

Overview

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21%

STATE POPULATION

POPULATION OF COLOR



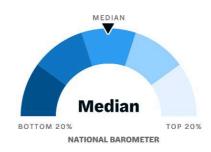
RANK: 34TH OUT OF 50

# **Economic Conditions**

Economic conditions refer to individual's and communities' financial well-being and the factors that impact it.

22/60 MEDIAN

RANK: 28TH OUT OF 50



## **ECONOMIC SECURITY**

The ability to meet daily needs and sustain a comfortable standard of living.

12/30 TOP 40%

RANK: 18TH OUT OF 50



## **ECONOMIC MOBILITY**

The ability to improve economic situation over time.

10/30 MEDIAN RANK: 29TH OUT OF 50



Immediate Security Ability to meet current daily needs.	Intra-Generational Mobility Ability to increase income and wealth over the course of one's life.
RANK: 19TH OUT OF 50	RANK: 12TH OUT OF 50
Percentage households stating ability to meet weekly expenses	Percentage households earning a thriving wage and able to save
63%	10%
Percentage households above the ALICE Threshold	Percentage households owning their home
37%	
Percentage households with a bank account (not unbanked)  97%	Small business ownership per 100,000 people 10
Percentage people with a credit bureau record showing no debt in collections	Percentage people with retirement accounts
80%	62%
Percentage children living above the child poverty line  87%	Percentage borrowers with student loan debt  18%
Future Resilience	Inter-Generational Mobility
Ability to sustain economic shocks and financial emergencies.	Factors that support children having a better economic situation in adulthood than their parents.
RANK: 19TH OUT OF 50	RANK: 36TH OUT OF 50
Percentage people with a credit score above 600	Percentage children 3-5 years old enrolled in school
80.2%	55%
Percentage households spending no more than 30% income on rent 52.7%	Average 4th grade reading level (out of 238) 215
Percentage workers represented by a union	Number of births per 1,000 teenage females
5.5%	10.9
Percentage households not avoiding healthcare due to cost reasons	Percentage children completing high school
90.8%	80%
Percentage women of reproductive age not living in contraceptive deserts	Percentage completion of post-secondary education
74.8%	32%
Follow Control	Enabling Context
Enabling Context Systems that Support Economic Security.	Systems that support Economic Mobility.
RANK: 16TH OUT OF 50	RANK: 32TH OUT OF 50
Percentage gap between current benefit program funding/participation vs max. impact	State spending per capita on public goods for economic mobility (,000s) 9.88
Worker protection policies and collective bargaining laws index (0-10)	Percentage people living in high mobility census tracts
3.17	13%
Affordable available housing units per 100 households with extremely low income	Percentage of financial aid that is need-based
42	99%
Percentage household median income consumed by childcare costs	Percentage households with multiple earners
8%	54%
Tax inequality index	Economic Connectedness Score
-2%	0.85



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**♀** AGGREGATE CONDITIONS

44/120 MEDIAN

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**SOCIO-POLITICAL CONDITIONS** 

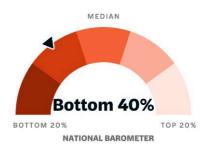
22/60 воттом 40%

## **Socio-Political Conditions**

Socio-political conditions refers to factors that influence the political power, civic engagement, and well-being of individuals and communities.

22/60 BOTTOM 40%

RANK: 34TH OUT OF 50



#### CIVIC VITALITY

The ability to live freely and develop connection to their place of life.

22/60 воттом 40%

RANK: 34TH OUT OF 50



## DEMOCRATIC VITALITY

The ability to engage in our political process to determine who they are represented by and how they are served.

12/30 воттом 40%

RANK: 35TH OUT OF 50



Basic Liberties Ability to live freely and safely while expressing one's identities, opinions, and belie RANK: 17TH OUT OF 50	fs.	Representative Elections Experience and participate in inclusive electoral processes.  RANK: 31TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of reported violent crime per 100,000 people	241	Percentage voting age population eligible to vote	94%
Rate of reported hate crimes per 100,000 people	2	Percentage of uncontested elections (federal, state and local)	42%
Rate of incarceration per 100,000 people	449	Redistricting Report Card score (0-5)	4.67
Police violence index	84%	Voter turnout rate: Presidential elections and mid-term elections	57%
Inclusiveness Index	46%	Voter turnout rate: gubernatorial elections	23%
Community Cohesion Ability to shape and stay connected to local community		Responsive Governance Experience governance responsive to the needs of its constituents.	
RANK: 40TH OUT OF 50  Rate of youth disconnection	10%	RANK: 37TH OUT OF 50  Ratio of percentage POC state legislators to percentage POC population	0.18
Percentage counties with more than one local news source or outlet	9%	Percentage women state legislators	31%
Percentage engaged in a public meeting or with a public official	14%	Ratio of legislator compensation to median income	0.47
Percentage members of community organizations or spent time volunteering	28%	Presence of state open data laws	c
Community-Based Development Organizations per 100,000 people	1.74	Presence of direct democracy initiatives (0-3)	2
<b>Enabling Context</b> Social and political environment that supports free, safe, and interconnected communities. RANK: 25TH OUT OF 50		Enabling Context  Systems that facilitate political participation and compel government accountability.  RANK: 31TH OUT OF 50	
Anti-protest laws index (0-2)	1	Democracy Subversion Protections index (1-5)	3
Gini index	0.44	Voter suppression and expansion law index (0-9)	3
Percentage of residents living in racially diverse census tracts	36%	Lobby transparency index (0-20)	1
Percentage of residents in poverty NOT living in persistently high poverty neighborhoods	68%	Presence of small donor financing programs	c
Civic and democratic grant spending per capita (in 000s)	11.076	State limits on corporate contributions to candidates	