

## 19 ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Rank

UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON

### CHILDREN IN POVERTY

US: 12,998,000 | WA: 204,000

22%  
2010

18%  
2018

BETTER

18%  
2010

13%  
2018

BETTER

### CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT

US: 19,579,000 | WA: 416,000

33%  
2010

27%  
2018

BETTER

32%  
2010

25%  
2018

BETTER

### CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN

US: 22,566,000 | WA: 501,000

41%  
2010

31%  
2018

BETTER

43%  
2010

30%  
2018

BETTER

### TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING

US: 1,186,000 | WA: 23,000

9%  
2010

7%  
2018

BETTER

8%  
2010

6%  
2018

BETTER

## 14 EDUCATION

Rank

UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON

### YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL

US: 4,215,000 | WA: 105,000

52%  
2009-11

52%  
2016-18

SAME

59%  
2009-11

56%  
2016-18

BETTER

### FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING

US: N.A. | WA: N.A.

68%  
2009

66%  
2019

BETTER

67%  
2009

65%  
2019

BETTER

### EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH

US: N.A. | WA: N.A.

67%  
2009

67%  
2019

SAME

61%  
2009

60%  
2019

BETTER

### HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME

US: N.A. | WA: N.A.

21%  
2010-11

15%  
2017-18

BETTER

24%  
2010-11

13%  
2017-18

BETTER

## 5 HEALTH

Rank

	UNITED STATES	WASHINGTON	
<b>LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES</b> US: 313,752   WA: 5,690	8.1% 2010	8.3% 2018 WORSE	6.3% 2010
			6.6% 2018 WORSE
<b>CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE</b> US: 4,055,000   WA: 47,000	8% 2010	5% 2018 BETTER	7% 2010
			3% 2018 BETTER
<b>CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000</b> US: 19,660   WA: 403	26 2010	25 2018 BETTER	21 2010
			23 2018 WORSE
<b>CHILDREN AND TEENS (AGES 10 TO 17) WHO ARE OVERWEIGHT OR OBESE</b> US: N.A.   WA: N.A.	31% 2016-17	31% 2017-18 SAME	25% 2016-17
			26% 2017-18 WORSE

## 15 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Rank

	UNITED STATES	WASHINGTON	
<b>CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES</b> US: 23,980,000   WA: 458,000	34% 2010	35% 2018 WORSE	29% 2010
			29% 2018 SAME
<b>CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA</b> US: 9,205,000   WA: 180,000	15% 2010	13% 2018 BETTER	12% 2010
			11% 2018 BETTER
<b>CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS</b> US: 7,717,000   WA: 63,000	13% 2008-12	10% 2014-18 BETTER	6% 2008-12
			4% 2014-18 BETTER
<b>TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000</b> US: 179,871   WA: 2,762	34 2010	17 2018 BETTER	27 2010
			13 2018 BETTER