

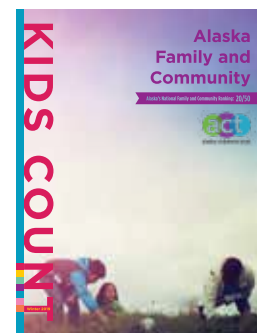
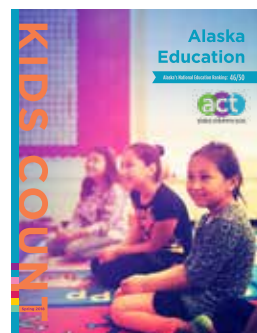
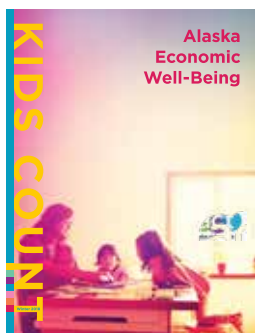
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33RD Rank out of 50 States

Economic Well-Being

	US 2017	AK 2010	AK 2016	AK 2017	
Of Alaska Children - 15% Children in Poverty	18%	13%	14%	15%	WORSE
Children Whose Parents Lack Secure Employment	27%	35%	35%	33%	BETTER
Children Living in a Household with a High Housing Cost Burden	31%	31%	28%	31%	WORSE
Teens Not in School and Not Working	7%	11%	11%	7%	BETTER

49TH Rank out of 50 States

Education

	US 2017	AK 2010	AK 2016	AK 2017	
Young Children (Ages 3 and 4) Not In School	52%	64%	64%	64%	SAME
Fourth-Graders Not Proficient in Reading	65%	73%	72%	72%	SAME
Eighth-Graders Not Proficient in Math	67%	67%	71%	71%	SAME
High School Students Not Graduating on Time	15%	32%	24%	22%	BETTER

50TH Rank out of 50 States

Health

	US 2017	AK 2010	AK 2016	AK 2017	
Low Birth-Weight Babies	8.3%	5.7%	5.9%	6.2%	WORSE
Children Without Health Insurance	5%	12%	10%	10%	SAME
Child and Teen Deaths per 100,000	26	43	44	52	WORSE
Teens Who Abuse Alcohol or Drugs	4%	NA	8%	7%	BETTER

21ST Rank out of 50 States

Family and Community

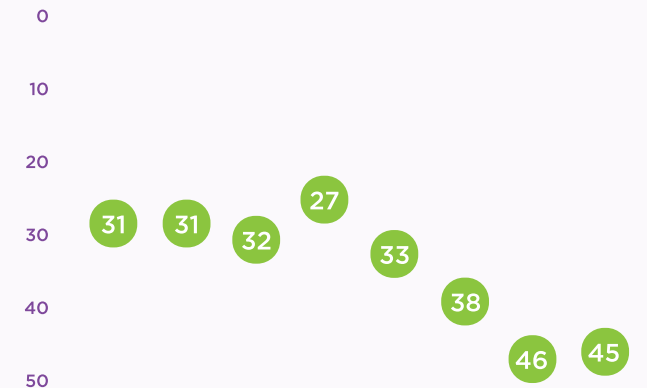
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Children in Single-Parent Families	34%	32%	33%	29%	BETTER
Children in Families Where the Household Head Lacks a High School Diploma	13%	10%	6%	10%	WORSE
Children Living in High-Poverty Areas	12%	1%	5%	6%	WORSE
Teen Births per 1,000	19	38	26	22	BETTER

Alaska children are falling behind.

If we support proven and effective solutions, Alaska can ensure a strong economy, safe communities and thriving families.

Kids Count National Ranking for Alaska

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