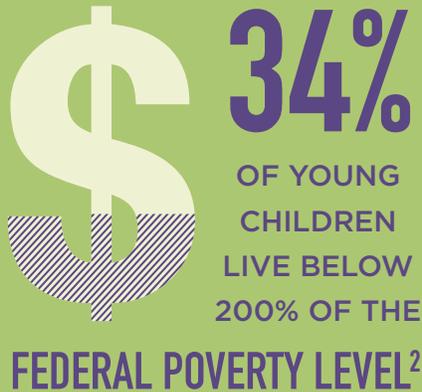


SNAPSHOTS OF HAWAII'S YOUNG CHILDREN (AGES 0-5)

THERE ARE ABOUT 105,000 CHILDREN AGES 5 & UNDER IN HAWAII¹

ECONOMIC SECURITY



- **33%** OF YOUNG CHILDREN LIVE IN A FAMILY HEADED BY A SINGLE PARENT³
- EACH YEAR OVER **7,600** FAMILIES EXPERIENCE THE BIRTH OF A FIRST CHILD⁴
 - **44%** OF THESE NEW PARENTS ARE UNMARRIED⁵
 - **7%** OF THESE NEW MOTHERS DO NOT HAVE A HIGH-SCHOOL DIPLOMA⁶

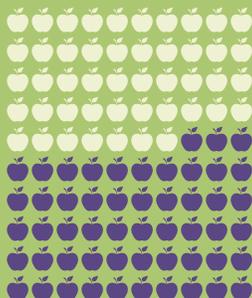
HEALTH & SAFETY



- **8%** OF BABIES ARE BORN AT LOW-BIRTH WEIGHT (LESS THAN 5.5 lbs.)⁸
- OVER **700** YOUNG CHILDREN ARE CONFIRMED ABUSED AND/OR NEGLECTED EACH YEAR, OF WHICH 46% ARE ONE YEAR OLD OR YOUNGER⁹
- **3%** OF YOUNG CHILDREN ARE WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE¹⁰
- **81%** OF CHILDREN AGES 19 TO 35 MONTHS HAVE AGE-APPROPRIATE IMMUNIZATIONS¹¹
- **5** INFANTS FOR EVERY **1,000** BORN DIE WITHOUT HAVING CELEBRATED THEIR FIRST BIRTHDAY¹²

EDUCATION

53% OF 4-YEAR-OLD



CHILDREN ATTEND NURSERY SCHOOL OR PRESCHOOL¹³

- OVER **2,000** YOUNG CHILDREN ARE IN LICENSED CHILD CARE¹⁴
- **8%** OF KINDERGARTEN CLASSES HAVE AT LEAST THREE-FOURTHS OF ALL ENTERING CHILDREN CONSISTENTLY DISPLAYING THE SKILLS & CHARACTERISTICS NECESSARY FOR SUCCESS IN SCHOOL LIFE¹⁵

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SNAPSHOTS OF HAWAII'S CHILDREN (AGES 6-11)

THERE ARE ABOUT 100,000 CHILDREN AGES 6 TO 11 IN HAWAII¹

ECONOMIC SECURITY



52% OF PUBLIC
ELEMENTARY-SCHOOL
STUDENTS RECEIVE FREE OR
REDUCED-COST LUNCHES²

- **40%** OF CHILDREN LIVE BELOW 200% OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL³
- **30%** OF CHILDREN LIVE IN A HOUSEHOLD HEADED BY A SINGLE PARENT⁴

HEALTH & SAFETY



7%
OF SIXTH GRADERS
REPORTED SKIPPING
SCHOOL IN THE PAST
30 DAYS BECAUSE THEY
FELT UNSAFE⁵

- **4%** OF CHILDREN ARE WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE⁶
- OVER **300** CHILDREN A YEAR ARE CONFIRMED ABUSED AND OR NEGLECTED⁷

EDUCATION



28%
OF PUBLIC
SCHOOL 4TH
GRADERS

**DO NOT MEET DOE
STANDARDS IN READING⁸**

- **36%** OF PUBLIC SCHOOL FOURTH GRADERS DO NOT MEET DOE STANDARDS IN MATH⁹
- **5%** OF PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE ABSENT ON AN AVERAGE DAY¹⁰

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SNAPSHOTS OF HAWAI'I'S TEENS (AGES 12-17)

THERE ARE ABOUT 99,000 TEENS AGES 12 TO 17 IN HAWAI'I¹

ECONOMIC SECURITY

31% OF TEENS LIVE IN



A FAMILY HEADED BY A SINGLE PARENT²

- **30%** OF TEENS LIVE BELOW 200% OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL³
- **44%** OF PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVE FREE OR REDUCED-COST LUNCHES⁴
- **11%** OF TEENS AGES 16-19 ARE NOT IN SCHOOL AND NOT WORKING⁵

HEALTH & SAFETY



AROUND **500** GIRLS A YEAR UNDER AGE 18 BECOME PREGNANT⁶

- **5%** OF TEENS ARE WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE⁷
- AROUND **350** TEENS A YEAR ARE CONFIRMED ABUSED AND OR NEGLECTED⁸
- **24** TEENS AGES 15-19 DIED FROM HOMICIDE, SUICIDE, OR ACCIDENT IN 2011⁹
- **29%** OF HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS HAVE HAD AT LEAST ONE DRINK OF ALCOHOL ON ONE OR MORE OF THE PAST 30 DAYS¹⁰

EDUCATION



62% OF HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS REPORTED THAT THEY DEFINITELY WILL COMPLETE A POST-HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM¹¹

- **28%** OF PUBLIC SCHOOL EIGHTH GRADERS DO NOT MEET DOE STANDARDS IN READING¹²
- **40%** OF PUBLIC SCHOOL EIGHTH GRADERS DO NOT MEET DOE STANDARDS IN MATH¹³
- **8%** OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE ABSENT ON AN AVERAGE DAY¹⁴
- **95%** OF PUBLIC SCHOOL SENIORS GRADUATE WITH A DIPLOMA¹⁵

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