

Yancey County

2023 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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| | Indicator | County Data | North Carolina | Rank |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------------|------|
| Economic Development | Median Household Income | \$46,299 | \$61,997 | 74 |
| | Unemployment Rate | 4.4 | 4.9 | 27 |
| | Housing Cost Burden | 24% | 28% | 20 |
| | Food Insecurity | 14.2% | 15.4% | 31 |
| Physical Health | Teen Pregnancy | 32.9 | 24 | 74 |
| | Physicians per 100K | 8.39 | 27.7 | 76 |
| | Child Fatality | 24 | 56.2 | 4 |
| | Uninsured | 12.4% | 9.3% | 73 |
| Mental Health and Safety | Suicide Rate | 24.42 | 15.3 | 81 |
| | Student-Counselor Ratio | 236:1 | 321:1 | 8 |
| | Juvenile Detention Admission Rate | 0.87 | 1.56 | 37 |
| | Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate | 16.24 | 38.3 | 5 |
| Education Inputs | State Expenditures | \$9,732 | \$7,426 | 20 |
| | Local Expenditures | \$1,944 | \$2,459 | 52 |
| | Federal Expenditures | \$2,608 | \$2,460 | 62 |
| | Teacher Vacancy Rate | 1.95% | 3.43% | 29 |
| Education Outcomes | Math Proficiency | 46.5% | 33.1% | 20 |
| | 3rd Grade Reading Proficiency | 50.3% | 46.4% | 25 |
| | % Meeting ACT Benchmark | 15.0% | 15.8% | 26 |
| | High School Graduation Rate | 88.0% | 86.4% | 41 |

Ranking Summary

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| Overall | 23 |
| Economic Development | 40 |
| Physical Health | 64 |
| Mental Health | 16 |
| Education Input | 27 |
| Education Outcomes | 21 |

Public School Student Demographics

