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DOMAIN RANK

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING







RANK



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

US N.A.

MS N.A.

SAME

BETTER

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NUMBER OF BABIES MS 4,387
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CHILD AND TEEN
NUMBER OF DEATHS MS 308
TEENS WHO ABU
NUMBER OF TEENS MS 12,000







FAMILY AND COMMUNITY



		MISSISSIPPI		UNITED STATES	
LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES		12.1% 2010	11.4%	8.1%	8.1%
NUMBER OF BABIES MS 4,387	US 320,869	BETTER		SAME	
CHILDREN WITHOUT HI	EALTH INSURANCE	8 % 2010	4% 2015	8 % 2010	5%
NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 29,000	US 3,534,000	BETTER		BETTER	
CHILD AND TEEN DEATI	HS PER 100,000	38 2010	40 ₂₀₁₅	26 2010	25
NUMBER OF DEATHS MS 308	US 19,562	WORSE		BETTER	
TEENS WHO ABUSE ALC	COHOL OR DRUGS	6 %	5% 2013-14	7 %	5% 2013-14
NUMBER OF TEENS MS 12,000	US 1,276,000	BETTER		BETTER	
CHILDREN IN SINGLE-P	ARENT FAMILIES	46%	48%	34 %	35%
NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 324,000	US 24,444,000	WORSE		WORSE	
CHILDREN IN FAMILIES HEAD LACKS A HIGH SC	WHERE THE HOUSEHOLD Hool Diploma	17% 2010	13%	15% 2010	14% 2015
NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 91,000	US 10,137,000	BE	TTER	BET	TTER
CHILDREN LIVING IN HI	GH-POVERTY AREAS	28% 2008-12	27%	13% 2008-12	14% 2011-15
NUMBER OF CHILDREN MS 198,000	US 10,032,000	BETTER BETTER		WORSE	
TEEN BIRTHS PER 1,000)	55	35 ₂₀₁₅	34 2010	22 2015
NUMBER OF BIRTHS MS 3,536	US 229,715	BE	TTER	BET	TTER