





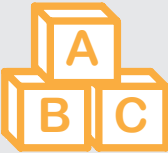












New Mexico Ranks 49th
in the Nation for Child
Well-Being

Legislative Districts in this County:

Senate: 32, 34, 41, 42

House: 54, 55

New Mexico KIDS COUNT Profile

Domains	Indicators of child well-being					
 <p>Economic Well-Being</p>	<p>Children in Poverty 2008-2012</p> <p>16%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Families in which Parents Lack Secure Employment 2008-2012</p> <p>31%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Families with a High Housing Cost Burden 2008-2012</p> <p>Rent: 29% Own: 15%</p> <p>New Mexico: Rent: 44% Own: 25%</p>	<p>Teens (16-19) Not in School and Not Working 2008-2012</p> <p>7%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>		
	 <p>Education</p>	<p>Children (3-4) Attending Preschool 2008-2012</p> <p>53%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Fourth Grade Reading Proficiency 2013-2014</p> <p>Artesia Schools: 55% Carlsbad Schools: 54% Loving Schools: 35%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Eighth Grade Math Proficiency 2013-2014</p> <p>Artesia Schools: 40% Carlsbad Schools: 27% Loving Schools: 30%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>High School Students Graduating on Time 2012-2013</p> <p>Artesia Schools: 73% Carlsbad Schools: 77% Loving Schools: 90%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	
		 <p>Health</p>	<p>Low Birth-Weight Babies 2013</p> <p>5.7%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Children without Health Insurance 2012</p> <p>6.2%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Child (1-14) and Teen (15-19) Death Rates (per 100,000) 2013</p> <p>Child: 8.8 Teen: 97.3</p> <p>New Mexico: Child: 17.8 Teen: 51.7</p>	<p>Teens who Binge Drink 2013</p> <p>20%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>
			 <p>Family and Community</p>	<p>Children in Single-Parent Families 2008-2012</p> <p>34%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Families in which Household Head Lacks High School Diploma 2008-2012</p> <p>18%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>	<p>Children Living in High-Poverty Areas 2008-2012</p> <p>0%</p> <p>New Mexico: </p>

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