

POVERTY SCORECARD 2012
RATING MEMBERS OF CONGRESS



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LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

March 2013

Dear Friends:

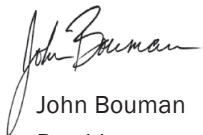
This month a grid-locked Congress allowed the “Sequester” to go into effect, launching cuts that damage the cause of justice and opportunity for people living in poverty. This is but the most recent example of the failure of Congress to address poverty. Unfortunately 2012 was filled with many more examples, as our 2012 Poverty Scorecard reveals.

The Shriver Center’s 2012 Poverty Scorecard is a comprehensive analysis of the 2012 voting record of every U.S. Senator and Representative on poverty issues. By examining poverty-related votes across a wide range of subject matters, the 2012 Poverty Scorecard demonstrates why each of these subject matters should be understood as important to the fight against poverty. The 2012 Poverty Scorecard thus provides a fair measure of our elected representatives’ commitments to achieving justice and opportunity for people living in poverty. It is designed to serve as a tool to hold our elected officials accountable for ensuring that all Americans have access to justice and opportunity.

Since we began publishing the Poverty Scorecard in 2007, poverty has increased by 9 million people from 37 million to 46 million, now involving a staggering 1 in 7 of all Americans. For certain major subgroups, the poverty rate is much higher—22 percent of children, 27 percent of Blacks, 27 percent of Hispanics and 31 percent of families headed by a single mother. During this time, Congress has become increasingly divided in the way it votes on poverty issues, resulting in the passage of very little helpful legislation for people living in poverty. The year 2012 exemplified the continued unwillingness of Congress to put the needs of struggling Americans ahead of partisan politics.

Occasionally, though, we do see examples of how Congress can advance justice and opportunity when they act together. The recent reauthorization of the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), which significantly strengthens the ability of the federal government, the states, law enforcement, and service providers to combat domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, is an excellent example of the power of laws and policies to improve justice and opportunity for a large segment of people in poverty. We hope you will spend some time reviewing our 2012 Poverty Scorecard to see how your elected representatives voted and that you will join the Shriver Center in letting them know that you want them to do more to advance laws and policies that secure justice and opportunity for all, especially those most in need.

Sincerely,



John Bouman
President

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

For the second consecutive year, Congress has done virtually nothing to advance justice or opportunity for the 46 million people—15 percent of all Americans—who are living in poverty in the United States. The most significant poverty-related legislation that Congress voted on in 2012 spanned a range of subject matters, including budget and tax, food and nutrition, health care, immigrants, cash assistance, community and economic development, domestic violence, energy conservation, gender discrimination, housing, legal services, unemployment compensation, veterans and workforce. Yet, the only two pieces of legislation of benefit to people living in poverty that Congress passed in 2012 were compromise measures that had to be resolved to avert fiscal disaster. These bills were:

- H.R. 3630, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation act, which extended tax cuts and unemployment benefits for one year.
- H.R. 8, the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012, the ‘fiscal cliff’ legislation which averted scheduled income tax rate increases and postponed the spending reductions required by the sequestration process. It also made certain tax cuts permanent, extended the improvements to the low-income tax credits for five years, and extended unemployment insurance benefits.

Both of these pieces of legislation were signed into law by President Obama in 2012.

The House of Representatives

With the exception of the two bills described above, almost every other significant poverty-related legislative proposal that the House of Representatives voted on in 2012 would have worsened poverty or reduced access to justice if it had been enacted. The House of Representatives voted on whether or not to eliminate and/or reduce funding for several programs that are critical to people living in poverty:

- In the health care area, there were votes on the repeal of two key provisions of the Affordable Care Act (ACA), the Prevention and Public Health Fund and the Community Living Assistance Services and Supports Program, as well as a vote to repeal the ACA in its entirety.
- There were votes on the elimination of all economic development assistance programs for low-income people and the Community Development Block Grant program that provides capital funding for public works projects in low-income communities.
- Proposed funding cuts for legal services and subsidized housing were also up for vote, as

were proposals to prevent the U.S. Government from enforcing laws that protect the civil rights of immigrants.

The Senate

In the Senate, many of the votes on poverty-related legislation were defensive measures to preserve existing protections rather than votes for initiatives designed to make conditions better for people living in poverty.

In two separate votes, a minority of Senators employed legislative tactics to prevent votes for initiatives targeted to help many low-income Americans, including:

- Veterans job corps and employment programs
- Women’s right to equal pay for equal work

A proposed amendment to the Farm Bill to convert the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) into state block grants, which would have prevented the program from responding to increased hunger during a recession, was tabled.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Ryan Budget

Both the House of Representatives and the Senate voted once again on Representative Paul Ryan's budget proposal, which would have significantly reduced funding for a plethora of anti-poverty programs including:

- Pell Grants for higher education
- Employment and training programs
- The WIC nutrition program for pregnant women and young children
- Mental health and substance abuse programs

The proposed Ryan budget would have also dismantled the Medicare program and undermined the structure and effectiveness of Medicaid and SNAP, both important safety net programs for millions of Americans. The budget proposal, in the form of a concurrent resolution, passed the House but was rejected by the Senate.

Congress

On balance, the Senate generally prevented the House of Representatives from doing too much harm to programs affecting people living in poverty in 2012, but very little was accomplished to reduce poverty or advance justice. Partisan politics played a key role in the lack of progress on legislation which would advance justice and opportunity for people living in poverty, with Republicans and Democrats remaining deeply divided on the issues and few moderates in Congress.

KEY FINDINGS

- In 2012, Congress did virtually nothing to advance justice or opportunity for the 46 million people living in poverty in the U.S.
- While the significant poverty-related legislation voted on by Congress in 2012 spanned a wide range of subject areas, Congress passed only two pieces of significant poverty-related legislation, both of which were compromise measures related to extending tax cuts and credits and averting fiscal disaster.
- There were very few moderates in Congress in 2012. 95% of the Senators and 92% of the Representatives were at one extreme or the other, receiving a grade of A+ or A or D, F or F-. Only 5 Senators and 32 Representatives received a B or C grade.
- States with a lower poverty rate were more likely to have a Congressional delegation with a good recording in voting to fight poverty. 9 of the 10 states with A or A+ records had poverty rates below the national average of 15%.
- States with a higher poverty rate were more likely to have a Congressional delegation with a poor record in voting to fight poverty. 14 of the 20 states with D, F or F- records had poverty rates that were higher than the national average of 15%.
- There is at most only a very weak correlation between the poverty rate in a Congressional District and the voting record of the Member of the House of Representatives who represents that district.

METHODOLOGY

In consultation with national anti-poverty experts in twenty different fields, we selected the most significant votes on poverty issues in the U.S. Senate and House of Representatives in calendar year 2012. The votes we selected cover a wide range of subject areas, including budget and tax, food and nutrition, health care, immigrants, cash assistance, community and economic development, domestic violence, energy conservation, gender discrimination, housing, legal services, unemployment compensation, veterans and workforce.

Each member of the House is scored based on 17 selected votes and each member of the Senate is scored based on 11 selected votes. If a member did not cast a “yes” or “no” vote on a particular measure (for example, if the member was absent), that vote was not considered in determining the member’s score. Each vote is given equal weight. We did not score members

who did not vote enough times for the score to be a fair assessment of their performance.

We ranked 424 of 435 members of the House of Representatives, each of whom voted on at least 12 of the 17 votes we selected. We ranked 99 of 100 senators, each of whom voted on at least 10 of the 11 votes we selected.

Where multiple votes were taken on the same legislation, we used the vote that was the most significant in the disposition of the legislation, e.g., final passage, adoption of an amendment, a motion to invoke cloture, another procedural motion, etc.

We used the same grading scale to assign a grade to each state delegation based on the average score of the state’s Senators and Representatives.

Our grading scale is:

100	A+
81-99	A
61-80	B
41-60	C
21-40	D
11-20	F
0-10	F-

SENATE VOTE SUMMARIES

1. S.22. Agreeing to the Conference Report to Accompany H.R. 3630, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act. This vote extended, for one year, the 2 percent payroll tax cut and up to 99 weeks of unemployment insurance benefits. This legislation passed the Senate by a vote of 60-36, passed the House by a vote of 293-132, and was signed into law by President Obama on February 22, 2012.

2. S. 31. S. Amdt. 1738 to S. 1813. This amendment to the bill reauthorizing Federal aid for highways would have reduced Federal funding for workforce and other programs important to low-income people by over \$10 billion. This amendment was rejected in the Senate by a vote of 52-46.

3. S. 87. Passage of S.1925, reauthorizing the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). VAWA seeks to end violence against women and improve services, protection, housing and economic security for victims of domestic violence. This bill passed the Senate by a vote of 68-31. The House subsequently passed its own version of this law, H.R. 258, which omitted certain key provisions of the Senate bill. Thus, VAWA has not been reauthorized.

4. S. 98. Motion to Proceed to Consider House Concurrent Resolution 112. Popularly known as the Ryan budget, this concurrent resolution set forth the budget of the United States Govern-

ment for FY 2013 and established budgetary levels for fiscal years 2014 through 2022. The Ryan budget proposed to make devastating cuts to programs that primarily serve low-income Americans, including Medicaid, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, formerly Food Stamps), Pell Grants, housing, education, training and social services programs. The proposed budget also would have dismantled the Medicare program. And, it would have repealed the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare), leaving 34 million individuals without health insurance coverage. This concurrent resolution passed the House by a vote of 228-191 but was rejected by the Senate by a vote of 58-41.

5. S. 112. S. Amdt. 2153 to S. 2343. This amendment sought to repeal Section 4002 of the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare), thereby eliminating funding for the Prevention and Public Health Fund. This fund provides expanded support for the prevention of diabetes, breast cancer and obesity, as well as immunization programs, preventive care and health screenings for infants, children and adolescents. This legislation passed the House by a vote of 215-195 but was rejected by the Senate by a vote of 62-34.

6. S. 115. Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to Consider S. 3220, the Paycheck Fairness Act. This bill would have required employers to demonstrate that any salary differences between men and women

doing the same work are not gender-related. This measure also prohibited employers from discriminating or retaliating against employees who share salary information with co-workers. This would have helped to eliminate pay disparities, strengthened the Equal Pay Act, and provided women with more tools to fight discrimination in the workplace. This motion was rejected by the Senate by a vote of 52-47 (3/5 majority required).

7. S. 120. Motion to Table S. Amdt. 2392 to S. 3240. This amendment to the Farm Bill would have fundamentally altered the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, formerly Food Stamps). It would have converted the program from a 100 percent federally funded entitlement into a state block grant. Under a block grant, each state would receive a fixed sum of money, preventing the program from responding to increased hunger during a recession. The Senate motion to table this amendment was agreed to by a vote of 65-33.

8. S. 127. S. Amdt. 2174 to S. 3240. This amendment to the Farm Bill sought to limit categorical eligibility for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP, formerly Food Stamps) to persons who receive cash assistance, requiring all others to satisfy an asset test. Asset tests force households to spend all of their available resources and become impoverished before they can qualify

SENATE VOTE SUMMARIES

for SNAP benefits. This amendment would have caused millions of low-income individuals to be cut off SNAP benefits. This amendment was rejected in the Senate by a vote of 56-43.

9. S. 184. Passage of S. 3412. This bill would have extended, for one year, the Bush tax cuts for individuals making less than \$200,000 and married couples making less than \$250,000. It also would have extended the improvements to the low-income child and earned income tax credits. This bill passed the Senate by a vote of 51-48.

10. S. 193. Motion to Waive Budgetary Discipline on S. Amdt. 2789 to S. 3457. Passage of this motion was necessary to proceed to final consideration of the Veterans Jobs Corps Act, which would have created a veterans jobs corps and provided a veterans hiring preference in areas such as conservation, firefighting, and law enforcement. This initiative would have helped the nearly one million veterans who are now unemployed. This Senate motion was rejected by a vote of 58-40 (3/5 majority required).

11. S. 251. Passage of H.R. 8, as Amended. The American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012, the “fiscal cliff” legislation, averted the scheduled income tax rate increases on all Americans and postponed the spending reductions required by the sequestration process. It made permanent the Bush cuts for individuals making less than \$400,000 and married couples making less

than \$450,000, and extended the improvements to the low-income tax credits for five years. It also continued federal funding for extended unemployment insurance benefits for one year. The Senate passed this bill, as amended, by a vote of 89-8. The House agreed to the Senate amendments by a vote of 257-167 and President Obama signed this legislation into law on January 2, 2013.

HOUSE VOTE SUMMARIES

1. H. 18. Passage of H.R. 1173. This bill would have repealed the Community Living Assistance Services and Supports Act (CLASS). CLASS provides people with functional limitations with the assistance they need to allow them to maintain their personal and financial independence and continue living in the community. This bill passed the House by a vote of 267-159.

2. H. 72. Agreeing to the Conference Report on H.R. 3630, the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act. This vote extended, for one year, the 2 percent payroll tax cut and up to 99 weeks of unemployment insurance benefits. This legislation passed the Senate by a vote of 60-36, passed the House by a vote of 293-132, and was signed into law by President Obama on February 22, 2012.

3. H. 151. Agreeing to H. Con Res. 112. Popularly known as the Ryan budget, this concurrent resolution set forth the budget of the United States Government for FY 2013 and established budgetary levels for fiscal years 2014 through 2022. The Ryan budget proposed to make devastating cuts to programs that primarily serve low-income Americans, including Medicaid, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly Food Stamps), Pell Grants, housing, education, training and social services programs. The proposed budget also would have dismantled the Medicare program. And, it would have repealed the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare), leaving 34 million individuals without health insurance coverage. This concurrent resolution passed the House by a vote

of 228-191 but was rejected by the Senate by a vote of 58-41.

4. H. 195. Passage of H.R. 4628. This bill sought to repeal Section 4002 of the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare), thereby eliminating funding for the Prevention and Public Health Fund. This fund provides expanded support for the prevention of diabetes, breast cancer, obesity, as well as immunization programs, preventive care and health screenings for infants, children and adolescents. This legislation passed the House by a vote of 215-195 but was rejected by the Senate by a vote of 62-34.

5. H. 207. H. Amdt. 1039 to H.R. 5326. This amendment would have eliminated the economic development assistance programs in the Department of Commerce. These programs provide economic assistance to economically distressed communities to stimulate industrial and community growth and create jobs. This amendment failed in the House by a vote of 279-129.

6. H. 219. H. Amdt. 1060 to H. R. 5326. This amendment would have reduced funding for the Legal Services Corporation by \$328 million. Had this cut in funding been made, tens of thousands of low-income Americans would have been denied assistance with civil legal matters. This amendment failed in the House by a vote of 289-122.

7. H. 220. H. Amdt. 1063 to H. R. 5326. This amendment sought to prohibit the U. S. Attorney General from participating in any legal challenge to

immigration enforcement laws in seven states, thus preventing him or her from exercising the exclusive authority of the federal government over immigration laws and enforcement. The Attorney General would no longer be permitted to protect low-income immigrants against violations of their civil rights, including their right to a free education in the public schools and their right not to be discriminated against based on their race or sex. This amendment passed the House by a vote of 238-173.

8. H. 247. Passage of H. R. 5652, the Sequester Replacement Reconciliation Act of 2012. This bill sought to replace the sequester agreed upon as part of the Budget Control Act of 2011 that resolved the debt ceiling crisis. It consisted of a package of harsh cuts to domestic, non-defense programs that serve low-income Americans, including Medicaid, SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, formerly Food Stamps), and employment and training programs. This bill passed the House by a vote of 218-199.

9. H. 249. Passage of H.R. 5326, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, Science and related agencies for FY2013. This appropriations measure would have reduced funding by three percent for several programs important to low-income people, including economic development programs, the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, and the Legal Services Corporation. This legislation passed the House by a vote of 247-163.

HOUSE VOTE SUMMARIES

10. H.258. Passage of H.R. 4970, reauthorizing the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA). This bill differed from the earlier-passed Senate version of VAWA reauthorization by markedly decreasing funding for legal assistance for victims and other previously funded services. It also provided less protection to victims who are gay or undocumented immigrants. This bill passed the House by a vote of 222-205. The Senate and House versions of VAWA reauthorization were never reconciled.

11. H.313. H. Amdt. 1179 to H.R. 5325. This amendment sought to increase funding for the Weatherization Assistance Program and the State Energy Program by over \$180 million. Weatherization is the largest residential efficiency program in the United States. It reduces energy costs for low-income families and the elderly and disabled by lowering their energy demand while creating low-skilled jobs. This amendment failed in the House by a vote of 148-236.

12. H. 362. H. Amdt. 1265 to H.R. 5855. This amendment would have prohibited enforcement of Executive Order 13166, which directs Federal agencies to provide foreign language services to anyone who may seek to engage with the U.S. government. Under this measure, translating or interpreting language services could not be provided to the elderly, disabled and other people with limited English proficiency. This would have a significant adverse effect on many low-income individuals, including U.S. citizens and legal immigrants who are unable to speak English well. This amendment

passed the House by a vote of 224-189.

13. H. 430. H. Amdt. 1339 to H.R. 5972. This amendment sought to reduce funding for the Public Housing Operating Fund by \$562 million. This fund provides local housing authorities with the resources needed to maintain health, safety and sanitation for their residents. This amendment failed to pass the House by a vote of 160-264.

14. H.434. H. Amdt. 1342 to H.R. 5972. This amendment sought to eliminate funding for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program. The CDBG program funds state and local governments to address infrastructure, affordable housing, and economic development needs in low-income communities. This amendment failed to pass the House by a vote of 80-342.

15. H. 460. Passage of H.R. 6079. This bill would repeal, in its entirety, the Affordable Care Act (ACA), popularly known as Obamacare. This vote took place shortly after the U.S. Supreme Court uphold the ACA's constitutionality. Repealing Obamacare would undo numerous provisions that already have been fully implemented, prevent millions of low-income people from obtaining affordable health insurance coverage, deny coverage to people with pre-existing medical conditions, end extended insurance coverage for young adult dependent children, and cause seniors to lose expanded prescription drug coverage. This bill passed the House by a vote of 244-185.

16. H. 589. Passage of H.J. Res. 118. This legislative measure provided for Congressional disapproval of a newly issued federal rule relating to the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) cash assistance program. The federal agency that administers the TANF program had adopted the Rule so that it could use its waiver authority to allow States to test various strategies to improve employment outcomes for welfare recipients. Proponents of the joint resolution mistakenly asserted that the Rule would undermine welfare reform's work requirement by allowing States to ignore current requirements that welfare recipients work in order to receive welfare benefits. This joint resolution passed the House by a vote of 250-164.

17. H. 659. Motion to Concur in Senate Amendments to H.R. 8. The American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012, the "fiscal cliff" legislation, averted the scheduled income tax rate increases on all Americans and postponed the spending reductions required by the sequestration process. It made permanent the Bush cuts for individuals making less than \$400,000 and married couples making less than \$450,000, and extended the improvements to the low-income tax credits for five years. It also continued federal funding for extended unemployment insurance benefits for one year. The Senate passed this bill, as amended, by a vote of 89-8. The House agreed to the Senate amendments by a vote of 257-167 and President Obama signed this legislation into law on January 2, 2013.

GOVERNOR ROBERT BENTLEY

Number of People Living in Poverty: **892,483**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **5TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Alabama Arise
 VOICES for Alabama's Children
 Alabama Applesseed Center for Law and Justice

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Shelby, Richard	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	19%
Sessions, Jeff	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	19%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE	
Bonner, Jo	1	R	○	○	○	○	—	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	—	○	○	20%	F	18.63%
Roby, Martha	2	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	24%	D	20.72%
Rogers, Mike	3	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	24%	D	21.76%
Aderholt, Robert	4	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	24%	D	19.15%
Brooks, Mo	5	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.40%
Bachus, Spencer	6	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	18%	F	10.82%
Sewell, Terri A.	7	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	29.27%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

1. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
2. S. Amdt. 1738 to S. 1813, Cutting Federal Workforce and Other Programs
3. S. 1925, Reauthorizing Violence Against Women Act
4. H. Con. Res. 112, FY 2013 (Ryan) Budget
5. S. Amdt. 2153 to S. 2343, Repealing Prevention and Public Health Fund
6. S. 3220, Payroll Fairness Act
7. Motion to Table S. Amdt. 2392 to S. 3240, Block Granting SNAP (Food Stamps)
8. S. Amdt. 2174 to S. 3240, Limiting Categorical Eligibility for SNAP (Food Stamps)
9. S. 3412, Extending Bush and Low-Income Tax Cuts
10. S. Amdt. 2789 to S. 3457, Establishing Veterans' Job Corps
11. H.R. 8, Fiscal Cliff Legislation

HOUSE VOTES

1. H.R. 1173, Repealing Community Living Assistance Services and Supports Act
2. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
3. H. Con. Res. 112, FY 2013 (Ryan) Budget
4. H.R. 4628, Repealing Prevention and Public Health Fund
5. H. Amdt. 1039 to H.R. 5326, Eliminating Economic Development Assistance Programs
6. H. Amdt. 1060 to H.R. 5326, Reducing Funding for Legal Services Corp.
7. H. Amdt. 1063 to H.R. 5326, Prohibiting U.S. Government from Seeking to Invalidate State Immigration Enforcement Laws
8. H.R. 5652, Sequester Replacement Act
9. H.R. 5326, Commerce, Justice and Science FY13 Appropriations Act

10. H.R. 4970, Reauthorizing Violence Against Women Act
11. H. Amdt. 1179 to H.R. 5325, Increasing Funding for the Weatherization Assistance Program
12. H. Amdt. 1265 to H.R. 5855, Prohibiting Funding of Language Services
13. H. Amdt. 1339 to H.R. 5972, Reducing Funding for the Public Housing Operating Fund
14. H. Amdt. 1342 to H.R. 5972, Eliminating the Community Development Block Grant Program
15. H.R. 6079, Repealing the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare)
16. H. J. Res. 118, Invalidating Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program Waiver Provision
17. H.R. 8, Fiscal Cliff Legislation

GOVERNOR SEAN PARNELL

Number of People Living in Poverty: **73,905**
 Poverty Rate: **11%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **45TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Alaska Common Ground
 Children's Action Alliance
 Protecting Arizona's Family Coalition

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Begich, Mark	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	11%
Murkowski, Lisa	R	●	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	●	45%	C	11%

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Young, Don	AL	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	10.46%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.2 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **6TH**

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Kyl, John	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	19%
McCain, John	R	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	19%

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Gosar, Paul A.	1	R	○	—	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13%	F	23.85%
Franks, Trent	2	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	14.07%
Quayle, Benjamin	3	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.36%
Pastor, Ed	4	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	33.03%
Schweikert, David	5	R	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	13.75%
Flake, Jeff	6	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	18%	F	13.21%
Grijalva, Raul	7	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	27.48%
Barber, Ron	8	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	13.90%

● VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
 ○ VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
 — DID NOT VOTE

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GOVERNOR MIKE BEEBE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **555,876**
 Poverty Rate: **20%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **3RD**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families
 Arkansas Public Policy Panel
 Southern Good Faith Fund

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Boozman, John	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	18%	F	20%
Pryor, Mark	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20%

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Crawford, Rick	1	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	21.76%
Griffin, Tim	2	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	○	○	○	25%	D	16.16%
Womack, Steve	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	18.68%
Ross, Mike	4	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	—	●	75%	B	21.95%

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GOVERNOR JERRY BROWN

Number of People Living in Poverty: **6.12 mil**
 Poverty Rate: 17%
 Poverty State Ranking: **16TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

California Budget Project
 Western Center on Law and Poverty
 California Partnership

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Boxer, Barbara	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17%
Feinstein, Dianne	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17%

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Thompson, Mike	1	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	19.72%
Herger, Wally	2	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	13%	F	19.57%
Lungren, Daniel E	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	11.89%
McClintock, Tom	4	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	24%	D	11.27%
Matsui, Doris O.	5	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	23.68%
Woolsey, Lynn C.	6	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	94%	A	11.77%
Miller, George	7	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	16.16%
Pelosi, Nancy	8	D	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14.56%
Lee, Barbara	9	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	18.60%
Garamendi, John	10	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	94%	A	10.33%
McNerney, Jerry	11	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	94%	A	10.73%
Speier, Jackie	12	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	100%	A+	7.28%
Stark, Fortney Pete	13	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	100%	A+	10.04%
Eshoo, Anna G.	14	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	8.38%
Honda, Mike	15	D	●	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	10.01%
Lofgren, Zoe	16	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	12.91%
Farr, Sam	17	D	●	○	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	16.84%
Cardoza, Dennis A	18	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	28.14%
Denham, Jeff	19	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	19%	F	20.76%
Costa, Jim	20	D	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	○	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	93%	A	33.32%

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THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Nunes, Devin	21	R	○	●	○	—	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	19%	F	22.86%
McCarthy, Kevin	22	R	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	35%	D	17.97%
Capps, Lois	23	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	16.98%
Gallegly, Elton	24	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	—	○	—	○	●	●	○	—	●	29%	D	9.38%
McKeon, Buck	25	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	●	○	○	●	31%	D	17.31%
Dreier, David	26	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	8.72%
Sherman, Brad	27	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.55%
Berman, Howard L.	28	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	93%	A	22.17%
Schiff, Adam	29	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	12.90%
Waxman, Henry	30	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	11.09%
Becerra, Xavier	31	D	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	94%	A	29.64%
Chu, Judy	32	D	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.71%
Bass, Karen	33	D	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	22.86%
Roybal-Allard, Lucille	34	D	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	26.93%
Waters, Maxine	35	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	28.11%
Hahn, Janice	36	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.51%
Richardson, Laura	37	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	23.30%
Napolitano, Grace	38	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15.71%
Sanchez, Linda	39	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.28%
Royce, Ed	40	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	12%	F	13.45%
Lewis, Jerry	41	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	—	—	—	—	○	○	—	25%	D	18.12%
Miller, Gary	42	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	●	○	○	●	25%	D	7.59%
Baca, Joe	43	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	24.15%
Calvert, Ken	44	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	●	○	○	●	38%	D	14.31%
Bono Mack, Mary	45	R	○	—	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	38%	D	17.27%
Rohrabacher, Dana	46	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	10.52%

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Sanchez, Loretta	47	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	21.81%
Campbell, John	48	R	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	9.29%
Issa, Darrell	49	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.67%
Bilbray, Brian P.	50	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	12.48%
Filner, Bob	51	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	17.43%
Hunter, Duncan D.	52	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	11.52%
Davis, Susan	53	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	22.59%

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **674,195**
 Poverty Rate: **14%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **28TH**

Colorado Center on Law and Policy
 Colorado's Children Campaign

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Bennet, Michael	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	91%	A	14%
Udall, Mark	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14%

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DeGette, Diana	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	18.36%
Polis, Jared	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.05%
Tipton, Scott	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	24%	D	14.87%
Gardner, Cory	4	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.04%
Lamborn, Doug	5	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	12.87%
Coffman, Mike	6	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	—	19%	F	6.34%
Perlmutter, Ed	7	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	82%	A	15.25%

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GOVERNOR DAN MALLOY

Number of People Living in Poverty: **377,856**
 Poverty Rate: **11%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **46TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Connecticut Association for Human Services
 Connecticut Commission on Children
 Connecticut Association for Community Action
 Connecticut Voices for Children

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Lieberman, Joseph	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	91%	A	11%
Blumenthal, Richard	D	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	11%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Larson, John B.	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12.74%
Courtney, Joe	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	8.23%
DeLauro, Rosa L.	3	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	94%	A	11.73%
Himes, Jim	4	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	9.72%
Murphy, Christopher S.	5	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	11.98%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

1. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
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GOVERNOR JACK MARKELL

Number of People Living in Poverty: **104,831**
 Poverty Rate: **12%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **38TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Kids Count in Delaware

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Carper, Tom	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	91%	A	12%
Coons, Chris	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Carney, John	AL	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	11.88%

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **3.17 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **17%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **17TH**

Florida Legal Services

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Rubio, Marco	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	9%	F-	17%
Nelson, Bill	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Miller, Jeff	1	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	6%	F-	16.19%
Southerland, Steve	2	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	24%	D	19.52%
Brown, Corrine	3	D	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	28.72%
Crenshaw, Ander	4	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	12.84%
Nugent, Richard	5	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.19%
Stearns, Cliff	6	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	16.39%
Mica, John	7	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.15%
Webster, Daniel	8	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	24%	D	17.01%
Bilirakis, Gus M.	9	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	●	●	○	○	○	25%	D	14.76%
Young, C.W. Bill	10	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	●	○	○	18%	F	12.79%
Castor, Kathy	11	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	24.67%
Ross, Dennis A.	12	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	6%	F-	18.29%
Buchanan, Vern	13	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	29%	D	14.21%
Mack, Connie	14	R	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	13.99%
Posey, Bill	15	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	13.26%
Rooney, Tom	16	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	12%	F	16.11%
Wilson, Frederica	17	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	26.06%
Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana	18	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	53%	C	20.45%
Deutch, Ted	19	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.77%
Wasserman Schultz, Debbie	20	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12.65%

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FLORIDA

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Diaz-Balart, Mario	21	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	53%	C	17.81%
West, Allen B.	22	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	11.01%
Hastings, Alcee L.	23	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	28.15%
Adams, Sandy	24	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	12%	F	13.25%
Rivera, David	25	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	47%	C	17.83%

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GEORGIA

GOVERNOR NATHAN DEAL

Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.83 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **7TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Georgia Family Connection Partnership
 Georgia Budget and Policy Institute
 Georgia Women for a Change

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Chambliss, Saxby	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	19%
Isakson, Johnny	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	19%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Kingston, Jack	1	R	○	○	○	—	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13%	F	21.38%
Bishop, Sanford D.	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	28.47%
Westmoreland, Lynn A.	3	R	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	16.41%
Johnson, Henry C.	4	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	22.14%
Lewis, John	5	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	100%	A+	23.87%
Price, Tom	6	R	○	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	18%	F	8.61%
Woodall, Robert	7	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	13.62%
Scott, Austin	8	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	20.84%
Graves, Tom	9	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	6%	F-	15.94%
Broun, Paul C.	10	R	○	○	—	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	19%	F	20.66%
Gingrey, Phil	11	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	12%	F	16.59%

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Barrow, John	12	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	41%	C	25.31%
Scott, David	13	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	21.15%

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GOVERNOR NEIL ABERCROMBIE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **161,290**
 Poverty Rate: **12%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **39TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Legal Aid Society of Hawaii
 Ho'owaiwai Asset Policy Coalition

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Akaka, Daniel	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%
Inouye, Daniel	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Hanabusa, Colleen	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	9.41%
Hirono, Mazie K.,	2	D	●	●	●	—	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14.53%

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GOVERNOR BUTCH OTTER

Number of People: 17%
 Living in Poverty: Poverty State Ranking:
 255,027 Poverty Rate: **18TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Idaho Rural Partnership
 The Idaho Foodbank
 Community Action Partnership of Idaho

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Risch, James	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	17%
Crapo, Mike	R	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	17%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Labrador, Raul R.	1	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13%	F	15.51%
Simpson, Michael K.	2	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	17.54%

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- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

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17. H.R. 8, Fiscal Cliff Legislation

GOVERNOR PAT QUINN

Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.88 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **15%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **25TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Heartland Alliance
 Voices for Illinois Children
 Sargent Shriver National Center on Poverty Law

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Durbin, Dick	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15%
Kirk, Mark	R	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	15%

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Rush, Bobby L.	1	D	●	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	24.03%
Jackson, Jesse L., Jr.	2	D	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	21.45%
Lipinski, Daniel	3	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	●	71%	B	13.77%
Gutierrez, Luis	4	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	88%	A	25.59%
Quigley, Mike	5	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12.58%
Roskam, Peter J.	6	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	8.94%
Davis, Danny K.	7	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	100%	A+	26.05%
Walsh, Joe	8	R	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	13%	F	10.09%
Schakowsky, Janice D.	9	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14.62%
Dold, Robert J.	10	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	53%	C	9.41%
Kinzinger, Adam	11	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	12.15%
Costello, Jerry F	12	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20.59%
Bigger, Judy	13	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	53%	C	5.56%
Hultgren, Randy	14	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	12.59%
Johnson, Timothy V	15	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	24%	D	16.75%
Manzullo, Donald A.	16	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	13.73%
Schilling, Robert T.	17	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	●	○	○	○	19%	F	17.12%

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Schock, Aaron	18	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	13.43%
Shimkus, John	19	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	12.18%

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GOVERNOR MIKE PENCE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.01mil**
 Poverty Rate: **16%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **20TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Feeding Indiana's Hungry

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Coats, Dan	R	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	16%
Lugar, Richard	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	27%	D	16%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Visclosky, Peter	1	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	○	76%	B	17.13%
Donnelly, Joe	2	D	○	●	●	○	—	—	—	—	—	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	67%	B	19.40%
Stutzman, Marlin	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	7%	F-	15.09%
Rokita, Todd	4	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	12.38%
Burton, Dan	5	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	8.84%
Pence, Mike	6	R	○	●	○	○	—	—	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	7%	F-	17.83%
Carson, Andre	7	D	—	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	25.08%
Bucshon, Larry	8	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	14.57%
Young, Todd	9	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	15.98%

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SENATE VOTES

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GOVERNOR TERRY BRANSTAD

Number of People Living in Poverty: **378,864**
 Poverty Rate: **13%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **35TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Child and Family Policy Center
 The Iowa Policy Project
 Iowa Community Action Association

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Grassley, Chuck	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	9%	F-	13%
Harkin, Tom	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	82%	A	13%

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Bralley, Bruce L.	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12.52%
Loebsack, David	2	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	88%	A	14.65%
Boswell, Leonard L.	3	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	82%	A	11.83%
Latham, Tom	4	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	12.53%
King, Steve	5	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	6%	F-	12.39%

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GOVERNOR SAM BROWNBACK

Number of People Living in Poverty: **383,467**
 Poverty Rate: **14%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **29TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Kansas Association of Community Action Partnerships
 Kansas Action for Children

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Moran, Jerry	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	14%
Roberts, Pat	R	—	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	20%	F	14%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Huelskamp, Tim	1	R	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	24%	D	13.56%
Jenkins, Lynn	2	R	○	●	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	7%	F-	14.79%
Yoder, Kevin	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	11.73%
Pompeo, Mike	4	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	15.13%

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GOVERNOR STEVE BESHEAR

Number of People Living in Poverty: **811,277**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **8TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Kentucky Association for Community Action
 Kentucky Youth Advocates
 Homeless and Housing Coalition of Kentucky
 Catholic Conference of Kentucky

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
McConnel, Mitch	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	19%
Paul, Rand	R	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	18%	F	19%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Whitfield, Ed	1	R	○	○	●	○	—	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	25%	D	20.07%
Guthrie, S. Brett	2	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	18%	F	16.87%
Yarmuth, John A.	3	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.23%
Massie, Thomas	4	R	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	15.15%
Rogers, Harold	5	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	35%	D	27.80%
Chandler, Ben	6	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	76%	B	18.80%

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Vitter, David	R	—	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	20%	F	20%
Landrieu, Mary	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20%

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Scalise, Steve	1	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.76%
Richmond, Cedric	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	100%	A+	28.19%
Landry, Jeffrey M	3	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	18.17%
Fleming, John	4	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	19.84%
Alexander, Rodney	5	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	●	○	○	●	38%	D	25.77%
Cassidy, William	6	R	○	○	○	—	○	●	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	7%	F-	17.62%
Boustany Jr., Charles W.	7	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	20.28%

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 — DID NOT VOTE

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **182,448**
 Poverty Rate: **14%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **30TH**

Maine Equal Justice Partners
 Maine CommunityAction

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Collins, Susan	R	●	○	●	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	●	64%	B	14%
Snowe, Olympia	R	●	○	●	●	—	○	●	●	○	●	●	70%	B	14%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Pingree, Chellie	1	D	●	○	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	11.34%
Michaud, Michael	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	94%	A	17.02%

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- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **571,887**
 Poverty Rate: **10%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **48TH**

Job Opportunities Task Force
 Progressive Maryland

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Cardin, Ben	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	10%
Mikulski, Barbara	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	10%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Harris, Andy	1	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	9.17%
Ruppersberger, C. A. Dutch	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	13.15%
Sarbanes, John P.	3	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	9.14%
Edwards, Donna F.	4	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	7.76%
Hoyer, Steny H	5	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	7.46%
Bartlett, Roscoe G.	6	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	29%	D	8.10%
Cummings, Elijah	7	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	94%	A	19.39%
Van Hollen, Chris	8	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	7.71%

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GOVERNOR DEVAL PATRICK

Number of People Living in Poverty: 738,514
 Poverty Rate: 12%
 Poverty State Ranking: 40th

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Massachusetts Citizens for Children
 Massachusetts Budget and Policy Center
 Massachusetts Association for Community Action Program

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Brown, Scott	R	●	○	●	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	●	64%	B	12%
Kerry, John	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%

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Olver, John W.	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12.77%
Neal, Richard E.	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.73%
McGovern, James	3	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	10.96%
Frank, Barney	4	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	100%	A+	9.86%
Tsongas, Niki	5	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	10.83%
Tierney, John	6	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	7.93%
Markey, Ed	7	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	9.30%
Capuano, Michael E.	8	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	23.55%
Lynch, Stephen F.	9	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	88%	A	10.58%
Keating, William	10	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	7.29%

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MICHIGAN

GOVERNOR RICK SNYDER

Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.69 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **18%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **12TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Michigan League for Human Services

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Stabenow, Debbie	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	18%
Levin, Carl	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	18%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Benishek, Dan	1	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	17.19%
Huizenga, Bill	2	R	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	13%	F	15.15%
Amash, Justin	3	R	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	29%	D	14.65%
Camp, Dave	4	R	○	●	○	—	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	25%	D	18.34%
Kildee, Daniel	5	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20.44%
Upton, Fred	6	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	18.49%
Walberg, Tim	7	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	14.92%
Rogers, Mike	8	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	18%	F	14.08%
Peters, Gary	9	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	11.00%
Miller, Candice	10	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	12.71%
Curson, David	11	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	10.57%
Levin, Sander	12	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.29%
Clarke, Hansen	13	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	36.26%

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Conyers Jr., John	14	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	32.28%
Dingell, John	15	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.83%

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GOVERNOR MARK DAYTON

Number of People Living in Poverty: **621,970**
 Poverty Rate: **12%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **41st**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Affirmative Options Coalition
 Joint Religious Legislative Coalition
 Legal Services Advocacy Project
 Minnesota Budget Project

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Klobuchar, Amy	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	12%
Franken, Al	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%

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Walz, Timothy J.	1	R	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	11.55%
Kline, John	2	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	18%	F	6.96%
Paulsen, Erik	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	—	—	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	20%	F	7.80%
McCollum, Betty	4	R	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15.98%
Ellison, Keith	5	R	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	19.36%
Bachmann, Michele	6	R	○	○	○	○	○	—	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	8.47%
Peterson, Collin C.	7	R	○	○	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	47%	C	13.09%
Cravaack, Chip	8	D	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	14.02%

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GOVERNOR PHIL BRYANT

Number of People Living in Poverty: **650,524**
 Poverty Rate: **23%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **1st**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Public Policy Center of Mississippi
 Mississippi Center for Justice
 Children's Defense Fund: Southern Regional Office

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Wicker, Roger	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	23%
Cochran, Thad	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	27%	D	23%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Nunnelee, Alan	1	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	17.52%
Thompson, Bennie G.	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	●	●	●	100%	A+	30.82%
Harper, Gregg	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	24%	D	21.38%
Palazzo, Steven	4	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	21.81%

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GOVERNOR JAY NIXON

Number of People Living in Poverty: **920,118**
 Poverty Rate: **16%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **21st**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Missouri Association for Community Action
 Missouri Budget Project
 Missouri Association for Social Welfare

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Blunt, Roy	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	16%
McCaskill, Claire	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	82%	A	16%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Clay Jr., William	1	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	21.65%
Akin, W. Todd	2	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	—	●	7%	F-	6.55%
Carnahan, Russ	3	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14.00%
Hartzler, Vicky	4	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	24%	D	16.00%
Cleaver, Emanuel	5	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	19.74%
Graves, Sam	6	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	12.06%
Long, Billy	7	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	16.73%
Emerson, Jo Ann	8	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	21.52%
Luetkemeyer, Blaine	9	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	15.64%

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- DID NOT VOTE

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GOVERNOR STEVE BULLOCK

Number of People Living in Poverty: **144,054**
 Poverty Rate: **15%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **26TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Food Bank Network

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Baucus, Max	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	15%
Tester, Jon	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	15%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE	
Rehberg, Denny	AL	R	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29	D	14.79%

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GOVERNOR DAVE HEINEMAN

Number of People Living in Poverty: **234,710**
 Poverty Rate: **13%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **36TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Voices for Children in Nebraska
 Nebraska Appleseed Center for Law in the Public Interest
 Community Action of Nebraska
 Legal Aid of Nebraska

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Johanns, Mike	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	18%	F	13%
Nelson, Ben	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	13%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Fortenberry, Jeff	1	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	●	○	○	●	25%	D	12.40%
Terry, Lee	2	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	13.40%
Smith, Adrian	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	13.58%

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **426,741**
 Poverty Rate: **16%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **22ND**

Human Services Network
 Food Bank of Northern Nevada

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Heller, Dean	R	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	○	●	●	55%	C	16%
Reid, Harry	R	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	16%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Berkley, Shelley	1	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	76%	B	21.62%
Amodei, Mark	2	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	29%	D	13.57%
Heck, Joe	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	41%	C	13.34%

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NEW HAMPSHIRE

GOVERNOR MAGGIE HASSAN

Number of People Living in Poverty: **112,715**
 Poverty Rate: **9%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **50TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Children's Alliance of New Hampshire
 New Hampshire Community Loan Fund
 New Hampshire Legal Assistance
 New Hampshire Fiscal Policy Institute

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Ayotte, Kelly	R	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	27%	D	9%
Shaheen, Jeanne	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	9%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Guinta, Frank C	1	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	●	○	○	○	19%	F	9.00%
Bass, Charles F.	2	R	●	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	○	●	65%	B	8.63%

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GOVERNOR CHRIS CHRISTIE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **897,376**
 Poverty Rate: **10%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **49TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

New Jersey Policy Perspective
 The Anti-Poverty Network of New Jersey
 Advocates for Children of New Jersey

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Lautenberg, Frank	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	100%	A+	10%
Menendez, Robert	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	10%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Andrews, Robert E.	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	12.66%
LoBiondo, Frank	2	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	41%	C	12.43%
Runyan, Jon	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	●	●	○	○	●	38%	D	6.26%
Smith, Christopher H.	4	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	10.80%
Garrett, Scott	5	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	4.72%
Pallone Jr., Frank	6	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	10.54%
Lance, Leonard	7	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	4.72%
Pascrell Jr., Bill	8	D	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.89%
Rothman, Steven R.	9	D	●	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	9.94%
Payne Jr., Donald	10	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	19.05%
Frelinghuysen, Rodney	11	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	41%	C	4.66%

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Holt, Rush	12	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	5.92%
Sires, Albio	13	D	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	19.97%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

1. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
2. S. Amdt. 1738 to S. 1813, Cutting Federal Workforce and Other Programs
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GOVERNOR SUSANA MARTINEZ

Number of People Living in Poverty: **439,914**
 Poverty Rate: **22%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **2ND**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Community Action New Mexico
 New Mexico Voices for Children
 New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Bingaman, Jeff	D	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	22%
Udall, Tom	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	22%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Heinrich, Martin	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20.52%
Pearce, Steve	2	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	23.44%
Lujan, Ben R.	3	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	20.74%

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **3.03mil**
 Poverty Rate: **16%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **23RD**

Schuler Center for Analysis and Advocacy
 NYS Community Action Association
 Hunger Action Network of NYS

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Gillibrand, Kirsten	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	16%
Schumer, Charles	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	16%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Bishop, Timothy H.	1	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	71%	B	7.18%
Israel, Steve	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	6.03%
King, Pete	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	4.01%
McCarthy, Carolyn	4	D	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	9.54%
Ackerman, Gary L.	5	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	—	●	●	●	●	○	○	81%	A	14.32%
Meeks, Gregory W.	6	D	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15.22%
Crowley, Joseph	7	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	18.75%
Nadler, Jerrold	8	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.12%
Turner, Robert L.	9	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	41%	C	14.04%
Towns, Edolphus	10	D	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	—	●	100%	A+	28.68%
Clarke, Yvette D.	11	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	20.35%
Velazquez, Nydia M.	12	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	26.59%
Grimm, Michael	13	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	12.60%
Maloney, Carolyn	14	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12.73%
Rangel, Charles B.	15	D	●	—	—	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	26.72%
Serrano, Jose E.	16	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	40.58%
Engel, Eliot	17	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.80%
Lowey, Nita	18	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	8.60%
Hayworth, Nan A. S	19	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	35%	D	8.58%
Gibson, Chris	20	R	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	○	○	●	53%	C	10.08%
Tonko, Paul D.	21	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14.79%

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Hinchey, Maurice D.	22	D	—	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	17.53%
Owens, William L.	23	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	71%	B	16.88%
Hanna, Richard	24	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	○	●	47%	C	16.07%
Buerkle, Ann Marie	25	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	—	6%	F-	13.75%
Hochul, Kathleen C.,	26	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	76%	B	10.72%
Higgins, Brian	27	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	82%	A	16.04%
Slaughter, Louise	28	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	24.23%
Reed, Tom	29	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	13.61%

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NORTH CAROLINA

GOVERNOR PAT MCCRORY

Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.68 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **18%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **13TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

North Carolina Justice Center

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Burr, Richard	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F-	18%
Hagan, Kay	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	18%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Butterfield, G.K.	1	D	●	●	●	●	-	-	-	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	27.01%
Ellmers, Renee	2	R	○	●	○	○	-	-	-	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	14%	F	19.62%
Jones, Walter B.	3	R	○	●	●	○	-	-	-	●	○	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	36%	D	16.70%
Price, David E.	4	D	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	11.98%
Foxx, Virginia	5	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	18.15%
Coble, Howard	6	R	○	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	-	-	○	○	○	○	●	27%	D	14.87%
McIntyre, Mike	7	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	-	-	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	33%	D	21.08%
Kissell, Larry	8	D	●	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	59%	C	21.08%
Myrick, Sue Wilkins	9	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	-	○	●	○	○	○	13%	F	10.54%
McHenry, Patrick T.	10	R	○	●	○	-	-	-	-	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	8%	F-	16.56%
Shuler, Heath	11	D	○	-	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	●	-	-	●	●	●	○	●	71%	B	17.50%

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Watt, Mel	12	D	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	23.76%
Miller, Brad	13	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	94%	A	17.35%

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GOVERNOR JACK DALRYMPLE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **80,882**
 Poverty Rate: **12%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **42ND**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

North Dakota Kids Count
 North Dakota Community Action Partnership
 North Dakota Coalition for Homeless People

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Hoeven, John	R	●	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	36%	D	12%
Conrad, Kent	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Berg, Rick	AL	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	12.25%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

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GOVERNOR JOHN KASICH

Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.85 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **16%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **24TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Legal Aid Society of Southwest Ohio
 Policy Matters
 Voices for Ohio's Children
 Ohio Association of Community Action Agencies

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Brown, Sherrod	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	0%
Portman, Rob	R	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	27%	D	9%

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Chabot, Steve	1	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	21.24%
Schmidt, Jean	2	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	—	○	6%	F-	12.18%
Turner, Michael	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	16.25%
Jordan, Jim	4	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	16.33%
Latta, Robert E.	5	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	29%	D	13.44%
Johnson, Bill	6	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	17.29%
Austria, Steve	7	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	16.43%
Boehner, John A.	8	R	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	15.18%
Kaptur, Marcy	9	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	19.84%
Kucinich, Dennis J.	10	D	●	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15.80%
Fudge, Marcia L.	11	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	25.89%
Tiberi, Pat	12	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	13.90%
Sutton, Betty	13	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15.63%
LaTourette, Steven C	14	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	○	●	—	○	●	●	○	○	●	50%	C	10.04%
Stivers, Steve	15	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	—	○	○	●	27%	D	17.29%
Renacci, Jim	16	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	14.94%

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Ryan, Tim	17	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	19.12%
Gibbs, Bob	18	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	24%	D	17.88%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

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GOVERNOR MARY FALLIN

Number of People Living in Poverty: 633,298
 Poverty Rate: 17%
 Poverty State Ranking: 19th

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Community Action Project of Tulsa County Inc.
 Oklahoma Policy Institute
 Community Service Council

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Coburn, Tom	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	17%
Inhofe, James	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	—	●	20%	F	17%

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Sullivan, John	1	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	●	13%	F	14.99%
Boren, Dan	2	D	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	47%	C	20.84%
Lucas, Frank	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	35%	D	16.30%
Cole, Tom	4	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	●	35%	D	14.15%
Lankford, James	5	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	18%	F	20.02%

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Merkley, Jeff	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	18%
Wyden, Ron	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	18%

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Bonamici, Suzanne	1	D	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.97%
Walden, Greg	2	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	17.70%
Blumenauer, Earl	3	D	○	●	●	—	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	81%	A	19.21%
DeFazio, Peter	4	D	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	82%	A	21.02%
Schrader, Kurt	5	D	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	82%	A	15.64%

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PENNSYLVANIA

GOVERNOR TOM CORBETT

Number of People Living in Poverty: 1.7 mil
 Poverty Rate: 14%
 Poverty State Ranking: 31st

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Community Action Association of Pennsylvania
 Pennsylvania Budget and Policy Center
 Keystone Research Center

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Casey, Robert	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14%
Toomey, Pat	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	14%

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Brady, Robert	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	32.32%
Fattah, Chaka	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	28.70%
Kelly, Mike	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	14.65%
Altmire, Jason	4	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	82%	A	8.78%
Thompson, Glenn W.	5	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	16.02%
Gerlach, Jim	6	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	9.31%
Meehan, Pat	7	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	47%	C	6.66%
Fitzpatrick, Michael G.	8	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	●	○	●	●	○	○	●	47%	C	6.52%
Shuster, Bill	9	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	13.49%
Marino, Tom	10	R	○	●	○	—	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	○	○	●	27%	D	12.04%
Barletta, Lou	11	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	15.85%
Critz, Mark S	12	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	15.59%
Schwartz, Allyson Y.	13	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	11.58%
Doyle, Mike	14	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20.41%
Dent, Charles W.	15	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	11.74%
Pitts, Joseph R.	16	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	12.93%
Holden, Tim	17	D	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	11.11%

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Murphy, Tim	18	R	○	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	35%	D	7.92%
Platts, Todd Russell	19	R	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	—	●	56%	C	9.72%

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RHODE ISLAND

GOVERNOR LINCOLN CHAFEE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **148,819**
 Poverty Rate: **15%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **27TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Rhode Island Kids Count
 Poverty Institute at RI School of Social Work
 Rhode Island Community Action Association

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Reed, Jack	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100	A+	15%
Whitehouse, Sheldon	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100	A+	15%

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Cicilline, David	1	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.82%
Langevin, Jim	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	15.62%

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SOUTH CAROLINA

GOVERNOR NIKKI HALEY

Number of People Living in Poverty: **856,938**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **9TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

South Carolina Applesseed Legal Justice Center
 South Carolina Fair Share
 AARP South Carolina

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
DeMint, Jim	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	—	10%	F-	19%
Graham, Lindsey	R	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	19%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE	
Scott, Tim	1	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	12%	F	16.19%
Wilson, Joe	2	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	14.68%
Duncan, Jeff	3	R	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	19.04%
Gowdy, Trey	4	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	17.43%
Mulvaney, Mick	5	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	21.25%
Clyburn, James E.	6	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	26.21%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

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GOVERNOR DENNIS DAUGAARD

Number of People Living in Poverty: **110,681**
 Poverty Rate: **14%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **32ND**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

South Dakota Voices for Children
 Volunteers of America- Dakotas

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Thune, John	R	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	10%	F-	14%
Johnson, Tim	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Noem, Kristi	AL	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	—	—	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	20%	F	13.92%

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- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

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Number of People Living in Poverty: **1.14 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **18%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **15TH**

Tennessee Justice Center
 Tennessee Conference on Social Welfare

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Alexander, Lamar	R	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	27%	D	18%
Corker, Bob	R	○	○	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	●	36%	D	18%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE	
Roe, Phil	1	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	19.67%
Duncan Jr., John J.	2	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	24%	D	15.02%
Fleischmann, Chuck	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	20.13%
DesJarlais, Scott	4	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	19.59%
Cooper, Jim	5	D	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	81%	A	19.10%
Black, Diane	6	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	15.31%
Blackburn, Marsha	7	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	11.75%
Fincher, Stephen	8	R	○	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	24%	D	21.41%
Cohen, Steve	9	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	25.39%

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GOVERNOR RICK PERRY

Number of People Living in Poverty: **4.63 mil**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **10TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Center for Public Policy Priorities
 Texans Care for Children
 Texas Impact

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Cornyn, Jon	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	9%	F-	19%
Hutchison, Kay Bailey	R	○	○	●	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	●	20%	F	19%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Gohmert, Louie	1	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	—	—	○	○	○	13%	F	18.15%
Poe, Ted	2	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	14.18%
Johnson, Sam	3	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	13.53%
Hall, Ralph M.	4	R	○	○	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	24%	D	14.27%
Hensarling, Jeb	5	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	16.43%
Barton, Joe	6	R	○	○	●	○	●	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	19%	F	16.64%
Culberson, John	7	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	12.20%
Brady, Kevin	8	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	18%	F	15.68%
Green, Al	9	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	24.89%
McCaul, Michael T.	10	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	12%	F	12.22%
Conaway, K. Michael	11	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	16.20%
Granger, Kay	12	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	—	13%	F	17.06%
Thornberry, Mac	13	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	12%	F	15.91%
Paul, Ron	14	R	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	14.53%
Hinojosa, Ruben	15	D	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	33.90%
Reyes, Silvestre	16	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	24.07%
Flores, Bill	17	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	21.66%
Jackson Lee, Sheila	18	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	●	100%	A+	29.57%
Neugebauer, Randy	19	R	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	6%	F-	19.29%
Gonzalez, Charles A.	20	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	22.83%
Smith, Lamar	21	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	24%	D	11.46%

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Olson, Pete	22	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	9.82%
Canseco, Francisco "Quico"	23	R	○	●	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	13%	F	18.76%
Marchant, Kenny	24	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	11.05%
Doggett, Lloyd	25	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	20.74%
Burgess, Michael	26	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	—	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	13.75%
Farenthold, Blake	27	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	26.37%
Cuellar, Henry	28	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	82%	A	29.94%
Green, Gene	29	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	28.62%
Johnson, Eddie Bernice	30	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	—	●	●	93%	A	26.44%
Carter, John	31	R	○	○	○	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	○	●	●	○	○	○	13%	F	11.73%
Sessions, Pete	32	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	12%	F	17.85%

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GOVERNOR GARY HERBERT

Number of People Living in Poverty: **374,859**
 Poverty Rate: **14%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **33RD**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Community Action Partnership Association

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Hatch, Orrin	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	9%	F-	14%
Lee, Mike	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	9%	F-	14%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Bishop, Rob	1	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	18%	F	14.79%
Matheson, Jim	2	D	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	53%	C	13.19%
Chaffetz, Jason	3	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	0%	F-	12.48%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

1. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
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GOVERNOR PETER SHUMLIN

Number of People Living in Poverty: **69,075**
 Poverty Rate: **12%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **43RD**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Voices for Vermont's Children
 Vermont Legal Aid
 Central Vermont Community Action Council

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Sanders, Bernie	I	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	91%	A	12%
Leahy, Patrick	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	12%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Welch, Peter	AL	R	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	11.49%

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- DID NOT VOTE

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Warner, Mark	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	90%	A	12%
Webb, Jim	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	91%	A	12%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Wittman, Robert J.	1	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	11.49%
Rigell, E. Scott	2	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	—	○	19%	F	8.23%
Scott, Robert C.	3	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	○	82%	A	10.35%
Forbes, J. Randy	4	R	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	21.19%
Hurt, Robert	5	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	11.05%
Goodlatte, Bob	6	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	6%	F-	16.90%
Cantor, Eric	7	R	○	●	○	○	—	—	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	7%	F-	14.33%
Moran, James	8	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	88%	A	9.68%
Griffith, Morgan	9	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	18%	F	8.51%
Wolf, Frank	10	R	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	●	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	35%	D	19.46%
Connolly, Gerald E.	11	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	6.53%

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 — DID NOT VOTE

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GOVERNOR JAY INSLEE

Number of People Living in Poverty: **929,258**
 Poverty Rate: **14%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **38TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Children's Home Society
 Statewide Poverty Action Network
 Children's Alliance

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Cantwell, Maria	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14%
Murray, Patty	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	14%

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DelBene, Suzan	1	D	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	NOT RATED	NOT RATED	8.97%
Larsen, Rick	2	D	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	13.06%
Herrera Beutler, Jamie	3	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	41%	C	14.71%
Hastings, Doc	4	R	○	●	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	●	29%	D	19.82%
McMorris Rodgers, Cathy	5	R	○	●	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	24%	D	17.15%
Dicks, Norman D	6	D	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	14.76%
McDermott, Jim	7	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	88%	A	15.07%
Reichert, David G.	8	R	○	●	○	○	—	—	—	○	○	○	○	●	●	●	○	○	●	36%	D	8.24%
Smith, Adam	9	D	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	○	82%	A	13.95%

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GOVERNOR EARL RAY TOMBLIN

Number of People Living in Poverty: **334,885**
 Poverty Rate: **19%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **21st**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

West Virginia Kids Count Fund
 West Virginia Council of Churches
 West Virginia Center on Budget and Policy

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Manchin, Joe	D	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	82%	A	19%
Rockefeller, Jay	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	19%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE	
McKinley, David	1	R	○	○	●	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	17.62%
Capito, Shelley Moore	2	R	○	●	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	29%	D	17.56%
Rahall, Nick	3	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	94%	A	20.70%

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- DID NOT VOTE

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GOVERNOR SCOTT WALKER

Number of People Living in Poverty: 725,797
 Poverty Rate: 13%
 Poverty State Ranking: 37TH

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Wisconsin Head Start Association
 Wisconsin Council on Children and Families
 Wisconsin Community Action Program Association

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Johnson, Ron	R	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	●	18%	F	13%
Kohl, Herb	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Ryan, Paul	1	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	12%	F	11.21%
Baldwin, Tammy	2	D	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	13.20%
Kind, Ron	3	D	○	○	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	88%	A	13.94%
Moore, Gwen	4	D	●	●	●	●	—	—	—	●	●	●	—	●	●	●	●	●	●	100%	A+	27.37%
Sensenbrenner, F. James	5	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	6.25%
Petri, Thomas	6	R	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	0%	F-	10.14%
Duffy, Sean P.	7	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	○	12%	F	12.72%
Ribble, Reid	8	R	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	○	○	●	18%	F	10.44%

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GOVERNOR MATT MEAD

Number of People Living in Poverty: **62,629**
 Poverty Rate: **11%**
 Poverty State Ranking: **47TH**

ANTI-POVERTY ORGANIZATIONS

Wyoming Children's Action Alliance

THE SENATE VOTES	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Barrasso, John	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	9%	F-	11%
Enzi, Mike	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	9%	F-	11%

THE HOUSE VOTES	DISTRICT	PARTY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	SCORE	GRADE	POVERTY RATE
Lummis, Cynthia M.	AL	R	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	12%	F	11.30%

- VOTED TO FIGHT POVERTY
- VOTED AGAINST FIGHTING POVERTY
- DID NOT VOTE

SENATE VOTES

1. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
2. S. Amdt. 1738 to S. 1813, Cutting Federal Workforce and Other Programs
3. S. 1925, Reauthorizing Violence Against Women Act
4. H. Con. Res. 112, FY 2013 (Ryan) Budget
5. S. Amdt. 2153 to S. 2343, Repealing Prevention and Public Health Fund
6. S. 3220, Payroll Fairness Act
7. Motion to Table S. Amdt. 2392 to S. 3240, Block Granting SNAP (Food Stamps)
8. S. Amdt. 2174 to S. 3240, Limiting Categorical Eligibility for SNAP (Food Stamps)
9. S. 3412, Extending Bush and Low-Income Tax Cuts
10. S. Amdt. 2789 to S. 3457, Establishing Veterans' Job Corps
11. H.R. 8, Fiscal Cliff Legislation

HOUSE VOTES

1. H.R. 1173, Repealing Community Living Assistance Services and Supports Act
2. H.R. 3630, Extending Payroll Tax Cut and Unemployment Insurance
3. H. Con. Res. 112, FY 2013 (Ryan) Budget
4. H.R. 4628, Repealing Prevention and Public Health Fund
5. H. Amdt. 1039 to H.R. 5326, Eliminating Economic Development Assistance Programs
6. H. Amdt. 1060 to H.R. 5326, Reducing Funding for Legal Services Corp.
7. H. Amdt. 1063 to H.R. 5326, Prohibiting U.S. Government from Seeking to Invalidate State Immigration Enforcement Laws
8. H.R. 5652, Sequester Replacement Act
9. H.R. 5326, Commerce, Justice and Science FY13 Appropriations Act

10. H.R. 4970, Reauthorizing Violence Against Women Act
11. H. Amdt. 1179 to H.R. 5325, Increasing Funding for the Weatherization Assistance Program
12. H. Amdt. 1265 to H.R. 5855, Prohibiting Funding of Language Services
13. H. Amdt. 1339 to H.R. 5972, Reducing Funding for the Public Housing Operating Fund
14. H. Amdt. 1342 to H.R. 5972, Eliminating the Community Development Block Grant Program
15. H.R. 6079, Repealing the Affordable Care Act (Obamacare)
16. H. J. Res. 118, Invalidating Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program Waiver Provision
17. H.R. 8, Fiscal Cliff Legislation

SUMMARY ANALYSIS

DISTRIBUTION OF GRADES FOR SENATORS AND REPRESENTATIVES

	A+	A	B	C	D	F	F-
Senators	36	17	3	2	7	18	16
Representatives	99	72	11	21	91	73	57

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATIONS WITH HIGH POVERTY RATES AND POOR VOTING RECORDS

STATE	POVERTY RATE	POVERTY RATE STATE RANK	STATE DELEGATION'S VOTING RECORD RANK
Mississippi	23%	1ST	41ST
Alabama	19%	5TH	45TH
Louisiana	20%	4TH	43RD
South Carolina	19%	9TH	46TH
Arizona	19%	6TH	42ND
Georgia	19%	7TH	36TH

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATIONS WITH HIGH POVERTY RATES AND GOOD VOTING RECORDS

STATE	POVERTY RATE	POVERTY RATE STATE RANK	STATE DELEGATION'S VOTING RECORD RANK
New Mexico	22%	2ND	9TH
Oregon	18%	14TH	7TH
West Virginia	19%	11TH	16TH
Michigan	18%	12TH	17TH

CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATIONS WITH LOW POVERTY RATES AND GOOD VOTING RECORDS

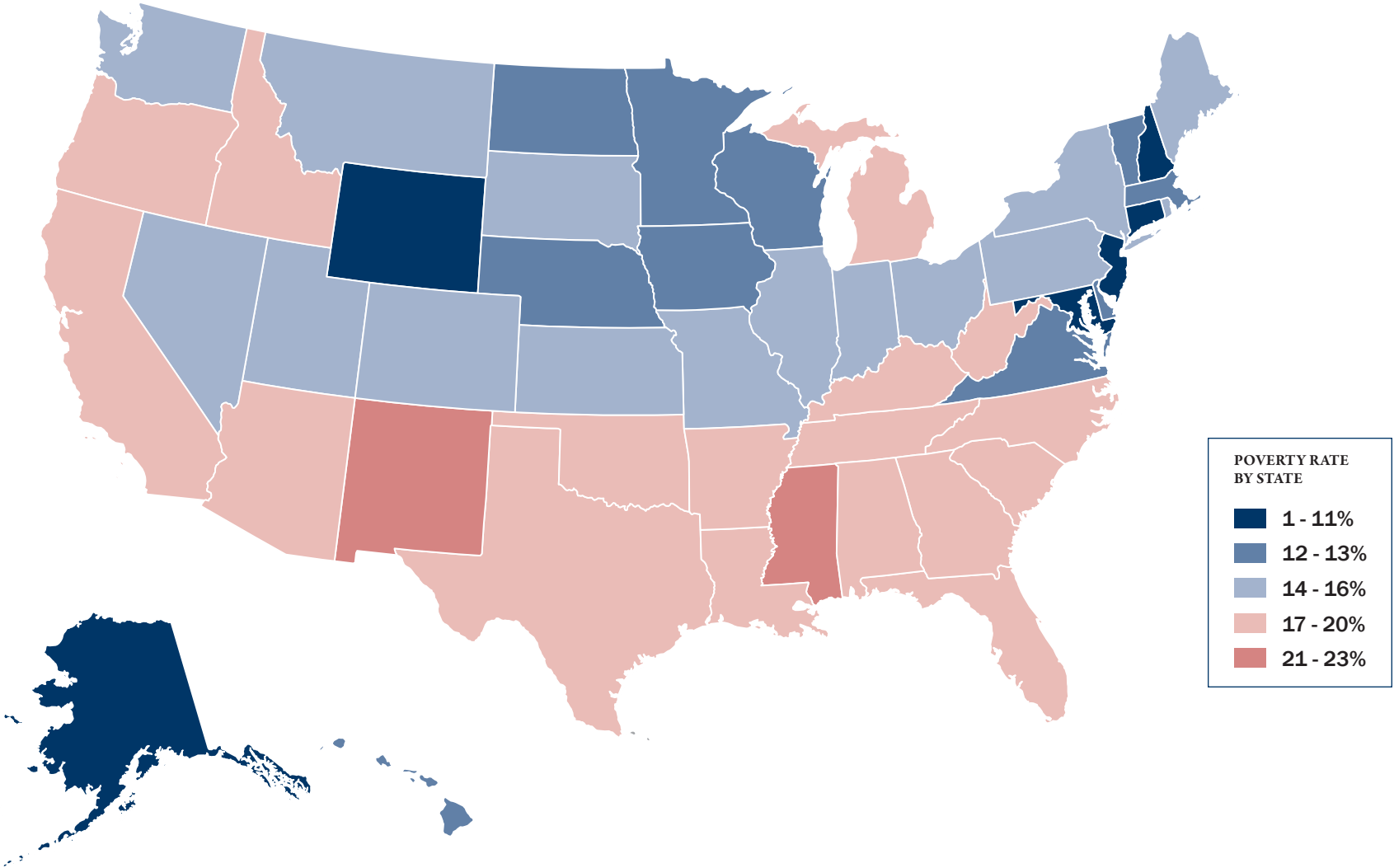
STATE	POVERTY RATE	POVERTY RATE STATE RANK	STATE DELEGATION'S VOTING RECORD RANK
Connecticut	11%	46TH	3RD
Vermont	12%	43RD	4TH
Hawaii	12%	39TH	1ST
Massachusetts	12%	40TH	4TH
Delaware	12%	38TH	6TH

POVERTY RATE BY STATE

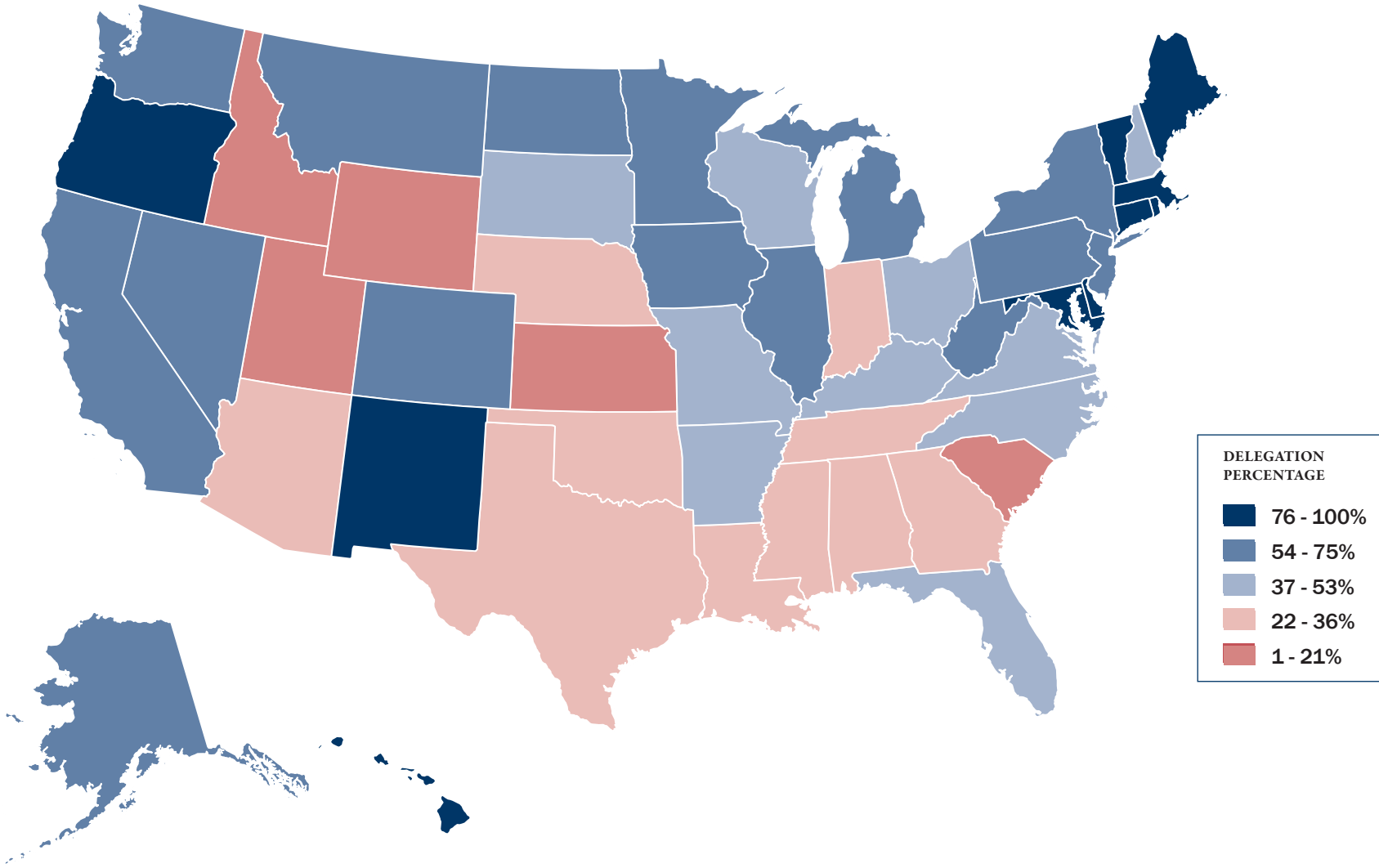
These maps show the correlation between the performance of a state's Congressional delegation in fighting poverty and the poverty rate in that state. The first map depicts states' 2012 poverty rates. States with the highest poverty

rates are shaded **red** and states with the lowest poverty rates are shaded **blue**. The second map depicts the average score of each state's Congressional delegation in fighting poverty. The states whose Congressional delegations have

the lowest average scores in fighting poverty are shaded **red** and the states whose delegations have the highest scores are shaded **blue**.



AVERAGE DELEGATION SCORE BY STATE



ABOUT THE SHRIVER CENTER

Our Mission

The Sargent Shriver National Center on Poverty Law provides national leadership in advancing laws and policies that secure justice to improve the lives and opportunities of people living in poverty.

Access to justice and equal opportunity under the law are fundamental American values. We ensure that laws and policies provide people living in poverty with access to adequate health care, decent housing, a safety net, and opportunities to achieve their full potential. We specialize in practical solutions. Through policy development, advocacy, litigation, consulting, training and communications, we are building the nationwide capacity of people living in poverty by representing them directly and by supporting and enhancing the capacity of other public interest lawyers who serve them.

The Shriver Center achieves its mission through three interconnected programs: advocacy, communication, and training:

Advocacy

Our lawyer-advocates use their expertise in court rooms, legislatures and a range of forums to advance policies which secure justice and create opportunities for people living in poverty. Our advocacy agenda currently includes these issue areas:

- Asset Opportunity
- Budget & Tax Justice
- Community Justice
- Economic Justice
- Education
- Health Care Justice
- Housing Justice
- Women's Law & Policy Project

Communication

The Shriver Center's communication programs serve as a hub for information exchange among civil legal service providers and other advocates for the poor across the nation. We help advocates effectively share information on the latest legal strategies and best practices for representing low-income clients. Our flagship publication, *Clearinghouse Review*, features articles written by experts in their fields on the latest developments in poverty law, as well as stories about affirmative advocacy efforts undertaken by legal aid providers across the country. We also provide timely news and information to advocates through webinars, advocacy stories, manuals, blog posts, and newsletters.



Training

The Shriver Center's training program helps to create a more just and equitable society by providing advocates across the country with the full range of education, training, and leadership development resources they need to obtain justice for their clients. Courses are designed to help build the skills of advocates, provide direction and support for their practice, and also connect advocates in a way that builds a stronger national community that can work together to advocate for systemic change for people living in poverty.

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