

Child Poverty, Children Under Six, 2009 and 2010

	Number of Poor Children (2009)	Number of Poor Children (2010)	Change in the Number of Poor Children (2009–2010)	Percent of Poor Children (2010)	Percent Change in the Number of Poor Children (2009–2010)
Alabama	103,636	115,617	11,981	31.94%	11.56%
Alaska	9,872	11,248	1,376	17.80	13.94
Arizona	160,397	148,456	-11,941	27.50	-7.44
Arkansas	73,703	76,073	2,370	32.50	3.22
California	693,675	705,084	11,409	23.57	1.64
Colorado	90,480	85,282	-5,198	20.90	-5.74
Connecticut	36,064	37,962	1,898	15.85	5.26
Delaware	12,956	14,607	1,651	22.39	12.74
District of Columbia	11,032	10,280	-752	27.35	-6.82
Florida	328,013	336,149	8,136	26.49	2.48
Georgia	222,631	232,948	10,317	28.75	4.63
Hawaii	14,155	15,913	1,758	16.01	12.42
Idaho	31,125	34,606	3,481	23.89	11.18
Illinois	219,601	218,182	-1,419	22.12	-0.65
Indiana	127,231	130,691	3,460	25.29	2.72
Iowa	46,083	45,985	-98	19.36	-0.21
Kansas	51,664	53,598	1,934	22.03	3.74
Kentucky	99,597	103,486	3,889	31.64	3.90
Louisiana	108,405	119,318	10,913	32.09	10.07
Maine	16,672	18,111	1,439	22.02	8.63
Maryland	63,023	65,276	2,253	15.21	3.57
Massachusetts	66,354	74,625	8,271	17.03	12.46
Michigan	194,469	194,128	-341	27.59	-0.18
Minnesota	65,615	73,424	7,809	17.37	11.90
Mississippi	86,033	93,290	7,257	37.77	8.44
Missouri	116,805	117,645	840	25.99	0.72
Montana	20,048	17,475	-2,573	24.17	-12.83
Nebraska	27,480	34,153	6,673	22.20	24.28
Nevada	47,420	58,563	11,143	26.43	23.50
New Hampshire	11,224	11,360	136	13.76	1.21
New Jersey	102,075	108,513	6,438	16.83	6.31
New Mexico	48,668	55,922	7,254	32.91	14.91
New York	318,857	321,805	2,948	23.69	0.92
North Carolina	202,213	216,604	14,391	28.82	7.12
North Dakota	7,713	11,386	3,673	20.52	47.62
Ohio	228,127	240,242	12,115	28.22	5.31
Oklahoma	76,772	87,412	10,640	28.35	13.86
Oregon	62,187	68,323	6,136	24.73	9.87
Pennsylvania	175,359	188,340	12,981	21.83	7.40
Rhode Island	11,528	15,412	3,884	22.67	33.69
South Carolina	105,362	112,739	7,377	31.92	7.00
South Dakota	14,264	14,419	155	21.44	1.09
Tennessee	141,081	141,683	602	29.40	0.43
Texas	668,976	655,415	-13,561	28.70	-2.03
Utah	40,617	52,161	11,544	16.69	28.42
Vermont	6,987	8,761	1,774	23.51	25.39
Virginia	98,637	105,874	7,237	17.54	7.34
Washington	93,333	109,298	15,965	21.11	17.11
West Virginia	33,408	35,796	2,388	30.16	7.15
Wisconsin	82,627	96,044	13,417	22.77	16.24
Wyoming	6,143	9,245	3,102	18.51	50.50
United States	5,680,397	5,908,929	228,532	24.78	4.02

Source: U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, 2010 American Community Survey, Table B17001. Calculations by Children's Defense Fund.