

2017 Florida Child Well-being Index

Levy County



36 Economic

	Current Year	%	#	Baseline Year	%	
Children in Poverty	2014	36.0	2,775	2009	32.6	Worse
Unemployment Rate	2015	5.7	948	2010	11.9	Better
High Housing Cost Burden (more than 30% income spent)	2015	29.1	4,782	2010	29.5	Unchanged
Teens Not in School and Not Working	2011-2015	7.7	147	2006-2010	10.3	Better

49 Education

	Current Year	%	#	Baseline Year	%	
Students Not Ready for Kindergarten	2013-2014	6.9	29	N.A.		
Fourth Grade Students Not Proficient in English Language Arts	2014-2015	87	357	N.A.		
Eight Grade Students Not Proficient in Math	2014-2015	90	257	N.A.		
High School Students Not Graduating on Time	2014-2015	18.4	61	2011-2012	27.8	Better

57 Health

	Current Year	%	#	Baseline Year	%	
Low-Birthweight Babies	2015	11.0	43	2010	9.0	Worse
Uninsured Children	2014	12.2	985	2009	25.6	Better
Overweight and Obese 1st, 3rd, and 6th Grade Students	2013-2014	39.4	513	2008-2009	37.2	Worse
High School Teens who Used Alcohol/Drugs (Past 30 Days)	2014	37.5	135	2010	44.3	Better

20 Family and Community

	Current Year	%	#	Baseline Year	%	
Children in Single Parent Families	2011-2015	36.6	2,448	2006-2010	32.4	Worse
Children Living in High Poverty Areas	2011-2015	0.0	0	2006-2010	13.1	Better
Children with Verified Maltreatment (per 1,000)	2015-2016	10.1	82	N.A.		
Youth Contacts with the Juvenile Justice System (per 1,000)	2014-2015	26.6	99	2009-2010	37.5	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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