the proportion of unmarried women with births on are now 5.3 times more likely to receive PA than married women with births. Compared to a countywide 1.0 percentage point improvement since 2018 for the percentage of married women with births on PA, Antioch (down 1.7 points), Concord (down 3.0 points), Danville (down 5.0 points) and El Sobrante (down 8.5 points) saw much larger declines, while San Pablo (up 2.2 points) and Kensington (up 16.5 points) experienced notable increases. Compared to a countywide 4.2 percentage point improvement since 2018 for the percentage of unmarried women with births on PA, Antioch (down 4.7 points), Concord (down 7.7 points),

Martinez (down 15.6 points) and Richmond (12.0 points) saw larger declines, while Discovery Bay (up 38.5 points), Rodeo (up 27.4 points) and San Ramon (up 3.5 points) saw notable increases.

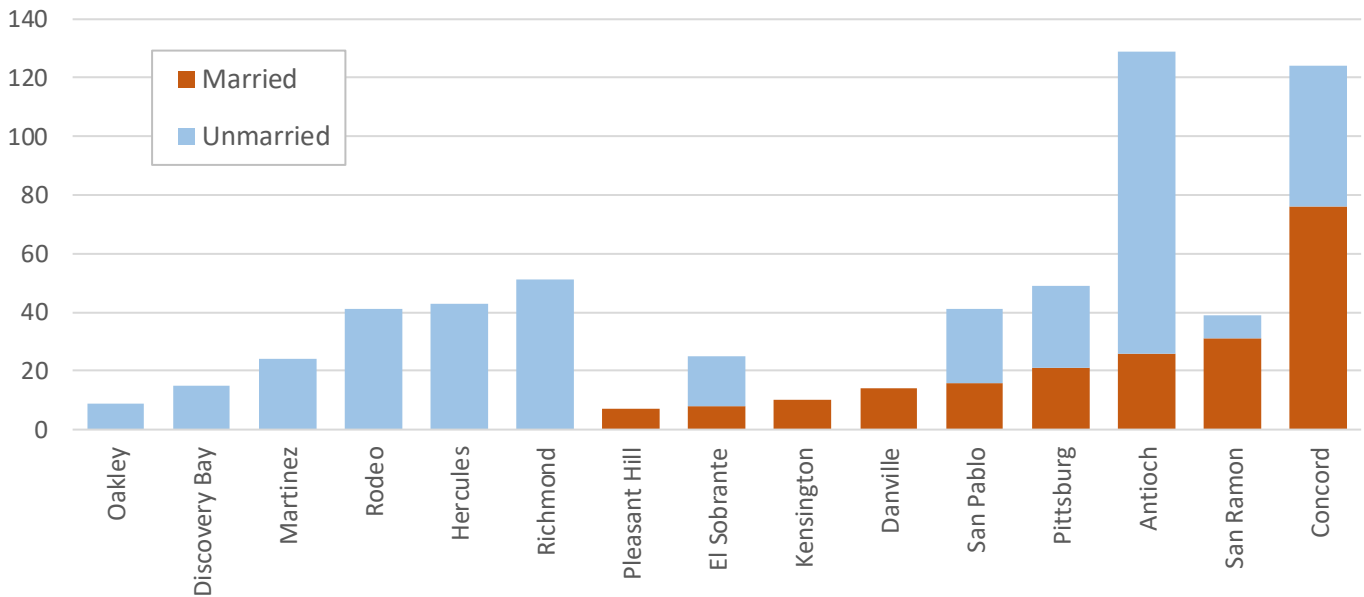
About 645 Contra Costa County women with births in the past year receive some public assistance, down a significant 22.2% or 184 from 829 in 2018, with the number of both married (down 91) and unmarried (down 93) women with births on PA improving. Since 2018, the largest improvement of women with births on PA occur in Antioch (down 19.4% or 31), Concord (down 30.3% or 54), Danville (down 61.1% or 22), Martinez (down 65.2% or 45) and Richmond (down 49.0% or 49). In contrast, Rodeo (up 13) and Discovery Bay (up 15) saw notable increases.

Table 67 – Women with Births and Public Assistance Income, 2019

Area	Women Age 15-50	With births	Married with births	Receive PA	% with PA	Unmarried with births	Receive PA	% with PA
California	9,621,148	469,884	322,272	13,705	4.3	147,612	21,710	14.7
Contra Costa Cnty	269,717	13,236	9,788	223	2.3	3,448	422	12.2
Alamo	2,426	19	19	0	0.0	0	0	--
Antioch	28,351	1,432	991	26	2.6	441	103	23.4
Bayview	335	30	14	0	0.0	16	0	0.0
Bethel Island	364	10	10	0	0.0	0	0	--
Blackhawk	2,090	64	64	0	0.0	0	0	--
Brentwood	14,021	589	524	0	0.0	65	0	0.0
Clayton	2,555	70	70	0	0.0	0	0	--
Concord	29,792	1,745	1,334	76	5.7	411	48	11.7
Contra Costa Cntr	1,917	144	144	0	0.0	0	0	--
Crockett	709	28	28	0	0.0	0	0	--
Danville	8,689	393	377	14	3.7	16	0	0.0
Discovery Bay	3,806	211	172	0	0.0	39	15	38.5
E Richmond Hts	673	6	6	0	0.0	0	0	--
El Cerrito	6,082	232	219	0	0.0	13	0	0.0
El Sobrante	3,097	117	100	8	8.0	17	17	100.0
Hercules	5,982	220	159	0	0.0	61	43	70.5
Kensington	925	45	32	10	31.3	13	0	0.0
Lafayette	5,627	135	124	0	0.0	11	0	0.0
Martinez	8,602	404	314	0	0.0	90	24	26.7
Moraga	4,186	123	110	0	0.0	13	0	0.0
Oakley	10,863	669	431	0	0.0	238	9	3.8
Orinda	3,977	119	95	0	0.0	24	0	0.0
Pacheco	1,056	54	54	0	0.0	0	0	--
Pinole	4,516	250	142	0	0.0	108	0	0.0
Pittsburg	17,984	1,267	778	21	2.7	489	28	5.7
Pleasant Hill	8,261	280	232	7	3.0	48	0	0.0
Richmond	28,407	1,714	1,013	0	0.0	701	51	7.3
Rodeo	2,681	134	56	0	0.0	78	41	52.6
San Pablo	8,093	457	200	16	8.0	257	25	9.7
San Ramon	19,178	606	537	31	5.8	69	8	11.6
Tara Hills	1,116	85	36	0	0.0	49	0	0.0
Vine Hill	885	7	7	0	0.0	0	0	--
Walnut Creek	14,192	661	610	0	0.0	51	0	0.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Figure 19 – Number of Women with Births on Public Assistance, 2019



INFANT MORTALITY

Based on the County Health Status Profile published in 2020 by CDPH, infant mortality rates in Contra Costa County as a whole have fallen from a 10-year high of 4.9 in 2010 to 3.2 per 1,000 infants in 2020. By comparison, California has an infant mortality rate of 4.3 per 1,000 infants in 2020, which has also fallen since 2010, but not as steeply. Although infant mortality rates rose from 2006 to 2010, the trend since 2010 suggests improvements in factors such as maternal health, health care access, health practices or related socioeconomic conditions in the county as a whole. Published rates are based on 3-year averages and indicate infant mortality in the county has been generally lower than in the state. Both the county and state rates have for several years met the Healthy People 2020 National Objective of no more than 6.0 infant deaths per 1,000 live births.

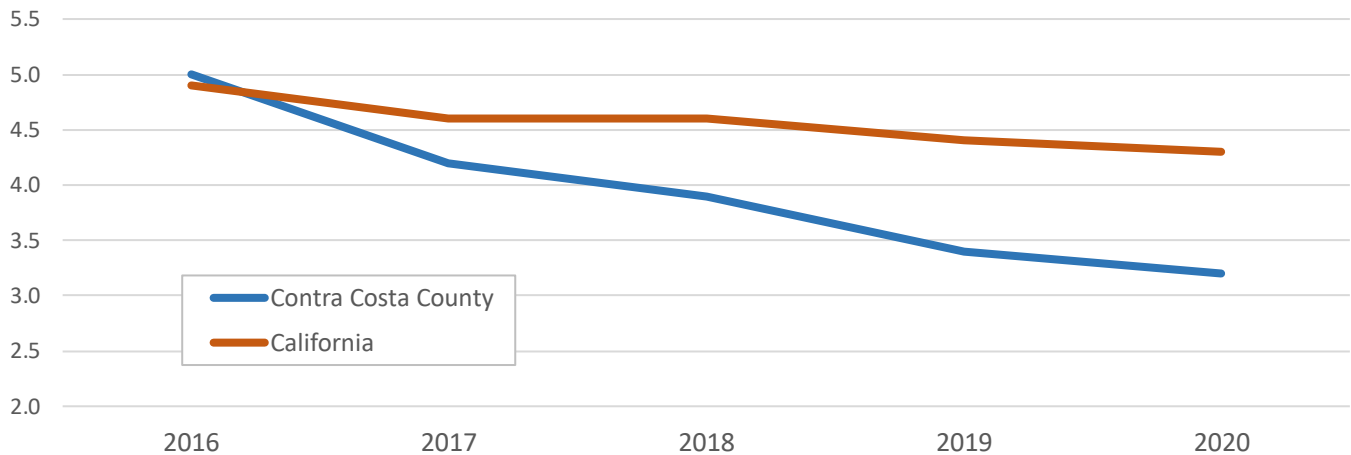
Table 68 – Infant Mortality Rate, Contra Costa County, 2016–2020

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Contra Costa County	5.0	4.2	3.9	3.4	3.2
California	4.9	4.6	4.6	4.4	4.3

Source: County Profiles at https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CountyHealthStatusProfiles_2020_ADA.pdf. Rate per 1,000.

Critically, infant mortality varies by race and ethnicity with the highest rates among Black/African American residents (9.4), while rates among Hispanic residents (3.3), White residents (3.4) and Asian/Pacific Islander residents (2.8) are considerably lower. Some of these sub-group rates are based on 2017 estimates, which are the most recent county-level rates available for Black/African American, White and Asian/Pacific Islander residents.

Figure 20 – Infant Mortality Rates, 2016-2020



LOW WEIGHT BIRTHS

A baby is considered to be low weight if it weighs less than 2,500 grams (5 lb. 8 oz.) at birth. In the United States, low birthweight is a strong predictor of infant mortality and morbidity, and the nutritional status (weight, height, and hematology) among low income, high-risk infants and children is an important indicator of health and wellbeing. Poor nutrition and poverty are also significantly correlated, if not causal. Preterm birth, or births occurring before 37 weeks of gestation, is one of the predominant proximate causes of low birthweight. Risk factors for preterm delivery include low socioeconomic status, low pre-pregnancy weight, inadequate weight gain during pregnancy, history of infertility problems, smoking and multiple gestations. Infants who are born at low birthweight are at greater risk of developing other problems later in life, such as physical disabilities and developmental delays.

Per CDPH data published in 2020, the overall county rate of low birth weight children (7.0%) continues to exceed the statewide rate (6.9%). Although both rates increased slightly since 2018, rates are unchanged from those published in 2019. Both rates meet the National Healthy People 2020 objective of no more than 7.8 per 100 live births.

Table 69 – Percentage of Low Birth Weight Babies, Contra Costa & California, 2015–2020

Area	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Contra Costa County	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.8	7.0	7.0
California	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	6.9

Source: https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CountyHealthStatusProfiles_2020_ADA.pdf.

PRENATAL CARE

The percentage of Contra Costa pregnant women who receive prenatal care in their first trimester has generally exceeded the state in recent years. The latest CDPH published estimates in 2020 indicate 88.3% of pregnant women in the county receive prenatal care in their first trimester, which is a notably 0.8 percentage point improvement from 87.5% in 2019. By comparison, the state rate of 83.9% published in 2020 also increased 0.4 points from 83.5% in the prior year. The current county rate (88.3%) exceeds the new MICH-10.1 Healthy People 2020 National Objective of 84.8% of pregnant women, while the statewide rate (83.9%) does not.

Table 70 – Percentage of Women Receiving Prenatal Care in First Trimester, 2016–2020

Area	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Contra Costa County	84.4	86.4	86.9	87.5	88.3
California	83.6	83.3	83.3	83.5	83.9

Source: https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CountyHealthStatusProfiles_2020_ADA.pdf.

Because the CDPH recognizes that utilization of prenatal care in the first trimester of pregnancy does not take into account whether prenatal care continued throughout pregnancy, it also publishes the percentage of pregnant women who receive “adequate or adequate plus” ongoing prenatal care, which characterizes prenatal care in terms of the trimester in which care is first accessed and the number of prenatal care visits during pregnancy. The latest estimates in Contra Costa County indicate 74.7% of pregnant women received adequate or adequate plus prenatal care, which indicates this health measure continues to trend down from 77.0% in 2018 and 75.8% in 2019. In contrast, 78.0% of pregnant women statewide receive adequate or adequate plus prenatal care, which is a slight improvement from 77.9% in 2019. Unfortunately, both rates are well below the new MICH-10.1 Healthy People 2020 National Objective of 83.2%.

BIRTHS TO TEENS

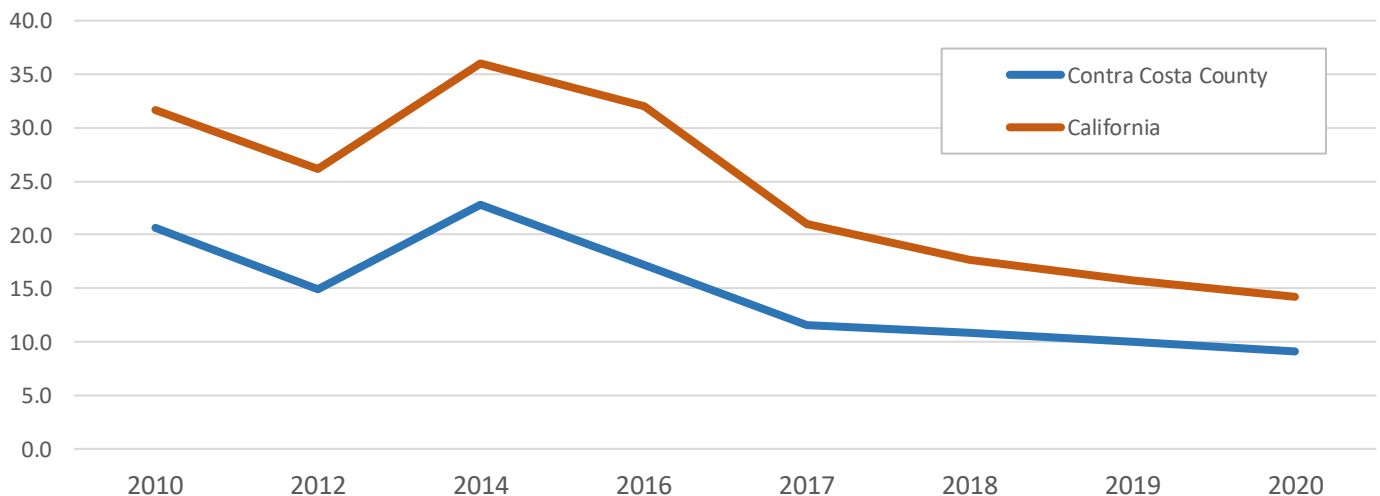
Teenage mothers have historically been more likely than other mothers to have preterm babies, more likely to have low birthweight infants, and less likely to get prenatal care in their first trimester. According to ACS estimates, the annual teen birth rate in the county, which is 1.9 per 1,000 in 2019, has been consistently lower than that in the state (10.1). According to the California Department of Public Health, rates in both the county and state have shown marked declines since 2014, with the age-specific rate of teen births per 1,000 in the county continuing to improve from 22.8 in 2014 to 9.1 in 2020, while the state rate also continues to improve from 36.0 in 2014 to 14.2 currently.

Table 71 – Age-Specific Rate of Births to Teens, 2002–2020

Area	2010	2012	2014	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Contra Costa County	20.7	14.9	22.8	17.2	11.6	10.9	10.0	9.1
California	31.6	26.2	36.0	32.0	21.0	17.6	15.7	14.2

Source: https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CHSI/CDPH%20Document%20Library/CountyHealthStatusProfiles_2020_ADA.pdf.

Figure 21 – Birth Rate Among Teens, 2010-2020



Child Care

NEED FOR CHILD CARE

Since 1997 the California Child Care Resource and Referral Network has published the California Child Care Portfolio in an effort to standardize and distribute reliable data about the status of childcare in California. The Network reports on the potential demand and availability of licensed child care in each county. Potential demand for child care is assessed by looking at trends in population growth, including changes in the age distribution of children, the number of children with parents in the workforce, and the number of children living in poverty. The 2019 California Child Care Portfolio estimated that the total number of slots in licensed child care centers had fallen a slight 0.4% since 2017, but the number of

slots in licensed family child care homes, which tend to be more accommodating to parents' work schedules and somewhat more affordable, had fallen statewide since 2008, including a 4.8% drop since 2017. The state had also seen a 4% reduction in children under 2 and a 2% reduction in children age 2 since 2016. Since 2016, California's population of 0-5 year olds in poverty had fallen 10%, and the number of single-parent families in the labor force had fallen 1%. However, the number of children receiving subsidized care statewide had increased 7%. According to the 2021 California County Scorecard of Children's Well-Being published by Children Now,¹⁵ a licensed child care space is available to about 25% of California and 28% of Contra Costa County children of all ages in working families. About 38% of all parent requests for licensed child care in 2019 were for 0-1 year olds, down from 48% in 2017. However, the percentage of requests for 0-1 year olds that were for full time care increased from 75% to 79%.

According to the 2019 California Child Care Portfolio, the number of child care slots in licensed centers in Contra Costa County had increased 3% from 24,898 in 2017 to 25,576 in 2019. The number of slots in licensed family child care homes in the county had also increased 3% from 8,288 in 2017 to 8,556 in 2019. The number of facilities and homes providing these services had similarly increased. Since 2016, the county had seen a 4% decline in children less than 2, but a 3% growth in children age 2 and a 2% growth in children age 3 and 4. The number of Contra Costa 0-5 year olds in poverty had meanwhile risen a considerable 29% from 7,592 in 2016 to 9,771 in 2018, and the number of single-parent families in which the parent works had increased 4%. About 7,103 county children received subsidized care in 2018, up 8% from 6,584 in 2016. About 35% of all requests for licensed child care in 2019 were for 0-1 year olds, with 89% of these for full time care. Another 42% of requests were for 2-5 year olds and between 66% (5 year olds) and 84% (3 year olds) of these requests were for full time care. About 76% of families seeking child care in the county did so because parents were working.

The California Child Care Resource and Referral Network has not published a new portfolio since 2019, but their data indicates that although the child care provider sector was recognized as an essential service, COVID-19 has dramatically impacted the availability of child care. California lost about 14% or 3,635 child care family homes and 33% or 4,873 child care centers between January 2020 and January 2021. In Contra Costa County, COVID-19 forced the temporary or permanent closure of 220 child care family homes (down 23%) and 142 centers (down 26%) during the same period.

ACCESS TO CHILD CARE

The California Community Care Licensing Division reports that in February 2021, Contra Costa County has 19,233 preschool age day care slots in 334 licensed or license-pending centers, down 2.0% or 396 slots and down 1.8% or 6 centers since February 2020. In February 2021, the county also has 2,227 infant slots in 88 licensed or license-pending centers, up 1.1% or 24 slots and up 2.3% or 2 centers since February 2020.

As of February 2021, Contra Costa has 405 licensed or license-pending family homes that serve at least 9 children with 5,616 day care slots, down a significant 30.1% or 174 provider homes and 29.6% or 2,366 available family home slots since 2020. These reductions are most likely a direct consequence of COVID-19 business closures and stay-at-home orders. Overall, 22 Contra Costa cities saw capacity declines since 2020, while Bay Point saw a small 16.7% increase, and Alamo and Clayton had no change. Concord (down 328), Antioch (down 304), Richmond (down 254), San Ramon (down 246) and Oakley (down 220) saw the largest declines in the number of slots. Bethel Island (down 100.0%), Orinda (down 65.0%), Discovery Bay (down 50.0%), Oakley (down 48.2%) and Lafayette (down 42.9%) saw the largest percentage declines. Note that the county has additional licensed or license-pending family homes with the capacity to serve fewer than 9 children, but these slots are excluded from analysis because these locations are not released publicly.

¹⁵ <https://scorecard.childrennow.org/?ind=childCareSpace&yr=4>

Table 72 – Number of Child Care Slots in Licensed Facilities by City, February 2021

City	Day Care Centers	Day Care Center Slots	Infant Centers	Infant Center Slots
ALAMO	5	258	0	0
ANTIOCH	17	1,229	6	150
BAY POINT	6	310	2	52
BRENTWOOD	23	1,403	8	215
CLAYTON	5	263	1	28
CONCORD	46	2,518	12	310
CROCKETT	1	22	0	0
DANVILLE	19	1,138	4	72
DISCOVERY BAY	2	108	0	0
EL CERRITO	10	461	1	28
EL SOBRANTE	5	254	2	55
HERCULES	1	100	0	0
KENSINGTON	6	323	0	0
LAFAYETTE	13	893	4	96
MARTINEZ	12	664	6	115
MORAGA	7	555	3	36
OAKLEY	8	402	2	64
ORINDA	7	392	0	0
PINOLE	4	155	0	0
PITTSBURG	20	893	3	60
PLEASANT HILL	18	1,005	5	177
RICHMOND	33	1,717	8	239
RODEO	4	185	3	55
SAN PABLO	11	400	3	89
SAN RAMON	20	1,385	9	232
WALNUT CREEK	31	2,200	6	154
Total	334	19,233	88	2,227

Source: <https://secure.dss.ca.gov/CareFacilitySearch/DownloadData>

Table 73 – Licensed Day Care Facilities and Capacity by Zip Code, February 2021

Day Care Facility Name	Address	City	Zip	Capacity
AIM HIGH CHILD CARE CENTER, INC., TIMBER POINT	40 NEWBURY LANE	DISCOVERY BAY	94505	60
ALL GOD'S CHILDREN CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	1900 WILLOW LAKE ROAD	DISCOVERY BAY	94505	48
BLACKHAWK MONTESSORI	3380 BLACKHAWK PLAZA CIR, ST112	DANVILLE	94506	70
BRIGHT MINDS	3380 BLACKHAWK PLZ CIR, STE 220	DANVILLE	94506	42
SAFARI KID - DANVILLE	4135 BLACKHAWK PLZ CIR STE 150	DANVILLE	94506	38
TASSAJARA LEARNING CENTER	1899 CASABLANCA STREET	DANVILLE	94506	127
TREE OF LIFE LEARNING CENTER	1800 HOLBROOK DR	DANVILLE	94506	77
ALAMO COUNTRY SCHOOL	1261 LAVEROCK LANE	ALAMO	94507	64
ALAMO MONTESSORI SCHOOL	1350 DANVILLE BLVD	ALAMO	94507	26
CREATIVE LEARNING CENTER	120 HEMME AVENUE	ALAMO	94507	52
DORRIS-EATON SCHOOL, THE	1286 STONE VALLEY ROAD	ALAMO	94507	90
MEADOWLARK CHILDREN'S CENTER	2964 MIRANDA AVENUE	ALAMO	94507	26
CHILD DAY SCHOOL, LLC - ANTIOCH	112 EAST TREGALLAS ROAD	ANTIOCH	94509	92
CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	2800 SUNSET LANE	ANTIOCH	94509	60
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HEAD START - FAIRGROUNDS	1203 W. 10TH ST	ANTIOCH	94509	128
FIRST BAPTIST HEADSTART - BELSHAW	2801 ROOSEVELT LANE - PORTABLE	ANTIOCH	94509	52
HILLTOP CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	2200 COUNTRY HILLS DRIVE	ANTIOCH	94509	80
HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL	25 EAST 15TH STREET	ANTIOCH	94509	45
IMAGINATION ACADEMY	2032 HILLCREST AVE	ANTIOCH	94509	45
KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER, #1039	2300 MAHOGANY WAY	ANTIOCH	94509	95
LA PETITE ACADEMY, INC.	1350 E. TREGALLAS	ANTIOCH	94509	119
LITTLE ANGELS COUNTRY SCHOOL	1816 HILLCREST AVENUE	ANTIOCH	94509	39
SO BIG CO-OP PRESCHOOL	1201 W. 10TH ST. CAFETERIA BLD	ANTIOCH	94509	24
STARLIGHT ACADEMY III	508 WEST TREGALLAS	ANTIOCH	94509	30
YWCA OF CONTRA COSTA - MARY ROCHA	931 CAVALLO ROAD	ANTIOCH	94509	89
BABY YALE ACADEMY	5521 LONE TREE WAY	BRENTWOOD	94513	74

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BABY YALE ACADEMY-HARVEST PARK	605 HARVEST PARK, STE A	BRENTWOOD	94513	22
BRIGHT STAR CHRISTIAN CHILDREN'S CENTER CELEBRATION CENTER	2200 VENTURA DRIVE 2260 JEFFREY WAY	BRENTWOOD	94513	44 150
CONTRA COSTA CO. CHILD START - LOS NOGALES CENTER	321 ORCHARD DRIVE	BRENTWOOD	94513	40
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY HEAD START - MARSH CREEK EL CONCILIO	7251 BRENTWOOD BLVD 321 ORCHARD DRIVE #B	BRENTWOOD	94513	36 20
GENIUS KIDS - BRENTWOOD	1265 DAINTY AVE	BRENTWOOD	94513	24
GODDARD SCHOOL, THE KIDDIE ACADEMY	115 TECHNOLOGY WAY 8680 BRENTWOOD BLVD.	BRENTWOOD	94513	144 120
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	2321 EAGLE ROCK AVE.	BRENTWOOD	94513	104
LITTLE DIAMONDS PRESCHOOL	2015 ELKINS WAY SUITE A	BRENTWOOD	94513	34
LOVE FOR LEARNING	833 SECOND ST	BRENTWOOD	94513	25
LOVE FOR LEARNING	120 GUTHRIE LN	BRENTWOOD	94513	30
MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF BRENTWOOD, INC.	3421 BALFOUR ROAD	BRENTWOOD	94513	120
ROCK OF BRENTWOOD DBA LITTLE SCHOLARS, THE	1770 ADAMS LANE	BRENTWOOD	94513	40
SMART START PRESCHOOL	2882 O'HARA AVE	BRENTWOOD	94513	30
STAY AND PLAY PRESCHOOL	771 GRIFFITH LANE	BRENTWOOD	94513	21
SUNSHINE HOUSE - BRENTWOOD	401 CHESTNUT STREET	BRENTWOOD	94513	38
SUNSHINE HOUSE - BRENTWOOD II	3700 WALNUT BOULEVARD	BRENTWOOD	94513	75
SUNSHINE HOUSE - LOMA VISTA KID ZONE	2110 SAN JOSE AVE.	BRENTWOOD	94513	30
TINY TOES	1284 DAINTY AVE	BRENTWOOD	94513	52
WEE CARE CENTER	1275 FAIRVIEW AVENUE	BRENTWOOD	94513	130
CLAYTON CHILDREN'S CENTER	6760 MARSH CREEK ROAD	CLAYTON	94517	45
CLAYTON COMMUNITY SCHOOL	5880 MT. ZION DRIVE	CLAYTON	94517	25
CLAYTON VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHILDREN'S CENTER	1578 KIRKER PASS ROAD	CLAYTON	94517	63
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	6095 MAIN STREET	CLAYTON	94517	72
ST. JOHN'S PRESCHOOL	5555 CLAYTON ROAD	CLAYTON	94517	58
CONCORDIA SCHOOL, THE - CONCORD	2353 FIFTH AVENUE	CONCORD	94518	34
DIANNE ADAIR AT EL MONTE	1400 DINA DRIVE	CONCORD	94518	36
GARDEN COMMUNITY PRESCHOOL, THE	1015 OAK GROVE ROAD	CONCORD	94518	39
LA PETITE ACADEMY	4304 COWELL ROAD	CONCORD	94518	97
SUPER KIDZ CLUB	2140 MINERT RD.	CONCORD	94518	15
WOOD ROSE ACADEMY AND PRESCHOOL	4347 COWELL ROAD	CONCORD	94518	72
BRIGHT STARS LEARNING CENTER PRESCHOOL	3036 CLAYTON ROAD	CONCORD	94519	37
CALVARY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL	3425 CONCORD BLVD.	CONCORD	94519	82
FIRST LUTHERAN CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	4006 CONCORD BOULEVARD	CONCORD	94519	60
JOYFUL KIDS ACADEMY LLC DBA PARKSIDE JOYFUL KIDS	2898 CONCORD BLVD.	CONCORD	94519	73
KIDANGO - BALDWIN	2750 PARKSIDE CIR	CONCORD	94519	65
KIDANGO - HOLBROOK	3333 RONALD WAY	CONCORD	94519	65
MONTE GARDENS PRE-K - DIANNE ADAIR	3841 LARKSPUR DRIVE	CONCORD	94519	24
MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF CONCORD	3039 WILLOW PASS ROAD	CONCORD	94519	56
ST. MICHAELS EPISCOPAL DAY PRESCHOOL	2925 BONIFACIO STREET	CONCORD	94519	90
WHITE DOVE SCHOOL	1850 SECOND STREET	CONCORD	94519	41
ANGELS MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL - CONCORD	1566 BAILEY ROAD	CONCORD	94520	49
BAY CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	4725 EVORA ROAD	CONCORD	94520	55
BEGINNINGS & BEYOND MONTESSORI CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	1965 COLFAX STREET	CONCORD	94520	48
BRIGHT STARS CHILDREN'S CENTER INC.	1581 MEADOW LANE	CONCORD	94520	36
CAMBRIDGE COMMUNITY CENTER	1146 LACEY LANE	CONCORD	94520	93
CAMBRIDGE COMMUNITY CENTER II	1187 A MEADOW LANE	CONCORD	94520	40
CONCORD CHILD CARE CENTER	1360 A DETROIT	CONCORD	94520	44
CONCORD CHILD CARE CENTER / MORNING PRESCHOOL	1360 C DETROIT AVENUE	CONCORD	94520	40
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CSB GEORGE MILLER CENTER	3068 GRANT ST.	CONCORD	94520	106
NEW HOPE ACADEMY PRESCHOOL	2120 OLIVERA COURT	CONCORD	94520	144
QUEEN OF ALL SAINTS SCHOOL	2391 GRANT STREET	CONCORD	94520	20
S.S.U.C. CESAR CHAVEZ CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	1187 MEADOW LANE	CONCORD	94520	142
SUN TERRACE PRESCHOOL	3585 PORT CHICAGO HIGHWAY	CONCORD	94520	54
ALL ABOUT CHILDREN CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER	3764 CLAYTON RD	CONCORD	94521	55
AYERS PRE-K PROGRAM	5120 MYRTLE DRIVE	CONCORD	94521	30
BUILDING KIDZ SCHOOL	5100 CLAYTON RD, F36	CONCORD	94521	93

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CLAYTON VALLEY PARENT PRE-SCHOOL	1645 WEST STREET	CONCORD	94521	25
HAPPY LITTLE FACES	1470 WHARTON WAY	CONCORD	94521	30
HIGHLANDS PRE-K PROGRAM	1326 PENNSYLVANIA AVE.	CONCORD	94521	30
KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER	1551 BAILEY ROAD	CONCORD	94521	72
KING'S VALLEY PRESCHOOL	4255 CLAYTON ROAD	CONCORD	94521	120
MYRTLE FARM MONTESSORI SCHOOL	4976 MYRTLE DR	CONCORD	94521	30
PIXIE PLAY SCHOOL	1797 AYERS ROAD	CONCORD	94521	30
ST. AGNES PRESCHOOL	3886 CHESTNUT AVE	CONCORD	94521	20
STEP BY STEP MONTESSORI	1507 HEATHER DRIVE	CONCORD	94521	40
STEP BY STEP MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL 2	4991 CLAYTON RD.	CONCORD	94521	24
TABERNAACLE SCHOOL	4380 CONCORD BLVD	CONCORD	94521	48
WALNUT COUNTRY PRESCHOOL	4465 SO. LARWIN AVE.	CONCORD	94521	30
WE CARE SERVICES FOR CHILDREN	2191 KIRKER PASS ROAD	CONCORD	94521	60
WESTWOOD PRE-K - DIANNE ADAIR	1748 WEST STREET	CONCORD	94521	24
ALICE'S MONTESSORI - ASTRID	105 ASTRID DRIVE	PLEASANT HILL	94523	40
CENTER OF GRAVITY, INC.	2702 PLEASANT HILL RD.	PLEASANT HILL	94523	60
CHOICE IN LEARNING	490 GOLF CLUB RD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	90
CREATIVE PLAY CENTER, INC	2323 PLEASANT HILL ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	48
DIABLO VALLEY COLLEGE DEVELOPMENTAL CHILDREN'S CTR	321 GOLF CLUB ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	80
DISCOVERYLAND PRE-SCHOOL	800 GRAYSON ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	70
EMPIRE MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL	409 BOYD RD.	PLEASANT HILL	94523	72
FOOTPRINTS PRESCHOOL	50 WOODSWORTH LN	PLEASANT HILL	94523	32
FOUNTAINHEAD MONTESSORI SCHOOL-PLEASANT HILL	1715 OAK PARK BOULEVARD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	72
KIDZ-PLANET, INC	2245 MORELLO AVE. STE. C	PLEASANT HILL	94523	81
MARY JANE'S PRESCHOOL	2902 VESSING ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	41
PETER PAN PRE-SCHOOL	399 GREGORY LN	PLEASANT HILL	94523	45
PLAY AND LEARN	1898 PLEASANT HILL ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	108
PLEASANT HILL PRE-K	2097 OAK PARK BLVD.	PLEASANT HILL	94523	24
SEQUOIA DAY CARE CENTER	277 BOYD ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	30
STEPPING STONES LEARNING CENTER	2750 PLEASANT HILL RD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	57
WHERE THE WILD THINGS PLAY PRESCHOOL	2551 PLEASANT HILL RD.	PLEASANT HILL	94523	29
YMCA CHILDCARE- RHETT TURNER PRESCHOOL	350 CIVIC DR	PLEASANT HILL	94523	26
LITTLE ROSES PRESCHOOL	1180 STARR ST	CROCKETT	94525	22
A NEW WORLD OF MONTESSORI	101 SONORA AVENUE	DANVILLE	94526	30
ACORN LEARNING CENTER	816 DIABLO ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	42
AUTUMN CREEK LEARNING CENTER	14 OSBORN WAY	DANVILLE	94526	80
COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN PRE-SCHOOL	222 WEST EL PINTADO ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	102
DANVILLE MONTESSORI SCHOOL	919 CAMINO RAMON	DANVILLE	94526	48
DAYSRING PRESCHOOL	989 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD	DANVILLE	94526	80
DIABLO HILLS COUNTRY SCHOOL	1453 SAN RAMON VALLEY BVLD.	DANVILLE	94526	37
FOUNTAINHEAD MONTESSORI SCHOOL	939 EL PINTADO ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	92
GARDEN MONTESSORI SCHOOL	495 VERONA AVENUE	DANVILLE	94526	24
LARSON'S CHILDREN CENTER	920 DIABLO ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	45
SAINT TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL NOAH'S ARK PRESCHOOL	1550 DIABLO ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	40
STRATFORD SCHOOL	3201 CAMINO TASSAJARA ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	58
SYCAMORE VALLEY DAY SCHOOL	1500 SHERBURNE HILLS ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	70
VALLEY PARENT PRE SCHOOL	935 CAMINO RAMON	DANVILLE	94526	36
CITY OF EL CERRITO COMM. SVCS. - CASA CERRITO DCC	6927 PORTOLA AVENUE	EL CERRITO	94530	21
EL CERRITO PRE-SCHOOL CENTER	7200 MOESER LANE	EL CERRITO	94530	30
GOLESTAN	320 SAN CARLOS AVE	EL CERRITO	94530	45
KEYSTONE MONTESSORI SCHOOL	6639 BLAKE STREET	EL CERRITO	94530	57
LITTLE TREE MONTESSORI INT'L SCHOOL OF EL CERRITO	2603 TASSAJARA AVENUE	EL CERRITO	94530	144
MI MUNDO PRESCHOOL EL CERRITO	6305 BARRETT AVENUE	EL CERRITO	94530	24
PETER PAN PARENT NURSERY	1422 NAVELLIER STREET	EL CERRITO	94530	24
PRIDE AND JOY PRE-SCHOOL	1226 LIBERTY STREET	EL CERRITO	94530	45
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC PRESCHOOL	11156 SAN PABLO AVE.	EL CERRITO	94530	41
SYCAMORE CHRISTIAN PRE-SCHOOL	1111 NAVELLIER STREET	EL CERRITO	94530	30
FIRST BAPTIST HEAD START-LONE TREE	1931 MOKELUMNE DRIVE	ANTIOCH	94531	57
KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER	4108 LONE TREE WAY	ANTIOCH	94531	72

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KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	4308 FOLSOM DRIVE	ANTIOCH	94531	72
LEARNING EXPERIENCE, THE	4831 LONE TREE WAY	ANTIOCH	94531	130
HAPPY HARVARD PRESCHOOL	1702 PHEASANT DR	HERCULES	94547	100
BUILDING BRIDGES PRESCHOOL	1003 CAROL LANE	LAFAYETTE	94549	37
CHILD DAY SCHOOL, LLC - LAFAYETTE	1049 STUART STREET	LAFAYETTE	94549	83
CHILD DAY SCHOOL, LLC - MORAGA	372 PARK ST	MORAGA	94549	74
DIABLO VALLEY MONTESSORI SCHOOL	3390 DEERHILL ROAD	LAFAYETTE	94549	138
GAN ILAN PRESCHOOL - TEMPLE ISAIAH	945 RISA ROAD	LAFAYETTE	94549	95
GROWING LIGHT MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF LAFAYETTE	584 GLENSIDE DRIVE	LAFAYETTE	94549	44
HAPPY DAYS LEARNING CENTER	3205 STANLEY BLVD	LAFAYETTE	94549	40
JOYFUL BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL	955 MORAGA ROAD	LAFAYETTE	94549	45
LAFAYETTE NURSERY SCHOOL	979 FIRST STREET	LAFAYETTE	94549	25
MERRIEWOOD CHILDREN'S CENTER	561 MERRIEWOOD DRIVE	LAFAYETTE	94549	59
MICHAEL LANE PRESCHOOL	682 MICHAEL LANE	LAFAYETTE	94549	17
OLD FIREHOUSE SCHOOL	984 MORAGA ROAD	LAFAYETTE	94549	81
SEEDLINGS	49 KNOX DRIVE	LAFAYETTE	94549	88
WHITE PONY, THE	999 LELAND DR.	LAFAYETTE	94549	141
CHILDTIME CHILDREN'S CENTER	6635 ALHAMBRA AVENUE, STE. 300	MARTINEZ	94553	102
CREEKSIDE MONTESSORI	1333 ESTUDILLO	MARTINEZ	94553	30
FOREST HILLS PRESCHOOL & CHILD CARE	5834 ALHAMBRA AVENUE	MARTINEZ	94553	81
FOREST HILLS PRESCHOOL AND CHILD CARE CENTER	127 MIDHILL RD	MARTINEZ	94553	78
HELPING HANDS CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	5050 HILLER LANE	MARTINEZ	94553	30
KIDS AT WORK	255 GLACIER DRIVE	MARTINEZ	94553	35
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	1285 MORELLO AVENUE	MARTINEZ	94553	60
MARTINEZ EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER, INC.	615 ARCH STREET	MARTINEZ	94553	99
MORELLO HILLS CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	1000 MORELLO HILLS DRIVE	MARTINEZ	94553	35
SHINING STARS PRESCHOOL AND CHILD CARE CENTER	244 MORELLO PARK DR.	MARTINEZ	94553	24
ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA PRESCHOOL	1125 FERRY ST	MARTINEZ	94553	42
SUNSHINE HOUSE CHILDREN'S CENTER - MARTINEZ	4950 PACHECO BOULEVARD	MARTINEZ	94553	48
CREATIVE MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL	1350 MORAGA WAY	MORAGA	94556	23
GROWING TREE PRESCHOOL	1695 CANYON ROAD	MORAGA	94556	137
LAMORINDA MONTESSORI LLC	1450 MORAGA ROAD	MORAGA	94556	70
MORAGA VALLEY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NURTURY	10 MORAGA VALLEY LANE	MORAGA	94556	150
MULBERRY TREE PRESCHOOL	1455 ST. MARY'S RD	MORAGA	94556	50
SAKLAN VALLEY SCHOOL	1678 SCHOOL STREET	MORAGA	94556	51
BRIGHT BEGINNINGS PRESCHOOL AND DAYCARE	132 O'HARA AVENUE	OAKLEY	94561	39
CHILD'S PLACE PRESCHOOL & DAYCARE, A	3405 MAIN STREET	OAKLEY	94561	29
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CHILD START - LOS ARBOLES	240 LAS DUNAS	OAKLEY	94561	24
KIDDIE ACADEMY	1620 NERLOY RD.	OAKLEY	94561	114
OAKLEY PRESCHOOL	501 NORCROSS LANE-OAKLEY ELEM.	OAKLEY	94561	50
OAKLEY PRESCHOOL - GEHRINGER SITE	100 SIMONI RANCH ROAD	OAKLEY	94561	28
SUNSHINE HOUSE - OAKLEY	875 WEST CYPRESS ROAD	OAKLEY	94561	58
YWCA OF CONTRA COSTA - FREEDOM CHILD CARE CENTER	1050 NEROLY ROAD	OAKLEY	94561	60
FOUNTAINHEAD MONTESSORI SCHOOL ORINDA CAMPUS	30 SANTA MARIA WAY	ORINDA	94563	129
HOLY SHEPHERD CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	433 MORAGA WAY	ORINDA	94563	25
MONTESSORI IMPRESSIONS ACADEMY	20 ORINDA FIELDS LANE	ORINDA	94563	29
SAINT JOHN PRESCHOOL	501 MORAGA WAY	ORINDA	94563	48
SAINT MARK'S NURSERY SCHOOL	451 MORAGA WAY	ORINDA	94563	45
SAINT STEPHEN'S PRESCHOOL	66 SAINT STEPHEN'S DRIVE	ORINDA	94563	41
TOPS - THE ORINDA PRESCHOOL (PARENT COOP)	10 IRWIN WAY	ORINDA	94563	75
DEUELS DAYCARE	2499 SIMAS AVE	PINOLE	94564	20
LA CASITA BILINGUE MONTESSORI SCHOOL	592 TENNENT	PINOLE	94564	45
ST. JOSEPH PRESCHOOL	1961 PLUM STREET	PINOLE	94564	26
TULIP CHILD CARE LLC/PINOLE MONTESSORI	2612 APPIAN WAY	PINOLE	94564	64
CONTRA COSTA CO. HEAD START - LAVONIA ALLEN CENTER	94 1/2 MEDANOS AVENUE	BAY POINT	94565	48
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY-RIVERVIEW CENTER	227 PACIFICA AVENUE	BAY POINT	94565	40
DESTINY ACADEMY	1411 EAST LELAND ROAD	PITTSBURG	94565	75
DIANNE ADAIR - DELTA VIEW PRESCHOOL	2916 RIO VERDE DRIVE	PITTSBURGH	94565	10
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HEAD START - KIDS CASTLE	55 CASTLEWOOD DRIVE	PITTSBURG	94565	127

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HEAD START - LIDO SQUARE	2131 CRESTVIEW LANE	PITTSBURG	94565	20
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HEADSTART - ODESSA	204 ODESSA AVE	PITTSBURG	94565	20
FIRST BAPTIST HEAD START - EAST LELAND COURT CTR.	2555 EAST LELAND ROAD	PITTSBURG	94565	36
KIDS FIRST ACADEMY	2430 WILLOW PASS RD., STE 111	BAY POINT	94565	38
KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER	150 EAST LELAND ROAD	PITTSBURG	94565	94
LIGHT THE BAY PRESCHOOL	1210 STONEMAN AVENUE	PITTSBURG	94565	116
LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE CHILD STUDY CENTER	2700 EAST LELAND ROAD	PITTSBURG	94565	80
LYNN CENTER	300 EAST LELAND RD.	PITTSBURG	94565	40
PITTSBURG USD - FOOTHILL STATE PRESCHOOL	1200 JENSEN DRIVE	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PITTSBURG USD - LOS MEDANOS STATE PRESCHOOL	610 CROWLEY AVE	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PITTSBURG USD - MARINA VISTA PRESCHOOL	50 EAST 8TH ST	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PUSD - HEIGHTS PRESCHOOL	40 SEENO STREET	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PUSD - HIGHLANDS PRESCHOOL	4141 HARBOR ST	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PUSD - PARKSIDE PRESCHOOL	985 WEST 17TH STREET	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PUSD - STONEMAN PRESCHOOL	2929 LOVERIDGE RD	PITTSBURG	94565	24
PUSD - WILLOW COVE PRESCHOOL	1880 HANLON WAY	PITTSBURG	94565	24
RAILROAD JUNCTION SCHOOL	2224 RAILROAD AVENUE	PITTSBURG	94565	59
ST. PETER MARTYR SCHOOL	425 WEST 4TH STREET	PITTSBURG	94565	24
SUNNYBROOK LEARNING CENTER	3255 WILLOW PASS ROAD	BAY POINT	94565	53
YWCA OF CONTRA COSTA - BAY POINT	225 PACIFICA AVENUE	BAY POINT	94565	71
YWCA OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY - DELTA YOUTH	605 PACIFICA AVENUE	BAY POINT	94565	60
A LITTLE WORLD MONTESSORI ACADEMY	355 PARKER AVE	RODEO	94572	34
CONTRA COSTA CO. COMM. SVCS. - BAYO VISTA	2 CALIFORNIA STREET	RODEO	94572	42
ST. PATRICK PRESCHOOL	907 SEVENTH STREET	RODEO	94572	45
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - RODEO CDC	200 LAKE AVENUE	RODEO	94572	64
ACORN LEARNING CENTER OF DOUGHERTY VALLEY	17025 BOLLINGER CANYON ROAD	SAN RAMON	94582	167
BRAIN CHAMPS MONTESSORI	21001 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD.	SAN RAMON	94582	21
GODDARD SCHOOL, THE	100 GATEKEEPER RD	SAN RAMON	94582	108
GRACIE'S PLACE PRESCHOOL	17011 BOLLINGER CANYON PL	SAN RAMON	94582	13
LITTLE BRIDGES CHILD CARE CENTER	9015 SOUTH GALE RIDGE ROAD	SAN RAMON	94582	86
SAFARI KID - LITTLE HEARTS	500 BOLLINGER CANYON WAY #A10	SAN RAMON	94582	30
SRVUSD EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PP - LIVE OAK	5151 SHERWOOD WAY	SAN RAMON	94582	24
ACORN LEARNING CENTER OF SAN RAMON	5075 CROW CANYON ROAD	SAN RAMON	94583	151
BRIGHT HORIZONS AT BISHOP RANCH	2603 CAMINO RAMON, STE. 150	SAN RAMON	94583	144
BUILDING KIDZ OF SAN RAMON	210 PORTER AVENUE, SUITE 110	SAN RAMON	94583	80
CHILD DAY SCHOOL, LLC - SAN RAMON	18868 BOLLINGER CANYON RD	SAN RAMON	94583	95
DIABLO HILLS COUNTRY SCHOOL	50 CREEKSIDE DRIVE	SAN RAMON	94583	60
GENIUS KIDS SAN RAMON	2021 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD.	SAN RAMON	94583	40
GROWING ROOM EDUCATION COUNCIL, THE	2340 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD	SAN RAMON	94583	22
HAPPY DAYS PRE-SCHOOL/DAY CARE	20801 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD.	SAN RAMON	94583	40
LA PETITE ACADEMY SAN RAMON	1001 MARKET PLACE	SAN RAMON	94583	105
PANACHE ENFANTS	2410 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD#100	SAN RAMON	94583	60
REDWOODS INTERNATIONALE MONTESSORI, THE	2400 OLD CROW CANYON RD	SAN RAMON	94583	60
SRVUSD EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PP - WALT DISNEY	3250 PINE VALLEY ROAD	SAN RAMON	94583	24
STEPPING STONES LEARNING CENTER II	2691 CROW CANYON ROAD	SAN RAMON	94583	55
DIANNE ADAIR DAY CARE	1847 NEWEL AVE.	WALNUT CREEK	94595	30
GRACE COOPERATIVE PRE-SCHOOL	2100 TICE VALLEY BLVD	WALNUT CREEK	94595	24
LITTLE GENIUS ACADEMY	2151 OLYMPIC BLVD.	WALNUT CREEK	94595	117
PIED PIPER CO-OP PRE-SCHOOL	2263 WHYTE PARK AVE.	WALNUT CREEK	94595	24
CONTRA COSTA CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	2721 LARKEY LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	40
GAN B'NAI SHALOM AT CONGREGATION B'NAI SHALOM	74 ECKLEY LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	65
GAN YILADIM PRESCHOOL	1671 NEWELL AVENUE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	22
KID TIME, INC	2491 SAN MIGUEL DR.	WALNUT CREEK	94596	45
KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER	2850 CHERRY LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	53
KINDER CARE LEARNING CENTER	2521 WALNUT BOULEVARD	WALNUT CREEK	94596	53
LOVE AND CARE LEARNING CENTER	1985 GEARY ROAD	WALNUT CREEK	94596	60
MY SPANISH VILLAGE	1924 TRINITY AVE.	WALNUT CREEK	94596	59
OLD FIREHOUSE SCHOOL WALNUT CREEK	55 ECKLEY LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	45
WALNUT CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH PRESCHOOL	1801 LACASSIE AVENUE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	94

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ALICE'S MONTESSORI LEARNING CENTER - WALNUT CREEK	3158 PUTNAM BOULEVARD	WALNUT CREEK	94597	45
CRAWLERS 2 SCHOLARS-WALNUT CREEK	1338 LAS JUNTAS WAY	WALNUT CREEK	94597	82
GARDEN GATE MONTESSORI SCHOOL	63 SANDY LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94597	20
KID TIME, INC	200 MAYHEW WAY	WALNUT CREEK	94597	80
KIDS SPEAKING SPANISH PRESCHOOL	2780 CAMINO DIABLO	WALNUT CREEK	94597	72
NEW WORLD CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER, WALNUT CREEK	1919 GEARY ROAD	WALNUT CREEK	94597	49
SAYBROOK LEARNING CENTER	1355 WALDEN ROAD	WALNUT CREEK	94597	70
TRINITY LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL	2317 BUENA VISTA AVENUE	WALNUT CREEK	94597	48
WALNUT CREEK CHRISTIAN ACADEMY	2336 BUENA VISTA AVE	WALNUT CREEK	94597	75
BANCROFT PRE-K	2200 PARISH DR.	WALNUT CREEK	94598	46
KLA SCHOOLS OF WALNUT CREEK	298 N. WIGET LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94598	170
LITTLE FLOWERS MONTESSORI - MITCHELL	2875 MITCHELL DR	WALNUT CREEK	94598	144
NORTHCREEK PRESCHOOL	2303 A YGNACIO VALLEY ROAD	WALNUT CREEK	94598	119
SAFARI KID - WALNUT CREEK	2074 TREAT BLVD.	WALNUT CREEK	94598	84
SAFARI KID-WALNUT CREEK	2210 OAK GROVE RD	WALNUT CREEK	94598	75
SEVEN HILLS SCHOOL, THE	975 NORTH SAN CARLOS DRIVE	WALNUT CREEK	94598	64
SPRINGFIELD MONTESSORI SCHOOL	2780 MITCHELL DRIVE	WALNUT CREEK	94598	226
CLAREMONT DAY NURSERIES, INC	1550 OAKVIEW AVE	KENSINGTON	94707	65
GOOD EARTH SCHOOL, THE	1 LAWSON ROAD	KENSINGTON	94707	74
GROWING LIGHT MONTESSORI SCHOOL OF KENSINGTON	52 ARLINGTON AVE.	KENSINGTON	94707	68
KENSINGTON NURSERY SCHOOL	52 ARLINGTON AVENUE	KENSINGTON	94707	38
PINE CREST SCHOOL	1 LAWSON RD.	KENSINGTON	94707	48
NEIGHBORHOOD SCHOOL AT KENSINGTON ELEMENTARY	90 HIGHLAND BLVD, PORTABLE 2	KENSINGTON	94708	30
BRENDA'S KIDZ KARE	227 17TH STREET	RICHMOND	94801	31
CONTRA COSTA CO. CHILD DEV. CENTER - LAS DELTAS	135 WEST GROVE ST.	RICHMOND	94801	20
CONTRA COSTA CO. CHILD DEV. CENTER - VERDE	2000 GIARAMITA AVENUE	RICHMOND	94801	40
ICRI/EL NUEVO MUNDO CHILDRENS CENTER	1707 PENNSYLVANIA AVE.	RICHMOND	94801	97
LA PETITE ACADEMY/MAGIC YEARS	1221 NEVIN AVE. SUITE 200	RICHMOND	94801	48
WCCUSD - CHAVEZ SCHOOL	960 - 17TH STREET	RICHMOND	94801	24
WCCUSD - CORONADO STATE PRESCHOOL	2100 MAINE AVE. RM. K102	RICHMOND	94801	24
WCCUSD - LINCOLN	29 SIXTH STREET	RICHMOND	94801	24
WCCUSD - NYSTROM	230 HARBOUR WAY SOUTH	RICHMOND	94801	24
WCCUSD - WASHINGTON SCHOOL	565 WINE STREET	RICHMOND	94801	24
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - 8TH STREET CDC	445 8TH STREET	RICHMOND	94801	82
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - RICHMOND CDC	485 LUCAS AVENUE	RICHMOND	94801	69
BRIGHT FUTURES GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER	1060 MANOR BLVD	EL SOBRANTE	94803	45
EAST BAY WALDORF SCHOOL	3800 CLARK RD.	EL SOBRANTE	94803	35
HOPE CHILDCARE CENTER & PRESCHOOL	2830 MAY ROAD	EL SOBRANTE	94803	80
KIDS CORNER LEARNING CENTER	716 APPIAN WAY	EL SOBRANTE	94803	70
PATTY'S MONTESSORI SCHOOL	801 PARK CENTRAL ST	RICHMOND	94803	45
SMALL WORLD MONTESSORI SCHOOL, INC.	4555 HILLTOP DRIVE	RICHMOND	94803	75
STEP BY STEP PRESCHOOL, INC.	3500 EL PORTAL DR.	RICHMOND	94803	38
SUNSHINE PLAYSCHOOL	5151 ARGYLE RD.	EL SOBRANTE	94803	24
WCCUSD MARIE MURPHY STATE PRESCHOOL	4350 VALLEY VIEW ROAD	RICHMOND	94803	24
CONTRA COSTA CO. CSD - GEORGE MILLER IIICH.CENTER	300 S. 27TH STREET	RICHMOND	94804	200
CONTRA COSTA CO. HEAD START - BALBOA CDC	1001 S. 57TH STREET	RICHMOND	94804	140
EARLY CHILDHOOD MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM -	200 - 24TH STREET	RICHMOND	94804	15
NOMURA PRESCHOOL	5511 BURLINGAME AVE.	RICHMOND	94804	90
NOMURA SCHOOL (THE)	1711 CARLSON BOULEVARD	RICHMOND	94804	125
RICHMOND COLLEGE PREP PRESCHOOL	217 SOUTH 11TH ST.	RICHMOND	94804	24
W.C.C.U.S.D. - GRANT SCHOOL	2400 DOWNER AVENUE	RICHMOND	94804	24
WCCUSD - MARTIN LUTHER KING STATE PRESCHOOL	4022 FLORIDA AVE RM 114	RICHMOND	94804	24
WCCUSD STATE PRESCHOOL - FORD	2711 MARICOPA AVENUE	RICHMOND	94804	24
YWCA OF CONTRA COSTA - RICHMOND CHILDREN'S CENTER	3230 MACDONALD AVENUE	RICHMOND	94804	59
A LITTLE WORLD MONTESSORI SCHOOL	324 37TH ST	RICHMOND	94805	49
ADVENTURE KINDERLAND AKADEMY	12411 SAN PABLO AVENUE	RICHMOND	94805	35
EARLY CHILDHD ED. SRVCS.DBA CURIOUS EXPLORERS ACAD	4121 MACDONALD AVE	RICHMOND	94805	15
SKYTOWN PRESCHOOL	5714 SOLANO AVENUE	RICHMOND	94805	36
ST. DAVID'S SCHOOL PRE-KINDERGARTEN	5613 GARVIN AVENUE	RICHMOND	94805	36

Day Care Facility Name	Address	City	Zip	Capacity
CONTRA COSTA COLLEGE - EARLY CHILDHOOD LAB SCHOOL	2600 MISSION BELL DRIVE	SAN PABLO	94806	75
HAPPY LION DAY CARE CENTER	2929 CASTRO ROAD	SAN PABLO	94806	29
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER, #1367	3240 SAN PABLO DAM ROAD	SAN PABLO	94806	72
LA PETITE ACADEMY, INC.	3891 LAKESIDE DRIVE	RICHMOND	94806	84
SONJA'S PRESCHOOL AND CHILDCARE CENTER	2300 EL PORTAL DR STE A	SAN PABLO	94806	47
ST. PAUL PRESCHOOL	1825 CHURCH LANE	SAN PABLO	94806	21
SUPREME KIDS ACADEMY	3065 RICHMOND PARKWAY	RICHMOND	94806	48
W.C.C.U.S.D. - RIVERSIDE SCHOOL	1300 AMADOR ST., ROOM 6	SAN PABLO	94806	24
WCCUSD - BAYVIEW	3001 16TH STREET, ROOM M4	SAN PABLO	94806	24
WCCUSD - DOVER	1871 21ST STREET	SAN PABLO	94806	24
WCCUSD - DOWNER PRESCHOOL	1231 18TH STREET, ROOM 126	SAN PABLO	94806	24
WCCUSD - MONTALVIN C/O PRESCHOOL DEPARTMENT	300 CHRISTINE DRIVE	SAN PABLO	94806	24
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - GIANT ROAD CDC	919 LAKE STREET	SAN PABLO	94806	36

Source: <https://secure.dss.ca.gov/CareFacilitySearch/DownloadData>

Table 74 – Licensed Infant Care Facilities and Capacity by Zip Code, February 2021

Infant Care Facility Name	Address	City	Zip	Capacity
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HEAD START - FAIRGROUNDS	1203 W. 10TH	ANTIOCH	94509	20
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	4108 LONE TREE WAY	ANTIOCH	94509	30
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	2300 MAHOGANY WAY	ANTIOCH	94509	36
LA PETITE ACADEMY	1350 EAST TREGALLAS RD	ANTIOCH	94509	12
BABY YALE ACADEMY	5521 LONE TREE WAY	BRENTWOOD	94513	66
BABY YALE ACADEMY-HARVEST PARK	605 HARVEST PARK, STE A	BRENTWOOD	94513	24
GENIUS KIDS - BRENTWOOD	1265 DAINTY AVE	BRENTWOOD	94513	28
GODDARD SCHOOL, THE	115 TECHNOLOGY WAY	BRENTWOOD	94513	24
KIDDIE ACADEMY	8680 BRENTWOOD BLVD.	BRENTWOOD	94513	24
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	2321 EAGLE ROCK AVE.	BRENTWOOD	94513	32
STAY AND PLAY PRESCHOOL	771 GRIFFITH LANE	BRENTWOOD	94513	5
WEE CARE CENTER	1275 FAIRVIEW AVENUE	BRENTWOOD	94513	12
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	6095 MAIN STREET	CLAYTON	94517	28
LA PETITE ACADEMY, INC.	4304 COWELL ROAD	CONCORD	94518	20
MY SECOND HOME	1011 OAK GROVE RD.	CONCORD	94518	24
SUPER KIDZ CLUB	2140 MINERT RD	CONCORD	94518	9
CALVARY CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL	3425 CONCORD BLVD	CONCORD	94519	6
FIRST LUTHERAN PRESCHOOL	4006 CONCORD BLVD	CONCORD	94519	6
JOYFUL KIDS ACADEMY LLC DBA PARKSIDE JOYFUL KIDS	2898 CONCORD BLVD.	CONCORD	94519	20
BRIGHT STARS CHILDREN'S CENTER INC.	1581 MEADOW LANE	CONCORD	94520	8
CONCORD CHILD CARE CENTER-INFANTS	1360 B DETROIT AVENUE	CONCORD	94520	32
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CSB GEORGE MILLER CENTER	3068 GRANT ST	CONCORD	94520	52
GEORGE MILLER CENTER - CONCORD	3020 GRANT STREET	CONCORD	94520	74
BUILDING KIDZ SCHOOL	5100 CLAYTON RD, F36	CONCORD	94521	27
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	1551 BAILEY ROAD	CONCORD	94521	32
A SMALL WORLD INFANT & TODDLER CENTER	1641 OAK PARK BLVD.	PLEASANT HILL	94523	51
ALICE'S MONTESSORI LEARNING CENTERS	1041 HOOK AVE.	PLEASANT HILL	94523	24
DIABLO VALLEY COLLEGE DEVELOPMENTAL CHILDREN'S CTR	321 GOLF CLUB ROAD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	20
KIDZ-PLANET, INC	2245 MORELLO AVE, SUITE C	PLEASANT HILL	94523	70
WHERE THE WILD THINGS PLAY PRESCHOOL	2551 PLEASANT HILL RD	PLEASANT HILL	94523	12
A NEW WORLD OF MONTESSORI	101 SONORA AVENUE	DANVILLE	94526	24
LARSON'S INFANT CENTER	940 DIABLO ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	14
PLACE TO PLAY & GROW, A	909 CAMINO RAMON	DANVILLE	94526	26
SYCAMORE VALLEY DAY SCHOOL	1500 SHERBURNE HILLS ROAD	DANVILLE	94526	8
PRIDE AND JOY PRE-SCHOOL	1226 LIBERTY STREET	EL CERRITO	94530	28
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	4308 FOLSOM DRIVE	ANTIOCH	94531	20
LEARNING EXPERIENCE, THE	4831 LONE TREE WAY	ANTIOCH	94531	32
DIABLO VALLEY MONTESSORI SCHOOL, INC. #2	3408 DEERHILL ROAD	LAFAYETTE	94549	40
FIRST STEPS LEARNING CENTER	3201 STANLEY BOULEVARD	LAFAYETTE	94549	32
OLD FIREHOUSE SCHOOL	984 MORAGA ROAD	LAFAYETTE	94549	8
SEEDLINGS	49 KNOX DRIVE	LAFAYETTE	94549	16

Infant Care Facility Name	Address	City	Zip	Capacity
CHILDTIME CHILDREN'S CENTER	6635 ALHAMBRA AVENUE, STE. 300	MARTINEZ	94553	28
FOREST HILLS PRESCHOOL AND CHILD CARE	5834 ALHAMBRA AVENUE	MARTINEZ	94553	16
FOREST HILLS PRESCHOOL AND CHILD CARE CENTER	127 MIDHILL RD	MARTINEZ	94553	12
KIDS AT WORK	255 GLACIER DRIVE	MARTINEZ	94553	15
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	1285 MORELLO AVENUE	MARTINEZ	94553	16
MARTINEZ EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER, INC.	615 ARCH STREET	MARTINEZ	94553	28
CHILD DAY SCHOOL, LLC - MORAGA	372 PARK STREET	MORAGA	94556	10
CREATIVE MONTESSORI PRESCHOOL	1350 MORAGA WAY	MORAGA	94556	14
LAMORINDA MONTESSORI LLC	1450 MORAGA RD.	MORAGA	94556	12
CONTRA COSTA COUNTY CHILD START - LOS ARBOLES	240 LAS DUNAS	OAKLEY	94561	16
KIDDIE ACADEMY	1620 NERLOY RD.	OAKLEY	94561	48
CONTRA COSTA CO. COMM. SVCS.- AMBROSE	3103 WILLOW PASS RD	BAY POINT	94565	22
FIRST BAPTIST HEAD START - EAST LELAND COURT CTR	2555 EAST LELAND ROAD	PITTSBURG	94565	8
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER	150 EAST LELAND ROAD	PITTSBURG	94565	36
LIL' GENIUS KID, THE	33 AMBROSE AVE	BAY POINT	94565	30
LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE CHILD STUDY CENTER	2700 EAST LELAND RD.	PITTSBURG	94565	16
CONTRA COSTA CO. COMM. SVCS. - BAYO VISTA	2 CALIFORNIA STREET	RODEO	94572	12
ST. PATRICK INFANT CENTER	907 SEVENTH STREET	RODEO	94572	30
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - RODEO CDC	200 LAKE AVE	RODEO	94572	13
GODDARD SCHOOL, THE	100 GATEKEEPER RD	SAN RAMON	94582	53
LITTLE BRIDGES CHILD CARE CENTER	9015 SOUTH GALE RIDGE ROAD	SAN RAMON	94582	24
BRIGHT HORIZONS AT BISHOP RANCH	2603 CAMINO RAMON, STE. 150	SAN RAMON	94583	60
CHILD DAY SCHOOL, LLC - SAN RAMON	18868 BOLLINGER CANYON RD	SAN RAMON	94583	9
GENIUS KIDS SAN RAMON	2021 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD.	SAN RAMON	94583	27
LA PETITE ACADEMY SAN RAMON - INFANT	1001 MARKET PLACE	SAN RAMON	94583	28
LITTLE REDWOODS INFANT CENTER, INC., THE	2400 OLD CROW CANYON ROAD, #A4	SAN RAMON	94583	12
PANACHE ENFANTS	2410 SAN RAMON VALLEY BLVD#100	SAN RAMON	94583	12
STEPPING STONES LEARNING CENTER II	2691 CROW CANYON RD.	SAN RAMON	94583	7
GAN YILADIM PRESCHOOL	1671 NEWELL AVENUE	WALNUT CREEK	94595	9
LITTLE GENIUS ACADEMY	2151 OLYMPIC BLVD.	WALNUT CREEK	94595	30
GAN B'NAI SHALOM AT CONGREGATION B'NAI SHALOM	74 ECKLEY LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94596	10
LOVE AND CARE LEARNING CENTER	1985 GEARY ROAD	WALNUT CREEK	94596	37
CRAWLERS 2 SCHOLARS-WALNUT CREEK	1338 LAS JUNTAS WAY	WALNUT CREEK	94597	8
KLA SCHOOLS OF WALNUT CREEK	298 N. WIGET LANE	WALNUT CREEK	94598	60
CONTRA COSTA CO. CHILD DEV. CENTER - LAS DELTAS	135 WEST GROVE	RICHMOND	94801	14
LA PETITE ACADEMY/MAGIC YEARS	1221 NEVIN AVE. SUITE 200	RICHMOND	94801	36
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - 8TH STREET CDC	445 8TH STREET CDC	RICHMOND	94801	36
YMCA OF THE EAST BAY - RICHMOND CDC	485 LUCAS AVENUE	RICHMOND	94801	32
HOPE CHILDCARE CENTER & PRESCHOOL	2830 MAY ROAD	EL SOBRANTE	94803	29
KIDS CORNER LEARNING CENTER	716 APPIAN WAY	EL SOBRANTE	94803	26
SMALL WORLD MONTESSORI SCHOOL, INC.	4555 HILLTOP DR.	RICHMOND	94803	19
CONTRA COSTA CO. HEAD START - BALBOA CDC	1001 - SOUTH 57TH ST	RICHMOND	94804	38
CONTRA COSTA CO CSD INFANT @ CO CO COLLEGE	2600 MISSION BELL DRIVE	SAN PABLO	94806	28
GEORGE MILLER CENTER - RICHMOND	2801 ROBERT MILLER DRIVE	RICHMOND	94806	40
KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER, #1367	3240 SAN PABLO DAM ROAD	SAN PABLO	94806	33
LA PETITE ACADEMY	3891 LAKESIDE DRIVE	RICHMOND	94806	24
SONJA'S PRESCHOOL AND CHILDCARE CENTER	2300 EL PORTAL DR STE A	SAN PABLO	94806	28

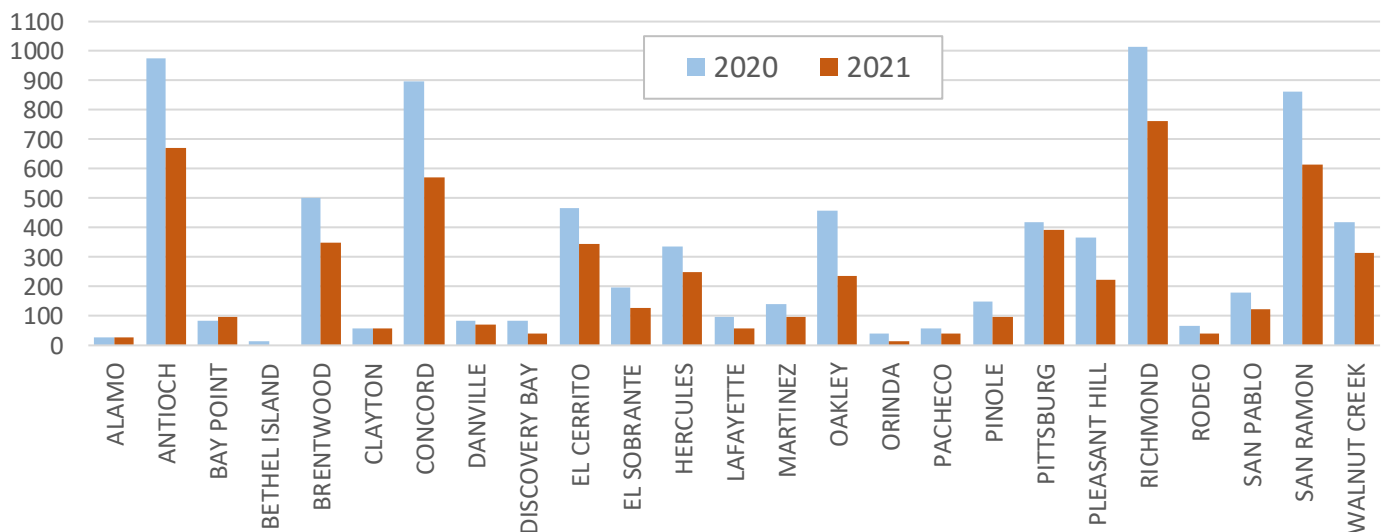
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Table 75 – Number of Child Care Slots in Licensed Family Homes by City, February 2021

Location	Number of Homes	Capacity
ALAMO	2	26
ANTIOCH	48	670
BAY POINT	7	98
BRENTWOOD	25	348
CLAYTON	4	56
CONCORD	41	570
DANVILLE	5	70
DISCOVERY BAY	3	42

Location	Number of Homes	Capacity
EL CERRITO	25	346
EL SOBRANTE	9	126
HERCULES	18	250
LAFAYETTE	4	56
MARTINEZ	7	98
OAKLEY	17	236
ORINDA	1	14
PACHECO	3	42
PINOLE	7	96
PITTSBURG	28	392
PLEASANT HILL	17	222
RICHMOND	55	762
RODEO	3	42
SAN PABLO	9	124
SAN RAMON	44	616
WALNUT CREEK	23	314
Total	405	5,616

Figure 22 – Number of Slots in Licensed Family Homes by City, 2020 – 2021



AFFORDABILITY OF CHILD CARE

According to the California Child Care Resource and Referral Network, California ranks as the third least affordable state for child care, and the average cost of infant care exceeds the average tuition at a four-year public university.¹⁶ The October 2019 California Preschool Development Grant Birth Through Five Program Needs Assessment puts California last in the nation for the affordability of infant care. The gap between childcare need and the ability to pay for quality care continues to particularly plague low income, high-need families and communities. But the rising cost of childcare represents a critical barrier to access even for middle class families earning the county’s 2019 estimated family median of \$114,535 among families with 0-5 year olds. In 2019, full-time care for infants costs an average of \$12,543 in family childcare homes and \$19,460 in childcare centers annually, representing a 10.1% (\$1,149) increase for family home care and a 10.0% (\$1,770) increase for center care since 2017. The average cost for full time preschool care in a family home (\$11,957) has similarly risen 9.9%, while the cost for full time preschool care in a center (\$14,284) has increased 13.5% since 2017.

¹⁶ <https://rnetwork.org/assets/general-files/Child-Care-Costs-2019.pdf>

Table 76 – Child Care Costs by Age and Licensed Facility Type

	2017		2019	
	CENTERS	FAMILY HOMES	CENTERS	FAMILY HOMES
Full-time Infant Care	\$17,690	\$11,394	\$19,460	\$12,543
Full-time Preschool Care	\$12,589	\$10,880	\$14,284	\$11,957

Source: 2019 CA Child Care Portfolio, CA Child Care Resource & Referral Network; https://www.rrnetwork.org/2017_portfolio. Note that the portfolios are released biennially.

Foster Care

As of October 2020, the county has a total of 661 children age 0-17 in the foster care system, with 247 first entries. The total in care in the county is down 21.1% or 177 children since 2019, while entries in fell 37.2% or 146 children age 0-17 since 2019. Foster children age 0-5 continue to represent a relatively high proportion of all Contra Costa County children in care (32.2% or 213 children), although the proportion has fallen from 34.9% in 2019. The county has 47 (7.1%) infants, 80 (12.1%) 1-2 year olds and 86 (13.0%) 3-5 year olds in foster care as of October 2020.

Table 77 – Change in Children in Foster Care, 2006-2020

	2017	2018	2019	2020	% Change since 2019
Entries into Foster Care	441	366	393	247	-37.2%
PIT Children in Foster Care	964	868	838	661	-21.1%

Source: CA Child Welfare Indicators Project (CCWIP), UC Berkeley; <https://ccwip.berkeley.edu/childwelfare/reports/Entries/MTSG/r/ab636/s>

In Contra Costa, foster care first entries among infants less than 1 month old fell 13.3% to 39 since 2019, but represent 20.4% of all first entries (191). The number of infants age 1-11 months with first entries fell 40.5% or 15 infants since 2019, but represent 11.5% of all first entries. First entries involving 1 to 2 year olds (19) in 2020 fell 50.0% since 2019, and represent 10.0% of all first entries. Children age 0-5 now represent 55.0% (105) of all 2020 first entries, up slightly from 54.5% in 2019.

Table 78 – First Entries into Foster Care by Age, 2011-2020

Age Group	2010	2014	2018	2019	2020
< 1 mos.	30	41	77	45	39
1-11 mos.	46	43	36	37	22
1-2 yrs.	57	59	34	38	19
3-5 yrs.	48	61	42	43	25
6-10 yrs.	49	107	54	58	34
11-15 yrs.	58	66	56	60	38
16-17 yrs.	13	12	15	16	14
Total	301	389	314	297	191

Source: CA Child Welfare Indicators Project (CCWIP), UC Berkeley; <https://ccwip.berkeley.edu/childwelfare/reports/Entries/MTSG/r/ab636/s>

Figure 23 – First Entries into Foster Care by Age, 2010 – 2020

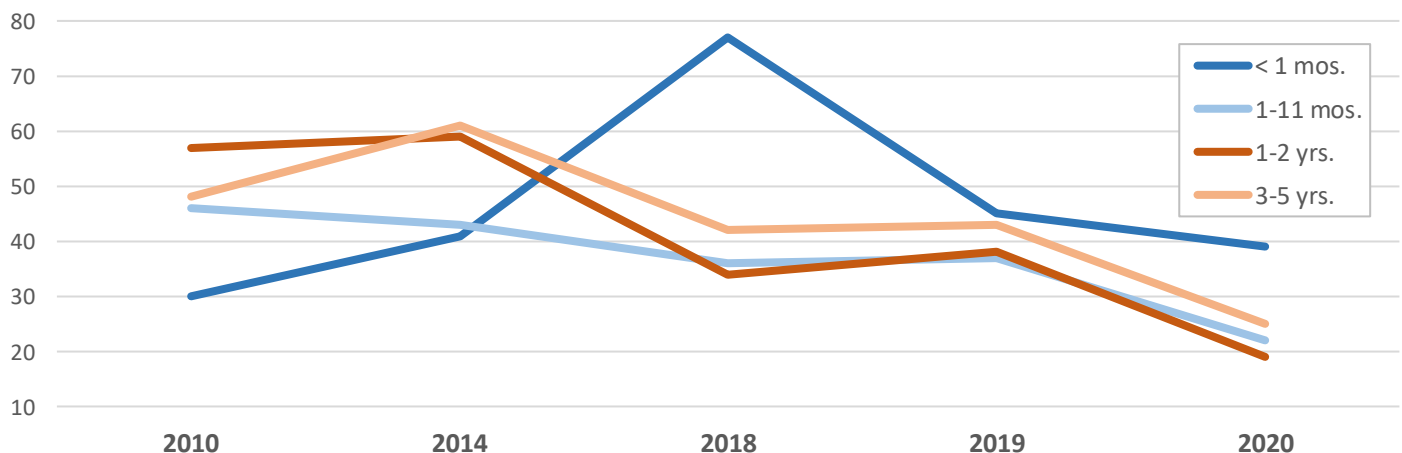


Table 79 – Foster Care First Entries by Ethnicity, Contra Costa County 2010–2020

Race/Ethnicity	2010	2014	2018	2019	2020
African American/Black	105	153	124	101	51
Asian/Pacific Islander	--	--	--	21	11
Latino	94	102	76	82	67
White	89	122	81	82	45

Source: <https://ccwip.berkeley.edu/childwelfare/reports/Entries/MTSG/r/ab636/s>

In 2020, a total of 51 (26.7%) first entries into foster care in the county are African American children, 11 (5.8%) are Asian/Pacific Islander children, 67 (35.1%) are Latino children and 45 (23.6%) are White children.

Foster Students

The CDE provides a count of foster students enrolled by school district as maintained in the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) who are matched with foster children maintained in the Case Management System of the Child Welfare System. Based on the latest data available, Contra Costa schools enrolled 863 matched foster students in 2019-20, which is a 11.6% decline of 113 students from 976 in 2018-19. In the 2019-20 school year, just 55 (6.4%) foster students are kindergarteners, which is a 30.4% decrease from 79 (8.1%) in the prior year. As in 2018-19, Antioch (262), West Contra Costa (170) and Mt. Diablo (154) Unified districts have largest number of foster students of all ages. Antioch Unified (25), West Contra Costa Unified (11) and Mt. Diablo Unified (6) continue to be the districts with the largest share of foster kindergarteners. Antioch Unified (down 34), Contra Costa County Office of Education (down 21, Mt. Diablo Unified (down 36), Oakley Union Elementary (down 13), Pittsburg Unified (down 12) and West Contra Costa Unified (down 53) saw significant declines in the number of foster students enrolled since 2018-19. Byron Union Elementary, up 8 foster students, saw the largest increase since the prior year.

Table 80 – Contra Costa County Foster Students, 2019-20

District	Kindergarten	Grade 1-6	Grade 7-12	Total
Acalanes Union High	0	0	6	6
Antioch Unified	25	110	127	262
Brentwood Union Elementary	5	31	7	43
Byron Union Elementary	1	12	3	16
Contra Costa County Office of Educ.	0	2	73	75
John Swett Unified	0	7	4	11
Knightsen Elementary	0	1	0	1
Lafayette Elementary	0	0	1	1
Liberty Union High	0	0	50	50
Martinez Unified	2	8	6	16
Moraga Elementary	1	0	0	1
Mt. Diablo Unified	6	62	86	154
Oakley Union Elementary	5	9	10	24
Orinda Union Elementary	1	0	0	1
Pittsburg Unified	1	33	51	85
San Ramon Valley Unified	1	12	23	36
Walnut Creek Elementary	0	1	0	1
West Contra Costa Unified	11	66	93	170
County Total (unduplicated)	55	330	478	863
Statewide (unduplicated)	4,190	19,416	21,701	45,307

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Enrollment

Public school enrollment in Contra Costa County has grown steadily and gradually from 168,228 students in 2010-11 to 178,411 in 2019-20, which represents a slight increase of 0.3% or 469 students since the prior year. Compared to the county as a whole, most districts experienced more significant shifts. Districts that saw much larger than average 1-year enrollment increases include Brentwood Union Elementary (up 109 students or 1.2%), Contra Costa County Office of Education (up 259 or 4.7%), Orinda Union Elementary (up 22 or 0.9%), SBE – Synergy, Rocketship Futuro Academy (up 109 or 25.7%) and West Contra Costa Unified (up 383 students or 1.2%). In contrast, districts that saw notable enrollment declines include Acalanes Union High (down 48 students or 0.8%), John Swett Unified (down 17 or 1.2%), Knightsen Elementary (down 27 or 4.3%), Lafayette Elementary (down 39 or 1.1%), Oakley Union Elementary (down 73 or 1.4%) and San Ramon Valley Unified (down 227 or 0.7%).

Table 81 – Contra Costa County Public School Enrollment, 2010–2020

2010-11	2012-13	2014-15	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
168,228	171,418	174,802	177,370	178,060	177,942	178,411

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Contra Costa school districts with the highest enrollment include West Contra Costa Unified (32143), San Ramon Valley (31,911) and Mt. Diablo Unified (31,037), and the combined enrollment of these 3 districts accounts for a little over half (53.3%) of the county’s entire enrollment.

Table 82 – Enrollment in Contra Costa County by School District, 2019 – 2020

District	2018-19	2019-20	1-Year Change	% Change
Countywide	177,942	178,411	469	0.3
Acalanes Union High	5,683	5,635	-48	-0.8
Antioch Unified	17,183	17,167	-16	-0.1
Brentwood Union Elementary	9,181	9,290	109	1.2
Byron Union Elementary	2,277	2,274	-3	-0.1
Canyon Elementary	68	69	1	1.5
Contra Costa Office of Ed	5,530	5,789	259	4.7
John Swett Unified	1,439	1,422	-17	-1.2
Knightsen Elementary	632	605	-27	-4.3
Lafayette Elementary	3,576	3,537	-39	-1.1
Liberty Union High	8,320	8,304	-16	-0.2
Martinez Unified	4,164	4,156	-8	-0.2
Moraga Elementary	1,851	1,855	4	0.2
Mt. Diablo Unified	31,013	31,037	24	0.1
Oakley Union Elementary	5,267	5,194	-73	-1.4
Orinda Union Elementary	2,546	2,568	22	0.9
Pittsburg Unified	11,345	11,367	22	0.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	32,138	31,911	-227	-0.7
SBE – Synergy, Rocketship Futuro Academy	424	533	109	25.7
Walnut Creek Elementary	3,545	3,555	10	0.3
West Contra Costa Unified	31,760	32,143	383	1.2

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

In 2019-20, the county’s student population is 36.7% Latino, 28.7% White, 13.1% Asian, 8.6% Black/African American, 6.6% multi-racial and 4.1% Filipino. Since 2018-19, county school districts saw declines in the number of African American students (down 186 or 1.2%), Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander students (down 37 or 3.3%) and White students (down 1,005 or 1.9%). Notable 1-year increases in Hispanic/Latino students (up 1,347 or 2.1%), multi-racial students (up 675 or 6.1%), Asian students (up 334 or 1.5%) and American Indian/Native Alaskan students (up 28 or 5.5%) were also reported. The racial and ethnic composition of the student body has changed dramatically since 2010, with the largest

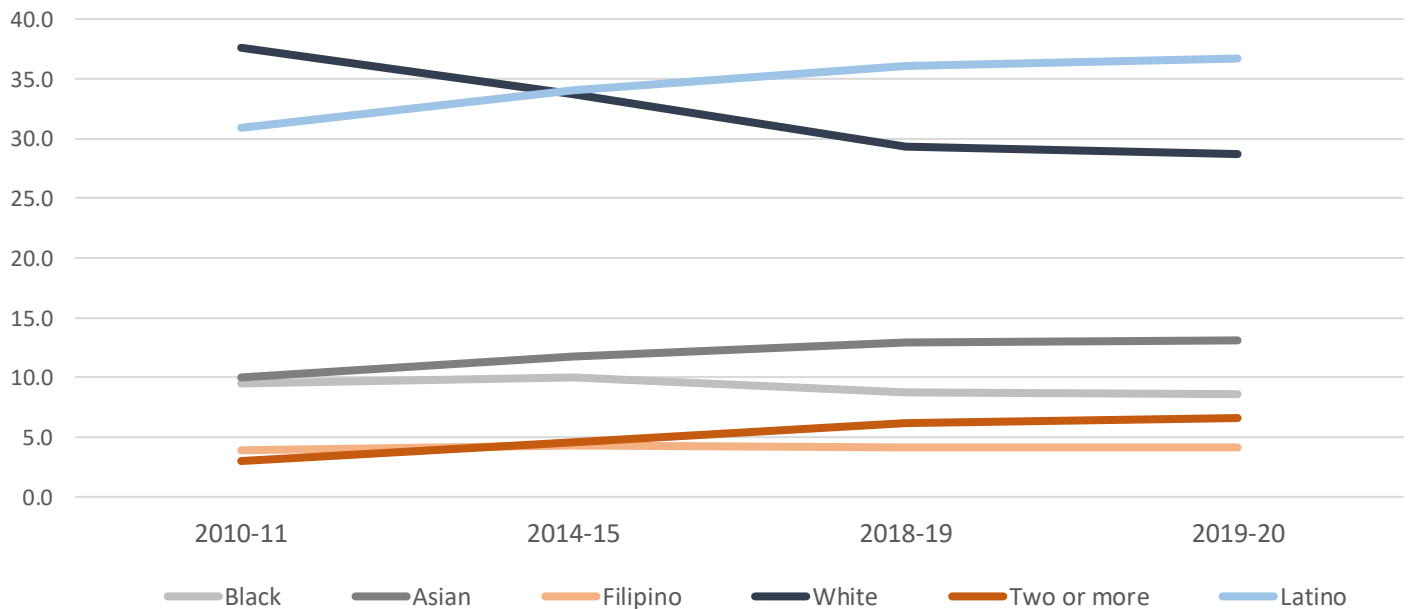
increases among multi-racial students (up 6,666 or 130.8%), Asian students (up 6,572 or 39.2%), Latino students (up 13,597 or 26.2%) and Filipino students (up 843 or 12.9%), and the largest decreases among White students (down 12,196 or 19.3%), American Indian/Native Alaskan students (down 104 or 16.3%) and Black/African American students (down 636 or 4.0%).

Table 83 – Enrollment in Contra Costa Schools by Race and Ethnicity, 2010 – 2020

Rae/Ethnicity		2010-11	2014-15	2018-19	2019-20
African American/Black	Count	15,965	17,401	15,515	15,329
	%	9.5	10.0	8.7	8.6
Amer. Indian/Alaskan	Count	638	612	506	534
	%	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Asian/Asian American	Count	16,751	20,418	22,989	23,323
	%	10.0	11.7	12.9	13.1
Filipino	Count	6,548	7,466	7,344	7,391
	%	3.9	4.3	4.1	4.1
Native HI/Pac. Islander	Count	1,162	1,191	1,137	1,100
	%	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6
White	Count	63,337	58,953	52,146	51,141
	%	37.6	33.7	29.3	28.7
Two or More	Count	5,098	8,111	11,089	11,764
	%	3.0	4.6	6.2	6.6
Hispanic/Latino	Count	51,921	59,426	64,171	65,518
	%	30.9	34.0	36.1	36.7

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Figure 24 – School Enrollment by Race and Ethnicity, 2010 – 2020



ACS estimates indicate that from 2007 to 2019 both the state and county have seen relative stability in the proportion of school enrollees who attend preschool and kindergarten, although the state has seen a slight 0.2 percentage point increase in the proportion who attend nursery or preschool, compared to the county’s slight 0.2 point decline. Despite this decline, Contra Costa (6.3%) continues in 2019 to outpace the state (5.8%) in the proportion of children in preschool. Since 2007, both the state and the county have seen declines in the proportion of enrollees who attend elementary school and high school, with a 0.7 point drop of elementary school enrollees and a 1.1 point drop of high school enrollees in the county. Still, the county maintains a slightly higher proportion of elementary school (39.9%) and high school (22.1%) enrollees than the state (38.0% and 20.6%, respectively). Since 2007, both the state (up 3.3 points) and the county (up 2.0 points) have seen an increase in the proportion of enrollees who

attend undergraduate or graduate college or professional school, but in 2019 the state continues to have a higher proportion of enrollees who attend college (30.7%) as compared to the county (26.8%). Since 2018, the number (18,584) and proportion (6.3%) of enrollees who attend nursery or preschool in Contra Costa has increased a slight 0.7% or 129 students, while the number (14,328) and percentage (4.9%) who attend kindergarten has fallen 4.4% or 667 children. Since 2018, the county has also seen a small 1.6% or 1,035 increase in the number (65,275) and percentage (22.1%) of all school enrollees who attend high school.

Table 84 – School Enrollment 2007 – 2019

	COUNTY 2007		STATE 2007	COUNTY 2019		STATE 2019
	COUNT	PERCENT	PERCENT	COUNT	PERCENT	PERCENT
Nursery school, preschool	17,851	6.5	5.6	18,584	6.3	5.8
Kindergarten	13,878	5.0	4.8	14,328	4.9	5.0
Elementary school (grades 1-	111,837	40.6	39.7	117,656	39.9	38.0
High school (grades 9-12)	63,847	23.2	22.3	65,275	22.1	20.6
College or graduate school	68,333	24.8	27.4	79,176	26.8	30.7
Total Enrollment	275,746		10,341,546	295,019		10,423,307

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Table 85 – School Enrollment by Census Place, 2019

Area	Pop. 3 & over in school	In Nursery / preschool	% in Nursery / preschool	Public Nursery/ Preschool	% in public preschool	Pop. Age 3-4	Age 3-4 in school	% Age 3-4 in school
California	10,423,307	606,655	5.8	352,309	58.1	1,021,926	507,284	49.6
Contra Costa Cty	295,019	18,584	6.3	8,402	45.2	27,772	15,021	54.1
Alamo	3,940	217	5.5	29	13.4	149	120	80.5
Antioch	29,841	1,334	4.5	905	67.8	2,831	1,015	35.9
Bayview	565	35	6.2	35	100.0	59	35	59.3
Bethel Island	521	11	2.1	11	100.0	38	11	28.9
Blackhawk	2,409	163	6.8	8	4.9	212	115	54.2
Brentwood	19,011	1,128	5.9	523	46.4	1,470	971	66.1
Clayton	3,372	283	8.4	65	23.0	273	237	86.8
Concord	29,653	2,344	7.9	1,237	52.8	3,354	1,907	56.9
Contra Costa Ctr	759	69	9.1	17	24.6	39	39	100.0
Crockett	637	22	3.5	11	50.0	51	22	43.1
Danville	12,149	695	5.7	209	30.1	1,122	592	52.8
Discovery Bay	4,235	165	3.9	63	38.2	482	177	36.7
E Richmond Hts	449	22	4.9	0	0.0	22	22	100.0
El Cerrito	5,658	494	8.7	57	11.5	637	428	67.2
El Sobrante	3,632	177	4.9	60	33.9	287	203	70.7
Hercules	6,408	281	4.4	99	35.2	439	170	38.7
Kensington	1,152	73	6.3	0	0.0	35	24	68.6
Lafayette	7,371	655	8.9	255	38.9	557	543	97.5
Martinez	8,620	666	7.7	360	54.1	871	548	62.9
Moraga	6,333	239	3.8	64	26.8	183	183	100.0
Oakley	13,110	778	5.9	329	42.3	1,466	636	43.4
Orinda	5,193	358	6.9	0	0.0	400	301	75.3
Pacheco	894	46	5.1	46	100.0	89	23	25.8
Pinole	4,484	273	6.1	113	41.4	334	244	73.1
Pittsburg	18,808	977	5.2	683	69.9	2,222	876	39.4
Pleasant Hill	8,474	825	9.7	230	27.9	882	643	72.9
Richmond	26,371	1,472	5.6	1,106	75.1	2,633	1,147	43.6
Rodeo	2,835	155	5.5	101	65.2	280	130	46.4
San Pablo	8,451	301	3.6	248	82.4	770	264	34.3
San Ramon	23,286	1,780	7.6	450	25.3	2,060	1,488	72.2
Tara Hills	1,163	21	1.8	14	66.7	106	21	19.8
Vine Hill	1,011	56	5.5	21	37.5	167	56	33.5
Walnut Creek	12,995	962	7.4	294	30.6	1,312	894	68.1

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Of Contra Costa residents age 3 and older enrolled in school, 18,584 (6.3%) attend nursery or preschool in 2019, up a slight 0.7% or 129 students since 2018, similar to California overall which saw a 1.0% increase. The number of nursery or preschoolers rose most notably in Brentwood (up 25), Kensington (up 25), Pacheco (up 31), Lafayette (up 38), Oakley (up 42), Pinole (up 57), Antioch (up 63), Concord (up 183) and Martinez (up 199). In contrast, the number of children in nursery or preschool fell most significantly since 2018 in Alamo (down 36), Danville (down 36), Hercules (down 39), Orinda (down 40), San Pablo (down 41), Moraga (down 53), Tara Hills (down 61), Richmond (down 70), Pleasant Hill (down 73), Discovery Bay (down 115) and San Ramon (down 125). Countywide, 45.2% of those enrolled attend public preschools, up 2.0 percentage points since 2018, while 58.1% attend public preschools in California, up a slight 0.2 points.

About 15,021 (54.1%) of all Contra Costa 3-4 year olds are enrolled in preschool, down 128 children or 0.8% since 2018. Although county enrollment of 3-4 year olds (54.1%) continues to surpass the state (49.6%), the county rate has fallen gradually since 2015 while the state rate continues to rise. Areas with notable declines in the enrollment of 3-4 year olds include Moraga (down 47), Tara Hills (down 61), Danville (down 65), Discovery Bay (down 71), Hercules (down 76), Pittsburg (down 81), Pleasant Hill (down 86) and San Ramon (down 95). Areas with a much lower than average proportion of 3-4 year olds in school (54.1%) include Pittsburg (39.4%), Hercules (38.7%), Discovery Bay (36.7%), Antioch (35.9%), San Pablo (34.3%), Vine Hill (33.5%), Bethel Island (28.9%), Pacheco (25.8%) and Tara Hills (19.8%).

Of all Contra Costa County residents 3 years and older enrolled in school (295,019) in 2019, 6.3% attend nursery or preschool, but rates vary by nativity, with 6.8% of native-born, 0.5% of naturalized citizens and 3.2% of non-citizens 3 and older enrolled in school attending preschool. The county has 32,758 foreign-born residents enrolled in school, with the highest numbers in Pittsburg (3,081), Richmond (4,291) and Concord (4,415). Of enrolled foreign-born residents, 21,471 in school are non-citizens, with the highest numbers in Pittsburg (1,713), San Ramon (1,785), Richmond (3,247) and Concord (3,399). The percentage of non-citizens 3 and older in school who attend preschool is much higher than the county as a whole (3.2%) in Brentwood (4.6%), Concord (6.1%), San Ramon (6.4%) and Walnut Creek (7.3%). In contrast, Antioch (1.3%), Danville (0.0%), Hercules (0.0%), Pittsburg (0.9%) and Richmond (0.6%) have an unusually low percentage of non-citizens in school who attend nursery or preschool.

Table 86 – School Enrollment by Nativity and Census Place, 2019

Area	Pop. 3 and over in school	% Nursery/preschool	Native		Foreign born		Foreign born; Naturalized		Foreign born; Non-citizen	
			3 and over in school	% in Nursery/preschool	3 and over in school	% in Nursery/preschool	3 and over in school	% in Nursery/preschool	3 and over in school	% in Nursery/preschool
California	10,423,307	5.8	9,342,856	6.3	1,080,451	1.6	395,202	0.7	685,249	2.1
Countywide	295,019	6.3	262,261	6.8	32,758	2.3	11,287	0.5	21,471	3.2
Antioch	29,841	4.5	27,208	4.7	2,633	1.9	992	2.7	1,641	1.3
Brentwood	19,011	5.9	17,943	6.1	1,068	2.3	529	0.0	539	4.6
Concord	29,653	7.9	25,238	8.5	4,415	4.7	1,016	0.0	3,399	6.1
Danville	12,149	5.7	11,585	6.0	564	0.0	174	0.0	390	0.0
El Cerrito	5,658	8.7	4,273	10.9	1,385	2.2	517	0.0	868	3.5
Hercules	6,408	4.4	5,945	4.7	463	0.0	253	0.0	210	0.0
Pittsburg	18,808	5.2	15,727	6.1	3,081	0.5	1,368	0.0	1,713	0.9
Richmond	26,371	5.6	22,080	6.6	4,291	0.5	1,044	0.0	3,247	0.6
San Pablo	8,451	3.6	6,878	3.8	1,573	2.4	379	0.0	1,194	3.2
San Ramon	23,286	7.6	20,396	8.1	2,890	4.6	1,105	1.6	1,785	6.4
Walnut	12,995	7.4	11,263	7.8	1,732	5.1	528	0.0	1,204	7.3

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

About 37.5% of all California residents age 3 and over living below the FPL attend school in 2019, compared to 33.6% (31,637) in the county. Since 2018, the county experienced a 3.3% or 1,085 drop in the number of school enrollees age 3 and over who live below the FPL, compared to the state's 6.9% decline. Communities with the largest declines in enrollees below the FPL include Blackhawk (down

106), Antioch (down 131), Concord (down 146), Richmond (down 253) and Walnut Creek (down 265). Areas that saw notable increases in enrollees below the FPL include Crockett (up 60), Bethel Island (up 90), Pittsburg (up 105), Danville (up 108), El Cerrito (up 131) and Oakley (up 289). Compared to the county overall (33.6%), the percentage of those 3 and older in school who live below the FPL is considerably higher than average in El Sobrante (40.5%), Lafayette (40.7%), Kensington (41.1%), Blackhawk (41.2%), Brentwood (43.7%), Discovery Bay (44.6%) and Rodeo (51.8%).

An estimated 1,615 Contra Costa residents below the FPL attend nursery or preschool in 2019, which is a notable 22.5% increase of 297 enrollees since 2018. In contrast, the state saw an 8.1% decline in the number of preschool enrollees below the FPL. The highest preschool enrollment numbers among residents below the FPL occur in San Pablo (142), Pittsburg (202), Concord (203), Richmond (242) and Antioch (250). Areas that saw a notable increase in the number of preschool attendees below the FPL include Richmond (up 34), San Pablo (up 35) and Concord (up 103). Another 9,090 residents below the FPL attend college, down 1.5% or 138 students since 2018, with the highest concentrations of college enrollees in El Cerrito (509), Pittsburg (646), Pleasant Hill (671), Antioch (724), Richmond (870) and Concord (1,266). The number of residents below the FPL who attend college fell most notably in Richmond (down 114), Walnut Creek (down 139) and Pleasant Hill (down 160), but rose notably in Pittsburg (up 82), Concord (up 132), Oakley (up 149) and El Cerrito (up 161).

Table 87 – School Enrollment of Residents Below FPL by Census Place, 2019

Area	Total Age 3 & Over	Age 3 & Over < FPL	Income < FPL						
			Enrolled	% of < FPL	In nursery/preschool	In kindergarten	In Grade 1-12	In college (undergrad)	In graduate /prof. school
California	37,132,586	4,888,871	1,833,620	37.5	89,300	96,265	1,081,501	483,696	82,858
Contra Costa	1,095,826	94,076	31,637	33.6	1,615	1,561	19,371	7,980	1,110
Alamo	14,648	662	137	20.7	14	0	71	52	0
Antioch	106,540	14,410	5,239	36.4	250	230	4,035	668	56
Bayview	1,829	14	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Bethel Island	2,140	489	151	30.9	11	0	89	51	0
Blackhawk	9,419	308	127	41.2	0	0	51	61	15
Brentwood	60,375	3,594	1,571	43.7	29	97	1,167	267	11
Clayton	11,748	164	39	23.8	0	0	12	18	9
Concord	123,443	11,798	3,630	30.8	203	261	1,900	1,134	132
Contra Costa Ctr	6,244	482	114	23.7	0	0	22	47	45
Crockett	3,158	280	111	39.6	0	0	50	44	17
Danville	43,042	1,519	459	30.2	8	0	351	97	3
Discovery Bay	15,704	1,228	548	44.6	0	60	370	118	0
E Richmond Hts	3,089	95	11	11.6	0	0	11	0	0
El Cerrito	24,437	2,113	691	32.7	11	37	134	439	70
El Sobrante	13,378	1,135	460	40.5	13	0	218	212	17
Hercules	24,898	1,156	307	26.6	0	0	165	123	19
Kensington	5,191	287	118	41.1	0	0	14	31	73
Lafayette	25,545	896	365	40.7	0	13	82	270	0
Martinez	36,238	1,901	453	23.8	0	0	204	249	0
Moraga	15,384	647	175	27.0	0	0	58	111	6
Oakley	39,439	2,948	1,169	39.7	99	29	725	300	16
Orinda	19,240	603	168	27.9	0	0	101	67	0
Pacheco	4,194	237	40	16.9	0	0	0	24	16
Pinole	18,572	863	230	26.7	19	0	105	96	10
Pittsburg	67,758	8,604	2,948	34.3	202	222	1,878	542	104
Pleasant Hill	33,303	2,578	966	37.5	44	18	233	569	102
Richmond	104,695	15,082	4,491	29.8	242	403	2,976	749	121
Rodeo	10,077	1,435	744	51.8	37	42	568	97	0
San Pablo	29,482	4,661	1,611	34.6	142	42	1,008	378	41
San Ramon	73,548	2,679	703	26.2	30	0	390	217	66
Tara Hills	4,983	272	90	33.1	0	0	79	11	0
Vine Hill	3,728	277	45	16.2	0	13	32	0	0
Walnut Creek	66,602	3,505	1,006	28.7	97	16	425	335	133

About 30.6% of California residents age 3 and over and 26.8% (79,176) of Contra Costa residents 3 and over attend undergraduate or graduate college or professional school in 2019. The proportion of residents age 3 and over enrolled in college exceeds the countywide average (26.8%) by far in Crockett (36.6%), El Sobrante (37.9%), Pleasant Hill (38.2%), Pinole (38.6%), El Cerrito (39.7%), Pacheco (41.2%), Bethel Island (42.6%), Moraga (43.5%), Bayview (45.7%) and Contra Costa Centre (57.0%). Countywide, 22.7% (67,085) attend undergraduate college and 4.1% (12,091) attend graduate or professional school. Of Contra Costa County's 79,176 residents in college, 35,442 (44.8%) enrollees are male and 43,734 (55.2%) are female.

Table 88 – College Enrollment by Census Place, 2019

Area	Pop. 3 & over in school	In College, undergrad	% In College, undergrad	In Graduate, prof. sch	% In Graduate, prof. sch	Total in college or grad school	% in college or grad school	Males in college or grad school	Females in college or grad school
California	10,423,307	2,660,656	25.5	535,637	5.1	3,196,293	30.7	1,474,993	1,721,300
Contra Costa Cty	295,019	67,085	22.7	12,091	4.1	79,176	26.8	35,442	43,734
Alamo	3,940	499	12.7	97	2.5	596	15.1	339	257
Antioch	29,841	6,735	22.6	915	3.1	7,650	25.6	3,351	4,299
Bayview	565	228	40.4	30	5.3	258	45.7	140	118
Bethel Island	521	222	42.6	0	0.0	222	42.6	131	91
Blackhawk	2,409	466	19.3	108	4.5	574	23.8	241	333
Brentwood	19,011	3,807	20.0	479	2.5	4,286	22.5	2,335	1,951
Clayton	3,372	761	22.6	173	5.1	934	27.7	410	524
Concord	29,653	7,389	24.9	1,301	4.4	8,690	29.3	3,902	4,788
Contra Costa Ctr	759	294	38.7	139	18.3	433	57.0	244	189
Crockett	637	186	29.2	47	7.4	233	36.6	101	132
Danville	12,149	2,023	16.7	374	3.1	2,397	19.7	1,116	1,281
Discovery Bay	4,235	936	22.1	195	4.6	1,131	26.7	493	638
E Richmond Hts	449	51	11.4	30	6.7	81	18.0	23	58
El Cerrito	5,658	1,714	30.3	534	9.4	2,248	39.7	1,060	1,188
El Sobrante	3,632	1,212	33.4	164	4.5	1,376	37.9	541	835
Hercules	6,408	1,805	28.2	459	7.2	2,264	35.3	1,104	1,160
Kensington	1,152	123	10.7	155	13.5	278	24.1	146	132
Lafayette	7,371	976	13.2	245	3.3	1,221	16.6	324	897
Martinez	8,620	2,223	25.8	399	4.6	2,622	30.4	1,386	1,236
Moraga	6,333	2,552	40.3	202	3.2	2,754	43.5	986	1,768
Oakley	13,110	3,065	23.4	205	1.6	3,270	24.9	1,200	2,070
Orinda	5,193	765	14.7	162	3.1	927	17.9	410	517
Pacheco	894	337	37.7	31	3.5	368	41.2	179	189
Pinole	4,484	1,457	32.5	273	6.1	1,730	38.6	705	1,025
Pittsburg	18,808	4,373	23.3	726	3.9	5,099	27.1	2,209	2,890
Pleasant Hill	8,474	2,650	31.3	582	6.9	3,232	38.1	1,576	1,656
Richmond	26,371	6,929	26.3	1,035	3.9	7,964	30.2	3,182	4,782
Rodeo	2,835	850	30.0	34	1.2	884	31.2	356	528
San Pablo	8,451	2,088	24.7	123	1.5	2,211	26.2	1,087	1,124
San Ramon	23,286	3,390	14.6	833	3.6	4,223	18.1	2,163	2,060
Tara Hills	1,163	285	24.5	7	0.6	292	25.1	149	143
Vine Hill	1,011	224	22.2	14	1.4	238	23.5	85	153
Walnut Creek	12,995	2,317	17.8	1,242	9.6	3,559	27.4	1,631	1,928

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

The educational attainment of Contra Costa residents age 25 and over has continued to improve since 2005, and the percentage with at least a high school diploma or GED in 2019 is 89.5%, which exceeds the statewide percentage (83.3%). The proportion of county residents who have at least a bachelor's degree (42.5%) also continues to surpass the state's proportion (33.9%). Countywide, 11.1% (41,795) of males age 25 and over have less than a high school diploma, compared to 10.0% (41,126) of females age 25 and over. An estimated 42.3% (159,682) of males and 42.4% (173,716) of females have at least a bachelor's degree in 2019.

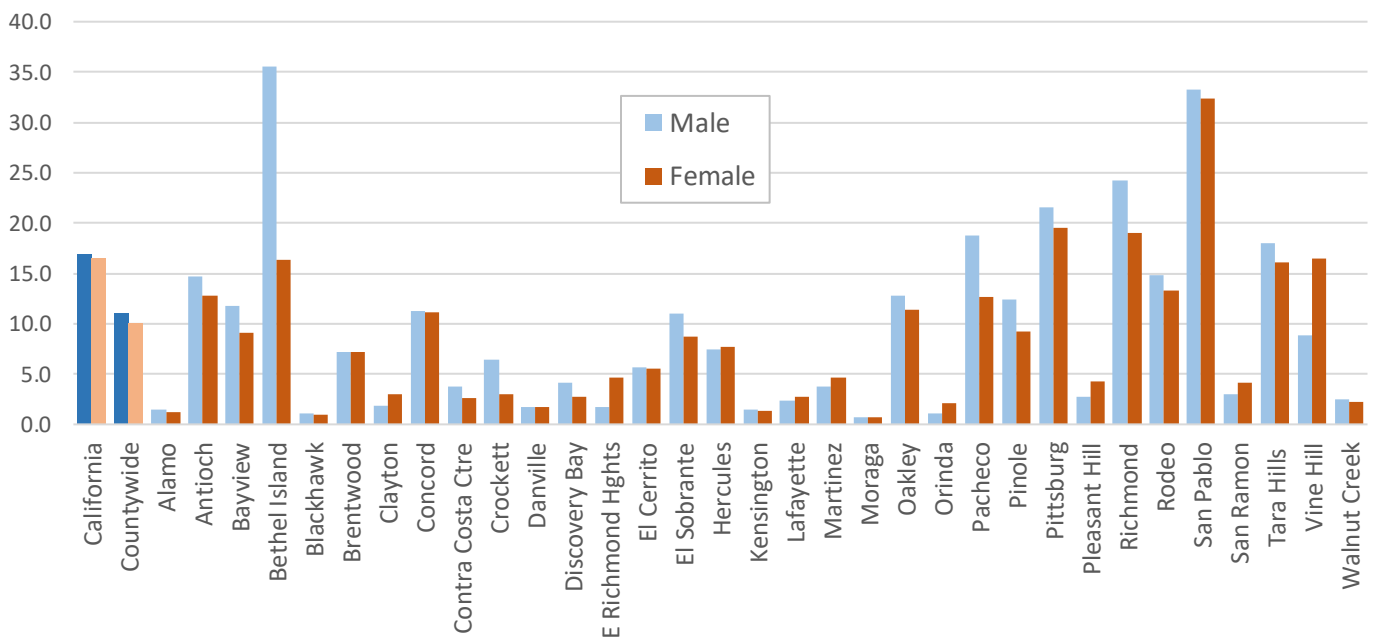
Table 89 – Educational Attainment by Sex and Census Place, 2019

Area	Male					Female				
	25 and over	Less than Diploma	HS grad / GED	< 4 yrs college	BA or more	25 and over	Less than Diploma	HS grad / GED	< 4 yrs college	BA or more
California	12,965,285	2,194,456	2,748,843	3,646,980	4,375,006	13,506,258	2,224,219	2,674,619	4,001,700	4,605,720
	%	16.9	21.2	28.1	33.7		16.5	19.8	29.6	34.1
Contra Costa Cnty	377,068	41,795	67,096	108,495	159,682	410,110	41,126	68,729	126,539	173,716
	%	11.1	17.8	28.8	42.3		10.0	16.8	30.9	42.4
Alamo	5,302	75	296	865	4,066	5,332	68	209	1,234	3,821
	%	1.4	5.6	16.3	76.7		1.3	3.9	23.1	71.7
Antioch	34,523	5,090	9,671	13,018	6,744	38,209	4,904	9,560	15,283	8,462
	%	14.7	28.0	37.7	19.5		12.8	25.0	40.0	22.1
Bayview	728	86	262	256	124	557	51	158	200	148
	%	11.8	36.0	35.2	17.0		9.2	28.4	35.9	26.6
Bethel Island	823	292	169	322	40	773	126	191	320	136
	%	35.5	20.5	39.1	4.9		16.3	24.7	41.4	17.6
Blackhawk	3,324	34	253	598	2,439	3,726	37	385	798	2,506
	%	1.0	7.6	18.0	73.4		1.0	10.3	21.4	67.3
Brentwood	19,209	1,371	3,608	7,926	6,304	21,065	1,511	4,230	8,289	7,035
	%	7.1	18.8	41.3	32.8		7.2	20.1	39.3	33.4
Clayton	4,036	76	428	1,182	2,350	4,271	130	427	1,263	2,451
	%	1.9	10.6	29.3	58.2		3.0	10.0	29.6	57.4
Concord	44,916	5,074	8,533	15,071	16,238	47,170	5,254	8,745	15,850	17,321
	%	11.3	19.0	33.6	36.2		11.1	18.5	33.6	36.7
Contra Costa Ctr	3,018	115	179	479	2,245	2,303	59	127	355	1,762
	%	3.8	5.9	15.9	74.4		2.6	5.5	15.4	76.5
Crockett	1,225	79	204	477	465	1,335	40	260	420	615
	%	6.4	16.7	38.9	38.0		3.0	19.5	31.5	46.1
Danville	14,151	238	1,145	2,591	10,177	16,103	274	1,206	4,078	10,545
	%	1.7	8.1	18.3	71.9		1.7	7.5	25.3	65.5
Discovery Bay	5,370	220	1,239	2,214	1,697	5,787	157	1,126	2,667	1,837
	%	4.1	23.1	41.2	31.6		2.7	19.5	46.1	31.7
E Richmond Heights	1,086	18	173	367	528	1,561	72	154	362	973
	%	1.7	15.9	33.8	48.6		4.6	9.9	23.2	62.3
El Cerrito	9,211	524	890	1,735	6,062	10,265	569	1,179	2,166	6,351
	%	5.7	9.7	18.8	65.8		5.5	11.5	21.1	61.9
El Sobrante	4,872	534	1,116	1,927	1,295	5,076	440	914	1,560	2,162
	%	11.0	22.9	39.6	26.6		8.7	18.0	30.7	42.6
Hercules	8,582	636	1,476	3,026	3,444	9,844	763	1,460	3,099	4,522
	%	7.4	17.2	35.3	40.1		7.8	14.8	31.5	45.9
Kensington	1,936	28	85	159	1,664	2,111	29	64	231	1,787
	%	1.4	4.4	8.2	86.0		1.4	3.0	10.9	84.7
Lafayette	8,789	208	392	1,741	6,448	9,476	262	565	2,011	6,638
	%	2.4	4.5	19.8	73.4		2.8	6.0	21.2	70.1
Martinez	12,944	490	2,587	4,474	5,393	14,524	676	2,538	5,289	6,021
	%	3.8	20.0	34.6	41.7		4.7	17.5	36.4	41.5
Moraga	5,292	38	256	924	4,074	5,687	42	493	1,140	4,012
	%	0.7	4.8	17.5	77.0		0.7	8.7	20.0	70.5
Oakley	11,945	1,526	3,354	4,667	2,398	12,870	1,460	3,328	5,543	2,539
	%	12.8	28.1	39.1	20.1		11.3	25.9	43.1	19.7
Orinda	6,755	77	136	874	5,668	7,475	155	222	1,019	6,079
	%	1.1	2.0	12.9	83.9		2.1	3.0	13.6	81.3
Pacheco	1,573	296	286	472	519	1,749	222	370	708	449
	%	18.8	18.2	30.0	33.0		12.7	21.2	40.5	25.7
Pinole	7,021	867	1,358	2,813	1,983	7,738	711	1,392	2,948	2,687
	%	12.3	19.3	40.1	28.2		9.2	18.0	38.1	34.7
Pittsburg	22,286	4,792	5,932	7,089	4,473	24,174	4,729	6,083	8,001	5,361
	%	21.5	26.6	31.8	20.1		19.6	25.2	33.1	22.2
Pleasant Hill	12,253	332	1,365	3,543	7,013	13,148	559	1,408	4,231	6,950
	%	2.7	11.1	28.9	57.2		4.3	10.7	32.2	52.9

Area	Male					Female				
	25 and over	Less than Diploma	HS grad / GED	< 4 yrs college	BA or more	25 and over	Less than Diploma	HS grad / GED	< 4 yrs college	BA or more
Richmond	36,690	8,873	8,295	10,096	9,426	38,780	7,396	7,680	11,825	11,879
	%	24.2	22.6	27.5	25.7		19.1	19.8	30.5	30.6
Rodeo	3,233	479	785	1,115	854	3,827	507	978	1,506	836
	%	14.8	24.3	34.5	26.4		13.2	25.6	39.4	21.8
San Pablo	9,797	3,257	2,797	2,514	1,229	9,887	3,199	2,671	2,671	1,346
	%	33.2	28.5	25.7	12.5		32.4	27.0	27.0	13.6
San Ramon	24,007	720	1,643	3,918	17,726	25,804	1,065	2,321	4,972	17,446
	%	3.0	6.8	16.3	73.8		4.1	9.0	19.3	67.6
Tara Hills	1,846	333	613	686	214	1,716	276	426	684	330
	%	18.0	33.2	37.2	11.6		16.1	24.8	39.9	19.2
Vine Hill	1,251	111	448	394	298	1,265	208	241	422	394
	%	8.9	35.8	31.5	23.8		16.4	19.1	33.4	31.1
Walnut Creek	24,573	608	1,851	4,704	17,410	29,869	652	2,752	7,567	18,898
	%	2.5	7.5	19.1	70.9		2.2	9.2	25.3	63.3

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Figure 25 – Percentage of Residents 25 and over with No High School Diploma, 2019



Transitional Kindergarten

The most recent transitional kindergarten (TK) enrollment data available from the CDE for the 2018-19 school year indicates that TK cumulative enrollment in Contra Costa County schools fell by 17 students (down 0.7%) from 2,586 in 2017-18 to 2,569. In contrast, California saw a 1-year 1.8% rise in enrollment. The districts of Byron Union Elementary (down 11), Mt. Diablo Unified (down 40), Pittsburg Unified (down 24) and SBE Rocketship Futuro Academy (down 24) saw the largest decreases in TK enrollment, while Brentwood Union Elementary (up 12), Orinda Union Elementary (up 72) and West Contra Costa Unified (up 13) saw notable increases. Of all TK enrollees in the county, 575 (22.4%) are English Learners (EL) and 954 (37.1%) are Socioeconomically Disadvantaged (SD), with both figures down since 2017-18. Since 2017-18, the number of EL participants fell 19.8% or 142 students countywide, compared to a 9.8% drop in the state. Antioch Unified (down 20 students), Mt. Diablo Unified (down 57), Pittsburg Unified (down 29) and West Contra Costa Unified (down 47) experienced the largest declines in EL enrollment. Since 2017-18, the number of SD participants also fell 9.7% or 103 students countywide, in contrast to a 0.7% increase in the state. The districts of Mt. Diablo Unified (down 69),

Oakley Union Elementary (down 10), Pittsburg Unified (down 26) and SBE Rocketship Futuro Academy (down 9) saw the largest declines in SD enrollment.

Districts in Contra Costa County with the highest TK participation in 2018-19 include the same 5 districts as in prior years, led this year by West Contra Costa Unified (490) and followed by San Ramon Valley Unified (487), Mt. Diablo Unified (403), Antioch Unified (285) and Brentwood Union Elementary (212). The proportion of TK students who are EL is much higher than average (22.4%) in John Swett Unified (40.0%), Pittsburg Unified (31.8%) and West Contra Costa Unified (39.2%). The proportion of students who are SD is much higher than average (37.1%) in Antioch (64.2%), Pittsburg Unified (66.5%), West Contra Costa Unified (71.8%) and SBE Rocketship Futuro Academy (78.6%).

Table 90 – Contra Costa Transitional Kindergarten Enrollment by District, 2018–19

Area	TK Participation (Cumulative)	EL	% EL	SD	% SD
California	105,175	31,222	29.7	62,972	59.9
Contra Costa	2,569	575	22.4	954	37.1
Antioch Unified	285	70	24.6	183	64.2
Brentwood Union Elementary	212	26	12.3	67	31.6
Byron Union Elementary	40	4	10.0	12	30.0
John Swett Unified	20	8	40.0	8	40.0
Knightesen Elementary	12	2	16.7	1	8.3
Lafayette Elementary	55	4	7.3	1	1.8
Martinez Unified	60	8	13.3	12	20.0
Moraga Elementary	46	4	8.7	2	4.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	403	90	22.3	98	24.3
Oakley Union Elementary	119	16	13.4	45	37.8
Orinda Union Elementary	72	3	4.2	2	2.8
Pittsburg Unified	170	54	31.8	113	66.5
West Contra Costa Unified	490	192	39.2	352	71.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	487	76	15.6	34	7.0
Walnut Creek Elementary	82	20	24.4	8	9.8
SBE - Rocketship Futuro	28	0	0.0	22	78.6

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Table 91 – Contra Costa Transitional Kindergarten Enrollment by School, 2018–19

School Name	TK Participation (Cumulative)	EL	% EL	SD	% SD
Almond Grove Elementary	22	2	9.1	5	22.7
Aspire Richmond Technology Academy	24	14	58.3	20	83.3
Ayers Elementary	23	0	0.0	1	4.3
Bayview Elementary	25	8	32.0	19	76.0
Bel Air Elementary	17	7	41.2	8	47.1
Bella Vista Elementary	34	9	26.5	7	20.6
Bollinger Canyon Elementary	5	2	40.0	0	0.0
Brentwood Elementary	29	3	10.3	14	48.3
Buena Vista Elementary	3	2	66.7	0	0.0
Burton Valley Elementary	35	4	11.4	1	2.9
Cambridge Elementary	7	6	85.7	6	85.7
Camino Pablo Elementary	22	2	9.1	2	9.1
Carmen Dragon Elementary	30	5	16.7	17	56.7
Cesar E. Chavez Elementary	25	13	52.0	23	92.0
Coronado Elementary	26	12	46.2	23	88.5
Country Club Elementary	47	17	36.2	6	12.8
Coyote Creek Elementary	51	9	17.6	6	11.8
Creekside Elementary	31	2	6.5	5	16.1
Del Rey Elementary	16	1	6.3	0	0.0
Delta View Elementary	22	3	13.6	5	22.7
Diablo Vista Elementary	30	7	23.3	18	60.0
Dover Elementary	17	9	52.9	14	82.4
Edward M. Downer Elementary	11	6	54.5	11	100.0

School Name	TK Participation (Cumulative)	EL	% EL	SD	% SD
El Monte Elementary	15	4	26.7	7	46.7
Fair Oaks Elementary	18	9	50.0	14	77.8
Foothill Elementary	13	4	30.8	7	53.8
Ford Elementary	24	10	41.7	18	75.0
Garin Elementary	26	2	7.7	12	46.2
Gehringer Elementary	24	4	16.7	14	58.3
Glorietta Elementary	20	2	10.0	1	5.0
Golden View Elementary	50	9	18.0	0	0.0
Grant Elementary	27	15	55.6	21	77.8
Green Valley Elementary	19	0	0.0	0	0.0
Greenbrook Elementary	28	1	3.6	3	10.7
Gregory Gardens Elementary	18	1	5.6	2	11.1
Happy Valley Elementary	20	0	0.0	0	0.0
Harding Elementary	25	1	4.0	5	20.0
Heights Elementary	26	6	23.1	16	61.5
Hidden Hills Elementary	21	8	38.1	3	14.3
Hidden Valley Elementary	34	2	5.9	5	14.7
Highlands Elementary	18	1	5.6	3	16.7
Highlands Elementary	22	9	40.9	14	63.6
Holbrook Language Academy	15	2	13.3	2	13.3
Horizons School: Independent Study	1	0	0.0	1	100.0
Indian Valley Elementary	18	3	16.7	3	16.7
Jack London Elementary	29	5	17.2	16	55.2
John Baldwin Elementary	23	1	4.3	0	0.0
John Muir Elementary	24	4	16.7	5	20.8
John Swett Elementary	24	2	8.3	2	8.3
Kimball Elementary	29	8	27.6	21	72.4
Knightsen Elementary	12	2	16.7	1	8.3
Lake Elementary	27	12	44.4	18	66.7
Las Juntas Elementary	12	2	16.7	5	41.7
Laurel Elementary	24	3	12.5	9	37.5
Live Oak Elementary	26	4	15.4	0	0.0
Loma Vista Elementary	25	5	20.0	5	20.0
Los Medanos Elementary	26	10	38.5	14	53.8
Los Perales Elementary	24	2	8.3	0	0.0
Lupine Hills Elementary	28	3	10.7	10	35.7
Marina Vista Elementary	26	7	26.9	22	84.6
Marsh Creek Elementary	29	6	20.7	8	27.6
Marsh Elementary	28	10	35.7	23	82.1
Mary Casey Black Elementary	27	3	11.1	13	48.1
Meadow Homes Elementary	13	13	100.0	9	69.2
Mira Vista Elementary	1	0	0.0	1	100.0
Mission Elementary	38	11	28.9	25	65.8
Montair Elementary	25	0	0.0	2	8.0
Montalvin Manor Elementary	27	9	33.3	22	81.5
Montevideo Elementary	27	5	18.5	1	3.7
Mt. Diablo Elementary	15	0	0.0	1	6.7
Muir (John) Elementary	25	6	24.0	13	52.0
Murwood Elementary	21	6	28.6	3	14.3
Nystrom Elementary	29	15	51.7	22	75.9
Oakley Elementary	24	3	12.5	8	33.3
Olinda Elementary	24	2	8.3	9	37.5
Parkmead Elementary	21	3	14.3	0	0.0
Parkside Elementary	21	6	28.6	14	66.7
Peres Elementary	27	13	48.1	24	88.9
Pioneer Elementary	27	2	7.4	4	14.8
Pleasant Hill Elementary	22	5	22.7	4	18.2
R. Paul Krey Elementary	27	2	7.4	6	22.2
Rancho Romero Elementary	26	1	3.8	0	0.0

School Name	TK Participation (Cumulative)	EL	% EL	SD	% SD
Richmond College Preparatory	22	11	50.0	17	77.3
Rio Vista Elementary	1	0	0.0	0	0.0
Riverside Elementary	1	1	100.0	1	100.0
Rocketship Delta Prep	29	0	0.0	19	65.5
Rocketship Futuro Academy	28	0	0.0	22	78.6
Rodeo Hills Elementary	20	8	40.0	8	40.0
Ron Nunn Elementary	26	3	11.5	8	30.8
Shannon Elementary	32	5	15.6	19	59.4
Sheldon Elementary	27	8	29.6	21	77.8
Shore Acres Elementary	10	10	100.0	6	60.0
Silverwood Elementary	18	4	22.2	1	5.6
Sleepy Hollow Elementary	16	0	0.0	1	6.3
Stege Elementary	22	7	31.8	18	81.8
Stoneman Elementary	24	6	25.0	16	66.7
Strandwood Elementary	17	1	5.9	3	17.6
Sun Terrace Elementary	23	7	30.4	4	17.4
Sutter Elementary	29	8	27.6	16	55.2
Timber Point Elementary	28	3	10.7	9	32.1
Turner Elementary	26	10	38.5	21	80.8
Valhalla Elementary	14	2	14.3	2	14.3
Valle Verde Elementary	30	6	20.0	2	6.7
Valley View Elementary	2	0	0.0	1	50.0
Vintage Parkway Elementary	25	4	16.0	9	36.0
Vista Grande Elementary	35	1	2.9	0	0.0
Vista Oaks Charter	12	1	8.3	3	25.0
Voices College-Bound Lang. Acad. at WCCC	30	20	66.7	26	86.7
Wagner Ranch Elementary	20	0	0.0	0	0.0
Walnut Acres Elementary	28	1	3.6	1	3.6
Walnut Heights Elementary	19	6	31.6	2	10.5
Walt Disney Elementary	41	8	19.5	2	4.9
Willow Cove Elementary	13	6	46.2	10	76.9
Woodside Elementary	12	2	16.7	3	25.0
Ygnacio Valley Elementary	12	4	33.3	8	66.7

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Special Education

According to the California Department of Education, 21,922 students of all ages required special education services in Contra Costa County in 2018-19, up 2.8% or 600 students since 2017-18. The number of students receiving special education in the county now represents 12.3% of total enrollment. Since 2011, special education enrollment in Contra Costa County has increased by 4,645 students or 26.9%.

Among special education students of all ages, the most common disability type countywide is learning disability, which impacts a minimum of 8,829 students in 2018-19. The second most common condition is speech or language impairment, which impacts a minimum of 4,684 students. Autism is the third most common condition impacting a minimum of 3,167 students. All three conditions appear to have increased since 2017-18, noting that CDE public data release rules prohibit the calculation of exact totals.

Table 92 – Public School Special Education Enrollment in Contra Costa, 2011-2019

	2011	2013	2015	2017	2018	2019
Number of Students	17,277	17,498	20,043	20,880	21,322	21,922
Percent of Enrollment	10.3	10.2	11.5	11.8	12.0	12.3

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Figure 26 – Countywide Special Education Enrollment, 2011 – 2019

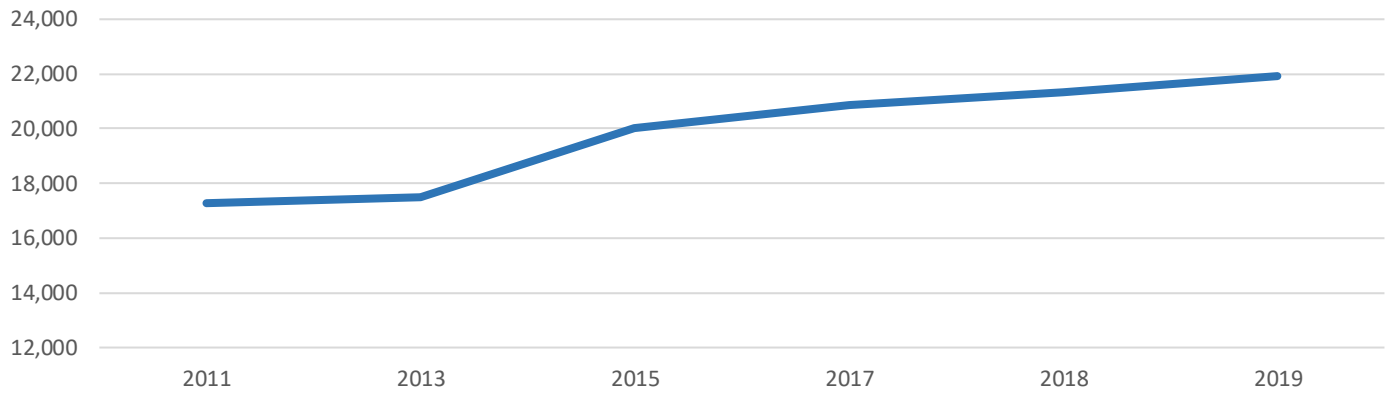


Table 93 – Special Education Enrollment by Disability Type – All Ages, 2011-2019

Disability	2011	2013	2015	2017	2018	2019
Autism	1,358	1,625	2,214	2,601	2,859	3,167
Deaf	126	106	116	19	20	20
Deaf-Blindness	--	--	--	5	5	6
Emotional Disturbance	879	850	759	669	688	657
Hard of Hearing	220	239	325	288	274	261
Intellectual Disability	977	967	1,025	960	966	906
Learning Disability	7,841	8,120	8,387	8,728	8,750	8,829
Multiple Disability	85	99	130	34	48	70
Orthopedic Impairment	377	345	392	335	292	257
Other Health Impairment	1,002	1,258	1,693	2,108	2,393	2,620
Speech or Language Impairment	4,235	3,722	4,799	4,693	4,600	4,684
Traumatic Brain Injury	34	31	39	10	11	11
Visual Impairment	138	129	146	76	31	40
Total	17,272	17,491	20,025	20,880	21,322	21,922

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

In 2018-19, a minimum of 2,511 children age 0-5 have a disability requiring special education services in the county, up an estimated 8.8% or 204 students from 2,307 in 2017-18. The distribution of students by disability type remains similar to prior years, with the largest majority of 0-5 year olds diagnosed with speech or language impairments (1,548) or autism (702), but the proportion of 0-5 year olds with autism continues to climb. Note that exact year-to-year changes may not be calculated due to CDE public data release rules.

Table 94 – Countywide Special Education Enrollment by Age and Disability, 2018-19

Age	0	1	2	3	4	5	Minimum
Intellectual Disability	0	0	0	1	13	19	33
Hard of Hearing	1	14	28	1	13	17	74
Deaf	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Speech/Language Impairment	0	12	75	371	550	540	1,548
Visual Impairment	0	0	0	1	1	1	3
Emotional Disturbance	0	0	0	1	1	1	3
Orthopedic Impairment	0	1	1	1	1	1	5
Other Health Impairment	1	1	1	30	39	44	116
Specific Learning Disability	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Deaf- Blindness	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Multiple Disability	1	0	0	1	15	1	18
Autism	0	0	1	199	258	244	702
Traumatic Brain Injury	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	4	29	107	607	893	871	2,511

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>. Note that CDE's confidentiality policy prohibits reporting when counts drop below 11 students; therefore, all estimates of 1 reported here represent minimum counts only.

Table 95 – Special Education Enrollment by District, 2018-19

Area	Number of Students	Percent of Enrollment
Antioch Unified	2,484	14.5
Brentwood Union Elementary	1,366	14.9
Byron Union Elementary	214	9.4
John Swett Unified	227	15.8
Knightsen Elementary	94	14.9
Lafayette Elementary	399	11.2
Martinez Unified	580	13.9
Moraga Elementary	247	13.3
Mt. Diablo Unified	4,233	13.6
Oakley Union Elementary	809	15.4
Orinda Union Elementary	235	9.2
Pittsburg Unified	1,273	11.2
San Ramon Valley Unified	3,062	9.5
Walnut Creek Elementary	418	11.8
West Contra Costa Unified	4,167	13.1

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

Table 96 – Children with Major Disabilities by Disability Type and Census Place, 2019

Area	Population < 18					Population < 5				
	Total	With disability	% with disability	Hearing difficulty	Vision difficulty	Total	With disability	% with disability	Hearing difficulty	Vision difficulty
California	9,008,544	297,749	3.3	46,542	57,269	2,451,346	16,532	0.7	12,193	9,588
Contra Costa Cty	260,868	9,830	3.8	1,042	1,568	65,449	327	0.5	236	150
Alamo	3,415	41	1.2	18	18	319	18	5.6	18	18
Antioch	27,605	1,568	5.7	143	319	6,839	100	1.5	80	20
Bayview	346	0	0.0	0	0	92	0	0	0	0
Bethel Island	347	0	0.0	0	0	59	0	0	0	0
Blackhawk	2,014	24	1.2	0	0	386	0	0	0	0
Brentwood	16,396	775	4.7	49	173	2,957	0	0	0	0
Clayton	2,762	49	1.8	18	0	586	0	0	0	0
Concord	26,645	1,140	4.3	69	77	8,275	58	0.7	58	0
Contra Costa Ctr	640	37	5.8	0	0	353	0	0	0	0
Crockett	518	27	5.2	0	0	138	0	0	0	0
Danville	11,212	322	2.9	53	17	2,481	0	0	0	0
Discovery Bay	3,740	79	2.1	41	0	911	0	0	0	0
E Richmond Hts	429	6	1.4	0	0	90	0	0	0	0
El Cerrito	4,497	104	2.3	3	0	1,519	0	0	0	0
El Sobrante	2,603	208	8.0	59	67	727	0	0	0	0
Hercules	4,969	128	2.6	0	18	1,089	0	0	0	0
Kensington	1,058	0	0.0	0	0	173	0	0	0	0
Lafayette	6,701	159	2.4	5	0	1,171	0	0	0	0
Martinez	7,470	319	4.3	0	68	2,335	0	0	0	0
Moraga	3,769	119	3.2	13	0	447	0	0	0	0
Oakley	12,063	439	3.6	24	102	3,149	0	0	0	0
Orinda	4,532	117	2.6	0	8	748	0	0	0	0
Pacheco	762	0	0.0	0	0	256	0	0	0	0
Pinole	3,307	161	4.9	0	9	879	0	0	0	0
Pittsburg	17,681	742	4.2	130	243	5,364	25	0.5	25	0
Pleasant Hill	6,678	96	1.4	9	42	2,143	9	0.4	9	9
Richmond	23,942	887	3.7	207	32	6,784	0	0	0	0
Rodeo	2,327	152	6.5	21	0	612	0	0	0	0
San Pablo	7,622	287	3.8	0	47	1,861	0	0	0	0
San Ramon	21,385	435	2.0	36	123	4,071	66	1.6	14	52
Tara Hills	1,062	32	3.0	32	32	240	32	13.3	32	32
Vine Hill	1,083	116	10.7	0	0	325	0	0	0	0
Walnut Creek	11,804	347	2.9	14	45	3,396	0	0	0	0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>

Mt. Diablo Unified has a total of 4,233 special education students of all ages in 2018-19, followed by West Contra Costa Unified (4,167) and San Ramon Valley Unified (3,062). Districts with the highest proportion of special education students include John Swett Unified (15.8%), Oakley Union Elementary (15.4%), Brentwood Union Elementary (14.9%) and Knightsen Elementary (14.9%).

Based on ACS estimates, California has about 3.3% of children age 0-17 with a major disability, compared to 3.8% (9,830) in Contra Costa County. The county has 1,077 children age 0-17 with a hearing difficulty and 1,522 with a vision difficulty. Areas with the largest number of children with hearing difficulties include Antioch (149), Pittsburg (158) and Richmond (216). Areas with the largest number of those with vision difficulties include Oakley (94), Martinez (97), Brentwood (132), Pittsburg (272) and Antioch (361). In both California and Contra Costa County, 0.7% of all 0-4 year olds have a major disability, which represents 453 0-4 year olds in the county. Countywide, 370 0-4 year olds have a hearing difficulty, with the majority in San Ramon (44), Richmond (45), Pittsburg (61) and Antioch (67), and 195 have a vision difficulty, with the majority in Tara Hills (32), Martinez (35) and San Ramon (45). Since 2018, the number of 0-4 year olds with a hearing difficulty rose 4.6% in the state and 11.1% in the county, with notable increases in Martinez (up 11 children), San Ramon (up 12 children), Richmond (up 13 children) and Tara Hills (up 32 children). The number of 0-4 year olds with a vision difficulty rose 3.1% in the state and 45.5% in the county, with notable increases in Antioch (up 24 children) and Tara Hills (up 32 children).

Academic Performance

All students, including English Learners (EL) and special education students, participate in academic assessment testing, but in January 2014, California Education Code Section 60640 established the new California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) System to replace the Standardized Testing and Reporting (STAR) program. Thus, comparisons to STAR results in prior years is not possible. Year-to-year comparisons of CAASPP results are also difficult in that scores are now reported on one of three qualitative performance levels: Level 1 (shows an understanding of core concepts, Level 2 (shows a foundational understanding of core concepts) and Level 3 (shows a limited understanding of core concepts).

Across all grade levels in Contra Costa County in 2018-19, 54.6% of students meet or exceed the English Language Arts (ELA) standard, including 28.1% of students who meet and another 26.6% who exceed the standard. These results compare favorably to the state in which 51.1% of students meet or exceed the ELA standard, including 28.6% who meet the ELA standard and 22.5% who exceed the standard.

Across all grade levels in 2018-19, 44.3% of Contra Costa County students meet or exceed the Mathematics standard, including 20.1% who meet and another 24.2% who exceed the standard. These results compare favorably to the state in which 39.7% of students meet or exceed the Mathematics standard, including 20.0% who meet the Mathematics standard and 19.7% who exceed the standard.

English Learners

The proportion of students in Contra Costa County who are English Learner (EL) has been lower than that of the state, with this difference generally narrowing over the past 15 years. As the percentage of EL students in California schools has fallen from 25.2% in 2004 to 18.6% in 2020, Contra Costa County's EL student rate has grown from 15.2% to 15.9%. Thus, in the 2019-20 school year, the percentage of EL students in the county is now just 2.7 percentage points less than that of the state. Note, however, that since the 2016-17 school year, both rates have fallen. In 2019-20, Contra Costa County schools have 28,454 (15.9%) EL students, down another 1.8% or 528 students since 2018-19.

Table 97 – Students Who Are English Learners in Contra Costa County, 2006–2019

	2006-07	2008-09	2010-11	2012-13	2014-15	2016-17	2018-19	2019-20
Number of EL Students	27,156	28,483	29,149	29,316	30,947	31,205	28,982	28,454
Percent of All Students	16.3	17.0	17.3	17.1	17.7	17.6	16.3	15.9

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

The number of EL students in Contra Costa County varies considerably by school district with the majority by far in West Contra Costa Unified (10,045), Mt. Diablo Unified (6,185), Antioch Unified (3,241) and Pittsburg Unified (2,850). Districts with the highest proportion of EL students include Antioch Unified (18.9%), Mt. Diablo Unified (19.9%), Pittsburg Unified (25.1%), West Contra Costa Unified (31.3%) and SBE Rocketship Futuro Academy (62.5%). Since 2018-19, districts with the largest declines in the number of EL students include San Ramon Valley Unified (down 291 students or 16.8%), Antioch Unified (down 177 or 5.2%), Mt. Diablo Unified (down 93 or 1.5%), Oakley Union Elementary (down 57 or 7.5%), Brentwood Union Elementary (down 53 or 5.6%) and Pittsburg Unified (down 38 students or 1.3%). In contrast, districts that saw notable increases in EL student enrollment include Walnut Creek Elementary (up 16 or 3.8%), Liberty Union High (up 26 or 5.7%), Contra Costa County Office of Education (up 68 or 10.3%) and SBE - Rocketship Futuro Academy (up 101 students or 43.5%).

Table 98 – English Language Learners by District, 2019-20

District	Count	Percent of All
Acalanes Union High	97	1.7
Antioch Unified	3,241	18.9
Brentwood Union Elementary	894	9.6
Byron Union Elementary	119	5.2
Contra Costa County Office of Education	726	12.6
John Swett Unified	249	17.5
Knightsen Elementary	94	15.5
Lafayette Elementary	92	2.6
Liberty Union High	483	5.8
Martinez Unified	374	9.0
Moraga Elementary	47	2.5
Mt. Diablo Unified	6,185	19.9
Oakley Union Elementary	703	13.5
Orinda Union Elementary	43	1.7
Pittsburg Unified	2,850	25.1
San Ramon Valley Unified	1,446	4.5
SBE - Rocketship Futuro Academy	333	62.5
Walnut Creek Elementary	433	12.2
West Contra Costa Unified	10,045	31.3

Source: California Department of Education (CDE), Data & Statistics; <http://www.cde.ca.gov/>

The ACS also provides estimates of children in linguistically isolated households. A linguistically isolated household is one in which no household member older than 13 a) speaks English only, or b) speaks a language other than English and speaks English "very well." Since 2018, the number of California children age 5-17 in linguistically isolated households fell another 27,922 or 4.6%, while the number in Contra Costa fell 837 or 5.7% to 13,839. The largest declines in the county occurred in Oakley (down 94 or 27.6%), San Pablo (down 152 or 11.0%), San Ramon (down 160 or 13.8%), Pittsburg (down 250 or 18.8%), Richmond (down 258 or 9.0%) and Concord (down 269 or 9.2%). Despite these declines, several areas saw notable 1-year increases in the number of children in limited-English households including El Cerrito (up 34 or 33.3%), Martinez (up 57 or 518.2%), Antioch (up 72 or 5.6%) and Brentwood (up 137 or 86.7%), noting that large percentages occur due to small sample sizes. In 2019, the largest populations of children age 5-17 in limited-English households occur in San Ramon (1,000), Pittsburg (1,079), San Pablo (1,226), Antioch (1,366), Richmond (2,622) and Concord (2,662). About 70.6% (9,774) of Contra Costa children in limited-English households speak Spanish, down a notable 7.4% or 777 children since 2018. The communities of Oakley (down 141 or 48.6%), San Pablo (down 181 or 14.5%), Concord (down 232 or 10.7%), Pittsburg (down 256 or 20.1%) and Richmond (down 263 or 10.3%) saw the largest 1-year declines of children in limited-English households who speak Spanish. Estimate of the number of Contra Costa children who speak some other Indo-European language was relatively unchanged, down a slight 1.5% or 18 children to 1,144. Likewise, the number who speak Asian or Pacific Islander languages was relatively unchanged, up a slight 1.3% or 23 children to 1,790.

Table 99 – Language of Children Age 5-17 in Limited-English Households, 2019

Area	Total Age 5-17 in LEHs	Age 5-17, Speak only English	Age 5-17, Speak Spanish	Age 5-17, Speak other Indo-Euro languages	Age 5-17, Speak Asian & Pac. Island languages	Age 5-17, Speak other languages
California	580,031	40,356	419,359	24,919	82,445	12,952
	%	7.0	72.3	4.3	14.2	2.2
Contra Costa County	13,839	1,019	9,774	1,144	1,790	112
	%	7.4	70.6	8.3	12.9	0.8
Alamo	32	0	0	18	14	0
	%	0.0	0.0	56.3	43.8	0.0
Antioch	1,366	101	1,096	0	169	0
	%	7.4	80.2	0.0	12.4	0.0
Bethel Island	89	0	89	0	0	0
	%	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Blackhawk	11	0	0	11	0	0
	%	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Brentwood	295	15	280	0	0	0
	%	5.1	94.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Clayton	35	0	0	35	0	0
	%	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Concord	2,662	133	1,946	414	120	49
	%	5.0	73.1	15.6	4.5	1.8
Contra Costa Centre	25	0	0	0	25	0
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Crockett	13	0	0	13	0	0
	%	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0
Danville	143	12	0	0	131	0
	%	8.4	0.0	0.0	91.6	0.0
E Richmond Heights	30	0	0	0	30	0
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
El Cerrito	136	9	78	22	27	0
	%	6.6	57.4	16.2	19.9	0.0
El Sobrante	66	44	0	6	16	0
	%	66.7	0.0	9.1	24.2	0.0
Hercules	29	0	0	22	7	0
	%	0.0	0.0	75.9	24.1	0.0
Lafayette	40	0	0	0	40	0
	%	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.0	0.0
Martinez	68	45	0	0	23	0
	%	66.2	0.0	0.0	33.8	0.0
Moraga	76	13	0	22	41	0
	%	17.1	0.0	28.9	53.9	0.0
Oakley	246	54	149	13	30	0
	%	22.0	60.6	5.3	12.2	0.0
Pinole	48	15	24	0	9	0
	%	31.3	50.0	0.0	18.8	0.0
Pittsburg	1,079	33	1,019	27	0	0
	%	3.1	94.4	2.5	0.0	0.0
Pleasant Hill	167	28	0	18	121	0
	%	16.8	0.0	10.8	72.5	0.0
Richmond	2,622	40	2,292	165	109	16
	%	1.5	87.4	6.3	4.2	0.6
Rodeo	23	0	23	0	0	0
	%	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
San Pablo	1,226	81	1,067	14	55	9
	%	6.6	87.0	1.1	4.5	0.7
San Ramon	1,000	252	36	134	540	38
	%	25.2	3.6	13.4	54.0	3.8
Tara Hills	114	26	9	79	0	0
	%	22.8	7.9	69.3	0.0	0.0

Area	Total Age 5-17 in LEHs	Age 5-17, Speak only English	Age 5-17, Speak Spanish	Age 5-17, Speak other Indo-Euro languages	Age 5-17, Speak Asian & Pac. Island languages	Age 5-17, Speak other languages
Vine Hill	58	0	58	0	0	0
%		0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Walnut Creek	445	51	39	131	224	0
%		11.5	8.8	29.4	50.3	0.0

Source: 2019 ACS 2015-2019 5-Year Estimates. <https://data.census.gov/cedsci/>. Excludes areas with zero cells.

Chronic Absenteeism

As of December 2017, the California Department of Education now reports on chronic absenteeism rather than truancy rates. Chronic absenteeism is defined as absent from school at least 10% of the instructional days a student was enrolled to attend a school. The chronic absenteeism rate is calculated by dividing the number of students absent at least 10% of instructional days by the school's enrollment. In 2018-19, Contra Costa County school districts have a chronic absenteeism rate of 12.1%, compared to 12.0% in California overall. Chronic absenteeism varies by student race and ethnicity, with rates among the county's Pacific Islander (25.9%) and African American (25.0%) students much higher than those among White (8.5%), Filipino (6.5%) and Asian (4.6%) students. The highest chronic absenteeism rates occur in the districts of Contra Costa County Office of Education (29.4%), Antioch Unified (20.7%), John Swett Unified (19.0%), West Contra Costa Unified (17.3%), Liberty Union High (15.9%) and Pittsburg Unified (14.9%). Districts with chronic absenteeism rates much lower than average include Canyon Elementary (1.4%), Moraga Elementary (2.2%), Orinda Union Elementary (3.1%), Lafayette Elementary (3.8%), Walnut Creek Elementary (4.2%), Knightsen Elementary (4.9%) and San Ramon Valley Unified (5.0%). Nearly two-thirds (64.5%) of all chronically absent students attend Antioch Unified (3,549), Mt. Diablo Unified (3,949) and West Contra Costa Unified (5,058) in the 2018-19 school year. CDE has not published more recent chronic absenteeism data.

Table 100 – Truancy and Chronic Absenteeism Rates in Contra Costa County, 2005–2019

	2009-10	2011-12	2013-14	2015-16	2018-19*
Number of Students	57,902	66,184	69,975	71,180	19,462
Percentage of Students	34.9	37.6	38.9	38.9	12.1

Source: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/sd/cb/>. * As of 2018-19, rates reported are chronic absenteeism.

Table 101 – Truancy and Chronic Absenteeism Rates by District, 2005 – 2019

District	2006-07	2008-09	2010-11	2012-13	2014-15	2015-16	2018-19*
Acalanes Union High	7.2	23.0	11.6	22.0	43.4	47.4	8.8
Antioch Unified	46.6	52.6	35.2	33.7	42.3	42.2	20.7
Brentwood Union Elementary	19.7	29.6	25.2	17.8	20.1	21.4	--
Byron Union Elementary	32.1	30.9	21.8	25.0	21.3	20.3	10.0
Canyon Elementary	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4
Contra Costa Office Of Ed	12.6	5.7	41.8	19.4	19.0	16.7	29.4
John Swett Unified	63.4	30.8	56.7	21.3	49.3	40.8	19.0
Knightsen Elementary	2.7	3.0	2.3	14.4	9.9	23.7	4.9
Lafayette Elementary	12.5	16.2	14.9	16.3	7.6	29.5	3.8
Liberty Union High	1.8	0.9	0.4	34.5	39.3	37.7	15.9
Martinez Unified	22.2	19.7	24.7	28.9	44.9	42.6	9.9
Moraga Elementary	0.2	0.9	0.3	1.3	15.7	20.9	2.2
Mt. Diablo Unified	6.6	28.4	25.2	21.3	36.6	35.8	12.5
Oakley Union Elementary	38.7	37.5	26.4	32.5	39.1	31.6	10.1
Orinda Union Elementary	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	1.2	3.1
Pittsburg Unified	59.2	44.9	51.0	45.0	35.0	45.3	14.9
San Ramon Valley Unified	28.0	22.7	21.0	16.4	28.0	27.0	5.0
Walnut Creek Elementary	15.0	12.3	15.9	18.4	17.6	19.9	4.2
West Contra Costa Unified	45.1	47.6	66.9	59.2	60.4	63.8	17.3
Contra Costa County	27.7	32.08	32.4	30.4	37.8	38.9	12.1
California	25.2	24.15	29.8	29.3	31.4	34.1	12.0

Source: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ds/sd/sd/filestd.asp>. *As of 2018-19, CDE rates reported are chronic absenteeism.

Graduation and Dropout Rates

In 2019-20, the overall graduation rate (cohort, 4-year adjusted) in Contra Costa County high schools is 88.5%, down slightly from 89.0% in 2018-19. This rate continues to compare favorably to the statewide rate which also fell slightly to 87.6% from 88.1% in 2018-19. Graduation rates are considerably higher than average in San Ramon Valley (97.7%), Acalanes Union High (96.7%), Liberty Union High (92.8%) and Martinez Unified (92.2%), but are notably lower than average in Antioch Unified (79.5%), West Contra Costa Unified (79.1%) and Contra Costa County Office of Education (8.9%). Graduation rates are considerably higher than average in San Ramon Valley (97.4%), Acalanes Union High (96.3%) and John Swett (92.6%), but are notably lower than average in West Contra Costa Unified (82.3%), Antioch Unified (80.6%) and Contra Costa County Office of Education (35.1%).

Table 102 – Graduation Rates by District, 2019-20

Name	Cohort Students	Regular Diploma Graduates	Cohort Graduation Rate	Grads Meeting UC/CSU Reqs	Grads Earning Seal of Biliteracy	Grads Earning Golden State Seal Merit Diploma
Acalanes Union High	1,351	1,307	96.7%	1,031	0	750
Antioch Unified	1,300	1,034	79.5%	251	0	201
Contra Costa Off. of Ed.	79	7	8.9%	0	0	0
John Swett Unified	142	126	88.7%	59	0	0
Liberty Union High	2,001	1,857	92.8%	1,017	336	468
Martinez Unified	307	283	92.2%	2	0	0
Mt. Diablo Unified	2,094	1,810	86.4%	801	192	440
Pittsburg Unified	1,030	891	86.5%	338	119	147
San Ramon Valley	2,703	2,640	97.7%	1,971	689	1,377
West Contra Costa	2,263	1,789	79.1%	841	280	573
Contra Costa County	13,270	11,744	88.5%	6,311	1,616	3,956
Statewide Total	424,058	371,436	87.6%	188,038	47,618	101,889

Source: <https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/dataquest.asp>

Table 103 – Dropout Rates by District, 2017-18

District Name	1 Year Dropout Rate
Acalanes Union High	0.1
Antioch Unified	2.4
Brentwood Union Elementary	0.0
Byron Union Elementary	4.8
Canyon Elementary	0.0
Contra Costa County Office of Education	--
John Swett Unified	0.8
Knightsen Elementary	0.0
Lafayette Elementary	0.0
Liberty Union High	0.7
Martinez Unified	1.3
Moraga Elementary	0.0
Mt. Diablo Unified	1.9
Oakley Union Elementary	0.0
Orinda Union Elementary	0.0
Pittsburg Unified	1.8
San Ramon Valley Unified	0.1
Walnut Creek Elementary	0.0
West Contra Costa Unified	2.4
County Totals:	1.3
State Totals:	2.4

Source: <https://dq.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/Cbeds2.asp?Drop1yr=on&cChoice=CoProf2&cYear=2017-18&>

The most recent CDE dropout rates published by county and district are for the 2017-18 school year. At that time, dropout rates varied by district, with 1-year rates notably higher than the countywide average (1.3%) in Byron Union Elementary (4.8%), Antioch Unified (2.4%), West Contra Costa Unified (2.4%) and Mt. Diablo Unified (1.9%). The county's overall dropout rate (1.3%) continues to compare favorably to the state (2.4%). The CDE did publish a report for 2019-20 indicating that during this past year when COVID-19 forced schools to shift suddenly to distance learning, statewide dropout rates remained stable (8.9%), compared to the prior year (9.0%), although both rates exceed 2017-18 rates (2.4%).

Head Start

HEAD START / EARLY HEAD START DEMOGRAPHICS

In the 2020-21 school year, the county's Early Head Start program served a cumulative total of 798 enrollees including the children of 33 pregnant women, which is a 6.7% increase from 748 in the prior year. The Head Start program served 1,347 children, including new, continuing and turnover participants, which is a 1.0% decrease from 1,360 in 2019-20. Among Early Head Start participants, 27.1% (216) served are less than 1, including 33 unborn infants. Another 26.2% (209) of Early Head Start enrollees are 2 year olds. Among Head Start participants in 2020-21, 40.1% (540) of children are 5 years of age or older, 38.5% (519) are 4 years of age and 17.5% (235) of enrollees are 3 years of age.

Table 104 – Early Head Start and Head Start Enrollees by Age, 2020–21

	Early Head Start		Head Start	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Pregnant women	33	4.1	0	0.0
Under 1 year	183	22.9	0	0.0
1 year old	198	24.8	0	0.0
2 years old	209	26.2	53	3.9
3 years old	157	19.7	235	17.5
4 years old	18	2.3	519	38.5
5 years and older	0	0.0	540	40.1
Total Enrollment	798	100.0	1,347	100.0

Source: Contra Costa County Head Start Program Information Reports, 2020-21. Actual cumulative enrollment includes turnover.

HEAD START / EARLY HEAD START RACE AND ETHNICITY

In 2020-21, 62.2% (477) Early Head Start and 61.1% (821) Head Start enrollees are Latino. Spanish is the primary language of 37.0% (295) of Early Head Start and 38.6% (520) of Head Start enrollees. White children make up 59.7% (458) of Early Head Start and 59.7% (802) of Head Start enrollment. African American enrollees make up 27.2% (209) of all Early Head Start and 24.2% (325) of all Head Start participants. Only 2.5% (19) of Early Head Start and 4.9% (66) of Head Start enrollees are Asian.

Table 105 – Head Start and Early Head Start Enrollees by Race and Ethnicity, 2020-21

2020	Early Head Start		Head Start	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Latino/Hispanic	477	62.2	821	61.1
Non-Latino/Hispanic	290	37.8	522	38.9
Total Identified Enrollees	767	100.0	1,343	100.0
African American	209	27.2	325	24.2
Caucasian / White	458	59.7	802	59.7
Multi-racial	72	9.4	137	10.2
Asian	19	2.5	66	4.9
Pacific Islander/ Native Hawaiian	3	0.4	9	0.7
American Indian / Alaska Native	1	0.1	1	0.1
Other / Unspecified	5	0.7	3	0.2
Total Identified Enrollees	767	100.0	1,343	100.0

Source: Contra Costa County Head Start Program Information Reports, 2020-21. Actual cumulative enrollment includes turnover.

FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS OF ENROLLED CHILDREN

In the 2020-21 school year, single-parent families represent 73.4% (530) of all 722 families with children enrolled in Early Head Start, which is 30 more single-parent families than in 2019-20. Single-parent families represent 73.2% (911) of all 1,245 families with children enrolled in Head Start, which is down 22 families from the prior year.

Table 106 – Enrolled Families by Family Type, 2010–2021

2009-10	Early Head Start		Head Start	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Two-parent families	119	24.2	738	36.4
Single-parent families	373	75.8	1,291	63.6
Total Families	492	100.0	2,029	100.0

2020-21	Early Head Start		Head Start	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Two-parent families	192	26.6	334	26.8
Single-parent families	530	73.4	911	73.2
Total Families	722	100.0	1,245	100.0

Source: Contra Costa County Head Start Program Information Reports, 2009-10 & 2020-21

HEAD START / EARLY HEAD START ENROLLMENT ELIGIBILITY TYPES

Children in both Early Head Start (68.7%) and Head Start (62.2%) are most commonly eligible for services based on income, and both programs saw increases since 2019-20. Enrollment based on receipt of public assistance represents 14.8% (102) of children in Early Head Start and 15.5% (173) of children in Head Start, with a 20.1% drop in EHS and a 10.8% drop in HS since 2019-20. Over-income enrollment accounts for 9.8% (68) of EHS enrollees and 16.2% (181) in HS. Eligibility based on foster care status accounts for 2.6% (18) of EHS children and 2.9% (32) of HS children, virtually unchanged since 2019-20. Notably, the number and proportion of homeless children in Early Head Start (28 children or 4.1%) and Head Start (35 children or 3.1%) have both increased since 2019-20.

Table 107 – Early Head Start and Head Start Enrollment by Eligibility Type, 2020–21

	Early Head Start		Head Start	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Income Eligible	475	68.7	694	62.2
Public Assistance	102	14.8	173	15.5
Foster Child	18	2.6	32	2.9
Homeless	28	4.1	35	3.1
Over Income	68	9.8	181	16.2
Total with Eligibility Status	691	100.0	1,115	100.0

Source: Contra Costa County Head Start Program Information Reports, 2020-21

FAMILY SERVICES AND REFERRALS RECEIVED

During the 2020-21 program year, a total of 53 Early Head Start families needed and 227 received family services or service referrals, which represents a considerable decline from 198 and 404 in the prior year. Services accessed most by Early Head Start families include adult education services (15 needed and 20 received) and parenting education (37 needed and 190 received). Among Head Start families, 45 needed and 342 received family services or referrals, down significantly from 267 and 855 in the prior year. Services accessed most by Head Start families include parenting education (34 needed and 243 received), health education services (3 needed and 133 received), and adult education services (7 needed and 13 received).

Table 108 – Family Services and Referrals Received, 2020-21

Type of Service	Early Head Start		Head Start	
	# needed	# received	# needed	# received
Emergency/crisis intervention (immediate need for food, clothing, shelter)	1	3	3	11
Housing assistance such as subsidies, utilities, repairs, etc.	3	4	4	5
Mental health services	0	0	0	0
English as a Second Language (ESL) training	0	0	1	1
Adult education (GED programs and college selection)	15	20	7	13
Job training	1	1	3	3
Substance abuse prevention / treatment	0	0	0	0
Child abuse and neglect services	0	0	0	0
Domestic violence services	0	0	1	1
Child support assistance	0	0	0	0
Health education	0	41	3	133
Assistance to families of incarcerated individuals	0	0	0	0
Parenting education	37	190	34	243
Relationship/marriage education	0	0	0	0
Asset building services (financial educ., opening accounts, debt counseling)	0	0	4	4
Unduplicated number of families served or referred	53	227	45	342

Source: Contra Costa County Head Start Program Information Reports, 2020-21

ESTIMATES OF HEAD START INCOME-ELIGIBLE CHILDREN

The number of Contra Costa County children age 0-2 and 3-5 who may be income-eligible to receive Early Head Start or Head Start services may be estimated from 2019 American Community Survey 5-Year estimates of the population of children age 0-2 and 3-5 (Table 7), the number of 0-5 year olds at each income-to-poverty ratio level by area (Tables 31, 32 and 33), and the number of women living below the federal poverty level with births in the past year (Table 34). In the table below, the population of 0-2 and 3-5 year olds has been multiplied by the percentage of all 0-5 year olds who live below 100% of FPL. The population of 0-2 and 3-5 year olds has also been multiplied by the estimated percentage of all 0-5 year olds living at 100% to 130% of FPL, assuming the number of children between 125% and 149% of FPL is equally distributed. The number of women below FPL with births in the past year has been used as a proxy to estimate the number of potential income-eligible pregnant women.

Totaling all estimates by age group yields an approximate 8,476 0-2 year olds, including 2,158 pregnant women may be eligible for Early Head Start, which is down 3.8% or 339 from 8,815 0-2 year olds in 2018. The estimated number of pregnant women below the FPL is relatively unchanged since 2018. Another 6,853 3-5 year olds may be eligible for Head Start based on income alone, which is down a sizable 6.3% or 463 from 7,316 3-5 year olds in 2018.

The largest declines in income-eligible Early Head Start children and mothers since 2018 occur in Antioch (down 136), Martinez (down 88), Pinole (down 42) and Pittsburg (down 37). In contrast, Concord (up 51), Oakley (up 109), Richmond (up 85) and Walnut Creek (up 721) saw relatively large 1-year increases in estimates of income-eligible Early Head Start children and mothers. The largest 1-year declines in income-eligible Head Start children since 2018 occur in Antioch (down 45), Oakley (down 40), Pittsburg (down 139) and Richmond (down 108), while Brentwood (up 40), Concord (up 36), El Cerrito (up 39) and Walnut Creek (up 631) all saw notable gains in estimates of income-eligible Head Start children.

Table 109 – Estimates of Income Eligible Children by Age and Poverty Level, 2019

Area	Population		% Age 0-5 < FPL	Estimate < FPL		% Age 0-5 100-130% of FPL	Estimate at 100-130% FPL		Women w/ births < FPL	Total income eligible	
	0-2	3-5		0-2	3-5		0-2	3-5		0-2	3-5
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	D+G+I	E+H
				(A x C)	(B x C)		(A x F)	(B x F)			
Countywide	37,670	40,862	11.7	4,407	4,781	5.1	1,910	2,072	2,158	8,476	6,853
Alamo	170	345	2.7	5	9	0.0	0	0	9	14	9
Antioch	4,008	4,217	24.4	978	1,029	8.3	333	350	284	1,594	1,379
Bayview	33	59	0.0	0	0	38.0	13	22	0	13	22
Bethel Isle	21	38	100.0	21	38	0.0	0	0	10	31	38
Blackhawk	174	260	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Brentwood	1,487	2,244	5.0	74	112	8.7	129	195	39	243	308
Clayton	313	364	0.0	0	0	2.8	9	10	0	9	10
Concord	4,920	5,104	13.0	640	664	5.2	256	266	320	1,216	929
Cont. Costa Ctr	314	96	0.0	0	0	12.9	41	12	0	41	12
Crockett	87	95	0.0	0	0	6.0	5	6	0	5	6
Danville	1,359	1,602	0.6	8	10	0.0	0	0	0	8	10
Discovery Bay	429	666	6.8	29	45	0.0	0	0	39	68	45
E Richmond Hts	68	57	4.8	3	3	0.0	0	0	0	3	3
El Cerrito	880	931	5.3	47	49	8.2	72	76	6	125	126
El Sobrante	440	359	4.3	19	15	5.9	26	21	17	62	37
Hercules	650	726	2.0	13	15	3.8	25	28	7	45	42
Kensington	138	106	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Lafayette	614	785	3.1	19	24	0.0	0	0	0	19	24
Martinez	1,464	1,207	1.9	28	23	1.2	18	15	7	53	38
Moraga	264	346	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakley	1,683	1,952	8.5	143	166	3.3	55	64	134	332	229
Orinda	348	644	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Pacheco	167	138	0.0	0	0	3.9	6	5	0	6	5
Pinole	545	466	5.7	31	27	1.4	8	7	0	39	33
Pittsburg	3,142	2,979	15.0	471	447	6.3	198	188	327	997	635
Pleasant Hill	1,261	1,332	6.9	87	92	1.0	13	14	84	184	106
Richmond	4,148	4,034	24.0	996	968	10.1	419	407	518	1,932	1,375
Rodeo	332	374	29.1	97	109	8.6	29	32	56	181	141
San Pablo	1,091	1,029	29.8	325	307	11.6	127	120	151	603	426
San Ramon	2,011	3,074	3.1	62	95	0.1	2	3	47	111	98
Tara Hills	134	152	0.0	0	0	5.4	7	8	0	7	8
Vine Hill	158	215	0.0	0	0	19.6	31	42	0	31	42
Walnut Creek	2,084	1,740	46.6	971	811	0.0	1	1	14	986	811