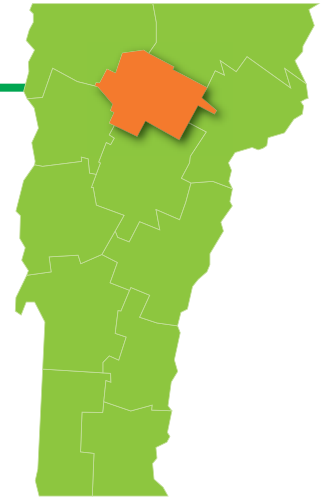
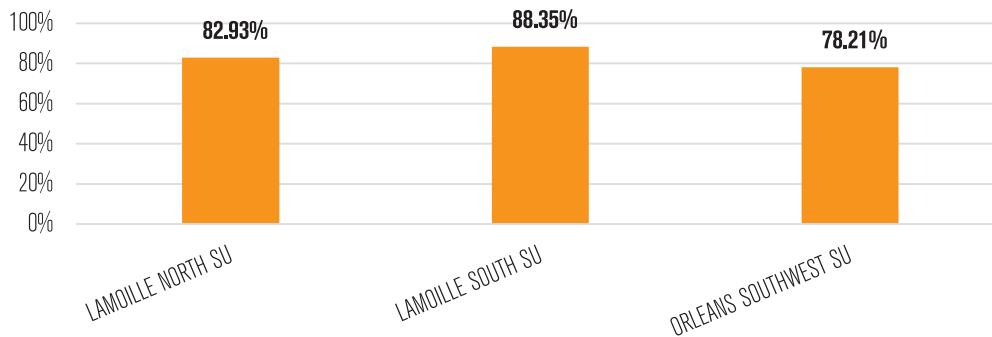


Lamoille Valley Region



2015-2016 R4K!S Percent of All Students Ready for Kindergarten



LAMOILLE NORTH SU

LAMOILLE SOUTH SU

ORLEANS SOUTHWEST SU

Child Population

under age 9

2014

-3.4%

3,109 CHILDREN

DECLINED

2011 **3,218**

STARS Participation

2016

75.9%

63 PROGRAMS

IMPROVED

2010 **31.2%**

29 PROGRAMS

Immunization Rates

2015

56.8%

273 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

2013 **45.8%**

222 CHILDREN

Children in DCF Custody

under age 9

2014

6.11

rate per 1,000
19 CHILDREN

INCREASED

2012 **3.76**

rate per 1,000
12 CHILDREN

About the region

The Building Bright Futures Lamoille Valley Region includes 15 different towns that range from one of Vermont's wealthiest, to some of the state's poorest communities. The region encompasses three supervisory unions, and health services are delivered by two different regions focusing separately on mental health and physical health. Major employers include Community Health Services of Lamoille Valley, Copley Hospital, Stowe Mountain Resort, Lamoille South Supervisory Union, Manufacturing Solutions, and Concept 2.

The Building Bright Futures Lamoille regional council includes representatives from all three supervisory unions, the Department of Health's Maternal Child Health team, the

Parent Child Center, parents, child care providers, center owners, executive directors, and private businesses.

In 2016–2017, the Building Bright Futures Lamoille Valley Region's priorities are:

- Helping parents learn how to be a good parent and helping them find resources to support them in this process;
- Increasing the quality of early care and learning programs; and
- Addressing the inequity within our communities reflected by kindergarten readiness data.