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Demographics

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2. Race estimates for the City of Wilmington are illustrative and should be interpreted with caution.

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**Population by Race and Ethnicity**

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Source: 2000 Census, U.S. Census Bureau
### Table 5:

## Teen Birth Rates

Five-Year Average Live Birth Rates (births per 1,000) for Females Ages 15–19 by Race

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Note: The recalculation of teen birth rates using revised population data resulted in birth rates lower than those previously reported, though the decreasing trend remains the same.

Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics

### Table 6:

## Wilmington Teen Birth Rates by Age and Race

Five-Year Average Live Birth Rates (births per 1,000) for Females Ages 10–14, 15–17 and 18–19 by Race

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Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics
### Table 7:

#### Birth Rates for 10–14 Year Old Girls

Five-Year Average Live Birth Rates (births per 1,000) for Females Ages 10–14 by Race

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Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics

### Table 8:

#### Birth Rates for 15–17 Year Old Girls

Five-Year Average Live Birth Rates (births per 1,000) for Females Ages 15–17 by Race

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Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics
### Table 9:

**Birth Rates for 18–19 Year Old Girls**

Five-Year Average Live Birth Rates (births per 1,000) for Females Ages 18–19 by Race

**U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1990–2000**

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Note: The recalculation of teen birth rates using revised population data resulted in birth rates lower than those previously reported, though the decreasing trend remains the same.

Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics

### Table 10:

**Teen Mothers Who Are Single**

Five Year Average Percentage of Births to Mothers Under 20 Years of Age Who Are Single

By Race and Hispanic Origin* of Mother

**U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1985–2000**

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* Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race

Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics
## Table 11:

**Births by Race, Hispanic Origin, and Age of Mother**

Number and Percent of Live Births by Race, Hispanic Origin, and Age of Mother
Delaware, Wilmington, and Balance of New Castle County, 2000

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* Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. See information about Hispanic data on page 58.
1. Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding.
2. Percentages are calculated based upon the total number of births in each race group for all ages.
3. Percentages for the race group “Other” may be misleading due to the small number of births in this category.

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Table 12:

#### Prenatal Care

Five-Year Average Percentage of Mothers Receiving Prenatal Care in the First Trimester of Pregnancy by Race and Hispanic Origin

U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1987–2000

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* Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Hispanic data was not available prior to the 1989-93 time period.

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center, National Center for Health Statistics
Table 13:

Percentage of Low Birth Weight Births

Five-Year Average Percentage of All Births that Are Low Birth Weight Births (<2500 grams)
U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1983–2000

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Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics

Table 14:

Percentage of Very Low Birth Weight Births

Five-Year Average Percentage of All Births that Are Very Low Birth Weight Births (< 1500 grams)
U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1983–2000

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Note: Very Low Birth Weight (<1500 grams) is a subdivision of Low Birth Weight (<2500 grams).
Sources: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics
### Table 15: Low Birth Weight Births by Age, Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother

Five-Year Average Percentage of Low Birth Weight Births by Age, Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother  
U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1993–2000

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* Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Table 16:

**Very Low Birth Weight Births by Age, Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother**

Five-Year Average Percentage of Very Low Birth Weight Births by Age, Race and Hispanic Origin of Mother

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Note: Very Low Birth Weight (<1500 grams) is a subdivision of Low Birth Weight (<2500 grams).

* Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Table 17:

#### Infant Mortality Rates

Five-Year Average Infant Mortality Rates (per 1,000 live births) by Race and Hispanic Origin*

U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and Balance of New Castle County, 1986–2000

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*Based on National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) estimate. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. Hispanic data is not available before the 1989-1993 time period. Hispanic data is not available for Wilmington.

Infant mortality rates represent the number of deaths to children under one year of age per 1,000 live births.

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center; National Center for Health Statistics
**Table 19:**

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*Based on NCHS estimate

Neonatal mortality rates represent the number of deaths to children under 28 days of age per 1,000 live births.

Postneonatal mortality rates represent the number of deaths to children 28 to 364 days of age per 1,000 live births.

Sources: National Center for Health Statistics, Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Table 20:

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Number of Deaths by Age and Gender, Wilmington, 1993–2000

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Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center

### Table 21:

#### Causes of Deaths of Children

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Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
Table 22:

**Child Injuries in Auto Accidents**

Restraint Breakdowns for Injured Occupants age 0 through 4, Wilmington, 1994–2002

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Source: Division of State Police, Department of Public Safety
# Teen Deaths

## Table 23:

### Alcohol Use by Teens in Traffic Crashes

(Age equal to less than 19), Wilmington, 1996–2002

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Source: Division of State Police, Department of Public Safety
### Table 24:
**Arrest Breakdowns for Teens Involved in Crashes**

Number of Arrests for Teens Involved in Crashes by Violation, Wilmington, 1996–2002

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Source: Division of State Police, Department of Public Safety

### Table 25:
**Arrest Breakdowns for Adults Involved in Crashes**

Number of Arrests for Adults (Age 20+) Involved in Crashes by Violation, Wilmington, 1996–2002

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<td>Inattentive Driving</td>
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<td>Other Traffic Arrests</td>
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<td><strong>Total Traffic Arrests</strong></td>
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<td>1,665</td>
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Source: Division of State Police, Department of Public Safety
### Table 26: Juvenile Crime Arrests
**Total Juvenile Crime Arrests, Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1995–2001**

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<td>3,257</td>
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Source: Statistical Analysis Center

### Table 27: Juvenile Part I Violent Crime Arrests
**Juvenile Crime Arrests, Delaware, New Castle County, and Wilmington, 1995–2001**

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<td>90</td>
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Note: Part I Violent Crime includes murder, non-negligent manslaughter, manslaughter by negligence, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

Source: Statistical Analysis Center

### Table 28: Juvenile Part I Property Crime Arrests
**Juvenile Arrests for Part I Property Crimes, Delaware, New Castle County, and Wilmington, 1995–2001**

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<td>85</td>
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Note: Part I Property Crime includes burglary – breaking or entering, larceny and arson.

Source: Statistical Analysis Center
### Table 29: Juvenile Part II Crime Arrests

**Juvenile Arrests for Part II Crimes, Delaware, New Castle County, and Wilmington, 1995–2001**

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<td>588</td>
<td>722</td>
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Note: Part II Offenses includes drug abuse violations (sales/manufacturing and possession), other assaults, fraud, stolen property (buying, receiving, possessing, etc.), sex offenses (except rape and prostitution), liquor laws, disorderly conduct, all other offenses (except traffic), curfew and loitering law violation.

Source: Statistical Analysis Center

### Table 30: Juvenile Drug Arrests

**Arrest of Children under 18 years of Age by Type of Crime, Wilmington, 1995–2001**

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<td>16</td>
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<td>14</td>
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<td>Opium, Cocaine &amp; Derivatives</td>
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Source: Statistical Analysis Center
### Table 31: Juvenile Crime Arrest Rates

Arrests per 1,000 Juveniles Ages 10–17
Delaware, Wilmington, and Balance of New Castle County, 1999–2001

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<td>80.0</td>
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<td>Balance of New Castle Co.</td>
<td>88.1</td>
<td>6.1</td>
<td>21.0</td>
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Source: Statistical Analysis Center

### Table 32: Total Juvenile Crime Arrest Rates

Three-Year Average Total Juvenile Crime Arrest Rates per 1,000 Juveniles Ages 10–17
Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1995–2001

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<th>Balance of New Castle Co.</th>
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<td>1997–1999</td>
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<td>98.2</td>
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<td>1999–2001</td>
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Source: Statistical Analysis Center

### Table 33: Juvenile Part I Violent Crime Arrest Rates

Three-Year Average Total Juvenile Part 1 Violent Crime Arrest Rates per 1,000 Juveniles Ages 10–17
Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1995–2001

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Note: Part I Violent Crime includes murder, non-negligent manslaughter, manslaughter by negligence, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
Source: Statistical Analysis Center
### Table 34: Juvenile Part I Property Crime Arrest Rates

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<td>19.3</td>
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Note: Part I Property Crime includes burglary — breaking or entering, larceny and arson.
Source: Statistical Analysis Center

### Table 35: Juvenile Part II Crime Arrest Rates

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Note: Part II Offenses includes drug abuse violations (sales/manufacturing and possession), other assaults, fraud, stolen property (buying, receiving, possessing, etc.), sex offenses (except rape and prostitution), liquor laws, disorderly conduct, all other offenses (except traffic), curfew and loitering law violation.
Source: Statistical Analysis Center
### Wilmington Students by Race

Number and Percentage of Wilmington Students by Race, Hispanic Origin, and Grade
School Year 2002–2003

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<td>K</td>
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Source: Department of Education
Table 37: Wilmington Students in Special Programs

Number and Percentage of Wilmington Students in Regular and Special Education, with Limited English Proficiency, and Receiving Free and Reduced Lunches, School Year 2002–2003

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<th>Special Education* Percent</th>
<th>Total* Number</th>
<th>Total* Percent</th>
<th>Limited English Proficiency* Number</th>
<th>Limited English Proficiency* Percent</th>
<th>Free &amp; Reduced Lunch** Number</th>
<th>Free &amp; Reduced Lunch** Percent</th>
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* December 1 count
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Source: Department of Education
### Table 38: DSTP: 3rd Grade Reading

**Delaware Student Testing Program, Percentage of Third Graders Meeting the Standard in Reading Delaware and Wilmington by Race and Hispanic Origin, 1998–2003**

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*Note: All includes Native American and Asian
Source: Department of Education*
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**Delaware and Wilmington by Race and Hispanic Origin, 1998–2003**

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*Note: All includes Native American and Asian*  
*Source: Department of Education*

### Table 41: DSTP: 5th Grade Math

**Delaware Student Testing Program, Percentage of Fifth Graders Meeting the Standard in Math**  
**Delaware and Wilmington by Race and Hispanic Origin, 1998–2003**

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*Note: All includes Native American and Asian*  
*Source: Department of Education*
## Table 42: DSTP: 8th Grade Reading

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Source: Department of Education

## Table 43: DSTP: 8th Grade Math

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Note: All includes Native American and Asian
Source: Department of Education
### Table 44:

**DSTP: 10th Grade Reading**

Delaware Student Testing Program, Percentage of Tenth Graders Meeting the Standard in Reading
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Source: Department of Education*

### Table 45:

**DSTP: 10th Grade Math**

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*Note: All includes Native American and Asian
Source: Department of Education*
### Table 46: Births by Education and Age of Mother

Number of Live Births by Education and Age of Mother
Wilmington, Balance of New Castle County, and Delaware, 2000

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| Wilmington      |       |     |       |       |       |       |       |       |     |
| <9              | 79    | 8   | 21    | 14    | 15    | 11    | 3     | 0     |     |
| 9 to 11         | 328   | 5   | 102   | 64    | 106   | 28    | 16    | 6     | 1   |
| H.S. Graduate   | 474   | 0   | 8     | 74    | 188   | 115   | 59    | 24    | 6   |
| 1 to 3 College  | 183   | 0   | 0     | 6     | 53    | 64    | 39    | 17    | 4   |
| 4+ College      | 183   | 0   | 0     | 0     | 9     | 60    | 76    | 33    | 5   |
| Unknown         | 6     | 0   | 1     | 1     | 1     | 2     | 1     | 0     | 0   |
| Total           | 1,253 | 13  | 132   | 152   | 371   | 284   | 202   | 83    | 16  |

| Balance of New Castle County |       |     |       |       |       |       |       |       |     |
| <9                          | 177   | 7   | 16    | 20    | 47    | 51    | 23    | 10    | 3   |
| 9 to 11                     | 536   | 0   | 120   | 131   | 163   | 72    | 31    | 15    | 4   |
| H.S. Graduate               | 1,827 | 0   | 8     | 157   | 575   | 476   | 392   | 196   | 23  |
| 1 to 3 College              | 1,167 | 0   | 0     | 31    | 240   | 391   | 323   | 156   | 26  |
| 4+ College                  | 2,121 | 0   | 0     | 0     | 74    | 612   | 940   | 410   | 85  |
| Unknown                     | 29    | 0   | 5     | 3     | 2     | 8     | 5     | 5     | 1   |
| Total                       | 5,857 | 7   | 149   | 342   | 1,101 | 1,610 | 1,714 | 792   | 142 |

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
Table 47:  

## Early Care and Education in Wilmington

### Early Care and Education Sites in the Wilmington Zip Code* Areas, July 2001

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Zip Code</th>
<th>Center-Based Programs</th>
<th>Family Child Care Programs (Regular &amp; Large)</th>
<th>Special Programs (ECAP+ and Head Start Sites)</th>
<th>High School Child Development Centers</th>
<th>Part-day Programs</th>
<th>Totals</th>
<th>Estimated Number of Slots Available**</th>
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* This table includes program sites for all Wilmington zip codes including those sites that fall outside of the official city limits. This table is accompanied by a listing of all of the individual sites by name and address. For more information, please contact Michael Gamel-McCormick at (302) 831-1589.

+ ECAPs are Early Childhood Assistance Programs

** Number of slots available for children are estimated due to missing data for some part-day programs. Number of slots available does not correspond to the availability of full day child care. Number of available full day child care slots will be less in all zip code areas.

Source: Center for Disabilities Studies, University of Delaware
Table 49:

Teens Not in School and Not in the Labor Force
Number and Percentage of Teens (16–19 Yrs.) Not in School and Not in the Labor Force
Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 2000 Census

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<tr>
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<th>Black</th>
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* Persons of Hispanic Origin can be of any race.
Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census

Source: Family and Workplace Connection
### Table 50:

**Child Care Costs**

**Weekly Cost in Dollars to Families for Child Care by Child’s Age**

**Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 2002**

<table>
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<th>New Castle County</th>
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<td>High</td>
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<td>50</td>
<td>102</td>
<td>180</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Kindergarten</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>96</td>
<td>180</td>
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<td>School Age</td>
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<td>70</td>
<td>151</td>
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**Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 2002**

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Source: The Family and Workplace Connection

### Table 51:

**Birth by Marital Status**

**and Source of Payment for Delivery**

**Number and Percent of Live Births By Marital Status and Principal Source of Payment For Delivery**

**Delaware, Wilmington, and Balance of New Castle County, 2000**

<table>
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<th>Area</th>
<th>Marital Status</th>
<th>Total Number</th>
<th>Medicaid Number</th>
<th>Medicaid Percent</th>
<th>Private Insurance Number</th>
<th>Private Insurance Percent</th>
<th>Self Pay Number</th>
<th>Self Pay Percent</th>
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<td>35.2</td>
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<td>6,854</td>
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<td>4,192</td>
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<td>843</td>
<td>600</td>
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<td>Balance of NC County</td>
<td>5,857</td>
<td>1,338</td>
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<td>667</td>
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Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Table 52:

#### Median Income and Poverty Levels

**Median Household Income, Per Capita Income, and Poverty Levels**

Wilmington, New Castle County, and Delaware, 2000

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<th>Wilmington</th>
<th>New Castle County</th>
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<tr>
<td>Median Household Income – Families with Children</td>
<td>$53,652</td>
<td>$31,019</td>
<td>$61,448</td>
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<tr>
<td>Per Capita Income</td>
<td>$23,305</td>
<td>$20,236</td>
<td>$25,413</td>
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<tr>
<td>Percent of persons below the poverty level</td>
<td>9.2%</td>
<td>21.3%</td>
<td>8.4%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Percent of families with children below poverty level</td>
<td>9.9%</td>
<td>24.0%</td>
<td>8.4%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Percent of families with children below poverty level that are headed by a female</td>
<td>66.8%</td>
<td>76.3%</td>
<td>69.5%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Percent of children living below the poverty level</td>
<td>11.9%</td>
<td>30.4%</td>
<td>10.2%</td>
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2000 Census

### Table 53:

#### Poverty Thresholds

**Poverty Thresholds by Size of Family and Number of Related Children Under 18 Years**

Annual Income in Dollars, U.S., 2002

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<th>Two</th>
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<th>Four</th>
<th>Five</th>
<th>Six</th>
<th>Seven</th>
<th>Eight +</th>
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<td>One person 65 years old or older</td>
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<td>Two persons, householder under 65 years</td>
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<td>Two persons, householder 65 years or older</td>
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<td>Seven persons</td>
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<td>Eight persons</td>
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau
# Table 54:

## Food Stamp Recipients in New Castle County

Number of Persons by Zip Code who Receive Food Stamps, New Castle County, July, 2002

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<tr>
<th>Zip Code</th>
<th>Adults</th>
<th>Children</th>
<th>Total</th>
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Source: Delaware Health and Social Services
Table 55: Delaware’s Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) Program Recipients in Wilmington

Number of Cases and Clients by Zip Code who Receive Cash Assistance through Delaware’s Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) Program, Wilmington, September 1997 through July 2002

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Source: Delaware Health and Social Services
### Table 56:

**Delaware’s Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) Program Recipients in New Castle County**

Number of Cases and Clients by Zip Code who Receive Cash Assistance through Delaware’s Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) Program, New Castle County, July 2002

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Source: Delaware Health and Social Services
## Children in One-Parent Households

### Table 57:

**Births by Age, Marital Status, and Race**

Number of Live Births by Age, Marital Status, and Race of Mother

Wilmington and Balance of New Castle County, 2000

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Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Children in One-Parent Households

**Table 58:**

**Births to Single Mothers**

Five Year Average Percentage of Live Births to Single Mothers by Race and Hispanic Origin

U.S., Delaware, Wilmington, and New Castle County, 1983–2000

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* Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.
Hispanic data is not available before the 1989-1993 time period. Wilmington data is not available before the 1987-1991 time period.

Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center, National Center for Health Statistics.
Table 59:

Areas of High AIDS Cases
Areas of High AIDS Cases in Delaware (top 8 zip codes), April 2002

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Source: HIV/ AIDS Epidemiology, Delaware Health and Social Services

Table 60:

AIDS Cases in Wilmington
Gender, Race, and Mode of Transmission, 1998–2002

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Note: The city of Wilmington is defined as zip codes: 19801, 19802, 19805, and 19806.
a) Het equals Heterosexual sex with
b) Hispanic cases merged with White cases due to small cell size
c) Risk merged with Other category due to small cell size
d) Risk merged with Het w/PWSHA due to small cell size
MSM – men who have sex with men
IDU – intravenous or injection drug users
MSM/IDU – men who have sex with men and inject drugs
Source: HIV/ AIDS Epidemiology, Delaware Health and Social Services
### Table 61: HIV/AIDS Deaths

Number of HIV Infection/AIDS* Deaths by Age, Race And Hispanic Origin and Gender  
Delaware, Counties And City Of Wilmington, 2001

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Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center

### Table 62: HIV/AIDS Mortality Rates

Three-Year Age-adjusted Mortality Rates1 (per 100,000 population)  
for Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)2  
Delaware, Counties, and Wilmington, 1981–2001

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1. Rates per 100,000, adjusted to U.S. 2000 population.  
2. ICD-9 codes (042-044) and ICD-10 codes (B20-B24).  
6. There were no reported deaths due to AIDS from 1981–1988, so rates were not calculated for the first three time periods.  
* Rates are based on fewer than 20 incidents. Use caution when interpreting results, as they do not meet standards of reliability and precision.  
Source: Delaware Health Statistics Center
### Table 63:

**Monthly Domestic Incident Report**

Domestic Incident Report Statistics Monthly Count for 2001 (Combined Total Criminal & Non-Criminal)

Wilmington and Delaware, 2001

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Percentage of Wilmington’s Domestic Incidents in the State

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Source: Department of Public Safety, Division of State Police

### Table 64:

**Monthly Domestic Incident Report**

Domestic Incident Report Statistics Monthly Count for 2002 (Combined Total Criminal & Non-Criminal)

Wilmington and Delaware, 2002

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Percentage of Wilmington’s Domestic Incidents in the State

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Source: Department of Public Safety, Division of State Police

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**Wilmington Kids Count**

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# Table 65:

## Hospitalizations for Childhood Asthma

Inpatient Asthma Discharges and Readmissions for Children 0–17 Years of Age, Discharge Rates per 1,000 Children 0–17 Years of Age, Readmission Rates per 100 Children 0–17 Years of Age Previously Admitted in the Same Year Delaware, Wilmington and Balance of New Castle County, 1994–2000

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Note: For purposes of this analysis, Wilmington was defined as residents in ZIP codes 19801, 19802, 19805, and 19806.

Source:
Wilmington Resource Guide

City of Wilmington
www.ci.wilmington.de.us

Department of Parks and Recreation .......................................................... 576-3810
  Youth and Families .................................................................................. 576-2835
  Youth Employment .................................................................................. 576-3835
  Recreation/Sports Events ...................................................................... 575-3835
  Summer Food Program ................................................................. 576-3837 / 576-3836
  William Hick Anderson Community Center ....................................... 576-4266

City of Wilmington Constituent Services Hotline ........................................ 576-CITY
  Constituent Services E-mail ................................................................. cityhelp@ci.wilmington.de.us

Police Department
  Emergencies ........................................................................................... 911
  Non-emergencies .................................................................................. 654-5151
  Drug Hotline ......................................................................................... 888-1800
  PAL Center ............................................................................................ 764-6170

Hotlines and Information Services
  Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Hotline ........................................ 800-292-9582
  Contact Delaware, Inc. (24-Hour Helpline) .......................................... 761-9100
  Rape Crisis, Suicide Counseling, Crisis Intervention
    Crisis Intervention Service, New Castle County ................................... 577-2464
    Delaware Helpline (7:30am – 6:00pm, Monday – Friday) ......... 800-464-4357
  Drug and Alcohol Information and Referral ......................................... 571-6975
  24-Hour Domestic Violence Hotline .................................................... 800-372-2022

Guide to Human Services
  Blue Pages of Verizon Telephone Directory
    Guide lists agencies and phone numbers according to major services provided.
  Delaware Association of Nonprofit Agencies ........................................ 777-5500
    www.delawarenonprofit.org
    Nonprofit directory of Delaware agencies for the arts, education, environment,
    human service, and religious institutions.