

# Madison County

## 2025 Roadmap of Need County Profile

For a complete list of data sources, descriptions, and methodology, click [here](#).

|                          | Indicator                         | County Data | North Carolina | Rank |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------------|------|
| Economic Development     | Median Household Income           | \$59,505    | \$70,838       | 52   |
|                          | Unemployment Rate                 | 3           | 3.5            | 5    |
|                          | Housing Cost Burden               | 19%         | 28%            | 2    |
|                          | Food Insecurity                   | 15.7%       | 18.9%          | 19   |
| Physical Health          | Teen Pregnancy                    | 17.7        | 22.2           | 21   |
|                          | Physicians per 100K               | 8.9         | 26.1           | 65   |
|                          | Child Fatality                    | 53.2        | 58.7           | 41   |
|                          | Uninsured                         | 8.7%        | 10.9%          | 15   |
| Mental Health and Safety | Suicide Rate                      | 14.9        | 16.6           | 38   |
|                          | Student-Counselor Ratio           | 206:1       | 315:1          | 5    |
|                          | Juvenile Detention Admission Rate | 4.5         | 2.23           | 95   |
|                          | Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate   | 31.7        | 41.0           | 27   |
| Education Inputs         | State Expenditures                | \$10,247    | \$7896         | 24   |
|                          | Federal Expenditures              | \$1,889     | \$3058         | 79   |
|                          | Local Expenditures                | \$3,069     | \$2269         | 27   |
|                          | Teacher Vacancy Rate              | 2.9%        | 6.4%           | 25   |
| Education Outcomes       | Math Proficiency                  | 50.7%       | 37.0%          | 17   |
|                          | 3rd Grade Reading Proficiency     | 51.7%       | 48.6%          | 20   |
|                          | % Meeting ACT Benchmark           | 5.9%        | 15.2%          | 69   |
|                          | High School Graduation Rate       | 90.9%       | 86.9%          | 17   |

### Ranking Summary

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Overall              | 9  |
| Economic Development | 10 |
| Physical Health      | 22 |
| Mental Health        | 29 |
| Education Input      | 22 |
| Education Outcomes   | 24 |

### Public School Student Demographics

