

# NEW JERSEY

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



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EDUCATION



		NEW JERSEY		UNITED STATES	
<b>CHILDREN IN POVERTY</b>		14% 2010	16% 2015	22% 2010	21% 2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NJ 308,000	US 15,000,000	WORSE		BETTER	
<b>CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT</b>		27% 2010	25% 2015	33% 2010	29% 2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NJ 494,000	US 21,363,000	BETTER		BETTER	
<b>CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN</b>		48% 2010	42% 2015	41% 2010	33% 2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NJ 837,000	US 24,646,000	BETTER		BETTER	
<b>TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING</b>		8% 2010	6% 2015	9% 2010	7% 2015
NUMBER OF TEENS NJ 27,000	US 1,191,000	BETTER		BETTER	
<b>YOUNG CHILDREN NOT IN SCHOOL</b>		36% 2009-11	37% 2013-15	52% 2009-11	53% 2013-15
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NJ 81,000	US 4,344,000	WORSE		WORSE	
<b>FOURTH GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING</b>		60% 2009	57% 2015	68% 2009	65% 2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NJ N.A.	US N.A.	BETTER		BETTER	
<b>EIGHTH GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH</b>		56% 2009	54% 2015	67% 2009	68% 2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN NJ N.A.	US N.A.	BETTER		WORSE	
<b>HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME</b>		17% 2010/11	10% 2014/15	21% 2010/11	17% 2014/15
NUMBER OF TEENS NJ N.A.	US N.A.	BETTER		BETTER	

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HEALTH



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FAMILY AND COMMUNITY



		NEW JERSEY		UNITED STATES	
<b>LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES</b>					
		8.2%	8.1%	8.1%	8.1%
		2010	2015	2010	2015
NUMBER OF BABIES	US 320,869	BETTER		SAME	
NJ 8,345					
<b>CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE</b>					
		6%	4%	8%	5%
		2010	2015	2010	2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN	US 3,534,000	BETTER		BETTER	
NJ 75,000					
<b>CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000</b>					
		18	18	26	25
		2010	2015	2010	2015
NUMBER OF DEATHS	US 19,562	SAME		BETTER	
NJ 375					
<b>TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS</b>					
		6%	5%	7%	5%
		2009-10	2013-14	2009-10	2013-14
NUMBER OF TEENS	US 1,276,000	BETTER		BETTER	
NJ 36,000					
<b>CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES</b>					
		29%	30%	34%	35%
		2010	2015	2010	2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN	US 24,444,000	WORSE		WORSE	
NJ 575,000					
<b>CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA</b>					
		10%	10%	15%	14%
		2010	2015	2010	2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN	US 10,137,000	SAME		BETTER	
NJ 200,000					
<b>CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS</b>					
		7%	9%	13%	14%
		2008-12	2011-15	2008-12	2011-15
NUMBER OF CHILDREN	US 10,032,000	WORSE		WORSE	
NJ 190,000					
<b>TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000</b>					
		20	12	34	22
		2010	2015	2010	2015
NUMBER OF BIRTHS	US 229,715	BETTER		BETTER	
NJ 3,374					