

Lander County: 2002

| DEMOGRAPHICS | | County | State |
|---|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| Total Population | | 5,794 | 2,034,050 |
| Age Distribution: 2000 | <5 | 433 | 148,447 |
| | 5-17 | 1,430 | 372,504 |
| | 5-19 | 1,573 | 423,083 |
| | 18-44 | 2,079 | 822,841 |
| | 20-44 | 1,936 | 772,263 |
| | 45-64 | 1,449 | 467,406 |
| | 65+ | 403 | 222,852 |
| Racial/Ethnic Distribution (Children age 17 and under): 2000 | White | 1,291 | 280,914 |
| | Hispanic | 463 | 148,945 |
| | Black | 3 | 41,576 |
| | Asian | 5 | 18,643 |
| | Native American | 65 | 6,139 |
| | Pacific Islander | 0 | 2,235 |
| | Other Race | 5 | 1,142 |
| | Two Races | 31 | 21,359 |
| Racial/Ethnic Distribution (Children age 19 and under): 2000 | White | 1,385 | 308,779 |
| | Hispanic | 501 | 162,984 |
| | Black | 6 | 45,365 |
| | Asian | 5 | 20,943 |
| | Native American | 70 | 6,752 |
| | Pacific Islander | 0 | 2,493 |
| | Other Race | 5 | 1,216 |
| | Two Races | 34 | 22,998 |
| HEALTH CONDITIONS AND HEALTH CARE | | | |
| Annual Average Percent Low-Birthweight Babies: 1998-2000 | | 9.2% | 7.5% |
| Average Teen Birth Rate: 1998-2000 (Births per 100,000 Females) | | 30.7 | 35.7 |
| Public-Health Immunization Rates: 2001 | | 67.6% | 74.7% |
| ECONOMIC WELL-BEING | | | |
| Estimated Percent of Children Under Age 18 in Poverty: 1998 | | 10.5% | 15% |
| EDUCATION AND ACHIEVEMENT | | | |
| Change in Enrollment Percent 1998-1999 to 1999-2000 | | -9.9% | 4.7 % |
| School Enrollment by Race/Ethnicity: 1999-2000 | American Indian/Alaskan Native | 51 | 5,866 |
| | Asian/Pacific Islander | 4 | 17,433 |
| | Hispanic | 287 | 77,849 |
| | Black | 2 | 32,762 |
| | White | 1,190 | 191,700 |
| Transiency Rate: 1999-2000 | | 17.5% | NA |
| High School Dropout Rate: 1999-2000 | | 3.4% | 6.1% |
| CHILD AND YOUTH SAFETY/WELFARE | | | |
| Infant Mortality Rate: 1998-2000 (Deaths per 1,000 Live Births) | | 3.2 | 6.7 |
| Child Death Rate: 1998-2000 (Deaths per 100,000 Children) | | 37.8 | 24.0 |
| Teen Violent Death Rate (Deaths per 100,000 Teens Ages 15-19): 1998-2000 (Includes Homicides, Suicides, and Accidents) | | NM | 64.5 |
| Substantiated Child Abuse and Neglect Reports as a Percent of Total Reports (Ages 17 and Under): 2000 | | 14.8% | 26.9% |
| JUVENILE JUSTICE | | | |
| Average Juvenile Violent Crime Arrest Rate (Ages 10-17): 1998-2000 | | 262.6 | 273.8 |

NM=not meaningful. Calculated rates based on very small numbers are not statistically reliable.

NA=not applicable.

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