

# Surry County

## 2025 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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| Indicator                |                                   | County Data | North Carolina | Rank |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------------|------|
| Economic Development     | Median Household Income           | \$58,211    | \$70,838       | 58   |
|                          | Unemployment Rate                 | 3.2         | 3.5            | 17   |
|                          | Housing Cost Burden               | 24%         | 28%            | 28   |
|                          | Food Insecurity                   | 18.9%       | 18.9%          | 36   |
| Physical Health          | Teen Pregnancy                    | 26.2        | 22.2           | 57   |
|                          | Physicians per 100K               | 17.5        | 26.1           | 30   |
|                          | Child Fatality                    | 49.2        | 58.7           | 26   |
|                          | Uninsured                         | 11.9%       | 10.9%          | 75   |
| Mental Health and Safety | Suicide Rate                      | 15.7        | 16.6           | 41   |
|                          | Student-Counselor Ratio           | 383:1       | 315:1          | 77   |
|                          | Juvenile Detention Admission Rate | 1.3         | 2.23           | 38   |
|                          | Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate   | 50.4        | 41.0           | 64   |
| Education Inputs         | State Expenditures                | \$8,800     | \$7896         | 46   |
|                          | Local Expenditures                | \$2,231     | \$3058         | 66   |
|                          | Federal Expenditures              | \$2,304     | \$2269         | 66   |
|                          | Teacher Vacancy Rate              | 8.5%        | 6.4%           | 68   |
| Education Outcomes       | Math Proficiency                  | 30.7%       | 37.0%          | 74   |
|                          | 3rd Grade Reading Proficiency     | 45.4%       | 48.6%          | 50   |
|                          | % Meeting ACT Benchmark           | 11.1%       | 15.2%          | 38   |
|                          | High School Graduation Rate       | 89.0%       | 86.9%          | 29   |

### Ranking Summary

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Overall              | 49 |
| Economic Development | 35 |
| Physical Health      | 46 |
| Mental Health        | 63 |
| Education Input      | 76 |
| Education Outcomes   | 43 |

### Public School Student Demographics

