

2017 Florida Child Well-being Index

Holmes County



51 Economic

	Current Year	%	#	Baseline Year	%	
Children in Poverty	2014	34.5	1,342	2009	33.6	Unchanged
Unemployment Rate	2015	6.2	415	2010	10.4	Better
High Housing Cost Burden (more than 30% income spent)	2015	26.3	1,962	2010	26.4	Unchanged
Teens Not in School and Not Working	2011-2015	16.0	131	2006-2010	15.4	Unchanged

34 Education

Students Not Ready for Kindergarten	2013-2014	6.3	15	N.A.		
Fourth Grade Students Not Proficient in English Language Arts	2014-2015	78	197	N.A.		
Eight Grade Students Not Proficient in Math	2014-2015	87	129	N.A.		
High School Students Not Graduating on Time	2014-2015	19.5	43	2011-2012	27.2	Better

26 Health

Low-Birthweight Babies	2015	9.6	21	2010	10.2	Unchanged
Uninsured Children	2014	9.3	379	2009	24.5	Better
Overweight and Obese 1st, 3rd, and 6th Grade Students	2013-2014	35.5	295	2008-2009	36.1	Unchanged
High School Teens who Used Alcohol/Drugs (Past 30 Days)	2014	34.5	96	2010	35.8	Better

67 Family and Community

Children in Single Parent Families	2011-2015	29.8	1,053	2006-2010	30.6	Unchanged
Children Living in High Poverty Areas	2011-2015	62.4	2,484	2006-2010	0.0	Worse
Children with Verified Maltreatment (per 1,000)	2015-2016	13.7	56	N.A.		
Youth Contacts with the Juvenile Justice System (per 1,000)	2014-2015	24.9	47	2009-2010	28.3	Better

We all do better when Florida's children succeed. Find out how you can act locally and at the state level to ensure:

1. children have access to healthcare.
2. we prevent child abuse, juvenile justice involvement, and substance use.
3. parents have educational and work opportunities that support their families.

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