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4M

28%

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POPULATION OF COLOR

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**& ECONOMIC CONDITIONS** 

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RANK: 20TH OUT OF 50

**SOCIO-POLITICAL CONDITIONS** 

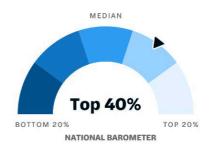
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# **Economic Conditions**

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

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## **ECONOMIC SECURITY**

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

13<sub>/30</sub> TOP 20%

RANK: 7TH OUT OF 50



## **ECONOMIC MOBILITY**

The ability to improve economic situation over time.

11/30 MEDIAN RANK: 26TH 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: 13TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 27TH OUT OF 50	
Percentage households stating ability to meet weekly expenses		Percentage households earning a thriving wage and able to save	
	65%		9%
Percentage households above the ALICE Threshold		Percentage households owning their home	
	55%		62%
Percentage households with a bank account (not unbanked)		Small business ownership per 100,000 people	9
	98%		9
Percentage people with a credit bureau record showing no debt in collections	84%	Percentage people with retirement accounts	65%
Daysoute as abildon living about the abild accorde line		Percentage borrowers with student loan debt	
Percentage children living above the child poverty line	86%	refeelings bottowers with statemental debt	19%
Future Resilience Ability to sustain economic shocks and financial emergencies.		Inter-Generational Mobility Factors that support children having a better economic situation in adulthood than the	eir
RANK: 22TH OUT OF 50		parents. RANK: 33TH OUT OF 50	
		Percentage children 3-5 years old enrolled in school	
Percentage people with a credit score above 600	B <b>1.9</b> %		58%
Percentage households spending no more than 30% income on rent		Average 4th grade reading level (out of 238)	
	6.8%		210
Percentage workers represented by a union		Number of births per 1,000 teenage females	
	15%		10.1
Percentage households not avoiding healthcare due to cost reasons	04.69/	Percentage children completing high school	81%
	91.6%		0170
Percentage women of reproductive age not living in contraceptive deserts	59.7%	Percentage completion of post-secondary education	36%
Enabling Context Systems that Support Economic Security.		Enabling Context Systems that support Economic Mobility.	
RANK: 2TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 21TH OUT OF 50	
Percentage gap between current benefit program funding/participation vs max. imp	pact 24%	State spending per capita on public goods for economic mobility (,000s)	17.58
Worker protection policies and collective bargaining laws index (0-10)		Percentage people living in high mobility census tracts	
	9.64		6%
Affordable available housing units per 100 households with extremely low income		Percentage of financial aid that is need-based	
	26		99%
Percentage household median income consumed by childcare costs	4004	Percentage households with multiple earners	53%
	10%		3370
Tax inequality index	-1%	Economic Connectedness Score	0.79



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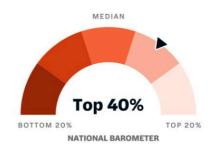
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# **Socio-Political Conditions**

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

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### CIVIC VITALITY

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

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### **DEMOCRATIC VITALITY**

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

17/30 TOP 40%
RANK: 11TH OUT OF 50



<b>Basic Liberties</b> 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: 46TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 32TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of reported violent crime per 100,000 people		Percentage voting age population eligible to vote	
	342		94%
Rate of reported hate crimes per 100,000 people	7	Percentage of uncontested elections (federal, state and local)	13%
Rate of incarceration per 100,000 people		Redistricting Report Card score (0-5)	
	310		1
Police violence index	20%	Voter turnout rate: Presidential elections and mid-term elections	700
	20%		72%
Inclusiveness Index	53%	Voter turnout rate: gubernatorial elections	31%
Community Cohesion Ability to shape and stay connected to local community		Responsive Governance Experience governance responsive to the needs of its constituents.	
RANK: 21TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 3TH OUT OF 50	
Rate of youth disconnection		Ratio of percentage POC state legislators to percentage POC population	
	14%		0.59
Percentage counties with more than one local news source or outlet	61%	Percentage women state legislators	41%
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Percentage engaged in a public meeting or with a public official	12%	Ratio of legislator compensation to median income	0.73
Percentage members of community organizations or spent time volunteering		Presence of state open data laws	
	31%		1
Community-Based Development Organizations per 100,000 people	2.57	Presence of direct democracy initiatives (0-3)	2
<b>Enabling Context</b> Social and political environment that supports free, safe, and interconnected		Enabling Context Systems that facilitate political participation and compel government accountability.	
communities. RANK: 22TH OUT OF 50		RANK: 17TH OUT OF 50	
Anti-protest laws index (0-2)		Democracy Subversion Protections index (1-5)	
	1		5
Gini index	0.47	Voter suppression and expansion law index (0-9)	6.25
Percentage of residents living in racially diverse census tracts		Lobby transparency index (0-20)	
	46%		16.25
Percentage of residents in poverty NOT living in persistently high poverty neighborhoods		Presence of small donor financing programs	
	59%		0.5
Civic and democratic grant spending per capita (in 000s)		State limits on corporate contributions to candidates	
	49.862	Unlin	iiited