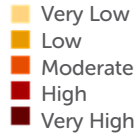


Boston-Cambridge-Quincy, MA-NH Metro Area Child Opportunity Index Map

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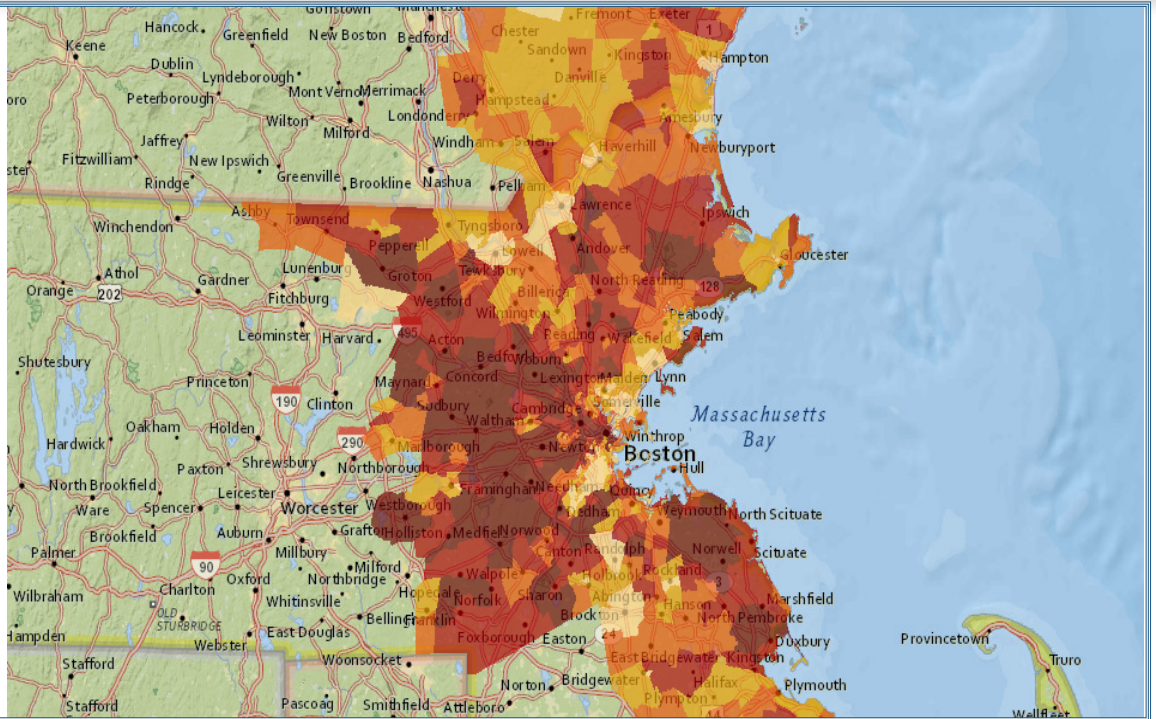
Child Opportunity Index Categories



The **Child Opportunity Index** is a measure of relative neighborhood opportunity for children across neighborhoods in a metro area.

The index is calculated based on 19 indicators in 3 sub-domains:

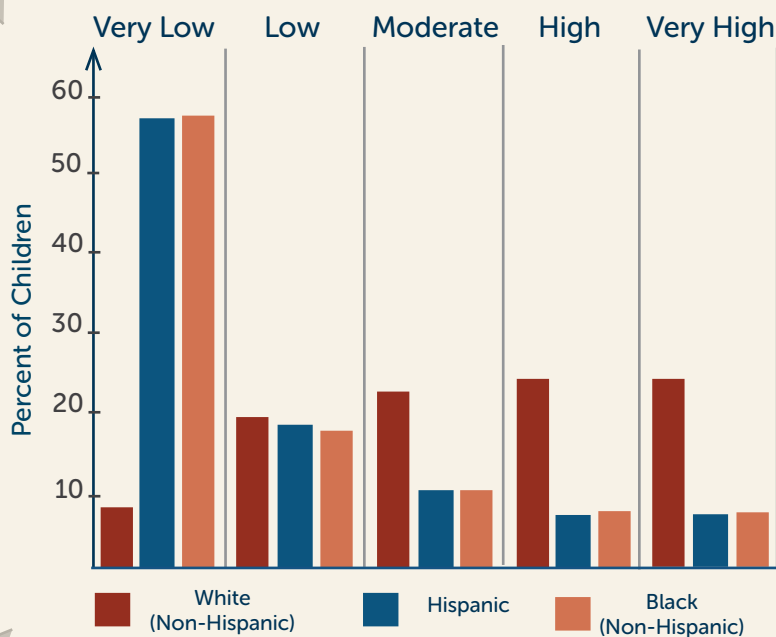
- 1) Educational Opportunity
- 2) Health & Environmental Opportunity
- 3) Social & Economic Opportunity



Black and Hispanic children in Metro Boston are heavily concentrated in very low-opportunity neighborhoods.

Percent of Metro Boston Children by Neighborhood Opportunity Category

METRO BOSTON STATS



Roughly **1 million** children under 18 live in Metro Boston (2012). **66.7%** are white, **14%** are Hispanic and **8.6%** are black.

RANKINGS: (Of the 100 largest US metro areas)
Highest percentage of Hispanic children living in the lowest-opportunity neighborhoods within the metro area: **57.6%**

#6th Highest percentage of black children living in the lowest-opportunity neighborhoods within the metro area: **57.8%**

RATIO:
 Black children are **6.4 times more likely** and Hispanic children are **6.3 times more likely** to live in a very low-opportunity neighborhood of Metro Boston than are white children.

Child Opportunity Index Maps & Rankings for the 100 largest metro areas are available at diversitydatakids.org

