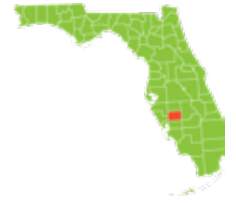


OVERALL COUNTY RANK





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		Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
 <p>ECONOMIC WELL-BEING DOMAIN RANK 63</p>	Children in poverty	2012	43.5	2017	37.2	2,505	👍
	Unemployment rate	2012	9.9	2017	4.4	608	👍
	High housing cost burden (>30% income spent)	2008-2012	33.0	2013-2017	29.9	3,506	👍
	Teens not in school and not working	2008-2012	18.3	2013-2017	20.0	394	👎
 <p>EDUCATION WELL-BEING DOMAIN RANK 67</p>	3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school	2008-2012	63.3	2013-2017	68.1	532	👎
	4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts	2014-2015	86	2017-2018	84	297	👍
	8th grade students not proficient in math	2014-2015	95	2017-2018	99	269	👎
	High school students not graduating on time	2012-2013	38.4	2017-2018	39.1	138	Unchanged
 <p>HEALTH WELL-BEING DOMAIN RANK 17</p>	Low-birthweight babies	2012	5.7	2017	5.4	21	Unchanged
	Uninsured children	2011	16.0	2016	8.8	620	👍
	Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students	2012-2013	33.1	2017-2018	34.2	469	👎
	High school teens who used alcohol/drugs (past 30 days)	2014	43.1	2018	30.9	48	👍
 <p>FAMILY & COMMUNITY DOMAIN RANK 64</p>	Children in single parent families	2008-2012	47.6	2013-2017	37.4	2,222	👍
	Children living in high poverty areas	2008-2012	37.5	2013-2017	41.3	2,960	👎
	Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)	2012-2013	8.7	2017-2018	5.5	43	👍
	Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000)	2012-2013	28.6	2017-2018	27.1	97	👍

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
Children in poverty	2012	25.6	2017	20.6	850,924	👍
Unemployment rate	2012	8.5	2017	4.2	424,223	👍
High housing cost burden (>30% of income spent)	2008-2012	42.5	2013-2017	36.1	2,712,928	👍
Teens not in school and not working	2008-2012	9.6	2013-2017	7.7	73,002	👍

EDUCATION WELL-BEING

	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school	2008-2012	49.4	2013-2017	49.5	223,989	Unchanged
4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts	2014-2015	73	2017-2018	71	153,187	👍
8th grade students not proficient in math	2014-2015	81	2017-2018	80	104,397	👍
High school students not graduating on time	2012-2013	24.4	2017-2018	13.9	29,124	👍

HEALTH WELL-BEING

	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
Low-birthweight babies	2012	8.6	2017	8.8	19,699	Unchanged
Uninsured children	2011	12.5	2016	6.6	282,464	👍
Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students	2012-2013	40.2	2017-2018	34.5	205,359	👍
High school teens who used alcohol/drugs (past 30 days)	2014	36.3	2018	29.5	9,187	👍

FAMILY & COMMUNITY

	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
Children in single parent families	2008-2012	34.6	2013-2017	35.3	1,258,424	Unchanged
Children living in high poverty areas	2008-2012	12.4	2013-2017	11.2	458,646	👍
Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)	2012-2013	8.0	2017-2018	7.5	31,585	Unchanged
Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000)	2012-2013	26.3	2017-2018	16.4	31,206	👍

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