

## GOAL: NURTURING AND RESPONSIVE CHILD-PARENT RELATIONSHIPS



### Prenatal-to-3 Outcomes and Rankings to Identify Gaps in Nurturing and Responsive Child-Parent Relationships by State

State	% Not Read to Daily	Rank	% Not Nurtured Daily	Rank	% Parents Not Coping Very Well	Rank
Alabama	69.6%	46	47.8%	45	27.3%	17
Alaska	51.3%	6	27.7%	1	25.7%	12
Arizona	60.5%	27	46.6%	43	32.0%	40
Arkansas	70.3%	47	43.7%	34	31.9%	38
California	69.0%	45	43.6%	33	32.1%	41
Colorado	55.4%	12	44.1%	35	31.0%	31
Connecticut	46.7%	2	28.3%	3	33.1%	43
Delaware	54.9%	11	33.4%	4	27.3%	17
District of Columbia	49.6%	3	34.1%	6	33.0%	42
Florida	63.3%	34	36.8%	12	20.8%	3
Georgia	72.9%	51	49.7%	49	22.9%	7
Hawaii	66.2%	40	44.6%	37	37.5%	50
Idaho	67.2%	41	43.1%	30	35.5%	46
Illinois	62.0%	32	48.7%	47	31.8%	36
Indiana	60.2%	25	44.6%	37	31.7%	35
Iowa	53.6%	9	42.5%	27	24.6%	9
Kansas	58.9%	24	42.2%	26	30.4%	28
Kentucky	61.7%	30	36.0%	9	28.1%	20
Louisiana	68.2%	43	46.3%	42	25.4%	10
Maine	49.6%	3	37.3%	15	29.9%	26
Maryland	62.1%	33	44.7%	39	30.7%	29
Massachusetts	58.4%	21	40.3%	22	31.6%	34
Michigan	58.1%	20	40.4%	23	29.9%	26
Minnesota	53.5%	8	36.6%	11	26.6%	15
Mississippi	71.1%	48	51.8%	50	23.3%	8

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State	% Not Read to Daily	Rank	% Not Nurtured Daily	Rank	% Parents Not Coping Very Well	Rank
Missouri	57.4%	16	36.8%	12	29.0%	22
Montana	52.3%	7	39.7%	21	36.1%	48
Nebraska	65.3%	39	44.1%	35	22.4%	6
Nevada	68.9%	44	37.9%	16	26.8%	16
New Hampshire	58.0%	19	35.8%	8	35.8%	47
New Jersey	55.7%	13	33.6%	5	31.9%	38
New Mexico	60.4%	26	43.4%	31	30.8%	30
New York	61.7%	30	42.9%	29	33.3%	44
North Carolina	55.8%	14	37.2%	14	29.4%	24
North Dakota	68.0%	42	48.9%	48	25.9%	13
Ohio	58.4%	21	36.2%	10	33.4%	45
Oklahoma	61.3%	29	46.2%	41	27.4%	19
Oregon	58.4%	21	35.1%	7	36.3%	49
Pennsylvania	53.9%	10	38.6%	19	29.1%	23
Rhode Island	51.1%	5	38.9%	20	18.7%	2
South Carolina	63.9%	35	45.7%	40	31.2%	32
South Dakota	65.0%	37	47.3%	44	22.2%	5
Tennessee	61.0%	28	40.5%	24	26.1%	14
Texas	71.1%	48	52.4%	51	25.4%	10
Utah	71.4%	50	42.7%	28	44.0%	51
Vermont	42.2%	1	28.1%	2	29.7%	25
Virginia	63.9%	35	38.5%	17	31.8%	36
Washington	57.9%	18	40.9%	25	31.5%	33
West Virginia	65.2%	38	38.5%	17	17.8%	1
Wisconsin	56.6%	15	43.4%	31	21.6%	4
Wyoming	57.5%	17	47.8%	45	28.2%	21
<b>National</b>	<b>62.8%</b>		<b>42.7%</b>		<b>29.3%</b>	

Source: National Survey of Children's Health, 2016–2018 combined estimates.

Note: For additional information, please refer to the Methods and Sources section of [pn3policy.org](http://pn3policy.org).