

Proposed ACCPSF Benchmarks

1. Statutory Charge
 - a. Review as compared to 2016, and track for midterm review in 2023:
 - i. The number and percentage of children living in families at 50 percent, 100 percent, and 200 percent of the federal poverty level; and
 - ii. The number and percentage of children living in families paying more than 30 percent of their cash income for housing and related expenses
2. Additional Benchmarks
 - a. The number and percentage of Vermont households that are able to meet a basic needs budget using the Supplemental Poverty Measure (SMP).
 - b. The number and percentage of children able to access mental health services (ACEs)
 - c. The number and percentage of families able to access affordable and high quality child care
 - d. Five Protective Factors
 - i. Parental resilience
 - ii. Social connections
 - iii. Knowledge of parenting and child development
 - iv. Concrete support in times of need
 - v. Social and emotional competence of children
 - e. The number and percentage of Vermonters with post-secondary education (Voices for VT Children data)
 - f. Annie E. Casey Kids Count Data
 - i. Overall child well-being (VT #8)
 - ii. Economic well-being (VT #26)
 - iii. Education (VT #5)
 - iv. Health (VT #10)
 - v. Family and Community (VT #3)