

## **SAFETY & SECURITY**

LIVABILITY GOAL:

Residents feel safe & secure at all times

KEY METRICS: YOUTH SAFETY - SCHOOL & NEIGHBORHOOD → CHILD ABUSE → ADVERSE CHILD EXPERIENCES

## **YOUTH SAFETY - SCHOOL**

% of high school students who reported feeling unsafe or very unsafe at school

Source: Michigan Profile for Healthy Youth

**6.6%** Muskegon County

5.2% BLACK/ AFRICAN AMERICAN

9.9% HISPANIC/LATINX

**5.7%** WHITE

## **ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES (ACEs)**

% of adults experiencing 4 or more ACEs, which include the following:

- Physical abuse or neglect
- Emotional abuse or neglect
- Sexual abuse
- Exposure to domestic violence
- Household substance abuse
- Household mental illness
- · Parental separation or divorce
- Incarcerated household members

14.3%

**United States** 

31.4%

Muskegon County

Source: 2016 ACES Muskegon Community Report, HealthWest

## **YOUTH SAFETY - NEIGHBORHOOD**

% of high school students who reported feeling unsafe or very unsafe in their neighborhood

Source: Michigan Profile for Healthy Youth

**3.9**% Muskegon County

3.6% BLACK/ AFRICAN AMERICAN

**3.9**% HISPANIC/LATINX

**3.5%** WHITE













12.1 per 1,000

**CHILD ABUSE** 

Michigan

20.3 per 1,000

**Muskegon County** 

800 total

Source: Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, Children's Protective Services, reported in Kids Count, 2021.

Confirmed victims of child abuse/neglect, ages 0-17, in 2021

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