

Pennsylvania State Briefing

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Executive Summary

POPULATION 12.8M	UNEMPLOYMENT 4.2% vs 4.4% national	FEDERAL GRANTS \$123.2B \$9,623/capita
CREDIT RATING (S&P) A+	SNAP HR1 TIER High Risk 13.3% PER	CONTRIBUTIONS \$4.7B

State of the State Preview

New Priorities	5
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- Affordability
- Agriculture
- Economy & Jobs
- Education
- Government Reform
- Healthcare
- Housing
- Infrastructure
- Public Safety
- Social Services
- Tax & Budget
- Technology

SNAP / HR1 Compliance Risk

HR1 Tier	High Risk
Payment Error Rate (FY2024)	13.26%
State Cost Share (enacted)	\$576.0M (15%)
SNAP Participants	1.8M

Housing

Median Home Value	\$259,900 vs \$310,700 national
Median Gross Rent	\$1,197 vs \$1,238 national
Homeownership Rate	69.5% vs 67.8% national
Rent Burden	29.7% vs 29.7% national

Energy

Residential Price	null¢/kWh
Monthly Bill Estimate	\$null
Energy Mix	0% renewable 0% fossil 0% nuclear

Health

Life Expectancy	76.9 yrs (rank 26/51) vs 77.1 national
Uninsured Rate	6.5% (rank 13/51) vs 9.5% national
Overdose Death Rate	40.8 (rank 41/51) vs 30.8 national
Obesity Rate	32.9% (rank 18/51) vs 33.5% national
Infant Mortality	5.8 (rank 27/51) vs 5.6 national

Water

Community Water Systems	1787
Violation Rate	null% vs 3.6% national avg

Education

NAEP Math (4th Grade)	238.2
NAEP Reading (4th Grade)	215.8

Broadband

Broadband Adoption	91% vs 92% national
No Internet	6.7% vs 5.4% national
Computer Ownership	94.5% vs 95.9% national

Infrastructure

Infrastructure Grade	B
Bridge Condition	34.4% good 53.5% fair 12.1% poor (23,314 total)

Fiscal Health

Total Revenue	\$171.5B
Total Expenditure	\$166.0B
Total Debt	\$37.5B
Debt Per Capita	\$2,894
Tax Burden Per Capita	\$1,786
Credit Ratings	S&P: A+ Moody's: Aa2 Fitch: AA

FEMA Disasters

Active Disasters	4
Declarations (10yr)	7
Public Assistance Funding	\$2.0B
Individual Assistance	\$70K

Top Federal Funding Agencies

Agency	Amount	DOGE Risk
Department of Health and Human Services	\$35.6B	medium
Department of Transportation	\$4.1B	low
Department of Education	\$1.8B	high
Department of Agriculture	\$1.8B	medium
Department of Housing and Urban Development	\$1.1B	high

Campaign Finance

Total Contributions	\$4.7B
Total Expenditures	\$4.2B
Data Source	Public Records