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## THE ANNIE E. CASEY FOUNDATION UNITED STATES 2016 KIDS COUNT PROFILE

| ECONOMIC<br>WELL-BEING         | Children in poverty<br>2014<br>222%<br>15,686,000 CHILDREN<br>WORSENED<br>2008 18%                         | Children whose parents<br>lack secure employment<br>2014<br><b>30%</b><br>22,061,000 CHILDREN<br>WORSENED<br>2008 27%                          | Children living in<br>households with a high<br>housing cost burden<br>2014<br><b>35%</b><br>25,710,000 CHILDREN<br>IMPROVED<br>2008 39% | Teens not in school<br>and not working<br>2014<br>7%<br>1,255,000 TEENS<br>IMPROVED<br>2008 8%             |
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| <b>EDUCATION</b>               | Young children<br>not in school<br>2012–14<br>53%<br>4,387,000 CHILDREN<br>WORSENED<br>2007–09 52%         | Fourth graders not proficient in reading 2015<br>65%<br>N.A.<br>IMPROVED   | Eighth graders not proficient in math 2015<br>68%<br>N.A.<br>IMPROVED<br>2007 69%  | High school students<br>not graduating on time<br>2012/13<br>18%<br>N.A.<br>N.A.<br>MPROVED<br>2007/08 25% |
| HEALTH                         | Low-birthweight babies<br>2014<br><b>8.0%</b><br>318,847 BABIES<br>IMPROVED<br>2008 8.2%                   | Children without<br>health insurance20146%4,397,000 CHILDRENIMPROVED200810%  | Child and teen deaths<br>per 100,000<br>2014<br>24<br>18,666 DEATHS<br>IMPROVED<br>2008 29   | Teens who abuse<br>alcohol or drugs<br>2013–14<br>5%<br>1,276,000 TEENS<br>IMPROVED<br>2007–08 8%          |
| <b>FAMILY AND</b><br>COMMUNITY | Children in<br>single-parent families<br>2014<br><b>35%</b><br>24,689,000 CHILDREN<br>WORSENED<br>2008 32% | Children in families where<br>the household head lacks<br>a high school diploma<br>2014<br>14.%<br>10,412,000 CHILDREN<br>IMPROVED<br>2008 16% | Children living in<br>high-poverty areas<br>2010–14<br>14%<br>10,333,000 CHILDREN<br>WORSENED<br>2006–10 11%                             | Teen births per 1,000   2014   241   249,078 BIRTHS   249,078 BIRTHS   IMPROVED   2008 40                  |

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