

Catawba County

2023 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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	Indicator	County Data	North Carolina	Rank
Economic Development	Median Household Income	\$59,841	\$61,997	28
	Unemployment Rate	4.7	4.9	42
	Housing Cost Burden	21%	28%	10
	Food Insecurity	13.8%	15.4%	28
Physical Health	Teen Pregnancy	22.4	24	33
	Physicians per 100K	27.5	27.7	14
	Child Fatality	50.5	56.2	34
	Uninsured	11.7%	9.3%	59
Mental Health and Safety	Suicide Rate	21.85	15.3	71
	Student-Counselor Ratio	334:1	321:1	52
	Juvenile Detention Admission Rate	1.49	1.56	65
	Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate	53.17	38.3	78
Education Inputs	State Expenditures	\$7,242	\$7,426	85
	Local Expenditures	\$1,845	\$2,459	59
	Federal Expenditures	\$2,542	\$2,460	64
	Teacher Vacancy Rate	2.12%	3.43%	32
Education Outcomes	Math Proficiency	47.6%	33.1%	17
	3rd Grade Reading Proficiency	41.1%	46.4%	60
	% Meeting ACT Benchmark	14.4%	15.8%	29
	High School Graduation Rate	86.2%	86.4%	54

Ranking Summary

Overall	39
Economic Development	19
Physical Health	23
Mental Health	89
Education Input	67
Education Outcomes	38

Public School Student Demographics

