

		KENTUCKY			CARTER COUNTY			
		BASELINE DATA	LATEST DATA	CHANGE SINCE BASELINE*	BASELINE DATA	LATEST DATA	CHANGE SINCE BASELINE*	RANKING**
ECONOMIC SECURITY	CHILDREN IN POVERTY (below 100% of the federal poverty level)	24.4% 2016	21.2% 2021	✓	31.6% 2016	29.6% 2021	✓	84 of 120
	CHILDREN IN LOW-INCOME FAMILIES (below 200% of the federal poverty level)	48% 2012-16	43% 2017-21	✓	57% 2012-16	55% 2017-21	✓	83 of 120
	CHILDREN LIVING IN FOOD INSECURE HOUSEHOLDS	17.9% 2019	15.2% 2021	✓	25.5% 2019	22.3% 2021	✓	104 of 120
	HIGH RENTAL COST BURDEN	47% 2012-16	44% 2017-21	✓	44% 2012-16	50% 2017-21	✗	91 of 117
EDUCATION	KINDERGARTENERS READY TO LEARN	51.4% SY 2017-18	46% SY 2022-23	✗	61.3% SY 2017-18	46% SY 2022-23	✗	79 of 170
	FOURTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN READING	46% SY 2021-22	48% SY 2022-23	✓	46% SY 2021-22	50% SY 2022-23	✓	55 of 170
	EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS PROFICIENT IN MATH	36% SY 2021-22	36% SY 2022-23	=	36% SY 2021-22	37% SY 2022-23	✓	65 of 163
	HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GRADUATING ON TIME	90.3% SY 2017-18	91.4% SY 2022-23	✓	99.3% SY 2017-18	98.6% SY 2022-23	✗	10 of 167

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HEALTH 	SMOKING DURING PREGNANCY	18.1% 2014-16	14.2% 2019-21		27.6% 2014-16	21.6% 2019-21	79 of 120
	LOW-BIRTHWEIGHT BABIES	8.8% 2014-16	8.8% 2019-21		7.7% 2014-16	8.7% 2019-21	57 of 120
	CHILDREN UNDER 19 WITH HEALTH INSURANCE	96.7% 2016	96.1% 2021		96.5% 2016	95.9% 2021	50 of 120
	TEEN BIRTHS (rate per 1,000 females ages 15-19)	31.7 2014-16	22.8 2019-21		53.2 2014-16	25.7 2019-21	51 of 120
FAMILY & COMMUNITY 	BIRTHS TO MOTHERS WITHOUT A HIGH SCHOOL DEGREE	14.3% 2014-16	12.7% 2019-21		15.3% 2014-16	10.2% 2019-21	31 of 120
	CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE (rate per 1,000 children ages 0-17)	43.7 2015-17	50.1 2020-22		55.6 2015-17	69.0 2020-22	94 of 120
	CHILDREN EXITING FOSTER CARE TO REUNIFICATION	36% 2015-17	32% 2020-22		42% 2015-17	28% 2020-22	80 of 110
	YOUTH INCARCERATED IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM (rate per 1,000 children ages 10-19)	20.5 2015-17	13.2 2020-22		18.7 2015-17	3.6 2020-22	13 of 109

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