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NATIONAL TRENDS

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

CHILDREN IN POVERTY US: 12,998,000	22 % 2010	18%	BETTER
CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT US: 19,579,000	33% ₂₀₁₀	27%	BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN US: 22,566,000	41%	31%	BETTER
TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING US: 1,186,000	9%	7 %	BETTER

EDUCATION

YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL US: 4,215,000	52 % 2009-II	52 %	SAME
FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING US: N.A.	68% ₂₀₀₉	66%	BETTER
EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH US: N.A.	67% ₂₀₀₉	67%	SAME
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME US: N.A.	21% 2010-11	15%	BETTER

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HEALTH

LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES US: 313,752	8.1%	8.3%	WORSE
CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE US: 4,055,000	8%0	5 % 2018	BETTER
CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 US: 19,660	26 2010	25	BETTER
CHILDREN AND TEENS (AGES 10 TO 17) WHO ARE OVERWEIGHT OR OBESE US: N.A.	31% 2016-17	31%	SAME

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES US: 23,980,000	34%	35%	WORSE
CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA US: 9,205,000	15%	13%	BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS US: 7,717,000	13% 2008-12	10%	BETTER
TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 US: 179,871	34 2010	1 7 2018	BETTER

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