

Title: JUVENILE DRUG COURTS : A process, outcome, and impact evaluation (Article) --2015.

Source: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)

Pages: 9

Subject: 1. Courts, Specialty--Drug Courts. 2. Alcohol and Drug Abuse--Treatment.

Notes: "This bulletin provides an overview of an Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention-sponsored evaluation of drug court intervention programs, their processes, and key outcome features. The authors evaluated nine juvenile drug courts from three regions nationwide, assessing the relative effect of each court and the courts' combined effectiveness in reducing recidivism and improving youth's social functioning."

URL: <http://www.ojjdp.gov/pubs/248406.pdf>

Title: LOVELOCK CORRECTIONAL CENTER (LCC) YOUTHFUL OFFENDER TIER QUICK FACTS (Electronic Document)

Source: Nevada Department of Corrections

Pages: 3

Subject: 1. Juvenile Corrections. 2. Juvenile Justice--Sentencing--Nevada.

Notes: Fact sheet on Unit 9, housing unit for minor inmates (under the age of 18) convicted of felony crimes as adults and sentenced to prison

Exhibit F: Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice, 4-22-16

URL: <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Interim/78th2015/Exhibits/ChildWelfare/E042216F.pdf>

Title: NEVADA ASSOCIATION OF JUVENILE JUSTICE ADMINISTRATORS (Electronic Document) --2016.

Source: Nevada Association of Juvenile Justice Administrators (NAJJA)

Pages: 3

Subject: 1. Juvenile Justice.

Notes: Includes the history, purpose, and priority issues during the 2016 interim and for the 2017 Legislative Session

Exhibit E: Legislative Committee on Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice, 4-22-16

URL: <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Interim/78th2015/Exhibits/ChildWelfare/E042216E.pdf>

Title: THE NEVADA STATE DETECTIVES (Electronic Document) --2006.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 20

Subject: 1. Law Enforcement. 2. Nevada History.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000071002267/view/3>

Title: SPECIAL INTERESTS RUN AMOK : State Treasurer Eben Rhoades (Electronic Document) --2005.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 22

Subject: 1. Crime--Nevada. 2. Nevada History. 3. State Treasurer.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000071001797/view/39>

EDUCATION

Title: INSTRUCTIONAL STAFF SALARY AND BENEFITS SPENDING : 1991–2011 (Electronic Document) --2016.

Source: National Center for Education Statistics (NCES)

Pages: 2 **Series:** Data Point

Subject: 1. Compensation, Wages, and Hours. 2. Education--Personnel. 3. Education--Schools, Public. 4. Education--Teachers.

Notes: "This Data Point uses expenditure data from the Common Core of Data (CCD) "National Public Education Financial Survey (NPEFS)" for fiscal years 1991 to 2011 and instructional staff data from the CCD "State Nonfiscal Survey of Public Elementary/Secondary Education" for school years 1990–91 to 2010–11. This study includes information about expenditures on elementary and secondary education, expenditures on instructional staff salaries, and instructional staff benefits."

URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2016156>

Title: PRIMARY EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION ARRANGEMENTS AND ACHIEVEMENT AT KINDERGARTEN ENTRY
(Electronic Document) --2016.
Source: National Center for Education Statistics (NCES)
Pages: 60
Subject: 1. Education--Preschool.
Notes: "The report explores the relationship between children's primary early care and education (ECE) arrangements the year before kindergarten and their academic skills and learning behaviors at kindergarten entry, after accounting for child and family background characteristics. "
URL: <http://nces.ed.gov/pubsearch/pubsinfo.asp?pubid=2016070>

Title: THE STATE OF PRESCHOOL : *YEAR* state preschool yearbook (Book) --AN 2003--
Source: National Institute for Early Education Research (NIEER)
Pages: 175+
Subject: 1. Education--Preschool.
Notes: "The 2015 State of Preschool Yearbook is the newest edition of our annual report profiling state-funded prekindergarten programs in the United States. This latest Yearbook presents data on state-funded prekindergarten during the 2014-2015 school year as well as documenting more than a decade of change in state pre-K since the first Yearbook collected data on the 2001-2002 school year. The 2015 Yearbook profiles 57 state-funded pre-K programs in 42 states plus the District of Columbia and also provides narrative information on early education efforts in the 8 states and the U.S. territories that do not provide state-funded pre-K. Nationally, the 2014-2015 school year showed continues improvement in state funded pre-K with larger increases in enrollment, spending, spending per child, and quality standards than the previous year. State funded pre-K served almost 1.4 million children in 2014-2015, an increase of 37,167 children from the previous year. State spending topped \$6.2 billion, an increase of over \$553 million, although two-thirds of this increase can be attributed to New York. Spending per child saw the largest increase in a decade, reaching \$4,489 per child. Six programs in five states met new quality standards benchmarks and two new states, West Virginia and Mississippi, joined the group of states meeting all 10 quality standards benchmarks. However, progress has been unequal and uneven with some states taking large steps forward and other states moving backward. At the recent rate of progress it will take decades to serve even 50% of 4-year-olds in state pre-K. Government at every level will need to redouble their efforts and move forward."
Frequency: Annual
Holdings: 2003, 2005, 2010 through 2015
URL: <http://nieer.org/yearbook/> (2003 through current ed.)

Title: THE TRANSFER PLAYBOOK : Essential practices for two- and four-year colleges (Electronic Document) --2016.
Source: Aspen Institute
Community College Research Center (CCRC)
Pages: 60
Subject: 1. Community Colleges. 2. Universities and Colleges--Curriculum. 3. Universities and Colleges--Students.
Notes: "Most students entering community college aim to earn a bachelor's degree. But, as shown in a study released by CCRC, The Aspen Institute, and the National Student Clearinghouse Research Center earlier in 2016 (see: Tracking Transfer: New Measures of Institutional and State Effectiveness in Helping College Students Attain Bachelor's Degrees), a relatively small portion of these students transfer and earn a bachelor's degree within six years.

This playbook is a practical guide to designing and implementing a key set of practices that will help community colleges and their four-year college partners improve transfer outcomes. The playbook is based on the practices of six sets of community colleges and universities that together serve transfer students well. These institutions have higher than expected rates of bachelor's degree attainment for degree-seeking students who start at community college and transfer to a four-year institution—after accounting for their student demographics and institutional characteristics."
URL: <http://ccrc.tc.columbia.edu/publications/transfer-playbook-essential-practices.html>

ENVIRONMENT & NATURAL RESOURCES

Title: **MANAGING WATER FOR THE ENVIRONMENT DURING DROUGHT : Lessons from Victoria, Australia** (Electronic Document) --2016.

Source: Public Policy Institute of California (PPIC)

Pages: 24

Subject: 1. Water Conservation. 2. Water Planning.

Notes: "Drought management tools developed to sustain Australia's environment during a decade-long drought are broadly applicable in California and could help the state's water managers reduce the devastating effects of water scarcity on native species and ecosystems. This report identifies four broad areas of reform that could improve how the state allocates environmental water during dry times, and reduce conflict over the use of water for environmental purposes."

URL: <http://www.ppic.org/main/publication.asp?i=1203>

GOVERNMENT & POLITICS

Title: **BENEFIT WISE** (Electronic Document) --AN 2009--

Source: Public Employees' Benefits Program (PEBP)

Pages: 4

Subject: 1. Employment Benefits. 2. Insurance, Group. 3. Public Employees.

Notes: Newsletter includes plan design changes, frequently asked questions, etc.
Pre December 2015 title: Health Matters

Frequency: Irregular

Holdings: 2009 through current

URL: <https://pebp.state.nv.us/resources/newsletters/> (Fall 2015 through current)

Title: **THE FIRST BATTLE FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE IN NEVADA : 1869-1871--correcting and expanding the record** (Electronic Document) --1995.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 15

Subject: 1. Elections--Nevada. 2. Elections--Voter Registration. 3. Nevada History. 4. Women.

Notes: Written by Jean Ford and James W. Hulse

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/00000071001474/view/15>

Title: **PAYING FOR LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE IN A NEW ERA OF FEDERALISM : A state-by-state analysis** (Electronic Document) --2016.

Source: National League of Cities, Center for City Solutions and Applied Research

Pages: 24

Subject: 1. Finances and Funds, Local. 2. Highways and Roads--Funding. 3. Infrastructure. 4. Local Government. 5. Taxation. 6. Transportation. 7. Water Systems.

Notes: "The ability of cities to meaningfully address our nation's vast infrastructure challenges is bound by levers authorized to them by states. This report offers a state-by-state analysis of local option taxes and fees, including motor vehicle fees, sales and fuel taxes, as well as emerging mechanisms like state infrastructure banks and public-private partnerships."

URL: <http://www.nlc.org/find-city-solutions/city-solutions-and-applied-research/infrastructure/local-infrastructure-funding-report>

Title: **RANKING THE STATES BY FISCAL CONDITION** (Electronic Document) --2016.

Source: Mercatus Research

Pages: 168

Subject: 1. Finances and Funds, State.

Notes: "A new study for the Mercatus Center at George Mason University ranks each US state's financial health based on short- and long-term debt and other key fiscal obligations, such as unfunded pensions and healthcare benefits. This 2016 edition updates the version the Mercatus Center published in 2015. Using the approach pioneered in 2015, the 2016 edition presents information from each state's audited financial report in an easily accessible format, this time including Puerto Rico to provide a benchmark of poor fiscal performance."
Nevada ranked 13th

URL: <http://mercatus.org/statefiscalrankings>

Title: ROSTER OF *TYPE* ELECTION CANDIDATES FOR THE NEVADA STATE LEGISLATURE : *Year* Regular Session
(Series) --AN 2010--
Source: Legislative Counsel Bureau, Research Division
Pages: Unp
Subject: 1. Elections--Legislative.
Notes: Titles include: *TYPE* Candidates for the Nevada Legislature, Roster of General Election Candidates; Roster of Primary Election Candidates
Includes list of candidates, party affiliation, and legislative districts for the primary and general elections
Frequency: Biennial
Holdings: 3-24-2010, 6-9-2010, 3-30-2012, 6-4-2012 rev., 6-27-2012, 3-14-2014, 6-27-2014, 3-21-2016, 3-30-2016, 6-15-2016
URL: • <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2016Ballot/2016GeneralCandidates.pdf> (General: 6-15-16 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2016Ballot/2016PrimaryCandidates.pdf> (Primary: 3-30-16 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2014Ballot/2014GeneralCandidates.pdf> (General: 6-27-14 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2014Ballot/2014PrimaryCandidates.pdf> (Primary: 3-14-14 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2012Ballot/2012GeneralCandidates.pdf> (General: 6-27-12 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2012Ballot/2012PrimaryCandidates.pdf> (Primary: 6-4-12 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2010Ballot/2010GeneralCandidates.pdf> (General: 6-9-10 ed.)
• <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/VoteNV/2010Ballot/2010PrimaryCandidates.pdf> (Primary: 3-24-10 ed.)

Title: TERESA BENITEZ : Nevada graduate readies for political life with social activism (Article) --2003.
Source: Nevada Silver & Blue
Pages: 4
Subject: 1. Legislators--Nevada.
Notes: Lights Shining Bright: Five members of the university community who have worked hard to make the world a better place
URL: <http://www.unr.edu/silverandblue/archive/2003/winter/winter17.html>

HEALTH & WELFARE

Title: AIMING HIGHER : Results from a state scorecard on health system performance, 2009 (Book) --AN 2009--
Source: Commonwealth Fund
Pages: 45+
Subject: 1. Health Care.
Notes: "Focused on identifying opportunities to improve, The Commonwealth Fund's State Scorecard on Health System Performance assesses states' performance on health care relative to achievable benchmarks for 38 indicators of access, quality, costs, and health outcomes. The 2009 State Scorecard paints a picture of health care systems under stress, with deteriorating health insurance coverage for adults and rising health care costs. On a positive note, there were gains in children's coverage as a result of national reforms, and improvement in some measures of hospital and nursing home care following federal efforts to publicly report quality data. The scorecard highlights persistent wide variation in performance across states and continued evidence of poor care coordination. Increasing cost pressures and deterioration in access across the U.S., together with geographic disparities in performance, underscore the urgent need for comprehensive national reforms to ensure access, change the trajectory of costs, and enhance value."
Frequency: Annual
Holdings: 2009, 2015
URL: <http://www.commonwealthfund.org/publications/health-system-scorecards> (2006 to current eds.)

Title: DEMOGRAPHIC SUBGROUP TRENDS AMONG ADOLESCENTS IN THE USE OF VARIOUS LICIT AND ILLICIT DRUGS : 1975-2015 (Electronic Document) --2016.
Source: University of Michigan
Pages: 500+ **Series:** Monitoring the Future Occasional Paper 86
Subject: 1. Drugs, Illegal. 2. Drugs, Legal.
Notes: Graphic companion to volume I of "Monitoring the Future: National survey results on drug use, 1975-2015"
URL: <http://monitoringthefuture.org/pubs/occpapers/mtf-occ86.pdf>

Title: NEVADA DIVISION OF PUBLIC AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH : Program Guide 2016 (Exhibit) --2016.

Source: Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health (DPBH)

Pages: 49

Subject: 1. Mental Health Programs.

Notes: "We are a large governmental agency with over 1,500 staff members and four branches with various programs. This Program Guide is designed to give you an overview of these programs and better direct you to needed services."

Exhibit N: Legislative Committee on Health Care, 3-23-16

URL: <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Interim/78th2015/Exhibits/HealthCare/E032316N.pdf>

Title: OUTBREAKS : Protecting Americans from infectious diseases (Electronic Document) --2015.

Source: Trust for America's Health (TFAH)

Pages: 116

Subject: 1. Infectious Diseases.

Notes: Report "found that more than half (28) of states scored a five or lower out of 10 key indicators related to preventing, detecting, diagnosing and responding to outbreaks. Five states—Delaware, Kentucky, Maine, New York and Virginia—tied for the top score, achieving eight out of 10 indicators. Seven states—Idaho, Kansas, Michigan, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon and Utah—tied for the lowest score at three out of 10.

The report, from TFAH and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF), concluded that the United States must redouble efforts to better protect the country from new infectious disease threats, such as MERS-CoV and antibiotic-resistant superbugs, and resurging illnesses like whooping cough, tuberculosis and gonorrhea."

URL: <http://healthyamericans.org/reports/outbreaks2015/>

Title: TOBACCO USE AND TOBACCO CONTROL POLICY IN NEVADA (Exhibit) --2015.

Source: University of Nevada School of Medicine

Pages: 2

Subject: 1. Smoking.

Notes: Chart shows the prevalence of smoking between adults and youth, and State of Nevada spending on tobacco control, 1993-2015

Exhibit J: Legislative Committee on Health Care, 3-23-16

URL: <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Interim/78th2015/Exhibits/HealthCare/E032316J.pdf>

Title: VETERANS HOMELESSNESS IN THE STATE OF NEVADA : Landscape of initiatives addressing homelessness and veterans nationwide and in Nevada (Exhibit) --2014.

Source: Nevada Department of Veterans Services

Pages: 50

Subject: 1. Housing. 2. Indigent Persons. 3. Veterans.

Notes: Exhibit Q: Legislative Committee on Senior Citizens, Veterans and Adults with Special Needs, 2-22-16

URL: <https://www.leg.state.nv.us/interim/78th2015/Committee/StatCom/SeniorVetSpecial/Other/22-February-2016/4KatherineMillerVeteransHomelessnessintheStateofNevadaAgendaItemIV.PDF>

NEVADA

Title: HISPANICS : Changing the face of Nevada (Book) --2016.

Source: RCG Economics

Pages: 32

Subject: 1. Demographics. 2. Minorities.

Notes: Statistics from 2000-2013 and trend forecasted 1980-2033

URL: <http://www.rcg1.com/nevada-by-the-numbers-blog/nevadas-population-is-diversifying-rapidly-hispanics-lead-growth/>

Title: LAS VEGAS PERSPECTIVE *YEAR* (Book) --AN 1987--

Source: Metropolitan Research Association (MRA)

Pages: 80+

Subject: 1. Demographics. 2. Las Vegas.

Notes: Includes sections on demographics, lifestyle, business and industry, real estate, retail, tourism

Frequency: Annual

Holdings: 1987, 1991, 1997, 2000, 2001, 2003 through 2016

Title: MARK TWAIN IN NEVADA (Electronic Document) --2008.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 4

Subject: 1. Nevada History.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000073096230/view>

Title: MARK TWAIN'S RETURN FROM AURORA (Electronic Document) --2008.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 13

Subject: 1. Nevada History.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000073096230/view>

Title: MARK TWAIN'S ROUTE TO LAKE TAHOE (Electronic Document) --2008.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 11

Subject: 1. Lake Tahoe. 2. Nevada History.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000073096230/view>

Title: NOTES & DOCUMENTS : Mark Twain's Virginia City; The 1864 bird's eye views of Grafton Brown (Electronic Document) --2008.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 8

Subject: 1. Nevada History.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000073096230/view>

Title: SAM CLEMENS AND THE WILDLAND FIRE AT LAKE TAHOE (Electronic Document) --2008.

Source: Nevada Historical Society Quarterly

Pages: 13

Subject: 1. Lake Tahoe. 2. Nevada History. 3. Wildfire.

URL: <http://www.nsladigitalcollections.org/quarterly#/item/000000073096230/view>

TRANSPORTATION

Title: AIRLINE QUALITY RATING (Electronic Document)

Source: Purdue University
Wichita State University

Pages: 50+

Subject: 1. Airports. 2. Aviation.

Notes: "The Airline Quality Rating . . . is a summary of month-by-month quality ratings for U.S. airlines that have at least 1% of domestic passenger volume . . . Using the Airline Quality Rating system of weighted averages and monthly performance data in the areas of on-time arrivals, involuntary denied boardings, mishandled baggage, and a combination of 12 customer complaint categories, airlines' comparative performance for the calendar year . . . is reported. This research monograph contains a brief summary of the AQR methodology, detailed data and charts that track comparative quality for domestic airline operations for the 12-month period . . . and industry results."

Frequency: Annual

URL: <http://www.airlinequalityrating.com/> (1991-current eds.)

Title: TAKING OFF : State unmanned aircraft systems policies (Electronic Document) --2016.

Source: National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL)

Pages: 32

Subject: 1. Aviation.

Notes: A.k.a. UAV, UAS, drones

"This report begins with a brief definition of UAS. Federal actions related to UAS then are highlighted, followed by comprehensive details on the wide range of related topics that state legislatures have explored, including preemption, privacy implications, hobbyists, insurance, commercial and governmental uses, criminal penalties for misuse, uses related to hunting and fishing, security concerns, and studies and task forces. This report focuses primarily on enacted state legislation, although it should be noted that a number of state agencies and localities have adopted regulations and developed ordinances regarding UAS. Furthermore, some state laws and legislative action may be "technology-neutral," meaning that, although they do not specifically mention UAS operation, existing laws, such as those related to hunting or privacy, may still apply to certain UAS operations. These technology-neutral laws are not addressed in this report."

URL: <http://www.ncsl.org/research/transportation/taking-off-state-unmanned-aircraft-systems-policies.aspx>