

4 ECONOMIC WELL-BEING
Rank

	UNITED STATES	IOWA
CHILDREN IN POVERTY US: 14,116,000 IA: 105,000	22% 2010	19% 2016 BETTER
		16% 2010
		15% 2016 BETTER
CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT US: 20,692,000 IA: 159,000	33% 2010	28% 2016 BETTER
		25% 2010
		22% 2016 BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN A HOUSEHOLD WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN US: 23,556,000 IA: 145,000	41% 2010	32% 2016 BETTER
		27% 2010
		20% 2016 BETTER
TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING US: 1,176,000 IA: 8,000	9% 2010	7% 2016 BETTER
		6% 2010
		4% 2016 BETTER

7 EDUCATION
Rank

	UNITED STATES	IOWA
YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL US: 4,256,000 IA: 41,000	52% 2009-11	52% 2014-16 SAME
		52% 2009-11
		51% 2014-16 BETTER
FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING US: N.A. IA: N.A.	68% 2009	65% 2017 BETTER
		66% 2009
		64% 2017 BETTER
EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH US: N.A. IA: N.A.	67% 2009	67% 2017 SAME
		66% 2009
		63% 2017 BETTER
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME US: N.A. IA: N.A.	21% 2010-11	16% 2015-16 BETTER
		12% 2010-11
		9% 2015-16 BETTER

8 HEALTH
Rank

	UNITED STATES	IOWA
LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES US: 321,839 IA: 2,661	8.1% 2010	8.2% 2016 WORSE
		7.0% 2010
		6.8% 2016 BETTER
CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE US: 3,277,000 IA: 18,000	8% 2010	4% 2016 BETTER
		4% 2010
		3% 2016 BETTER
CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 US: 20,360 IA: 192	26 2010	26 2016 SAME
		24 2010
		25 2016 WORSE
TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS US: 1,148,000 IA: 12,000	N.A. 2009-10	5% 2015-16
		N.A. 2009-10
		5% 2015-16

8 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY
Rank

	UNITED STATES	IOWA
CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES US: 24,267,000 IA: 207,000	34% 2010	35% 2016 WORSE
		29% 2010
		30% 2016 WORSE
CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA US: 9,989,000 IA: 65,000	15% 2010	14% 2016 BETTER
		9% 2010
		9% 2016 SAME
CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS US: 9,448,000 IA: 24,000	13% 2008-12	13% 2012-16 SAME
		4% 2008-12
		3% 2012-16 BETTER
TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 US: 209,809 IA: 1,804	34 2010	20 2016 BETTER
		29 2010
		17 2016 BETTER