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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING	UNITED STATES	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CHILDREN IN POVERTY US: 13,353,000 DC: 32,000	22% 18% 2010 2017 BETTER	30% 2017 BETTER
CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT US: 20,075,000 DC: 52,000	33% 27% 2010 2017 BETTER	44% 42% BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN US: 22,908,000 DC: 49,000	41% 31% 2010 2017 BETTER	42% 39% BETTER
TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING US: 1,171,000 DC: 2,000	9% 7% 2010 2017 BETTER	9% 8% 2017 BETTER

EDUCATION	UNITED STATES	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL US: 4,223,000 DC: 4,000	52% 52% 2009-11 2015-17 SAME	31% 2009-II 25% 2015-I7 BETTER
FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING US: N.A. DC: N.A.	68% 65% 2009 2017 BETTER	83% 71% BETTER
EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH US: N.A. DC: N.A.	67% 67% 2009 2017 SAME	89% 79% BETTER
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME US: N.A. DC: N.A.	21% 15% 2010-11 2016-17 BETTER	41% 2010-11 27% BETTER

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HEALTH	UNITED STATES	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES US: 318,873 DC: 1,001	8.1% 8.3% 2010 2017 WORSE	10.2% 10.5% worse
CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE US: 3,925,000 DC: 2,000	8% 5 % 2010 2017 BETTER	2% 2010 100 ETTER
CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 US: 20,337 DC: 34	26 26 2010 2017 SAME	41 25 BETTER
TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS US: 1,028,000 DC: 2,000	5% 4% 2015-16 2016-17 BETTER	6% 2015-16 5% 2016-17 BETTER

FAMILY AND COMMUNITY	UNITED STATES	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES US: 24,001,000 DC: 59,000	34% 34% 2010 2017 SAME	60% 51% BETTER
CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA US: 9,557,000 DC: 17,000	15% 13% 2010 2017 BETTER	19% 14% BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS US: 8,545,000 DC: 30,000	13% 12% 2008-12 2013-17 BETTER	31% 25% 2013-17 BETTER
TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 US: 194,377 DC: 408	34 19 2010 2017 BETTER	45 2010 21 BETTER