

Appendix Table for Carsey Data Snapshot: 2016 Child Poverty Rate Sees Largest Decline Since Before Great Recession

TABLE 1. CHILD POVERTY BY STATE AND PLACE TYPE IN 2016

	ALL PLACES				RURAL				SUBURBAN				CITY			
	Percent Poor	+/-	Change Since 2015	Change Since 2007	Percent Poor	+/-	Change Since 2015	Change Since 2007	Percent Poor	+/-	Change Since 2015	Change Since 2007	Percent Poor	+/-	Change Since 2015	Change Since 2007
UNITED STATES	19.5	0.1	-1.2	1.5	23.5	0.3	-0.8	1.6	14.9	0.1	-1.1	2.0	25.5	0.2	-1.7	0.9
Northeast	17.3	0.2	-1.2	1.7	19.3	0.8	-0.8	2.9	11.5	0.3	-0.8	2.3	29.1	0.5	-2.3	0.5
Midwest	17.9	0.2	-1.2	1.2	18.2	0.4	-1.0	0.8	12.4	0.3	-1.1	1.4	27.7	0.5	-1.7	1.2
South	21.9	0.2	-1.1	1.3	29.1	0.5	-0.6	2.4	17.2	0.2	-1.1	2.1	26.7	0.4	-1.4	0.4
West	18.5	0.2	-1.4	1.6	21.4	0.7	-0.7	1.3	16.0	0.3	-1.4	1.9	21.0	0.4	-1.6	1.4
Alabama	24.5	1.0	-2.1	0.2	31.7	2.1	-2.0	4.3	19.3	1.3	-1.1	-1.0	27.8	1.9	-4.0	-0.5
Alaska	14.1	1.6	-1.1	2.6	22.0	2.1	1.1	5.8	12.8	4.4	2.8	3.9	9.0	2.2	-4.8	-0.4
Arizona	23.6	0.7	-1.0	3.5	36.2	2.5	-1.4	5.2	17.4	1.0	-0.6	1.6	27.9	1.2	-1.8	5.7
Arkansas	23.8	1.1	-3.4	-2.0	27.1	1.7	-4.8	-1.8	21.0	1.8	1.8	0.0	23.0	2.3	-7.6	-4.1
California	19.9	0.3	-1.2	2.7	21.8	2.2	0.4	3.4	18.7	0.4	-1.1	3.5	21.4	0.5	-1.5	1.9
Colorado	13.4	0.7	-1.3	-2.9	16.7	1.8	-1.4	-2.1	9.2	0.8	-1.5	-2.1	17.6	1.2	-1.2	-5.1
Connecticut	12.9	0.9	-1.7	1.8	7.8	3.4	-1.0	0.3	9.4	1.0	-0.9	1.8	21.2	2.0	-3.8	0.9
Delaware	17.4	2.0	-2.0	2.7					14.2	2.0	-2.4	2.8	39.3	6.4	1.4	3.9
District of Colombia	25.8	3.1	0.2	3.1									25.8	3.1	0.2	3.1
Florida	21.0	0.5	-2.0	4.0									24.3	1.1	-2.5	2.9
Georgia	22.9	0.6	-1.6	3.2	33.0	1.5	-0.6	7.1	18.1	0.8	-1.8	3.1	31.6	1.7	-1.6	-1.0
Hawaii	10.1	1.1	-4.1	0.4	13.1	2.9	-13.8	1.8	8.6	1.4	-1.9	-1.4	11.2	2.5	-1.7	4.1
Idaho	17.7	1.4	-0.1	1.8	20.3	2.1	0.4	2.6	14.9	2.1	-0.7	1.7	19.3	3.4	0.2	2.2
Illinois	17.7	0.5	-1.4	1.1	19.7	1.3	-1.3	2.3	13.5	0.6	-1.2	2.5	25.2	1.1	-1.8	-0.6
Indiana	19.5	0.7	-1.4	2.2	18.8	1.2	0.8	0.9	12.7	0.9	-1.9	1.2	29.5	1.5	-2.0	4.3
Iowa	14.8	0.8	0.0	1.2	15.2	1.1	0.1	0.5	8.0	1.2	-1.9	1.7	21.4	1.9	1.8	2.1
Kansas	14.1	0.9	-3.1	-0.5	16.2	1.5	-3.2	-0.7	7.2	1.1	-3.6	-1.6	18.9	1.7	-2.9	0.5
Kentucky	25.0	0.9	-0.9	1.1	31.2	1.4	0.4	1.9	18.9	1.4	-1.7	1.6	23.8	1.9	-1.6	-0.7
Louisiana	28.6	1.1	0.3	1.9	35.1	2.4	1.7	1.3	22.9	1.6	-1.7	3.2	36.2	2.2	3.1	4.7
Maine	17.2	1.5	-0.2	1.8	22.8	2.4	1.9	4.3	10.0	2.1	-2.3	-2.0	26.2	5.2	0.3	8.0
Maryland	12.7	0.6	-0.5	2.3	23.8	4.8	6.4	12.8	10.0	0.7	0.0	2.1	22.5	1.8	-2.3	0.9
Massachusetts	13.6	0.6	-1.2	0.7	10.7	3.9	-5.3		11.0	0.7	-1.2	2.0	25.3	1.9	-0.5	-0.7
Michigan	20.7	0.5	-1.7	1.3	20.8	1.1	-1.5	1.2	13.9	0.7	-1.1	1.4	35.4	1.2	-3.6	2.0
Minnesota	12.7	0.6	-0.4	0.7	14.7	1.0	0.3	1.4	9.1	0.7	0.0	0.8	19.7	1.7	-2.2	0.0
Mississippi	29.7	1.2	-1.5	0.4	34.3	1.6	-1.6	-0.8	19.6	2.1	0.0	2.6	37.5	3.7	-7.2	1.5
Missouri	19.2	0.8	-1.0	1.5	24.7	1.4	-0.6	3.1	13.9	0.9	-1.3	1.2	26.7	1.9	-0.9	0.7
Montana	15.1	1.5	-4.3	-3.2	16.5	1.9	-5.0	-3.9	10.8	2.9	-5.0	-0.6	13.4	3.0	-2.1	-3.6
Nebraska	14.2	1.1	-2.6	-0.7	15.7	1.8	0.0	-0.3	6.4	1.3	-3.8	-1.8	18.1	2.0	-4.1	-0.6
Nevada	19.1	1.1	-1.8	3.8	17.7	3.2	2.6	0.9	17.2	1.8	-4.2	4.2	20.9	1.8	-0.5	3.4
New Hampshire	7.9	1.1	-2.8	-0.9	11.2	2.3	-3.8	0.9	3.3	1.2	-3.0	-2.0	16.1	3.6	1.0	-1.5
New Jersey	14.6	0.6	-1.1	3.0					11.9	0.6	-0.7	2.3	33.6	2.1	-3.5	4.3
New Mexico	30.1	1.5	1.5	4.7					28.8	2.6	-0.2	3.2	27.5	2.8	0.4	4.5
New York	20.7	0.4	-1.3	1.2	22.5	1.4	-1.1	3.0	11.9	0.6	-0.3	3.3	28.2	0.7	-2.3	-0.4
North Carolina	21.7	0.6	-1.8	2.1	27.6	1.4	-2.7	3.3	17.2	0.9	-1.2	3.1	24.5	1.2	-2.3	2.3
North Dakota	12.4	1.5	0.4	-1.0	11.7	1.6	-1.0	-3.6	11.6	3.5	4.9	3.7	14.4	4.4	0.0	0.6
Ohio	20.5	0.5	-0.8	2.0	19.0	1.1	-2.4	0.4	13.9	0.7	-0.5	1.8	38.6	1.3	-0.6	4.1
Oklahoma	22.9	0.8	0.7	0.4	25.4	1.3	2.0	0.2	15.7	1.1	-1.3	0.3	28.9	1.8	1.7	1.0
Oregon	17.0	0.9	-3.3	0.0	21.6	2.2	-4.5	0.4	15.2	1.4	-3.1	0.9	17.3	1.7	-3.1	-0.5
Pennsylvania	18.5	0.5	-0.9	2.2	19.8	1.1	-1.5	3.0	12.3	0.6	-0.4	2.3	36.3	1.4	-2.3	1.7
Rhode Island	17.0	2.0	-2.4	-0.5					13.3	2.0	-2.6	0.4	27.3	5.5	-1.8	0.8
South Carolina	23.0	1.0	-1.1	2.0					19.6	1.1	-2.3	1.8	26.0	2.6	0.0	0.1
South Dakota	16.9	1.4	-1.3	0.1	19.1	1.7	-2.6	-2.2	12.0	3.3	2.7	6.1	16.2	3.1	-2.1	0.2
Tennessee	22.6	0.8	-1.5	-0.4	26.8	1.5	-0.4	0.4	13.9	1.0	-2.6	-1.1	31.0	1.5	-0.8	1.1
Texas	22.4	0.4	-0.5	-0.7	26.2	1.1	0.7	-0.5	17.6	0.5	-0.1	0.5	26.6	0.7	-1.2	-1.5
Utah	11.1	0.7	-1.8	0.1	16.8	2.3	-0.6	-0.5	8.8	0.8	-0.9	0.7	17.2	1.9	-6.4	-0.9
Vermont	14.8	2.1	1.5	2.4	18.1	2.9	4.3	3.2	6.1	2.4	-5.4	-0.7				
Virginia	14.3	0.6	-0.5	1.2	23.7	2.2	-3.2	4.3	10.0	0.6	-0.2	1.0	21.6	1.5	-0.1	2.1
Washington	13.7	0.6	-1.8	-1.3	21.6	2.4	2.6	1.5	10.7	0.8	-2.7	-1.6	16.7	1.2	-1.6	-2.1
West Virginia	24.0	1.5	-1.2	1.2	25.8	2.2	-1.3	-0.5	20.8	2.1	-1.7	2.9	31.4	5.7	1.8	2.8
Wisconsin	15.7	0.7	-0.6	1.3	15.0	1.0	-1.1	0.7	8.5	0.7	-0.8	0.4	27.1	1.5	-0.3	2.2
Wyoming	11.1	1.8	-2.1	-0.5	11.9	2.3	1.0	-1.7					9.3	3.8	-10.2	2.3

Note: Change is displayed in percentage points and based on unrounded percentages. Results may differ slightly from those that would be obtained using rounded figures. Bold font indicates a statistically significant change (p<0.05). Margins of error (“+/-”) refer to the 95 percent confidence interval around the 2016 estimated percent poor. Note that Oklahoma had metropolitan status boundary changes in 2015, and therefore, within-state percentage point changes should be interpreted with caution.

Source: American Community Survey, 1-Year Estimates, 2007, 2015, and 2016.