

14 ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Rank

	UNITED STATES	WYOMING
CHILDREN IN POVERTY US: 13,353,000 WY: 18,000	22% 2010	14% 2010
	18% 2017 BETTER	13% 2017 BETTER
CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT US: 20,075,000 WY: 33,000	33% 2010	23% 2010
	27% 2017 BETTER	24% 2017 WORSE
CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN US: 22,908,000 WY: 30,000	41% 2010	25% 2010
	31% 2017 BETTER	22% 2017 BETTER
TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING US: 1,171,000 WY: 3,000	9% 2010	9% 2010
	7% 2017 BETTER	8% 2017 BETTER

14 EDUCATION

Rank

	UNITED STATES	WYOMING
YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL US: 4,223,000 WY: 9,000	52% 2009-11	59% 2009-11
	52% 2015-17 SAME	58% 2015-17 BETTER
FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING US: N.A. WY: N.A.	68% 2009	67% 2009
	65% 2017 BETTER	59% 2017 BETTER
EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH US: N.A. WY: N.A.	67% 2009	65% 2009
	67% 2017 SAME	62% 2017 BETTER
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME US: N.A. WY: N.A.	21% 2010-11	20% 2010-11
	15% 2016-17 BETTER	14% 2016-17 BETTER

49 HEALTH

Rank

	UNITED STATES		WYOMING	
LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES US: 318,873 WY: 600	8.1% 2010	8.3% 2017 WORSE	9.0% 2010	8.7% 2017 BETTER
CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE US: 3,925,000 WY: 14,000	8% 2010	5% 2017 BETTER	9% 2010	10% 2017 WORSE
CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 US: 20,337 WY: 41	26 2010	26 2017 SAME	32 2010	29 2017 BETTER
TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS US: 1,028,000 WY: 2,000	5% 2015-16	4% 2016-17 BETTER	6% 2015-16	5% 2016-17 BETTER

9 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Rank

	UNITED STATES		WYOMING	
CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES US: 24,001,000 WY: 37,000	34% 2010	34% 2017 SAME	26% 2010	28% 2017 WORSE
CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA US: 9,557,000 WY: 7,000	15% 2010	13% 2017 BETTER	7% 2010	5% 2017 BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS US: 8,545,000 WY: 1,000	13% 2008-12	12% 2013-17 BETTER	3% 2008-12	<.5% 2013-17 BETTER
TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 US: 194,377 WY: 424	34 2010	19 2017 BETTER	39 2010	25 2017 BETTER