

## 32 ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

Rank

	UNITED STATES	TENNESSEE
<b>CHILDREN IN POVERTY</b> US: 13,353,000   TN: 315,000	22% 2010	26% 2010
	18% 2017 BETTER	21% 2017 BETTER
<b>CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT</b> US: 20,075,000   TN: 426,000	33% 2010	37% 2010
	27% 2017 BETTER	28% 2017 BETTER
<b>CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN</b> US: 22,908,000   TN: 406,000	41% 2010	37% 2010
	31% 2017 BETTER	27% 2017 BETTER
<b>TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING</b> US: 1,171,000   TN: 27,000	9% 2010	10% 2010
	7% 2017 BETTER	7% 2017 BETTER

## 33 EDUCATION

Rank

	UNITED STATES	TENNESSEE
<b>YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 3 AND 4) NOT IN SCHOOL</b> US: 4,223,000   TN: 100,000	52% 2009-11	59% 2009-11
	52% 2015-17 SAME	61% 2015-17 WORSE
<b>FOURTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING</b> US: N.A.   TN: N.A.	68% 2009	72% 2009
	65% 2017 BETTER	67% 2017 BETTER
<b>EIGHTH-GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH</b> US: N.A.   TN: N.A.	67% 2009	75% 2009
	67% 2017 SAME	70% 2017 BETTER
<b>HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME</b> US: N.A.   TN: N.A.	21% 2010-11	14% 2010-11
	15% 2016-17 BETTER	10% 2016-17 BETTER

## 33 HEALTH

Rank

	UNITED STATES	TENNESSEE
<b>LOW BIRTH-WEIGHT BABIES</b> US: 318,873   TN: 7,409	8.1% 2010	8.3% 2017 WORSE
		9.0% 2010
		9.2% 2017 WORSE
<b>CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE</b> US: 3,925,000   TN: 71,000	8% 2010	5% 2017 BETTER
		6% 2010
		4% 2017 BETTER
<b>CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000</b> US: 20,337   TN: 543	26 2010	26 2017 SAME
		31 2010
		34 2017 WORSE
<b>TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS</b> US: 1,028,000   TN: 20,000	5% 2015-16	4% 2016-17 BETTER
		4% 2015-16
		4% 2016-17 SAME

## 39 FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

Rank

	UNITED STATES	TENNESSEE
<b>CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES</b> US: 24,001,000   TN: 522,000	34% 2010	34% 2017 SAME
		37% 2010
		37% 2017 SAME
<b>CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA</b> US: 9,557,000   TN: 166,000	15% 2010	13% 2017 BETTER
		13% 2010
		11% 2017 BETTER
<b>CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS</b> US: 8,545,000   TN: 200,000	13% 2008-12	12% 2013-17 BETTER
		14% 2008-12
		13% 2013-17 BETTER
<b>TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000</b> US: 194,377   TN: 5,516	34 2010	19 2017 BETTER
		43 2010
		27 2017 BETTER