





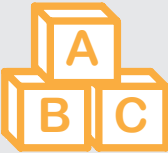












New Mexico Ranks 49th
in the Nation for Child
Well-Being

Legislative Districts in this County:

Senate: 8, 39

House: 40, 70

New Mexico KIDS COUNT Profile

Domains	Indicators of child well-being					
 Economic Well-Being	Children in Poverty 2008-2012 34% New Mexico:  31%	Families in which Parents Lack Secure Employment 2008-2012 43% New Mexico:  38%	Families with a High Housing Cost Burden 2008-2012 Rent: 46% Own: 26% New Mexico: Rent: 44% Own: 25%	Teens (16-19) Not in School and Not Working 2008-2012 11% New Mexico:  11%		
	 Education	Children (3-4) Attending Preschool 2008-2012 42% New Mexico:  40%	Fourth Grade Reading Proficiency 2013-2014 Las Vegas Schools: 50% Pecos Schools: 46% West Las Vegas Schools: 45% New Mexico:  44%	Eighth Grade Math Proficiency 2013-2014 Las Vegas Schools: 37% Pecos Schools: 28% West Las Vegas Schools: 25% New Mexico:  40%	High School Students Graduating on Time 2012-2013 Las Vegas Schools: 83% Pecos Schools: 75% West Las Vegas Schools: 71% New Mexico:  70%	
		 Health	Low Birth-Weight Babies 2013 8.2% New Mexico:  7.6%	Children without Health Insurance 2012 7.8% New Mexico:  8.7%	Child (1-14) and Teen (15-19) Death Rates (per 100,000) 2013 Child: 88.4 Teen: 0 New Mexico: Child: 17.8 Teen: 51.7	Teens who Binge Drink 2013 23% New Mexico:  17%
			 Family and Community	Children in Single-Parent Families 2008-2012 55% New Mexico:  44%	Families in which Household Head Lacks High School Diploma 2008-2012 17% New Mexico:  16%	Children Living in High-Poverty Areas 2008-2012 42% New Mexico:  22%

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Families in which Household Head Lacks a High School Diploma: 2008-2012 American Community Survey, Table B17018, U.S. Census

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