

LOUISIANA

OVERALL RANK **48**

DOMAIN RANK

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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



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EDUCATION



| | | LOUISIANA | UNITED STATES |
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| CHILDREN IN POVERTY | | 27% 2010 | 21% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 313,000 | US 15,000,000 | WORSE | BETTER |
| CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT | | 36% 2010 | 29% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 380,000 | US 21,363,000 | BETTER | BETTER |
| CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN | | 32% 2010 | 33% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 353,000 | US 24,646,000 | SAME | BETTER |
| TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING | | 14% 2010 | 7% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF TEENS LA 28,000 | US 1,191,000 | BETTER | BETTER |
| YOUNG CHILDREN NOT IN SCHOOL | | 47% 2009-11 | 53% 2013-15 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 63,000 | US 4,344,000 | WORSE | WORSE |
| FOURTH GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING | | 82% 2009 | 65% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA N.A. | US N.A. | BETTER | BETTER |
| EIGHTH GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH | | 80% 2009 | 68% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA N.A. | US N.A. | WORSE | WORSE |
| HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME | | 29% 2010/11 | 17% 2014/15 |
| NUMBER OF TEENS LA N.A. | US N.A. | BETTER | BETTER |

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HEALTH



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FAMILY AND COMMUNITY



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| LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES | | 10.7% 2010 | 10.6% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF BABIES LA 6,839 US 320,869 | | BETTER | SAME |
| CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE | | 6% 2010 | 4% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 40,000 US 3,534,000 | | BETTER | BETTER |
| CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 | | 37 2010 | 40 2015 |
| NUMBER OF DEATHS LA 462 US 19,562 | | WORSE | BETTER |
| TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS | | 6% 2009-10 | 6% 2013-14 |
| NUMBER OF TEENS LA 20,000 US 1,276,000 | | SAME | BETTER |
| CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES | | 45% 2010 | 45% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 473,000 US 24,444,000 | | SAME | WORSE |
| CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | | 17% 2010 | 13% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 145,000 US 10,137,000 | | BETTER | BETTER |
| CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS | | 18% 2008-12 | 20% 2011-15 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN LA 227,000 US 10,032,000 | | WORSE | WORSE |
| TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 | | 48 2010 | 34 2015 |
| NUMBER OF BIRTHS LA 5,055 US 229,715 | | BETTER | BETTER |