

Slide 1. Percent of Children in N.J. with ELL Parents Only & in 200% Poverty

<u>Origin Group</u>	<u>ELL</u>	<u>200% Poverty</u>
Black, native	0%	46%
Hispanic, native	10%	41%
Mideast	16%	37%
Africa, Blacks ..	16%	37%
Mexico	71%	69%
Dominican Rep.	53%	49%
Central Am.	51%	43%
Pakistan	34%	34%
Vietnam	55%	19%
South Am.	42%	23%
Korea	39%	20%
China	30%	12%

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Slide 2. Percent in N.J. of Children Ages 5-17 Potentially Bilingual (Speaking English & Another Language)

Origin Group

Black, native	3%
Hispanic, native	45%
Mideast	55%
Africa, Blacks ..	45%
Mexico	89%
Dominican Rep.	89%
Central Am.	83%
Pakistan	75%
Vietnam	68%
South Am.	75%
Korea	63%
China	65%

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Slide 3. Percent of Children in N.J. in Linguistically Isolated Households

Origin Group

Black, native	0%
Hispanic, native	5%
Mideast	10%
Africa, Blacks ..	13%
Mexico	53%
Dominican Rep.	30%
Central Am.	35%
Pakistan	23%
Vietnam	36%
South Am.	25%
Korea	23%
China	21%

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Slide 4. Percent of Children in N.J. with U.S. Citizen Parent Origin Group

Black, native 100%

Hispanic, native 100%

Mideast 85%

Africa, Blacks .. 71%

Mexico 26%

Dominican Rep. 67%

Central Am. 52%

Pakistan 80%

Vietnam 88%

South Am. 61%

Korea 65%

China 79%

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Slide 5. Percent of Children in N.J.

Who Are U.S. Citizens

Origin Group

Black, native 100%

Hispanic, native 100%

Mideast 92%

Africa, Blacks .. 86%

Mexico 81%

Dominican Rep. 89%

Central Am. 90%

Pakistan 91%

Vietnam 95%

South Am. 87%

Korea 80%

China 92%

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Slide 6. Percent of Children in N.J.

Living with Two Parents

Origin Group

Black, native 38%

Hispanic, native 53%

Mideast 90%

Africa, Blacks .. 73%

Mexico 78%

Dominican Rep. 62%

Central Am. 76%

Pakistan 89%

Vietnam 83%

South Am. 80%

Korea 88%

China 92%

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Slide 7. Percent of Children in N.J. Living with Four or More Siblings

Origin Group

Black, native 12%

Hispanic, native 11%

Mideast 15%

Africa, Blacks .. 17%

Mexico 9%

Dominican Rep. 9%

Central Am. 7%

Pakistan 15%

Vietnam 8%

South Am. 8%

Korea 3%

China 2%

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Slide 8. Percent of Children in N.J. with Grandparent in Home Origin Group

Black, native 15%

Hispanic, native 13%

Mideast 6%

Africa, Blacks .. 9%

Mexico 9%

Dominican Rep. 10%

Central Am. 11%

Pakistan 17%

Vietnam 13%

South Am. 11%

Korea 7%

China 14%

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Slide 9. Percent of Children in N.J. with Mother Not High School Graduate

Origin Group

Black, native 14%

Hispanic, native 19%

Mideast 10%

Africa, Blacks .. 7%

Mexico 57%

Dominican Rep. 25%

Central Am. 36%

Pakistan 11%

Vietnam 23%

South Am. 18%

Korea 1%

China 6%

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Slide 10. Percent of Children in N.J. with Mother 0-8 Years of School

Origin Group

Black, native 1%

Hispanic, native 5%

Mideast 6%

Africa, Blacks .. 2%

Mexico 36%

Dominican Rep. 10%

Central Am. 18%

Pakistan 4%

Vietnam 12%

South Am. 7%

Korea 1%

China 3%

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Slide 11. Percent of Children in N.J. with Father Employed Origin Group

Black, native	89%
Hispanic, native	91%
Mideast	93%
Africa, Blacks ..	95%
Mexico	95%
Dominican Rep.	97%
Central Am.	96%
Pakistan	97%
Vietnam	----%
South Am.	96%
Korea	92%
China	97%

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Slide 12. Percent of Children in N.J. with Father Employed Full-Time

Origin Group

Black, native 68%

Hispanic, native 71%

Mideast 80%

Africa, Blacks .. 79%

Mexico 73%

Dominican Rep. 79%

Central Am. 74%

Pakistan 83%

Vietnam ----%

South Am. 77%

Korea 75%

China 83%

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Slide 13. Percent of Children in N.J. with Mother Employed Origin Group

Black, native 82%

Hispanic, native 73%

Mideast 46%

Africa, Blacks .. 77%

Mexico 53%

Dominican Rep. 79%

Central Am. 68%

Pakistan 37%

Vietnam 73%

South Am. 73%

Korea 59%

China 79%

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Slide 14. Percent of Children in N.J. with Mother Employed Full-Time

Origin Group

Black, native	51%
Hispanic, native	42%
Mideast	21%
Africa, Blacks ..	46%
Mexico	25%
Dominican Rep.	49%
Central Am.	44%
Pakistan	18%
Vietnam	45%
South Am.	39%
Korea	32%
China	54%

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Slide 15. Percent of Children in N.J. with Father Earning Less Than 200% of Minimum Wage

Origin Group

Black, native 15%

Hispanic, native 13%

Mideast 21%

Africa, Blacks .. 20%

Mexico 48%

Dominican Rep. 22%

Central Am. 21%

Pakistan 17%

Vietnam ----%

South Am. 19%

Korea 12%

China 12%

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Slide 16. Percent of Children in N.J. with Mother Earning Less Than 200% of Minimum Wage

Origin Group

Black, native 29%

Hispanic, native 29%

Mideast 28%

Africa, Blacks .. 26%

Mexico 62%

Dominican Rep. 41%

Central Am. 45%

Pakistan 25%

Vietnam 22%

South Am. 41%

Korea 18%

China 13%

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Slide 17. Federal Poverty Rate for Children in N.J.

Origin Group

Black, native 25%

Hispanic, native 23%

Mideast 19%

Africa, Blacks .. 13%

Mexico 28%

Dominican Rep. 19%

Central Am. 15%

Pakistan 13%

Vietnam 12%

South Am. 11%

Korea 10%

China 5%

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Slide 18. Percent below 200% Poverty Threshold for Children in N.J.

Origin Group

Black, native 46%

Hispanic, native 44%

Mideast 37%

Africa, Blacks .. 37%

Mexico 69%

Dominican Rep. 49%

Central Am. 43%

Pakistan 34%

Vietnam 23%

South Am. 36%

Korea 20%

China 12%

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Slide 19. Percent of Children in N.J. in Home Owned by Family Origin Group

Black, native 38%

Hispanic, native 46%

Mideast 71%

Africa, Blacks .. 59%

Mexico 20%

Dominican Rep. 41%

Central Am. 42%

Pakistan 57%

Vietnam 84%

South Am. 49%

Korea 64%

China 88%

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Slide 20. Percent of Children in N.J. in Overcrowded Home Origin Group

Black, native 13%

Hispanic, native 11%

Mideast 14%

Africa, Blacks .. 23%

Mexico 46%

Dominican Rep. 19%

Central Am. 26%

Pakistan 21%

Vietnam 8%

South Am. 17%

Korea 6%

China 5%

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Slide 21. Percent of Children in N.J. with Moderate or Severe Housing Cost Burden

Origin Group

Black, native 55%

Hispanic, native 54%

Mideast 66%

Africa, Blacks .. 56%

Mexico 69%

Dominican Rep. 65%

Central Am. 57%

Pakistan 56%

Vietnam 37%

South Am. 61%

Korea 59%

China 32%

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Slide 22. Conclusions (1)

- * Third grade reading proficiency... matters for high school graduation**
- * Poverty increases the risk**
- * Black and Hispanic children are especially likely... to have low third-grade reading proficiency**
- * Children in immigrant families with... English Language Learner parents experience challenges in reading proficient**

Slide 23. Conclusions (2)

Important and needed policies include...

- * High-quality PreK-3rd**
- * Health insurance**
- * Nutrition programs**
- * Dual-Generation Programs**

Slide 24. Conclusions (3)

**N.J. children especially likely to live
...in poverty
...with ELL parents only**

**And accounting for 36% of NJ children
are:**

**Blacks & Hispanics in native-born families,
and children in immigrant families
from...**

**Mexico, Dominican Republic, Central and
South America, Mideast and Pakistan,
Vietnam, Korea, China, and Blacks
from Africa.**

**These groups merit special attention...
from educators and policy makers**