

2017 Florida Child Well-being Index

Putnam County



66 Economic

	Current Year	%	#	Baseline Year	%	
Children in Poverty	2014	44.3	6,744	2009	40.0	Worse
Unemployment Rate	2015	7.2	2,072	2010	13.4	Better
High Housing Cost Burden (more than 30% income spent)	2015	35.2	10,260	2010	35.4	Unchanged
Teens Not in School and Not Working	2011-2015	15.6	539	2006-2010	17.3	Better

63 Education

Students Not Ready for Kindergarten	2013-2014	4.2	38	N.A.		
Fourth Grade Students Not Proficient in English Language Arts	2014-2015	86	721	N.A.		
Eight Grade Students Not Proficient in Math	2014-2015	94	465	N.A.		
High School Students Not Graduating on Time	2014-2015	45.1	315	2011-2012	41.1	Worse

48 Health

Low-Birthweight Babies	2015	10.2	83	2010	9.8	Unchanged
Uninsured Children	2014	9.6	1,531	2009	24.3	Better
Overweight and Obese 1st, 3rd, and 6th Grade Students	2013-2014	38.7	856	2007-2008	43.2	Better
High School Teens who Used Alcohol/Drugs (Past 30 Days)	2014	37.9	132	2010	45.2	Better

64 Family and Community

Children in Single Parent Families	2011-2015	46.9	5,998	2006-2010	42.1	Worse
Children Living in High Poverty Areas	2011-2015	39.3	6,300	2006-2010	21.9	Worse
Children with Verified Maltreatment (per 1,000)	2015-2016	21.4	337	N.A.		
Youth Contacts with the Juvenile Justice System (per 1,000)	2014-2015	33.7	233	2009-2010	70.0	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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