

Morrow County

OREGON BENCHMARK	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2005	Rank	Trend [#]	3-YEAR AVERAGES [^]		
											State Target			County	Rural	State
4 Net Job Growth	6.7	38.3	-1.0	-22.2	-9.7	18.2	10.8	21.8	-12.9			6	↑	6.6	2.2	-0.2
5 Professional Services**	52.7%	61.4%	64.5%	68.7%	--	--	--	--	--		80%	n/a	↑	n/a	36.0%	73.2%
11 Income per Capita	69.3%	68.8%	66.4%	64.6%	68.5%	63.0%	67.4%	72.7%			97%	30	↑	67.7%	74.4%	92.3%
12 Wages	\$26,756	\$28,519	\$28,177	\$28,338	\$28,553	\$28,828	\$29,547	\$29,627	\$30,139		\$30,431	12	↑	\$29,771	\$27,570	\$35,299
15 Unemployment	164.8%	175.5%	202.2%	254.8%	197.5%	163.8%	172.4%	170.0%	150.9%		115%	24	↑	164.7%	153.4%	133.5%
18 Ready-to-learn		42.1%			75.4%		77.9%		93.0%		85%	2	↑	82.1%	n/a	74.2%
19a 3rd Grade Reading [#]	88.0%	65.8%	65.9%	72.0%	79.1%	79.6%	81.9%	79.3%	86.9%	93.6%	90%	14	↑	86.6%	85.1%	84.3%
19b 3rd Grade Math [#]	82.0%	47.8%	54.0%	72.4%	71.0%	66.4%	71.4%	73.8%	85.3%	84.5%	81%	22	↑	81.2%	81.1%	82.5%
20a 8th Grade Reading [#]	82.0%	43.5%	32.0%	42.7%	62.1%	53.5%	38.4%	56.1%	59.6%	45.1%	71%	32	↑	53.6%	56.9%	62.1%
20b 8th Grade Math [#]	84.0%	41.5%	35.3%	41.2%	54.8%	42.5%	38.2%	48.9%	46.7%	47.1%	69%	35	↑	47.6%	56.1%	60.9%
22 HS Dropout	6.7%	4.8%	10.4%	5.8%	3.9%	2.8%	2.6%	2.2%	1.9%		5.4%	9	↑	2.2%	3.8%	5.1%
23 HS Degree*	1990: 73.9%				74.1%	(decennial census data only)					93%	35	↑	74.0%	78.6%	83.3%
26a BS Degree*	1990: 11.8%				11.0%	(decennial census data only)					38%	35	↓	11.4%	14.6%	22.9%
Related to 31 Voting	73.1%		55.3%		73.6%		64.4%		87.5%			32	↑	75.9%	76.5%	77.6%
39 Teen Pregnancy	20.2	30.3	11.6	23.8	15.5	16.6	8.3	6.6	-			21	↑	10.5	11.2	11.3
40 Prenatal Care	58.6%	59.2%	60.0%	67.8%	67.5%	79.4%	70.8%	57.0%			85%	35	↓	69.1%	79.2%	81.4%
41 Infant Mortality	0.0	6.8	0.0	11.1	6.6	5.6	6.5	5.4	-		5.1	15	↓	5.8	8.4	5.6
43 HIV	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0		282	1	↑	0.0	26.0	291.0
45 Early Death**	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	49.1	58.7	39.6	35.7			54.3	4	↑	44.6	64.7	53.5
48 Child Care Availability	11.2	11.3	10.1	10.7	17.1	12.0	10.5	n/a	10.2		25	33	↓	10.9	16.0	17.7
49a 8th Grade Alcohol Use**			27.1%		28.2%	34.0%	30.0%	24.4%	29.4%	32.4%	21%	13	↓	28.7%	30.2%	28.3%
49b 8th Grade Drug Use**			17.3%		14.0%	29.8%	10.0%	16.5%	17.0%	16.0%	15%	12	↑	16.5%	18.2%	17.1%
49c 8th Grade Cigarette Use**			20.2%		14.6%		7.8%		5.6%		16%	7	↑	9.3%	14.1%	10.6%
50a Child Abuse**	35.1	30.3	19.8	25.6	20.7	15.8	16.6	16.2	20.0		6.2	26	↑	17.6	13.7	10.8
52a Alcohol Use During Preg	2.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.7%	0.0%	2.7%	2.5%	-		2%	24	↓	1.7%	1.4%	1.3%
52b Tobacco Use During Preg	13.8%	10.6%	13.3%	12.4%	11.9%	15.6%	8.0%	15.5%	-		9%	12	↓	13.0%	18.4%	12.3%
53 Poverty		7.0%	10.2%	14.8%	10.6%	11.6%	12.3%				12%	11	↓	11.5%	13.8%	11.0%
58 Independent Seniors	97.2%	97.4%	96.3%	98.4%	98.4%	98.7%	98.9%	97.8%	n/a		98%	7	↑	98.3%	96.2%	97.4%
61 Overall Crime Rate	119.9	113.1	129.3	126.4	120.1	153.7	151.3	119.7	-		125	29	↑	141.6	118.2	126.9
61a Person Crimes	18.3	19.2	17.7	19.9	17.0	15.1	17.9	15.7	-		13	35	↑	16.2	10.7	11.8
61b Property Crimes	85.3	79.1	77.8	68.4	50.5	70.8	61.8	51.4	-		67	26	↑	61.3	47.9	68.9
61c Behavior Crimes	31.2	28.5	44.2	47.0	52.5	67.9	71.6	52.5	-		45	28	↓	64.0	56.3	46.2
62 Juvenile Arrests	22.2	34.1	18.1	17.1	13.9	24.1	13.9	10.7	-			20	↑	16.2	17.4	16.1
62a Juv. Arrests-Person	5.6	9.3	3.2	4.4	2.4	4.9	3.3	4.1	-		4.4	20	↑	4.1	4.2	3.9
62b Juv. Arrests-Property	16.5	24.8	14.9	12.7	11.5	19.2	10.6	6.7	-		15.5	21	↑	12.2	13.3	12.2
73 Home Ownership*	(1990: 68%)				73.1%	(decennial census data only)					70%	10	↑	70.5%	67.8%	63.7%
74a Cost Burdened Renters*	(1990: 66%)				47.1%	(decennial census data only)					70%	4	↑	56.5%	68.4%	70.5%
74b Cost Burdened Owners*	(1990: 35.7%)				30.4%	(decennial census data only)					38%	7	↑	33.1%	37.4%	39.1%
83 Solid Waste	1144.6	1149.0	1115.1	1106.3	1487.0	1326.3	1532.4	1344.0	1558.0		1575	13	↓	1478.1	1665.1	1594.6

↑ Improving Trends = 29

↓ Worsening Trends = 10

↔ No Change = 0

[^] These columns average rates for each of the three most recent years of data, giving equal weight to each.[#] The trend compares 1996 or the earliest to the latest year of data shown here. Data for benchmarks 19a & b, 20a & b, and 22 is comparable from 1997 on. See benchmark pages for details.

* For Benchmarks 23, 26a, 73, 74a and 74b, decennial census data allow 11-year averages only.

** Data from two or more small counties were combined. See benchmark pages for details.