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	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
Children in poverty	2013	29.9	2018	18.6	2,631	3
Unemployment rate	2014	5.3	2019	2.8	892	3
High housing cost burden (>30% income spent)	2009-2013	36.8	2014-2018	29.4	7,765	3
Teens not in school and not working	2009-2013	8.4	2014-2018	10.2	271	9



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3 & 4 year old children not enrolled in school	2009-2013	41.4	2014-2018	38.9	468	3
4th grade students not proficient in English Language Arts	2014-2015	72	2018-2019	66	497	3
8th grade students not proficient in math	2014-2015	73	2018-2019	67	381	3
High school students not graduating on time	2013-2014	31.6	2018-2019	11.1	74	3



	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
Low-birthweight babies	2013	8.0	2018	7.1	55	Unchanged
Uninsured children	2013	14.0	2018	10.3	1,538	3
Overweight and obese 1st, 3rd & 6th grade students	2013-2014	36.4	2018-2019	33.8	789	3
High school teens who used alcohol/drugs (past 30 days)	2014	38.5	2018	41.0	96	9



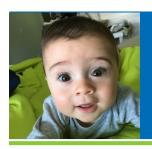
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Children in single parent families	2009-2013	33.3	2014-2018	26.7	3,136	3
Children living in high poverty areas	2009-2013	13.5	2014-2018	0.0	0	3
Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)	2013-2014	12.2	2018-2019	16.5	234	8
Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000)	2013-2014	55.6	2018-2019	25.8	164	3

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	Baseline Year	%	Current Year	%	Number	Change
Children in poverty	2013	24.8	2018	20.0	831,420	4
Unemployment rate	2014	6.3	2019	3.1	320,689	4
High housing cost burden (>30% income spent)	2009-2013	41.4	2014-2018	35.5	2,705,684	3
Teens not in school and not working	2009-2013	9.5	2014-2018	7.3	70,558	3



	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	3
8th grade students not proficient in math	2014-2015	81	2018-2019	79	103,199	3
High school students not graduating on time	2013-2014	23.9	2018-2019	13.1	27,731	3



	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	3
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	3



	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	3
Children with verified maltreatment (per 1,000)	2013-2014	8.0	2018-2019	6.7	28,554	3
Youth contacts with the juvenile justice system (per 1,000)	2013-2014	23.2	2018-2019	15.2	29,369	3

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