

As of September 2024

Overview

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Each state scorecard and associated data can be downloaded separately.

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23%

STATE POPULATION

POPULATION OF COLOR

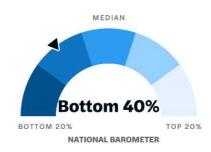


Economic Conditions

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

17/60 воттом 40%

RANK: 35TH OUT OF 50



ECONOMIC SECURITY

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

9_{/30} BOTTOM 40%

RANK: 36TH OUT OF 50



ECONOMIC MOBILITY

The ability to improve economic situation over time.

8/30 BOTTOM 40%
RANK: 37TH 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: 37TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 45TH OUT OF 50	
Percentage households stating ability to meet weekly expenses		Percentage households earning a thriving wage and able to save	
	61%	_	10%
Percentage households above the ALICE Threshold		Percentage households owning their home	
	58%		66%
Percentage households with a bank account (not unbanked)	1000000000	Small business ownership per 100,000 people	
	93%		8
Percentage people with a credit bureau record showing no debt in collections	71%	Percentage people with retirement accounts	49%
	7170		
Percentage children living above the child poverty line	84%	Percentage borrowers with student loan debt	21%
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 the parents.	eir
RANK: 37TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 26TH OUT OF 50	
Percentage people with a credit score above 600	73%	Percentage children 3-5 years old enrolled in school	56%
	73%		50%
Percentage households spending no more than 30% income on rent	54%	Average 4th grade reading level (out of 238)	213
		Number of births per 1,000 teenage females	
Percentage workers represented by a union	10.4%		16.9
Percentage households not avoiding healthcare due to cost reasons		Percentage children completing high school	
	89%	-	90%
Percentage women of reproductive age not living in contraceptive deserts		Percentage completion of post-secondary education	
	70%	-	32%
Fortill and Control		Enabling Context	
Enabling Context Systems that Support Economic Security.		Systems that support Economic Mobility.	
RANK: 32TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 39TH OUT OF 50	
Percentage gap between current benefit program funding/participation vs max. i	mpact	State spending per capita on public goods for economic mobility (,000s)	
	29%	1	11.01
Worker protection policies and collective bargaining laws index (0-10)		Percentage people living in high mobility census tracts	
	3.81		9%
Affordable available housing units per 100 households with extremely low income		Percentage of financial aid that is need-based	
	42		48%
Percentage household median income consumed by childcare costs	400/	Percentage households with multiple earners	53%
	10%		3370
Tax inequality index	-3%	Economic Connectedness Score	0.85
	270		



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♀ AGGREGATE CONDITIONS

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8 SOCIO-POLITICAL CONDITIONS

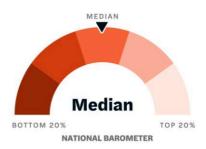
23/60 MEDIAN

Socio-Political Conditions

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

23/60 MEDIAN

RANK: 30TH OUT OF 50



CIVIC VITALITY

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

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RANK: 30TH 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.

14/30 MEDIAN

RANK: 21ST OUT OF 50



Basic Liberties		Representative Elections	
Ability to live freely and safely while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and believed to the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and the safety while expressing one's identities, opinions, and the safety while expressions are safety to the safety of the safety while expressions are safety or the safety of the safety	efs.	Experience and participate in inclusive electoral processes.	
RANK: 39TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 12TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of reported violent crime per 100,000 people	488	Percentage voting age population eligible to vote	96%
Rate of reported hate crimes per 100,000 people	3	Percentage of uncontested elections (federal, state and local)	46%
Rate of incarceration per 100,000 people	374	Redistricting Report Card score (0-5)	5
Police violence index	50%	Voter turnout rate: Presidential elections and mid-term elections	60%
Inclusiveness Index	51%	Voter turnout rate: gubernatorial elections	34%
Community Cohesion Ability to shape and stay connected to local community RANK: 30TH OUT OF 50		Responsive Governance Experience governance responsive to the needs of its constituents. RANK: 18TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of youth disconnection	10%	Ratio of percentage POC state legislators to percentage POC population	0.65
Percentage counties with more than one local news source or outlet	40%	Percentage women state legislators	29%
Percentage engaged in a public meeting or with a public official	8%	Ratio of legislator compensation to median income	0.98
Percentage members of community organizations or spent time volunteering	29%	Presence of state open data laws	o
Community-Based Development Organizations per 100,000 people	2.19	Presence of direct democracy initiatives (0-3)	2
Enabling Context Social and political environment that supports free, safe, and interconnected communities. RANK: 41TH OUT OF 50		Enabling Context Systems that facilitate political participation and compel government accountability. RANK: 33TH OUT OF 50	
Anti-protest laws index (0-2)	2	Democracy Subversion Protections index (1-5)	2
Gini index	0.47	Voter suppression and expansion law index (0-9)	2
Percentage of residents living in racially diverse census tracts	41%	Lobby transparency index (0-20)	11.75
Percentage of residents in poverty NOT living in persistently high poverty neighborhoods	53%	Presence of small donor financing programs	0
Civic and democratic grant spending per capita (in 000s)	30.863	State limits on corporate contributions to candidates	0