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# Okaloosa County




## Keeping a focus on where counties can make life better for our children & families



**ECONOMIC WELL-BEING**  
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|  | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change    |
|--|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|-----------|
| Children in poverty                          | 2012          | 21.6 | 2017         | 16.4 | 7,252  | 👍         |
| Unemployment rate                            | 2012          | 6.7  | 2017         | 3.4  | 3,237  | 👍         |
| High housing cost burden (>30% income spent) | 2008-2012     | 35.5 | 2013-2017    | 31.0 | 23,770 | 👍         |
| Teens not in school and not working          | 2008-2012     | 6.4  | 2013-2017    | 6.6  | 561    | Unchanged |



**EDUCATION WELL-BEING**  
DOMAIN RANK  
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|  | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change |
|--|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|--------|
| 3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school             | 2008-2012     | 48.3 | 2013-2017    | 50.2 | 2,616  | 👎      |
| 4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts | 2014-2015     | 69   | 2017-2018    | 67   | 1,643  | 👍      |
| 8th grade students not proficient in math                  | 2014-2015     | 54   | 2017-2018    | 68   | 995    | 👎      |
| High school students not graduating on time                | 2012-2013     | 17.3 | 2017-2018    | 11.9 | 241    | 👍      |



**HEALTH WELL-BEING**  
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|   | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change    |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|-----------|
| Low-birthweight babies                                  | 2012          | 7.6  | 2017         | 8.2  | 221    | Unchanged |
| Uninsured children                                      | 2011          | 9.9  | 2016         | 5.5  | 2,534  | 👍         |
| Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students      | 2012-2013     | 25.9 | 2017-2018    | 26.6 | 1,904  | Unchanged |
| High school teens who used alcohol/drugs (past 30 days) | 2014          | 34.9 | 2018         | 28.1 | 321    | 👍         |



**FAMILY & COMMUNITY**  
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|   | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change    |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|-----------|
| Children in single parent families                          | 2008-2012     | 32.7 | 2013-2017    | 28.0 | 10,859 | 👍         |
| Children living in high poverty areas                       | 2008-2012     | 2.9  | 2013-2017    | 1.5  | 638    | 👍         |
| Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)             | 2012-2013     | 12.0 | 2017-2018    | 11.6 | 503    | Unchanged |
| Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000) | 2012-2013     | 30.1 | 2017-2018    | 28.6 | 548    | 👍         |

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 health care; (2) Communities prevent child abuse, juvenile justice involvement, and substance abuse; and (3) Parents have educational and work opportunities that support their families.



# 2019 Florida Child Well-Being Index



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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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