

Rowan County

2025 Roadmap of Need County Profile

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		Indicator	County Data	North Carolina	Rank
Economic Development		Median Household Income	\$65,139	\$70,838	32
		Unemployment Rate	3.4	3.5	38
		Housing Cost Burden	25%	28%	37
		Food Insecurity	21.2%	18.9%	55
Physical Health		Teen Pregnancy	25.5	22.2	54
		Physicians per 100K	10.9	26.1	54
		Child Fatality	56.7	58.7	45
		Uninsured	10.2%	10.9%	43
Mental Health and Safety		Suicide Rate	20.9	16.6	60
		Student-Counselor Ratio	260:1	315:1	18
		Juvenile Detention Admission Rate	0.7	2.23	16
		Drug and Medicine Overdose Rate	79.8	41.0	95
Education Inputs		State Expenditures	\$8,203	\$7896	63
		Federal Expenditures	\$3,067	\$3058	33
		Local Expenditures	\$3,286	\$2269	22
		Teacher Vacancy Rate	27.2%	6.4%	99
Education Outcomes		Math Proficiency	19.8%	37.0%	91
		3rd Grade Reading Proficiency	34.1%	48.6%	88
		% Meeting ACT Benchmark	5.7%	15.2%	71
		High School Graduation Rate	88.2%	86.9%	40

Ranking Summary

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Economic Development	43
Physical Health	49
Mental Health	43
Education Input	59
Education Outcomes	83

Public School Student Demographics

