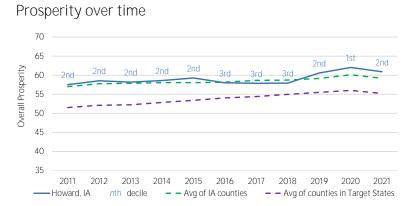
## Howard, IA: Overall Prosperity 60.9 (2nd decile\*)







Breakdown of performance	2011	Score 10-year trend	2021	Deciles - US Counties (1 to 10) 2021	10-year decile change	Ranks - IA (1 to 99) 2021
Overall Prosperity	57.5	^^	60.9	2		31
Inclusive Societies	65.4	~~~	67.6	2	<b>1</b>	32
Safety and Security	73.5	<b>√</b> √	80.2	3	<b>1</b>	31
Rersonal Freedom	61.1	/\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	61.3	4	<b>▼</b> 2	78
Governance	65.2		69.2	2	<b>1</b>	1
Social Capital	61.6	~~~	59.5	3	<b>▼</b> 1	25
Open Economies	49.0	<u>~~</u>	53.0	3		46
Business Environment	38.7	~~	44.3	6	<b>^</b> 2	32
Infrastructure	58.2	<b>/</b>	57.7	2		34
Economic Quality	50.0	$\nearrow$	57.0	5	<b>▼</b> 1	74
Empowered People	58.1	~~	62.1	2	<b>1</b>	40
Living Conditions	62.2	<b>~</b>	74.2	2	<b>^</b> 2	43
C Health	65.1	$\mathcal{M}$	65.5	2		37
	53.0	~	55.1	4		78
Matural Environment	52.2	/\\\	53.5	5		15

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Howard, IA (2nd decile*): Pillar and	element s	scores												
	2011	A —	2021		unties Decile 10-yr decile o	- 1	IA Rank 2021	20	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US Co 2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	IA Rank 2021
Safety and Security	73.5	<b>V</b> 8	30.2	3	_	1	31	Personal Freedom	61.1	M	61.3	4	<b>▼</b> 2	78
Mass Killings and Injuries 15%	100.0	1	0.001	1		-	1	Agency 30%	79.5	7	77.3	2	<b>-</b> .	1
Violent Crime 50%	81.0	~\\ <i>\</i>	88.0	2	^	1	14	Freedom of Association and Speech 15%	53.6		47.3	1	<b>-</b> .	1
Property Crime 35%	51.5	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	60.5	4	_	1	62	Absence of Legal Discrimination 25%	44.4		48.1	3		1
								Social Tolerance 30%	60.4	/w~	63.4	6	<b>▼</b> 1	78
		Occase II Decempatible		USCO	metico Decile		IA Dank			Overell Personnille		HEA	ounties Decile	IA Rank
Causanana	2011		2021	2021	10-yr decile o		IA Rank 2021	Casial Casital	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	10-yr decile chng.	2021
Governance	65.2	<b>Y</b>	59.2	2		1	1	Social Capital	61.6	V	59.5	3	<b>▼</b> 1	25
Political Accountability 30%	43.8	*****	69.7	4	_	3	1	Personal and Family Relationships 25%	74.5	M	78.9	1		17
Rule of Law 35%	65.5		58.0	4		-	1	Social Networks 25%	64.6	-	63.4	1		6
Government Integrity 35%	83.3	V ;	80.1	1		-	1	Institutional Trust 20%	57.5	<u></u>	57.5	7	<b>-</b> - 2	13
								Civic and Social Participation 30%	51.1	. 7 [	41.5	4	¥ 2	51
_		Overall Prosperity	2004		unties Decile		IA Rank	<b>₩</b>		Overall Prosperity		US Co	ounties Decile	IA Rank
Business Environment	38.7		2021 14.3	6	10-yr decile o	chng.	32	Infrastructure	58.2	10-yr trend	57.7	2021	10-yr decile chng.	34
Financing Ecosystems 40%	17.7	- / ·	28.9	6	<b>A</b> .	2	32	Communications 40%	60.2		60.2	2	= .	32
Domestic Market Contestability 30%	52.0		53.6	3		2	1	Resources 25%	65.4	7	64.2	2		26
Burden of Regulation 10%	44.3	^	35.1	9	•		1	Transport 35%	50.7		50.2	6		87
Labor Market Flexibility 10%	68.7	~~	67.5	6		1	1							
Price Distortions 10%	47.0	, , ,	63.6	8	_	1	1							
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\$	2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	US Co 2021	unties Decile 10-yr decile o	e chng.	IA Rank 2021		<u>i                                      </u>		j	<u> </u>	i	
Economic Quality	50.0	<b>─</b> ^ 5	57.0	5	•	1	74							
Fiscal Sustainability 25%	50.3	$\frown \bigcirc \bigcirc$	48.8	8	▼ .	4	97							
Productivity and Competitiveness 25%	50.8		60.2	6	•	1	37							
Dynamism 20%	43.2	\\ .	48.1	8	-	-	64							
Labor Force Engagement 30%	53.8	الممر	67.1	1	•	1	25							
		Occase II Province		17	metic - F		IA Don't			Ower !! Port			puelles D. 19	[A-Daniel
Living Conditions	2011		2021	2021	unties Decile 10-yr decile o	chng.	IA Rank 2021		2011	Overall Prosperity 10-yr trend	2021	2021	ounties Decile 10-yr decile chng.	IA Rank 2021
Living Conditions	62.2	~/	74.2	2	^ :	2	43	Health	65.1	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	65.5	2		37
Material Resources 25%	72.7		73.9	3	•	- 1	39	Behavioral Risk Factors 15%	64.0	-	50.0	7	▼ 3	66
Nutrition 15%	48.9		70.4	3		2	43	Preventative Interventions 15%	52.4	/\\\\\	63.1	1	<b>A</b> 1	18
Water Services 15%	49.1	^ ^/	89.4	2	_		49	Care Systems 15%	60.8	=	81.9	1		6
Shelter 15%  Connectedness 15%	67.0		68.5	3	_	- 2	37 86	Mental Health 15%  Physical Health 20%	72.2	700	60.2	5	▼ 3 ▼ 1	74
Connectedness 15%  Protection from Harm 15%	66.6		77.1	2		2	3	-	71.3	/~~	63.7 72.2	3	<b>1</b>	35
15%	00.0		11.1	- 2	_	4	3	Longevity 20%	01.3	<i>~</i>	12.2	-3	_ 1	35
_	2011	Overall Prosperity	2021	US Co	unties Decile	ehne.	IA Rank		2011	Overall Prosperity	2021		ounties Decile	IA Rank
Education	53.0	_	<sup>2021</sup> 55.1	2021	10-yr decile o	enng.	78	Natural Environment	52.2	10-yr trend	53.5	5	10-yr decile chng.	<sup>2021</sup>
Pre-Primary Education 5%	54.0	1 ~	50.4	5	_	_	76	Emissions 25%	54.0	¬ /\	53.2	4	= .	39
Primary Education 20%	63.5	1 ^	57.8	6		3	82	Exposure to Air Pollution 25%	71.7	~ /	74.6	3	<b>A</b> 1	14
Secondary Education 25%	62.9		67.4	4		-	58	Forest, Land and Soil 20%	32.6	~	37.1	9		58
Tertiary Education 25%	47.8 -	7	47.9	3	•	1	29	Freshwater 20%	69.6	1	69.0	6		67
Adult Skills 25%	39.6		48.8	6	_	-	84	Preservation Efforts 10%	3.5		3.5	9		1
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co De 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cou Dec 2011
Mass Killings and Injuries (1st)			15%	100.0		100.0			Violent Crime (2nd)			50%	81.0	<b>√</b> √	88.0	3
Mass shooting deaths	GVA	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.5	0.0		0.0	1	1	Murder	NACJD	deaths /100,000 population	1.5	0.0		0.0	1
Mass shooting injuries	GVA	injuries /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Rape	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	20.9	_\\_	21.8	6
Terrorism deaths	GTD	deaths /1,000,000 population	1.0	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Aggravated assaults	NACJD	assaults /100,000 population	1.0	20.9	<b>V</b>	10.9	2
Terrorism injuries	GTD	injuries /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0000		0.0000	1	1	Robbery	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	10.5	_//	0.0	5
Terrorism events	GTD	events /1,000,000 population	0.5	0.0		0.0	1	1								
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr_trend			unties cile 2021								
Property Crime (4th)			35%	51.5	<b>√</b> √	60.5	5	4								
Burglary	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.5	429.4	√~	360.3	5	6								
Motor vehicle theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	0.5	83.8		76.4	5	5								
Larceny theft	NACJD	incidents /100,000 population	1.0	1,183.5		622.4	6	4								
Identity theft	FTC	reports /100,000 population	0.5	131.2		131.2	3	1								

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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Co De 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Count Decile 2011 2
Agency (2nd)			30%	79.5	<b>-</b>	77.3	2	2	Freedom of Association and Speech (1st)			15%	53.6	io-yi delia	47.3	1
Fatal police shootings of unarmed civilians	WaPo	deaths /100,000 population	1.0	0.0		0.0	1	1	Statewide free speech in public places	Cato	coding, 0-3	1.0	0.0		0.0	2
Statewide death row population	NAACP	number /100,000 population	1.0	0.00		0.00	1	1	Statewide right-to-work	NCSL	coding. 0-1	0.5	1.0		1.0	1
Statewide adult incarceration	BJS	number /100,000 adult population	1.0	530.0	7	580.0	1	2	Statewide press suppression	USPFT	number /100,000 state population	0.5	0.064		0.127	8
Statewide youth incarceration	CJRP	prisoners /100,000 youth population	0.5	110.0		67.8	7	8	Statewide invasive cell phone surveillance	ACLU	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	1
Statewide trafficking	POL	reports /100,000 population	1.0	2.7		3.1	3	4								
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	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		De			Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Count Decile
Absence of Legal			25%	2011 44.4	10-yr trend	<sup>2021</sup> 48.1	2011	2021	Social Tolerance (6th)			30%	60.4	10-yr trend	63.4	5
Discrimination (3rd)			20%	44.4		40.1	3	3	Social Tolerance (oth)			30%	00.4	IWo	03.4	3
Statewide religious freedom restoration act enacted	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.0		0.0	4	5	Hate group concentration	SPLC	number /100,000 population	1.0	41.9	//~	21.8	7
Statewide employment anti-discrimination law	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	1.0		1.0	1	1	Ethnic slur google traffic	Google	index, 0-100	1.0	22.8		22.8	3
Statewide government discrimination based on sex prohibited	Cato	coding, 0-1	1.0	0.5		0.5	2	2	Statewide same sex marriage support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	57.0		62.0	3
Statewide affirmative action in public services banned	Cato	coding, 0-2	0.5	0.0		0.0	2	3	Statewide LGBT non-discrimination law support	PRRI	percentage	0.5	71.0		69.0	3
Statewide LGBT relationships & parenthood recognition	MAP	coding, 0-9	0.5	1.0		3.5	8	4								
Statewide LGBT non-discrimination laws	MAP	coding, 0-11	0.5	9.0		9.0	1	1								
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	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co De 2011	unties cile 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value
Political Accountability (4th)			30%	43.8	-	69.7	7	4	Rule of Law (4th)			35%	65.5	
Statewide Elections Performance Index	MIT	index score, 0-1	1.5	0.73		0.86	3	2	Statewide Justice Index	NCAJ	index rank 1-51	1.5	24.0	\
Statewide gender balance in legislatures	CAWP	percentage	0.5	21.3		28.7	5	5	Statewide judicial integrity	ATRF	coding. 0-1	0.5	0.0	
Statewide state campaign disclosure	NIMP	index, 0-1	1.0	0.4		0.8	7	5						
Statewide term limits	NCSL	coding, 0-1	0.5	0.0		0.0	4	4						
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Co De	cile		<u> </u>	İ	<u> </u>		
Government Integrity (1st)			35%	83.3	10-yr trend	80.1	2011	2021						
Statewide legal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	5.0		7.5	1	2						
Statewide illegal corruption perceptions	ICS	expert survey, 3-15	1.0	5.0		3.0	1	1						
Statewide Corruption Reflection Index	ICS	index score, 0-1	0.5	0.0610	V-	0.1510	1	2						
Statewide State Integrity Investigation	CPI	index rank, 1-50	1.0	7.0		11.0	2	3						
Statewide public record request compliance	Cuillier	percentage	1.0	53.8		53.8	1	1						
Statewide Online Spending Transparency Index	USPIRG	index score, 0-100	0.5	90.0		91.0	3	1						

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Howard, IA: Business Environr																ΙE	=
							US Count	ties						Italics: Indica	itor contains	US Count	ties
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value 10-yr trend	2021	Decile 2011	2021	Domostio Markot	Source		Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2	2021
Financing Ecosystems (6th)			40%	17.7	~	28.9	8	6	Domestic Market Contestability (3rd)			30%	52.0	7 _	53.6	5	3
Venture capital invested	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	5.5	$\sim$	3.1	7	8	Statewide low-income licensed occupations	Inst Just	number	1.5	71.0		71.0	9	9
Number of venture capital deals	NVCA	number /1,000,000	1.0	1.5	$\mathcal{N}$	3.1	8	7	Statewide occupational licensing training cost	Inst Just	s	1.0	178.0		178.0	1	1
Assets under management	NVCA	\$/capita	1.0	1.9	~]	10.4	8	7	Statewide occupational licensing training time	Inst Just	days	1.0	288.0		288.0	2	2
Venture capital fundraising	NVCA	\$ /capita	1.0	0.0	_ ]	9.1	6	3	Statewide age requirements for license	Inst Just	years	1.0	5.0		5.0	1	1
New foreign direct investment	BEA	\$ /capita	1.0	46.1		239.3	10	5	Statewide regulation density index	Cato	index score	1.0	-0.004	1	0.002	5	3
Bank branch access	FDIC	number /square mile	1.5	0.008		0.011	7	7						•			
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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Count Decile 2011					Weight		Value 10-yr trend			
Burden of Regulation (9th)			10%	44.3	14./	35.1	3	9	Labor Market Flexibility (6th)			10%	68.7	V	67.5	7	6
Statewide Federal Regulation and State Enterprise Index	QuantGov	index score	1.0	1.07	WA	1.15	5	5	Statewide collective bargaining agreement	FI	percent	1.0	13.0	~	8.8	7	6
Statewide state regulation	QuantGov	percent	1.0	1.581		1.636	6	6	coverage Statewide employee health insurance cost	НЈК	S	0.5	4,010.0	~	5,115.0	1	3
						1			Workers Compensation Premium Rate	State OR	\$ per \$100	0.5	1.8	T	1.1	2	6
									Statewide minimum wage	DOL	s	1.0	7.3		7.3	3	2
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	Source		Unit		Value 10-yr trend	2021	2011	2021									
Price Distortions (8th)			10%	47.0	4	63.6	9	8									
Statewide subsidies to the private sector	BEA	percent	1.0	0.15	~	0.09	4	3									
Statewide Corporate Tax Score	Tax Found	index score	1.0	3.79	~~~	4.03	10	8									
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				2011	Value 10-yr trend					Source		Weight	2011	
Communications (2nd)			40%	60.2		60.2	2	2	Resources (2nd)			25%	65.4	
Mean download speed	BBN	Mbps	1.5	73.6		73.6	4	4	Customers affected by electricity outages	Mukherjee	number /10,000 population	0.5	0.01	1
Ultra-fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	55.4		55.4	2	2	Statewide net electricity generation	EIA	kWh/capita	1.0	0.0169	/
Fast internet access	BBN	percent	1.0	100.0		100.0	1	1	Water usage	USGS	Mgal /capita	1.0	0.065	
Internet providers (Business)	FCC	number	0.5	0.0		0.0	6	6	Electricity outage duration	EIA	minutes	1.0	58.9	Ī
									Electricity outage frequency	EIA	per year	1.0	0.65	•
		Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Cor Dec 2011							
Transport (6th)			35%	50.7	-	50.2	6	6						
Statewide number of airports	BTS	number/square mile	0.5	0.0		0.0	7	7						
Road condition	BTS	percent	1.5	2.4		2.4	7	7						
		miles /square	1.0	0.1		0.1	2	2						
Statewide railroad length	AAR	mile	1.0											
	BTS	mile miles /square mile	0.5	0.6		0.6	1	1						
Bus transit route mileage		mile miles/square				0.6	1	6						
Statewide railroad length  Bus transit route mileage  Public road density  Bridge condition	BTS	miles /square mile miles /square	0.5	0.6				6						

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	Source						US Countie Decile 2011 20					Weight				
Fiscal Sustainability (8th)			25%	50.3	$\sqrt{N}$	48.8	4	0	Productivity and Competitiveness (6th)			25%	50.8	~~~	60.2	5 6
Statewide government credit rating	Ballotpedia	rating	0.5	8.0		8.0	1	1	Export value (goods)	BIEM	\$ /capita	1.0	9,527.6		14,302.0	1 1
Statewide state reserves capacity	0	days	1.0	48.9	$\wedge$	59.7	4	4	Export value (services)	BIEM	\$ /capita	0.5	530.1		695.8	8 7
Government revenue to expenditure ratio	Census	ratio	1.0	1.04	-	0.86	4	10	Labor productivity	BLS	\$ per hour	1.5	51.5	~~~	56.3	7 8
Statewide state budget balance	0	\$ /capita	1.0	-88.7		394.4	1	3								
Statewide state pension funding	FR	percent	1.0	60.3	1/1	56.3	1	2								
Debt-to-GDP ratio	Census	percent	1.0	14.63		64.20	8	9								
	Source				Value 10-yr trend		US Countie Decile 201120	es 021				Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Dynamism (8th)			20%	43.2	W	48.1	8	8	Labor Force Engagement (1st)			30%	53.8	ہمر	67.1	2 1
Startup concentration	Kauffman	number /1,000 businesses	0.5	82.6	\	54.7	10	10	Unemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	6.3	$\overline{}$	4.5	3 2
Startup early job creation	Kauffman	number /1,000 population	1.0	3.69	M~v	3.58	10	10	Youth unemployment	Census	percent	1.0	9.5	1	5.6	2 2
Startup early survival rate	Kauffman	percent	0.5	78.1	M	81.4	2	1	Employee Engagement	Gallup	percent	0.5	29.0		33.0	5 8
Opportunity-driven startups	Kauffman	percent	1.0	98.4	W	110.7	2	1	Statewide underemployment	BLS	percent	1.0	4.6	1	3.4	2 2
Rate of new entrepreneurs	Kauffman	number /100,000 population	1.5	285.4	~	378.7	8	5	Labor force participation	Census	percent	1.5	69.0	V	67.8	2 2
Patent applications	USPTO	number /1,000	1.0	0.0	$\bigwedge$	0.0	7	7								
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	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		
Material Resources (3rd)			25%	72.7		73.9	2 3	Nutrition (3rd)			15%	48.9	~~	70.4	5 3
Low income	Census	percentage	1.0	22.6	-/	17.4	3 2	Food security	FA	percentage	1.0	85.5	~	91.1	4 2
Poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	11.2	~	9.0	3 2	Statewide borderline food security	USDA	percentage	1.0	95.0	~~/	96.4	3 1
Deep poverty	Census	percentage	1.0	3.14	1	4.20	2 3	Fruit consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	60.24	_/\	60.28	4 4
Liquid asset poverty	Pros Now	percentage	1.0	36.5		36.5	4 4	Vegetable consumption	BRFSS	percentage	0.5	72.1		77.2	10 8
Statewide high risk loans	Talk Pov	percentage	1.0	5.7		6.2	2 2								
							US Counties								US Counties
	Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021		Source		Weight		Value 10-yr trend		Decile 2011 2021
Water Services (2nd)			15%	49.1	_	89.4	6 2	Shelter (3rd)			15%	67.0	<u> </u>	68.5	3 3
Statewide clean and safe water	0	percentage	0.5	96.5	/\	96.7	1 1	Homelessness	HUD	number / 10,000 population	0.5	8.1	~	5.6	2 3
Public drinking water violations	CHR	Score, 0 or 1	1.0	1.0	<u>.</u>	0.0	5 1	Unsheltered homeless rate	HUD	percentage	0.5	3.6	M	6.5	1 2
Complete kitchen and plumbing facilities	HUD	percentage	1.0	99.01	$\sim$	99.00	6 6	Households with overcrowding	HUD	percentage	1.0	0.49		0.49	1 1
								Availability of affordable housing	UI	units / 100 extremely low income tenants	1.0	10.0		13.0	7 7
										moone charts					
	Source	Unit	Unit	2011	Value	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value	2021	US Counties Decile 2011 2021
Connectedness (8th)			15%	62.0	10-yr trend	66.3		Protection from Harm (2nd)			15%	66.6	10-yr trend	77.1	4 2
Access to broadband	FCC	percentage	1.5	87.0	/\	77.4		Fatalities from unintentional injuries	CDC	number / 100,000	1.0	19.4	1,1	13.7	6 2
Households with a smartphone	Census	percentage	1.0	57.9	)	68.6	8 8		CDC	population number / 100,000	1.0	13.9	1	12.3	2 3
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63.1 Preventative Interventions 15% 64.0 50.0 15% 52.4 2 4 (1st) Obesity percentage 33.6 68.0 76.8 Smoking CHR 1.5 16.5 Adult doctor visits BRFSS percentage 5 Alcohol use disorder 6.5 6.8 DUH Nat Srvy 2.35 4 87.8 Illicit drug use disorder 0.5 2.64 NSCH 0.5 74.9 percentage 5 Statewide child medical visits percentage Pain reliever misuse 8 Statewide HPV immunizations Pap smear test BRFSS 57.7 1.0 72.8 NCIRD Statewide child immunization 2 15% 60.8 81.9 1 Mental Health (5th) 15% 72.2 60.2 Statewide child mental health access Adults with no health care coverage CHR 0.5 14.2 7.9 2 CDC 6.6 4.89 4.34 Serious mental illness Statewide disability weighted prevalence from years / 100,000 population 86.0 94.0 2,086.8 Preventable hospitalizations for medicare enrolees CHR 1.0 4,838.9 2,606.0 Self-reported mental health not good 1.0 9.0 12.4 63.7 72.2 Physical Health (3rd) 20% 71.3 2 3 Longevity (3rd) 20% 67.3 4 2 Diabetes 1.0 6.4 8.8 5 5-14 mortality 16.2 CDC percentage 15-64 mortality Statewide disability weighted prevalence of infectious diseases deaths / 100,000 population IMHE 0.5 329.3 356.6 Maternal mortality IMHE 0.5 0.25 0.22 2 10.5 46.3 Self-reported poor physical health CHR percentage 1.0 Mortality risk 65-85 IMHE 50.2

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Howard, IA: Education (4th de	спе"): Ег	ement and i	ndicator	scores										Italics: Indic	ator contain.	s imputed	لا values
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Co De 2011	unties cile 2021		Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend	2021	US Cour Decil 2011	nties le 2021
Pre-Primary Education (5th)			5%	54.0	W	50.4	5		Primary Education (6th)			20%	63.5	7	57.8	3	ć
Pre-primary enrollment	Census	percentage	2.0	45.2	W	38.5	5	7	Math grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	4.52	h	4.27	2	
Statewide state pre-K quality	NIEER	index score, 0-10	1.0	6.9		7.9	5	4	Statewide science grade 4 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-300	1.5	157.3		158.9	3	
									English, language and arts grade 4 level	SEDA	grade level	2.0	3.59	W	3.30	7	
									Primary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	97.2	1	94.5	4	
	Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Co De 2011			Source	Unit	Weight	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Cour Decil 2011	
Secondary Education (4th)			25%	62.9	~	67.4	4	4	Tertiary Education (3rd)			25%	47.8	√~	47.9	2	3
Math grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	8.70	_/	8.28	3	5	College enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	17.5		30.8	8	4
Statewide science grade 8 score	NAEP	scale score, 0-500	1.0	156.0		158.9	3	3	Statewide college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	63.3	1	68.9	1	1
English, language and arts grade 8 level	SEDA	grade level	1.5	7.67	√√.	8.08	6	5	Statewide university quality for enrolled students	QS Rank	Legatum Institute score	1.0	0.422		0.211	1	ć
High school graduation rate	CHR	percentage	1.0	90.5	~	96.9	2	2	Community college graduation rate	NCES	percentage	1.0	42.5		42.5	2	2
Secondary enrollment	Census	percentage	1.0	94.5	\\\\	95.0	8	8									
	Source	Unit	Unit	2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Co De 2011										
Adult Skills (6th)			25%	39.6	~/	48.8	6	6									
Adult population with at least a high school diploma	Census	percentage	1.0	86.8	/	90.9	4	3									
Adult population with bachelor's degree or higher	Census	percentage	1.0	11.5	~	15.8	9	8									

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Howard, IA: Natural Environment (5th decile*): Element and indicator scores															
	Source	Unit	Weight		Value		US Counties Decile		Source	Unit	Weight		Value	Itor contains	US Counties Decile
Facinities (44b)				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021	Evenesime to Ala Belliutian (2nd)				2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021
Emissions (4th)			25%	54.0	\' 	53.2	4 4	Exposure to Air Pollution (3rd)			25%	71.7	V	74.6	4 3
CO2 emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	2.0	0.76		0.72	4 3	Life expectancy loss from air pollution	JBEN	years	2.0	0.1	—	0.1	5 5
Nitrous oxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.63		0.65	5 6	PM2.5 emissions	EPA	ton / square mile	1.0	1.67		1.05	5 4
Carbon monoxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.64		0.72	4 4	Lead emissions	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.018		0.022	3 3
Sulfur dioxide emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.930	_ \	0.751	3 9	Toxic air releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	1.29	7	0.64	5 5
Ozone emissions	EPA	index, 0-1	0.5	0.59	لرر	0.69	4 4								
					0-0-0-0										
	Source	Unit		2011	Value 10-yr trend		US Counties Decile 2011 <u>2021</u>						Value 10-yr trend		
Forest, Land and Soil (9th)			20%	32.6	M	37.1	9 9	Freshwater (6th)			20%	69.6		69.0	6 6
Toxic land releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1	Statewide good quality rivers and streams	EPA	percentage	0.5	25.5		25.5	7 7
Statewide rural parks and wildlife areas	USDA	percentage	1.0	1.40		1.42	7 7	Statewide good quality lakes, resevoirs and	EPA	percentage	0.5	10.4		10.4	7 7
Statewide compliant underground storage	EPA	percentage	1.0	63.0	M,	64.0	8 7	ponds  Total freshwater withdrawals per capita	USGS	million gallons / 1,000 population	1.0	0.45		0.55	5 6
tanks facilities Statewide exposure to pesticides	CDC	number / 100,000	1.0	51.2	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	36.9	8 7	Toxic water releases	EPA	lb / square mile	1.0	0.00		0.00	1 1
Tree canopy cover	NLCD	population percentage	1.0	2.439	ź	2.399	8 8								
					<u>_</u>										
Wetlands and deepwater habitats	USFWS	percentage	1.0	2.1		2.1	8 8								
	Source	Unit	Unit		Value		US Counties		<u> </u>		1				
	Source			2011	10-yr trend	2021	2011 2021								
Preservation Efforts (9th)			10%	3.5		3.5	9 9								
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	0.0		0.0	10 10								
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	1.3		1.3	6 6								
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	0.4		0.4	10 10								

				2011			2021
Preservation Efforts (9th)			10%	3.5	3.5	9	9
Statewide GAP 1 protected areas	USGS	percentage	2.0	0.0	 0.0	10	10
Statewide GAP 2 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.5	1.3	 1.3	6	6
Statewide GAP 3 protected areas	USGS	percentage	1.0	0.4	 0.4	10	10

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