

# Nevada Demographic Profile

## Per Capita Personal Income by County, 1997 (Dollars)

Douglas County	\$ 31,243
Washoe County	30,214
Carson City	27,356
Clark County	26,212
Mineral County	22,475
Humboldt County	22,368
Elko County	22,333
Eureka County	21,961
Storey County	21,602
Lander County	20,985
Nye County	20,402
Lyon County	20,275
Churchill County	19,724
Pershing County	19,343
Esmeralda County	19,216
White Pine County	18,510
Lincoln County	18,448

**Nevada** \$ 26,514

**United States** \$ 25,288

*Source: Survey of Current Business, May 1999, U.S. Department of Commerce, Economics and Statistics Administration, Bureau of Economic Analysis*

## Nevada Demographics\*

<b>State Population</b> (1998)	<b>1,885,792</b>
<b>Clark County</b>	<b>1,255,200</b>
Percent of Population:	<b>67.6%</b>
<b>Washoe County</b>	<b>311,350</b>
Percent of Population:	<b>16.8%</b>
<b>Land Area</b> , square mile	<b>110,541</b>
(U.S. Rank: 7)	
<b>Median Household Income</b> (1996)	<b>\$38,540</b>

\* See General Information

## Projected Demographic Change Number of Children: 1998 and 2005

	1998	2005	% Change
0 - 4 years old	141,003	167,139	19%
5-14 years old	273,182	357,067	31%
15-19 years old	118,952	171,310	44%
<b>All children, under 20</b>	<b>533,137</b>	<b>695,516</b>	<b>30%</b>

*Source: Nevada State Demographer, 1998*

# Nevada Child Demographics

## Nevada's Children\*

<b>Child Population</b> (19 and under, 1998)	<b>533,137</b>
<b>Percent of Children</b> (19 and under, 1998)	<b>29%</b>
<b>Percent of Poor Children</b> (18 and under, 1994)	<b>17%</b>
<b>Percent of Children Covered by Medicaid or Other Public-Sector Health Insurance</b> (1996)	<b>16%</b>
<b>Number of Students Benefiting From the National School Lunch Program</b> (1997)	<b>102,000</b>

### Demographic Change Race/Ethnicity of Children: 1997 and 1998

	1997	1998	% Change
White	325,890	337,532	3.6 %
Black	44,164	46,667	5.7
Hispanic	99,337	106,635	7.3
Asian and Pacific Islander	12,521	13,045	4.2
Native American	7,716	7,934	2.8
<b>All Children Under Age 18</b>	<b>489,628</b>	<b>511,812</b>	<b>4.5 %</b>

Source: Nevada State Demographer, 1998

**Percent of Births to Teens Receiving  
Late or No Prenatal Care** (1996) **14%**  
(Nevada's National Rank: 45)

**Percent of Births to Teens Receiving  
Late or No Prenatal Care  
by Race/Ethnicity** (1996)

Non-Hispanic White	8%
Non-Hispanic Black	18%
Hispanic	21%

**Number of Adoptions Finalized:** (1997) **148**  
(1999) **207**

**Foster Care** (1998)

<b>Number of Children in Family Foster Care</b>	<b>1,426</b>
<b>Number of Children in Care 12 Months or Longer</b>	<b>742</b>
<b>Average Length of Stay</b> (Months)	<b>27</b>

**Percent of Related Children in  
Extreme Poverty** (1996) **5%**  
(Nevada's National Rank: 9)

\* See General Information

## Age Distribution: Nevada and Counties

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	Age Distribution					Percent 19 & Under	Total Population
	4 & Under	5-19	20-44	45-64	65+		
Carson City	3,504	9,907	17,618	12,717	8,113	26 %	51,859
Churchill County	1,765	5,599	8,398	5,080	3,178	31	24,020
Clark County	98,848	265,188	459,873	280,105	151,186	29	1,255,200
Douglas County	2,000	8,883	13,585	11,071	5,882	26	41,421
Elko County	4,002	12,750	18,759	10,325	3,394	34	49,230
Esmeralda County	61	260	500	411	189	23	1,421
Eureka County	89	363	585	411	192	28	1,640
Humboldt County	1,511	4,478	6,684	3,756	1,541	33	17,970
Lander County	604	1,891	2,609	1,474	462	35	7,040
Lincoln County	240	951	1,429	873	697	28	4,190
Lyon County	1,917	7,297	10,018	7,602	5,366	29	32,200
Mineral County	428	1,521	2,207	1,422	1,042	29	6,620
Nye County	1,640	6,106	9,696	7,554	4,735	26	29,731
Pershing County	520	1,890	2,472	1,485	903	33	7,270
Storey County	121	690	1,190	1,167	502	22	3,670
Washoe County	23,361	62,693	116,493	73,187	35,616	28	311,350
White Pine County	653	2,427	3,874	2,530	1,476	28	10,960
<b>Nevada *</b>	<b>141,264</b>	<b>392,894</b>	<b>675,990</b>	<b>421,170</b>	<b>224,474</b>	<b>29 %</b>	<b>1,855,792</b>

\* The sum of the counties may not equal the state total due to missing or incomplete county reference data

Source: Nevada State Demographer, 1998

# Race/Ethnic Distribution of Nevada's Children

## Race/Ethnic Distribution

Race/Ethnic Distribution of Nevada's Children (Ages 18 and under)						
	Race/Ethnic Distribution					Total
	Caucasian	Hispanic	Black	Asian	Native American	Population
Carson City	9,927	2,269	68	157	402	12,823
Churchill County	5,588	706	132	212	404	7,044
Clark County	216,520	76,623	44,101	9,415	2,584	349,243
Douglas County	8,823	1,005	29	121	278	10,257
Elko County	11,376	3,464	44	110	975	15,968
Esmeralda County	228	48	2	3	24	306
Eureka County	362	50	2	2	10	426
Humboldt County	3,700	1,689	7	19	296	5,710
Lander County	1,784	489	4	4	92	2,373
Lincoln County	1,010	74	4	1	19	1,108
Lyon County	7,035	1,278	38	65	343	8,759
Mineral County	1,241	276	79	17	228	1,842
Nye County	6,075	929	37	70	237	7,348
Pershing County	1,556	610	8	7	100	2,282
Storey County	703	45	0	6	8	762
Washoe County	59,237	16,653	2,108	2,830	1,817	82,645
White Pine County	2,365	427	2	5	116	2,916
<b>Nevada *</b>	<b>337,532</b>	<b>106,635</b>	<b>46,667</b>	<b>13,045</b>	<b>7,934</b>	<b>511,812</b>

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