Muskegon County 14th Judicial Circuit Court Muskegon, Michigan

State Structure

Michigan's delinquency services are organized at the both the state and local level. Community supervision is administered either by the Michigan Department of Human Services or local juvenile courts. The Bureau of Juvenile Justice within the Michigan Department of Human Services administers commitments to state facilities as well as aftercare services for youth leaving state facilities. Secure detention in Michigan is administered three ways: most facilities are administered locally at the county level by either regional boards or circuit courts, and a limited number are administered by the Michigan Department of Human Services.

Upper, Lower, and Extended Age of Jurisdiction

	D	elinquency	Status		
State	Lower age	Upper age	Extended age	Lower age	Upper age
Michigan	None specified	16	20	None specified	17

Status Offenses

In Michigan, desertion of the home without sufficient cause, disobedience to the commands of parents or guardians, and truancy are status offense behaviors. Status offense cases are classified as accused status offenders. The Family Division of the Circuit Court has jurisdiction over status offenders and delinquents.

Yearly Case Count

	2010 Population Estimates		Delinquency		Status		Dependency	
County	Total	10 Through Upper Age	0 Through Upper Age	Petitioned	Non- Petitioned	Petitioned	Non- Petitioned	Petitioned
Muskegon	172,100	17,000	40,000	742		164		511

Source: State Court Administrative Office, Michigan Supreme Court

- 1. Delinquency figures are cases disposed.
- 2. Status figures are cases disposed.
- 3. Dependency figures are cases disposed.

School Districts

Intermediate School District

• Muskegon Area Intermediate School District

School Districts

• Fruitport, Holton, Mona Shores, Montague, Muskegon, North Muskegon, Oakridge, Orchard View, Ravenna, Reeths-Puffer, Wesley School, Whitehall, and Muskegon Area CTC

Estimated arrests of persons under age 18 in Muskegon County, Michigan

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Coverage Indicator	100%	95%	99%	100%	100%
Total Arrests	542	497	218	201	284
Violent Crime Index	32	43	5	13	13
Murder/nonneg. mans.	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible rape	0	1	2	2	3
Robbery	5	4	0	5	1
Aggravated assault	27	38	3	6	9
Property Crime Index	94	113	64	53	77
Burglary	14	25	15	8	18
Larceny-theft	69	81	49	37	55
Motor vehicle theft	11	5	0	8	3
Arson	0	2	0	0	1
Nonindex					
Other assaults	41	45	35	22	39
Forgery and counterfeiting	0	2	0	0	0
Fraud	2	4	2	2	3
Embezzlement	1	1	0	1	2
Stolen property	7	9	1	3	0
Vandalism	22	16	3	5	12
Weapons	7	9	5	1	1
Prostitution/	0	1	0	0	0
commercialized vice					
Sex offenses (other)	5	3	4	5	4
Drug abuse violations	50	34	27	14	46
Gambling	0	0	0	0	0
Offenses against family	1	0	0	0	0
Driving under influence	14	14	4	1	2
Liquor laws	34	20	8	24	13
Drunkenness	0	0	0	0	0
Disorderly conduct	22	11	6	6	16
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0	0
All other offenses	184	149	38	30	43
Suspicion	0	0	0	0	0
Curfew and loitering	3	2	1	0	1
Runaways	23	21	15	21	12
Population Ages 10 to 17	21,831	21,342	20,708	20,345	19,731

These statistics are estimates that account for missing data and may differ from other published sources. The county-level files which are the source of this information are not official FBI releases and are being provided for research purposes.

The Coverage Indicator refers to the relative size of the sample from which these estimates are based. A coverage indicator of 90% means that data covering 10% of the jurisdiction's population are estimated and that data from 90% of the jurisdiction's population are based on actual reports. Only jurisdictions with a coverage indicator at or above 90% are displayed in this application.

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