North Dakota

As of September 2024

Overview

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Each state scorecard and associated data can be downloaded separately.

779K

17%

STATE POPULATION

POPULATION OF COLOR

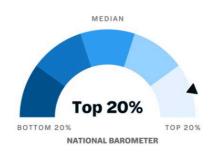


Economic Conditions

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

25/60 TOP 20%

RANK: 7TH OUT OF 50



ECONOMIC SECURITY

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

14_{/30} TOP 20%

RANK: 4TH OUT OF 50



- Immediate Security
- Future Resilience
- Enabling Context

ECONOMIC MOBILITY

The ability to improve economic situation over time.

12/30 TOP 40% RANK: 20TH OUT OF 50

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- Intra-Generational Mobility
- Inter-Generational Mobility
- Enabling Context

Immediate Security		Intra-Generational Mobility
Ability to meet current daily needs. RANK: 5TH OUT OF 50		Ability to increase income and wealth over the course of one's life. RANK: 33TH OUT OF 50
Percentage households stating ability to meet weekly expenses		Percentage households earning a thriving wage and able to save
a state in the state of the sta	66%	12%
Percentage households above the ALICE Threshold	66%	Percentage households owning their home 62%
Percentage households with a bank account (not unbanked)		Small business ownership per 100,000 people
	97%	9
Percentage people with a credit bureau record showing no debt in collections	84%	Percentage people with retirement accounts 65%
Percentage children living above the child poverty line	90%	Percentage borrowers with student loan debt
Future Resilience Ability to sustain economic shocks and financial emergencies. RANK: 4TH OUT OF 50		Inter-Generational Mobility Factors that support children having a better economic situation in adulthood than their parents. RANK: 34TH OUT OF 50
Percentage people with a credit score above 600	33.5%	Percentage children 3-5 years old enrolled in school 40%
Percentage households spending no more than 30% income on rent	59.4%	Average 4th grade reading level (out of 238)
Percentage workers represented by a union	7.5%	Number of births per 1,000 teenage females
Percentage households not avoiding healthcare due to cost reasons	93.4%	Percentage children completing high school
Percentage women of reproductive age not living in contraceptive deserts	75.1%	Percentage completion of post-secondary education 32%
Enabling Context Systems that Support Economic Security.		Enabling Context Systems that support Economic Mobility.
RANK: 14TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 3TH OUT OF 50
Percentage gap between current benefit program funding/participation vs max. im	pact 23%	State spending per capita on public goods for economic mobility (,000s) 15.26
Worker protection policies and collective bargaining laws index (0-10)	2.81	Percentage people living in high mobility census tracts 74%
Affordable available housing units per 100 households with extremely low income	47	Percentage of financial aid that is need-based 58%
Percentage household median income consumed by childcare costs	7%	Percentage households with multiple earners 60%
Tax inequality index	-4%	Economic Connectedness Score
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♀ AGGREGATE CONDITIONS

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& ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

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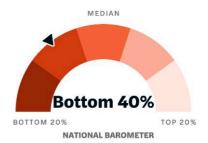
SOCIO-POLITICAL CONDITIONS

22/60 BOTTOM 40%

Socio-Political Conditions

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

RANK: 37TH OUT OF 50



CIVIC VITALITY

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

22/60 воттом 40%

RANK: 37TH OUT OF 50



- Basic Liberties
- Community Cohesion
- Enabling Context

DEMOCRATIC VITALITY

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

)/30 воттом 20%

RANK: 44TH OUT OF 50



- Representative Elections
- Responsive Governance
- **Enabling Context**

Basic Liberties Ability to live freely and safely while expressing one's identities, opinions, and belief	fs.	Representative Elections Experience and participate in inclusive electoral processes.	
RANK: 23TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 29TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of reported violent crime per 100,000 people	280	Percentage voting age population eligible to vote	97%
Rate of reported hate crimes per 100,000 people	2	Percentage of uncontested elections (federal, state and local)	48%
Rate of incarceration per 100,000 people	215	Redistricting Report Card score (0-5)	3.7
Police violence index	16%	Voter turnout rate: Presidential elections and mid-term elections	60%
Inclusiveness Index	51%	Voter turnout rate: gubernatorial elections	32%
Community Cohesion Ability to shape and stay connected to local community RANK: 16TH OUT OF 50		Responsive Governance Experience governance responsive to the needs of its constituents. RANK: 44TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of youth disconnection	7%	Ratio of percentage POC state legislators to percentage POC population	0.12
Percentage counties with more than one local news source or outlet	43%	Percentage women state legislators	25%
Percentage engaged in a public meeting or with a public official	10%	Ratio of legislator compensation to median income	0.16
Percentage members of community organizations or spent time volunteering	30%	Presence of state open data laws	0
Community-Based Development Organizations per 100,000 people	2.82	Presence of direct democracy initiatives (0-3)	2
Enabling Context Social and political environment that supports free, safe, and interconnected communities. RANK: 11TH OUT OF 50		Enabling Context Systems that facilitate political participation and compel government accountability. RANK: 40TH 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)	2.5
Percentage of residents living in racially diverse census tracts	33%	Lobby transparency index (0-20)	6
Percentage of residents in poverty NOT living in persistently high poverty neighborhoods	66%	Presence of small donor financing programs	0
Civic and democratic grant spending per capita (in 000s)	162.861	State limits on corporate contributions to candidates	0