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2023 KIDS COUNT® DATA PROFILE

# NEW HAMPSHIRE



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## ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

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	UNITED STATES			NEW HAMPSHIRE		
<b>Children in poverty</b> US 12,243,000   NH 23,000	17% 2019	17% 2021	= SAME	7% 2019	9% 2021	↑ WORSE
<b>Children whose parents lack secure employment</b> US 21,143,000   NH 59,000	26% 2019	29% 2021	↑ WORSE	23% 2019	23% 2021	= SAME
<b>Children living in households with a high housing cost burden</b> US 21,857,000   NH 61,000	30% 2019	30% 2021	= SAME	24% 2019	24% 2021	= SAME
<b>Teens not in school and not working</b> US 1,234,000   NH 3,000	6% 2019	7% 2021	↑ WORSE	5% 2019	4% 2021	↓ BETTER

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## EDUCATION

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	UNITED STATES			NEW HAMPSHIRE		
<b>Young children (ages 3 and 4) not in school</b> US 4,380,000   NH 13,000	53% 2012-16	54% 2017-21	↑ WORSE	48% 2012-16	49% 2017-21	↑ WORSE
<b>Fourth-graders not proficient in reading</b> US N.A.   NH N.A.	66% 2019	68% 2022	↑ WORSE	62% 2019	63% 2022	↑ WORSE
<b>Eighth-graders not proficient in math</b> US N.A.   NH N.A.	67% 2019	74% 2022	↑ WORSE	62% 2019	71% 2022	↑ WORSE
<b>High school students not graduating on time*</b> US N.A.   NH N.A.	14% 2018-19	14% 2019-20	= SAME	12% 2018-19	12% 2019-20	= SAME

N.A.: Not available \*Graduation data may not be comparable across time due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Explore data on children and families at [datacenter.aecf.org](https://datacenter.aecf.org).

## HEALTH

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	UNITED STATES			NEW HAMPSHIRE		
<b>Low birth-weight babies</b> US 311,932   NH 878	8.3% 2019	8.5% 2021	↑ WORSE	6.4% 2019	7.0% 2021	↑ WORSE
<b>Children without health insurance</b> US 4,165,000   NH 11,000	6% 2019	5% 2021	↓ BETTER	4% 2019	4% 2021	= SAME
<b>Child and teen deaths per 100,000</b> US 23,198   NH 58	25 2019	30 2021	↑ WORSE	19 2019	21 2021	↑ WORSE
<b>Children and teens (ages 10 to 17) who are overweight or obese</b> US N.A.   NH N.A.	31% 2018-19	33% 2020-21	↑ WORSE	27% 2018-19	27% 2020-21	= SAME

## FAMILY AND COMMUNITY

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	UNITED STATES			NEW HAMPSHIRE		
<b>Children in single-parent families</b> US 23,626,000   NH 69,000	34% 2019	34% 2021	= SAME	28% 2019	28% 2021	= SAME
<b>Children in families where the household head lacks a high school diploma</b> US 8,269,000   NH 10,000	12% 2019	11% 2021	↓ BETTER	4% 2019	4% 2021	= SAME
<b>Children living in high-poverty areas</b> US 6,086,000   NH 2,000	13% 2012-16	8% 2017-21	↓ BETTER	2% 2012-16	1% 2017-21	↓ BETTER
<b>Teen births per 1,000</b> US 146,973   NH 225	17 2019	14 2021	↓ BETTER	7 2019	5 2021	↓ BETTER

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