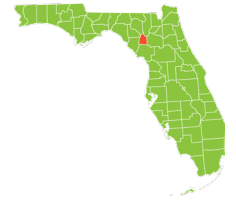


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**ECONOMIC WELL-BEING**  
DOMAIN RANK  
**47**

|  | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change |
|--|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|--------|
| Children in poverty                          | 2013          | 32.2 | 2018         | 23.8 | 861    | 👍      |
| Unemployment rate                            | 2014          | 6.7  | 2019         | 3.4  | 245    | 👍      |
| High housing cost burden (>30% income spent) | 2009-2013     | 28.7 | 2014-2018    | 18.8 | 1,223  | 👍      |
| Teens not in school and not working          | 2009-2013     | 36.5 | 2014-2018    | 24.1 | 293    | 👍      |



**EDUCATION WELL-BEING**  
DOMAIN RANK  
**38**

|  | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change |
|--|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|--------|
| 3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school             | 2009-2013     | 55.0 | 2014-2018    | 70.1 | 361    | 👎      |
| 4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts | 2014-2015     | 76   | 2018-2019    | 70   | 142    | 👍      |
| 8th grade students not proficient in math                  | 2014-2015     | 78   | 2018-2019    | *    | 78     |        |
| High school students not graduating on time                | 2013-2014     | *    | 2018-2019    | 10.6 | 18     |        |



**HEALTH WELL-BEING**  
DOMAIN RANK  
**47**

|   | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|--------|
| Low-birthweight babies                                  | 2013          | 5.1  | 2018         | 6.7  | 12     | 👎      |
| Uninsured children                                      | 2013          | 14.7 | 2018         | 8.4  | 321    | 👍      |
| Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students      | 2013-2014     | 33.4 | 2018-2019    | 38.8 | 228    | 👎      |
| High school teens who used alcohol/drugs (past 30 days) | 2014          | 38.0 | 2018         | 32.3 | 75     | 👍      |



**FAMILY & COMMUNITY**  
DOMAIN RANK  
**19**

|   | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number | Change    |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|------|--------|-----------|
| Children in single parent families                          | 2009-2013     | 19.9 | 2014-2018    | 33.9 | 950    | 👎         |
| Children living in high poverty areas                       | 2009-2013     | 0.0  | 2014-2018    | 0.0  | 0      | Unchanged |
| Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)             | 2013-2014     | 6.2  | 2018-2019    | 6.6  | 23     | Unchanged |
| Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000) | 2013-2014     | 22.1 | 2018-2019    | 17.3 | 27     | 👍         |

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**ECONOMIC WELL-BEING**

|  | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number    | Change |
|--|---------------|------|--------------|------|-----------|--------|
| Children in poverty                          | 2013          | 24.8 | 2018         | 20.0 | 831,420   | 👍      |
| Unemployment rate                            | 2014          | 6.3  | 2019         | 3.1  | 320,689   | 👍      |
| High housing cost burden (>30% income spent) | 2009-2013     | 41.4 | 2014-2018    | 35.5 | 2,705,684 | 👍      |
| Teens not in school and not working          | 2009-2013     | 9.5  | 2014-2018    | 7.3  | 70,558    | 👍      |

**EDUCATION WELL-BEING**

|  | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number  | Change    |
|--|---------------|------|--------------|------|---------|-----------|
| 3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school             | 2009-2013     | 49.6 | 2014-2018    | 48.6 | 222,270 | Unchanged |
| 4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts | 2014-2015     | 73   | 2018-2019    | 70   | 147,939 | 👍         |
| 8th grade students not proficient in math                  | 2014-2015     | 81   | 2018-2019    | 79   | 103,199 | 👍         |
| High school students not graduating on time                | 2013-2014     | 23.9 | 2018-2019    | 13.1 | 27,731  | 👍         |

**HEALTH WELL-BEING**

|   | Baseline Year | %    | Current Year | %    | Number  | Change    |
|---|---------------|------|--------------|------|---------|-----------|
| Low-birthweight babies                                  | 2013          | 8.5  | 2018         | 8.7  | 19,271  | Unchanged |
| Uninsured children                                      | 2013          | 11.9 | 2018         | 7.6  | 331,182 | 👍         |
| Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students      | 2013-2014     | 35.4 | 2018-2019    | 35.1 | 211,743 | Unchanged |
| 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                          | 2009-2013     | 35.1 | 2014-2018    | 35.0 | 1,257,688 | Unchanged |
| Children living in high poverty areas                       | 2009-2013     | 14.1 | 2014-2018    | 9.9  | 410,752   | 👍         |
| Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)             | 2013-2014     | 8.0  | 2018-2019    | 6.7  | 28,554    | 👍         |
| Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000) | 2013-2014     | 23.2 | 2018-2019    | 15.2 | 29,369    | 👍         |

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