

# Onslow County

## 2025 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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	Indicator	County Data	North Carolina	Rank
Economic Development	Median Household Income	\$66,982	\$70,838	25
	Unemployment Rate	3.7	3.5	60
	Housing Cost Burden	33%	28%	89
	Food Insecurity	20.8%	18.9%	51
Physical Health	Teen Pregnancy	38.8	22.2	86
	Physicians per 100K	8.3	26.1	69
	Child Fatality	68.7	58.7	64
	Uninsured	10.1%	10.9%	40
Mental Health and Safety	Suicide Rate	21.4	16.6	62
	Student-Counselor Ratio	485:1	315:1	96
	Juvenile Detention Admission Rate	1.2	2.23	36
	Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate	41.7	41.0	48
Education Inputs	State Expenditures	\$7,643	\$7896	88
	Federal Expenditures	\$1,838	\$3058	82
	Local Expenditures	\$2,885	\$2269	32
	Teacher Vacancy Rate	9.3%	6.4%	75
Education Outcomes	Math Proficiency	43.5%	37.0%	31
	3rd Grade Reading Proficiency	50.4%	48.6%	24
	% Meeting ACT Benchmark	12.3%	15.2%	30
	High School Graduation Rate	88.9%	86.9%	30

### Ranking Summary

Overall	67
Economic Development	66
Physical Health	75
Mental Health	73
Education Input	87
Education Outcomes	22

### Public School Student Demographics

