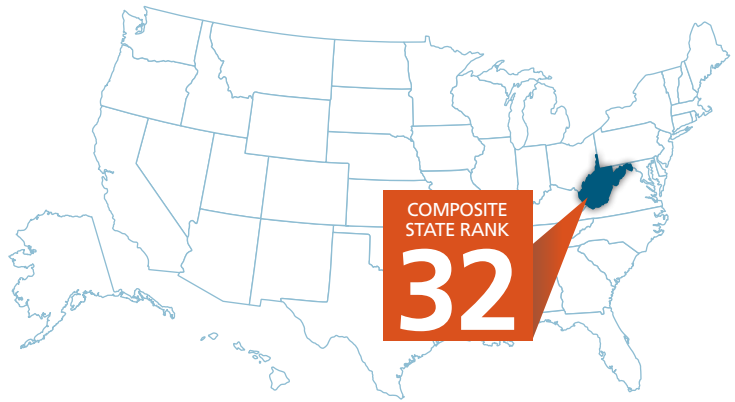


West Virginia



STATE RANKS: 1=Best, 50=Worst

Extent of Child Homelessness

RANK 42

Homeless Children

Year	Homeless Children
2010-11	12,988
2011-12	14,522
2012-13	16,208

Risk for Child Homelessness

RANK 26

Home Foreclosure Rank	4	Children in Poverty	24%	Children without health insurance	3.9%
Female-headed Household	5.7%	Birth rate per 1,000 teens	44.1		
State Minimum Wage	\$7.25/hr	Income needed for 2-BR apartment	\$12.35/hr	Households paying more than 50% of income for rent	17%

Child Well-Being

RANK 34

Health Problems of Children Below 100% Poverty

One or more chronic conditions	19%	Asthma	13%	ADD/ADHD	15%
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Child Food Security	5%	86%
	Households with very low food security	Eligible households participating in SNAP

Education Proficiency: Reading and Math

(NAEP 4th & 8th Grade/Children Eligible for School Lunch)

Grade	Reading	Math
4th Grade	24%	30%
8th Grade	18%	15%

State Policy and Planning

RANK 25

Housing Units for Homeless Families

Emergency Shelter	148	Transitional Housing	108	Permanent Supportive Housing	148
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State Housing Trust Fund: YES NO

State Planning Efforts	YES	Is there an active state Interagency Council on Homelessness (ICH)?
	NO	Is there a State plan that includes children and families?

The West Virginia Interagency Council on Homelessness is preparing a new state plan to end homelessness.

INADEQUATE | **EARLY** | MODERATE | EXTENSIVE

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