

## General Health & Access

**8 in 10** children (ages 0-14) in Hood County had 'excellent' or 'very good' health, according to their parents




**92%** of children had a **Primary Care Provider**

**50%** had very easy access to **immunizations**

**Nearly 1,500** were **uninsured** at some point during the year

**Nearly 1,500** have **specialized healthcare needs**



**88%** had **dental insurance**

**Nearly half** had **dental problems** (toothache, decayed teeth, cavities, etc)

**1 in 4** children **did not receive all necessary dental care**

## School Age Children (5-14)

**10%** had **academic problems**

**8%** had **behavioral problems at school**

**More than half** of parents talked daily about child's **friends/ interests/ problems**



**76%** of parents said child **eats healthy meals** most of the time

**72%** had **5 or more family meals together** in the last week



**18%** have been **bullied or teased at school**

**18%** have **problems with self-esteem**

## Parents of Young Children (0-5)

**42%** of parents are **coping very well with parenthood**

**80%** of parents have **day-to-day emotional help & support with parenting**

**5%** of parents **didn't know** if child was **buckled up properly**

**76%** lock up **medications**

**74%** lock up **cleaning products**

## Mental Health



**12%** of children (ages 5-15) diagnosed with **mental illness or disorder**

**16%** of children (ages 0-15) received assistance for **mental illness, behavioral, emotional, or developmental problem**

**5%** of children (ages 5-15) needed mental health **but didn't receive it**

**Half** of parents are **not familiar with mental health services** in their community

### Barriers to Care:

Not covered by insurance  
Facilities weren't available