New Mexico

overall rank
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KEY INDICATORS	STATE TREND		NATIONAL TREND			NATIONAL RANK	
Percent low-birthweight babies	2000 8.0 2007 8.8	10%	2000 2007	7.6 8.2	8%	36	
Infant mortality rate (deaths per 1,000 live births)	2000 6.6 2007 6.3	-5%	2000 2007	6.9	-3%	13	
Child death rate (deaths per 100,000 children ages 1-14)	2000 20 2007 24	20%	2000 2007	22 19	-14%	42	
Teen death rate (deaths per 100,000 teens ages 15-19)	2000 99 2007 96	-3%	2000 2007	67 62	-7%	48	
Teen birth rate (births per 1,000 females ages 15-19)	2000 66 2007 66	0%	2000 2007	48	-10%	49	
Percent of teens not in school and not high school graduates (ages 16-19)	2000 16 2008 10	-38%	2000 2008	11 6	-45%	47	
Percent of teens not attending school and not working (ages 16-19)	2000 N.A. 2008 10	_	2000 2008	N.A. 8	_	39	
Percent of children living in families where no parent has full-time, year-round employment	2000 N.A. 2008 30	_	2000 2008	N.A. 27	_	38	
Percent of children in poverty (income below \$21,834 for a family of two adults and two children in 2008)	2000 26 2008 24	-8%	2000 2008	17 18	6%	47	
Percent of children in single-parent families	2000 33 2008 40	21%	2000 2008	31 32	3%	48	



Find more state and community-level data for New Mexico at the KIDS COUNT Data Center datacenter.kidscount.org/NM





N.A.: Comparable data not available for 2000 for these indicators. For more information, and to access the definitions and data sources for all indicators, go to: datacenter.kidscount.org/databook