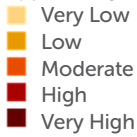


Denver-Aurora-Broomfield, CO Metro Area Child Opportunity Index Map

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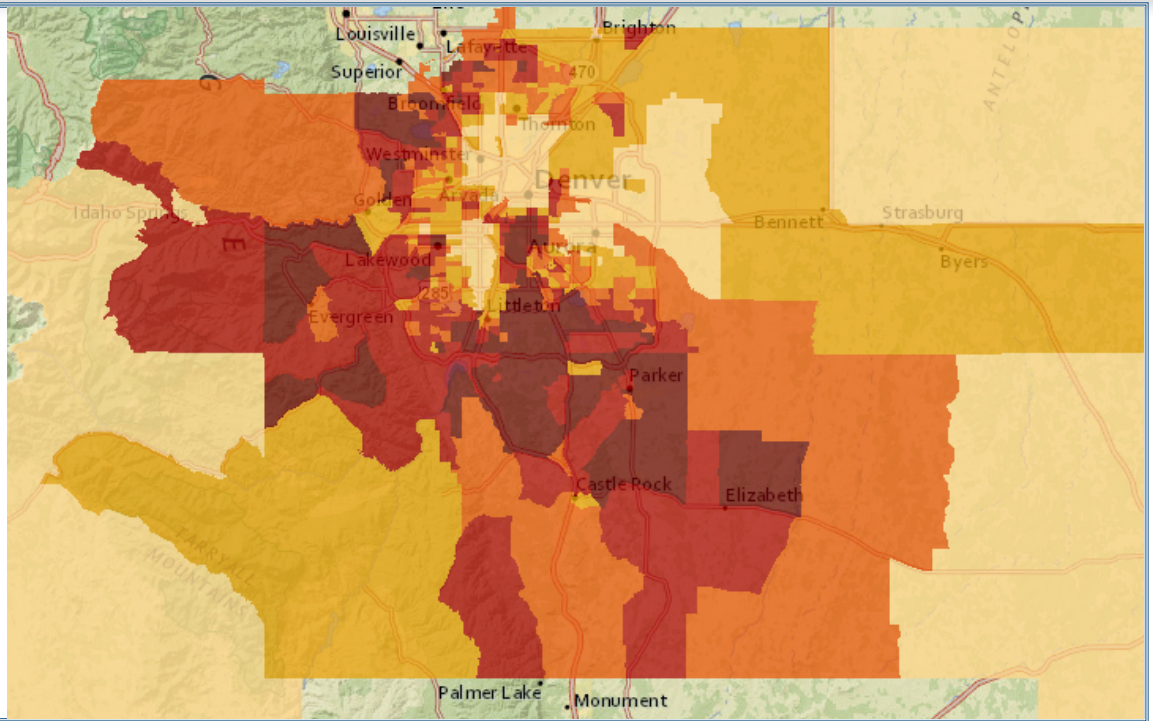
Child Opportunity Index Categories



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

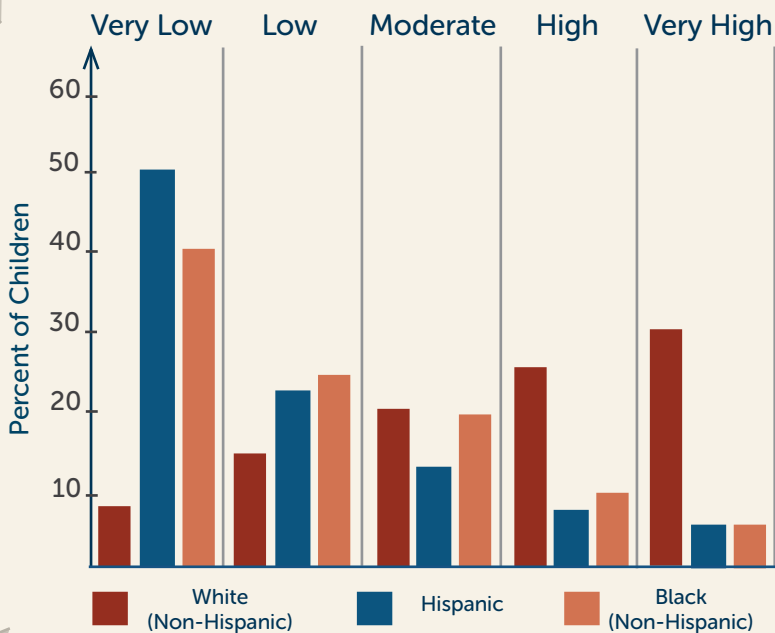
The index is calculated based on 19 indicators in 3 sub-domains:

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



HISPANIC AND BLACK CHILDREN IN METROPOLITAN DENVER ARE HEAVILY CONCENTRATED IN VERY LOW-OPPORTUNITY NEIGHBORHOODS.

Percent of Metro Denver Children by Neighborhood Opportunity Category



METRO DENVER STATS

Roughly **644,000** children under 18 live in Metro Denver (2012). **52.6%** of them are white, **33%** are Hispanic and **5.7%** are black.

RANKINGS: (Of the 100 largest US metro areas)
#6th Highest percentage of Hispanic children living in very low-opportunity neighborhoods within the metro area: **50.0%**
#4th Lowest percentage of Hispanic children living in very high-opportunity neighborhoods within the metro area: **5.9%**

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

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

