

9 ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Rank

	UNITED STATES	SOUTH DAKOTA
CHILDREN IN POVERTY US: 13,353,000 SD: 34,000	22% 2010	18% 2010
	18% 2017 BETTER	17% 2017 BETTER
CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT US: 20,075,000 SD: 53,000	33% 2010	23% 2010
	27% 2017 BETTER	25% 2017 WORSE
CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN US: 22,908,000 SD: 39,000	41% 2010	22% 2010
	31% 2017 BETTER	18% 2017 BETTER
TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING US: 1,171,000 SD: 2,000	9% 2010	8% 2010
	7% 2017 BETTER	5% 2017 BETTER

31 EDUCATION

Rank

	UNITED STATES	SOUTH DAKOTA
YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL US: 4,223,000 SD: 16,000	52% 2009-11	60% 2009-11
	52% 2015-17 SAME	63% 2015-17 WORSE
FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING US: N.A. SD: N.A.	68% 2009	67% 2009
	65% 2017 BETTER	64% 2017 BETTER
EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH US: N.A. SD: N.A.	67% 2009	58% 2009
	67% 2017 SAME	62% 2017 WORSE
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME US: N.A. SD: N.A.	21% 2010-11	17% 2010-11
	15% 2016-17 BETTER	16% 2016-17 BETTER

45 HEALTH

Rank

	UNITED STATES		SOUTH DAKOTA	
LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES US: 318,873 SD: 835	8.1% 2010	8.3% 2017 WORSE	6.8% 2010	6.9% 2017 WORSE
CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE US: 3,925,000 SD: 14,000	8% 2010	5% 2017 BETTER	9% 2010	6% 2017 BETTER
CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 US: 20,337 SD: 92	26 2010	26 2017 SAME	39 2010	41 2017 WORSE
TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS US: 1,028,000 SD: 4,000	5% 2015-16	4% 2016-17 BETTER	6% 2015-16	6% 2016-17 SAME

24 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Rank

	UNITED STATES		SOUTH DAKOTA	
CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES US: 24,001,000 SD: 62,000	34% 2010	34% 2017 SAME	29% 2010	31% 2017 WORSE
CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA US: 9,557,000 SD: 13,000	15% 2010	13% 2017 BETTER	8% 2010	6% 2017 BETTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS US: 8,545,000 SD: 24,000	13% 2008-12	12% 2013-17 BETTER	11% 2008-12	11% 2013-17 SAME
TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 US: 194,377 SD: 614	34 2010	19 2017 BETTER	35 2010	23 2017 BETTER