

Percent Reporting a HS Degree or GED*

State	Age 17 FY 2011	Age 19 FY 2013	Age 21 FY 2015
Alabama	4%	44%	58%
Alaska	2%	57%	76%
Arizona	4%	58%	57%
Arkansas	5%	54%	72%
California	3%	71%	77%
Colorado	0%	0%	0%
Connecticut	1%	55%	73%
Delaware	1%	26%	47%
District of Columbia	3%	51%	57%
Florida	17%	40%	65%
Georgia	5%	44%	60%
Hawaii	10%	69%	76%
Idaho	7%	67%	76%
Illinois	0%	62%	72%
Indiana	3%	43%	77%
Iowa	4%	72%	74%
Kansas	3%	59%	67%
Kentucky	97%	62%	74%
Louisiana	7%	40%	44%
Maine	0%	64%	81%
Maryland	5%	54%	72%
Massachusetts	5%	48%	70%
Michigan	0%	47%	8%
Minnesota	2%	71%	75%
Mississippi	7%	38%	72%
Missouri	5%	58%	74%
Montana	5%	59%	65%
Nebraska	6%	67%	55%
Nevada	4%	60%	70%
New Hampshire	6%	43%	68%
New Jersey	4%	66%	84%
New Mexico	9%	36%	54%
New York	2%	49%	69%
North Carolina	7%	49%	67%
North Dakota	3%	65%	67%
Ohio	3%	51%	67%
Oklahoma	7%	64%	70%
Oregon	6%	69%	80%
Pennsylvania	7%	60%	65%
Rhode Island	6%	45%	67%
South Carolina	5%	42%	67%
South Dakota	0%	0%	0%
Tennessee	4%	71%	65%
Texas	7%	51%	65%
Utah	2%	75%	73%
Vermont	0%	44%	83%
Virginia	5%	61%	71%
Washington	3%	42%	63%
West Virginia	0%	0%	0%
Wisconsin	4%	62%	68%
Wyoming	2%	64%	68%
Puerto Rico	35%	0%	0%
National	8%	54%	65%

* All 50 states plus the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico are required to collect and report NYTD data. States were required to collect baseline outcomes information from youth who turned age 17 while in foster care in FFY 2011. At follow-up, states were required to survey youth during the six-month reporting periods in which they turned age 19 (in FFY 13) and 21 (in FFY 15).

*The NYTD survey asks young people to report the highest educational certification received. The NYTD survey questions are in Appendix B of the NYTD regulation, available at <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2008-02-26/pdf/E8-3050.pdf>