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ECONOMIC WELL-BEING



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EDUCATION



| | | MISSISSIPPI | | UNITED STATES | |
|--|---------------|-------------|---------|---------------|---------|
| CHILDREN IN POVERTY | | 33% | 31% | 22% | 21% |
| | | 2010 | 2015 | 2010 | 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN | US 15,000,000 | BETTER | | BETTER | |
| MS 224,000 | | | | | |
| CHILDREN WHOSE PARENTS LACK SECURE EMPLOYMENT | | 39% | 37% | 33% | 29% |
| | | 2010 | 2015 | 2010 | 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN | US 21,363,000 | BETTER | | BETTER | |
| MS 272,000 | | | | | |
| CHILDREN LIVING IN HOUSEHOLDS WITH A HIGH HOUSING COST BURDEN | | 35% | 31% | 41% | 33% |
| | | 2010 | 2015 | 2010 | 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN | US 24,646,000 | BETTER | | BETTER | |
| MS 229,000 | | | | | |
| TEENS NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING | | 13% | 10% | 9% | 7% |
| | | 2010 | 2015 | 2010 | 2015 |
| NUMBER OF TEENS | US 1,191,000 | BETTER | | BETTER | |
| MS 17,000 | | | | | |
| YOUNG CHILDREN NOT IN SCHOOL | | 47% | 50% | 52% | 53% |
| | | 2009-11 | 2013-15 | 2009-11 | 2013-15 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN | US 4,344,000 | WORSE | | WORSE | |
| MS 42,000 | | | | | |
| FOURTH GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN READING | | 78% | 74% | 68% | 65% |
| | | 2009 | 2015 | 2009 | 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN | US N.A. | BETTER | | BETTER | |
| MS N.A. | | | | | |
| EIGHTH GRADERS NOT PROFICIENT IN MATH | | 85% | 78% | 67% | 68% |
| | | 2009 | 2015 | 2009 | 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN | US N.A. | BETTER | | WORSE | |
| MS N.A. | | | | | |
| HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS NOT GRADUATING ON TIME | | 25% | 25% | 21% | 17% |
| | | 2010/11 | 2014/15 | 2010/11 | 2014/15 |
| NUMBER OF TEENS | US N.A. | SAME | | BETTER | |
| MS N.A. | | | | | |

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FAMILY AND COMMUNITY



| | | MISSISSIPPI | UNITED STATES |
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| LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES | | 12.1% 2010 | 11.4% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF BABIES MS 4,387 US 320,869 | | BETTER | SAME |
| CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE | | 8% 2010 | 4% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 29,000 US 3,534,000 | | BETTER | BETTER |
| CHILD AND TEEN DEATHS PER 100,000 | | 38 2010 | 40 2015 |
| NUMBER OF DEATHS MS 308 US 19,562 | | WORSE | BETTER |
| TEENS WHO ABUSE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS | | 6% 2009-10 | 5% 2013-14 |
| NUMBER OF TEENS MS 12,000 US 1,276,000 | | BETTER | BETTER |
| CHILDREN IN SINGLE-PARENT FAMILIES | | 46% 2010 | 48% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 324,000 US 24,444,000 | | WORSE | WORSE |
| CHILDREN IN FAMILIES WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD HEAD LACKS A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA | | 17% 2010 | 13% 2015 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 91,000 US 10,137,000 | | BETTER | BETTER |
| CHILDREN LIVING IN HIGH-POVERTY AREAS | | 28% 2008-12 | 27% 2011-15 |
| NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 198,000 US 10,032,000 | | BETTER | WORSE |
| TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000 | | 55 2010 | 35 2015 |
| NUMBER OF BIRTHS MS 3,536 US 229,715 | | BETTER | BETTER |