## ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

### Children in Poverty
- **United States**: 14,116,000
- **Maine**: 43,000
- **2010**: 22%
- **2016**: 19%
- **Better**

### Children Whose Parents Lack Secure Employment
- **United States**: 20,692,000
- **Maine**: 77,000
- **2010**: 33%
- **2016**: 28%
- **Better**

### Children Living in a Household with a High Housing Cost Burden
- **United States**: 23,556,000
- **Maine**: 68,000
- **2010**: 41%
- **2016**: 32%
- **Better**

### Teens Not in School and Not Working
- **United States**: 1,176,000
- **Maine**: 4,000
- **2010**: 9%
- **2016**: 7%
- **Better**

## EDUCATION

### Young Children (Ages 3 and 4) Not in School
- **United States**: 4,256,000
- **Maine**: 15,000
- **2009-10**: 52%
- **2014-16**: 52%
- **SAME**

### Fourth-Graders Not Proficient in Reading
- **United States**: Not available
- **Maine**: Not available
- **2009**: 68%
- **2017**: 65%
- **Better**

### Eighth-Graders Not Proficient in Math
- **United States**: Not available
- **Maine**: Not available
- **2009**: 67%
- **2017**: 67%
- **SAME**

### High School Students Not Graduating on Time
- **United States**: Not available
- **Maine**: Not available
- **2010**: 21%
- **2015-16**: 16%
- **Better**
### HEALTH

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<td>8% (2010) 4% (2016)</td>
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<td><strong>Teens Who Abuse Alcohol or Drugs</strong></td>
<td>N.A. (2009-10) 5% (2015-16)</td>
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### FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

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<td><strong>Children Living in High-Poverty Areas</strong></td>
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