WASHINGTON | 2016 KIDS COUNT PROFILE





26

Children in poverty

2014

18%

276.000 CHILDREN

14% 2008

Children whose parents lack secure employment

2014

29%

467.000 CHILDREN

26% 2008

Children living in households with a high housing cost burden

2014

34%

548.000 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

41% 2008

Teens not in school and not working

2014

8%

27.000 TEENS

2008

8%



Young children not in school

2012-14

60%

112,000 CHILDREN

2007-09 58%

Fourth graders not proficient in reading

2015

60%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2007 64% Eighth graders not proficient in math

2015

61%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2007 64%

Child and teen deaths

per 100,000

2014

19

High school students not graduating on time

2012/13

20%

N.A.

IMPROVED 2007/08 28%

N.A. NOT AVAILABLE



5

Low-birthweight babies

2014

6.4%

5.705 BABIES

2008

6.3%

Children without health insurance

2014

5%

75,000 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

8%

2008

328 DEATHS

IMPROVED

25 2008

Teens who abuse alcohol or drugs

2013-14

5%

27,000 TEENS

IMPROVED

2007-08 8%



Children in single-parent families

2014

30%

457.000 CHILDREN

2008

28%

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

2014

12%

190.000 CHILDREN

2008

12%

Children living in high-poverty areas

2010-14

7%

110.000 CHILDREN

2006-10 6%

Teen births per 1,000

2014

4,092 BIRTHS

IMPROVED

2008

33

UNITED STATES | 2016 KIDS COUNT PROFILE



Children in poverty

2014

22%

15.686.000 CHILDREN

18%

2008

Children whose parents lack secure employment

2014

30%

22.061.000 CHILDREN

2008

27%

Children living in households with a high housing cost burden

2014

35%

25.710.000 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

39% 2008

Teens not in school and not working

2014

7%

1.255.000 TEENS

IMPROVED

8% 2008



Young children not in school

2012-14

53%

4,387,000 CHILDREN

2007-09 52%

Fourth graders not proficient in reading

2015

65%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2007 68% Eighth graders not proficient in math

2015

68%

N.A.

IMPROVED

2007 69%

High school students not graduating on time

2012/13

18%

N.A.

IMPROVED 2007/08 25%

N.A. NOT AVAILABLE



Low-birthweight babies

2014

8.0%

318,847 BABIES

IMPROVED

2008

8.2%

Children without health insurance

2014

6%

4,397,000 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

2008

10%

Child and teen deaths per 100,000

2014

24

18,666 DEATHS

IMPROVED

29 2008

Teens who abuse alcohol or drugs

2013-14

5%

1,276,000 TEENS

IMPROVED

2007-08 8%



Children in single-parent families

2014

35%

24.689.000 CHILDREN

2008

32%

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

2014

14%

10.412.000 CHILDREN

IMPROVED

2008

16%

Children living in high-poverty areas

2010-14

14%

10.333.000 CHILDREN

2006-10 11%

Teen births per 1,000

2014

24

249.078 BIRTHS

IMPROVED

2008

40