## **WEST VIRGINIA**

OVERALL RANK





Children in poverty

2012

25%

92.000 CHILDREN

**IMPROVED** 

2005

26%

Children whose parents lack secure employment

2012

34%

**132.000 CHILDREN** 

2008

32%

Children living in households with a high housing cost burden

2012

24%

91.000 CHILDREN

**IMPROVED** 

2005

25%

Teens not in school and not working

2012

9%

**8.000** TEENS

IMPROVED

10% 2008



Children not attending preschool

2010-12

65%

**27,000 CHILDREN** 

2005-07 64%

Fourth graders not proficient in reading

2013

73%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2005 74% Eighth graders not proficient in math

2013

76%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2005 82%

High school students not graduating on time

2011/12

20%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2005/06 23%

N.A. NOT AVAILABLE



35

Low-birthweight babies

2012

9.2%

**1,917** BABIES

**IMPROVED** 

2005

9.6%

Children without health insurance

2012

4%

15,000 CHILDREN

**IMPROVED** 

7%

2008

Child and teen deaths per 100,000

2010

33

139 DEATHS

**IMPROVED** 

43 2005

Teens who abuse alcohol or drugs

2011-12

6%

**8,000** TEENS

**IMPROVED** 

2005-06 8%

Teen births per 1,000

2012



Children in single-parent families

2012

35%

**125.000 CHILDREN** 

2005 30% the household head lacks a high school diploma

Children in families where

2012

11%

**41,000** CHILDREN

**IMPROVED** 

2005

14%

Children living in high-poverty areas

2008-12

8%

30.000 CHILDREN

2000

7%

**2.407** BIRTHS

2005

43

## **UNITED STATES**





Children in poverty

2012

23%

16.397.000 CHILDREN

2005

19%

Children whose parents lack secure employment

2012

31%

23.101.000 CHILDREN

27% 2008

Children living in households with a high housing cost burden

2012

38%

27.761.000 CHILDREN

2005

37%

Teens not in school and not working

2012

8%

1.404.000 TEENS

2008 8%



Children not attending preschool

2010-12

54%

4,307,000 CHILDREN

**IMPROVED** 

2005-07 56%

Fourth graders not proficient in reading

2013

66%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2005 70% Eighth graders not proficient in math

2013

66%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2005 72%

High school students not graduating on time

2011/12

19%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2005/06 27%

N.A. NOT AVAILABLE



**HEALTH** 

Low-birthweight babies

2012

8.0%

315,709 BABIES

**IMPROVED** 

2005

8.2%

Children without health insurance

2012

7%

5,264,000 CHILDREN

**IMPROVED** 

2008

10%

Child and teen deaths per 100,000

2010

**26** 

**20,482** DEATHS

**IMPROVED** 

32 2005

Teens who abuse alcohol or drugs

2011-12

6%

1,618,000 TEENS

**IMPROVED** 

2005-06 8%



Children in single-parent families

2012

35%

24,725,000 CHILDREN

2005

32%

Children in families where the household head lacks a high school diploma

2012

15%

10,887,000 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

2005

16%

Children living in high-poverty areas

2008-12

13%

9,362,000 CHILDREN

2000

9%

Teen births per 1,000

2012

**305.388 BIRTHS** 

IMPROVED

2005

40

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