

# Child and Family Poverty in Toronto

## Unequal Country

Low-income children in...

QUEBEC CITY	10%
HALTON	10%
TORONTO	27%

## Unequal City



## Unequal Neighbourhoods

Children in the most diverse neighbourhoods:

**4x** more likely to live on a low income

**MOST**  
CHILD POVERTY:

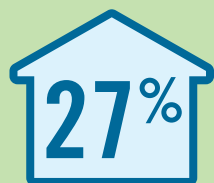
- 58% Regent Park
- 52% Thorncliffe Park
- 50% Oakridge

**LEAST**  
CHILD POVERTY:

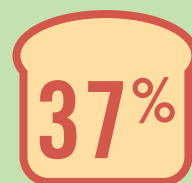
- 5% Lawrence Park North
- 4% Lawrence Park South
- 4% Leaside-Bennington

## Unequal Living Conditions

Toronto families living in sub-standard housing

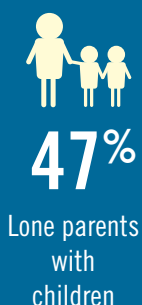
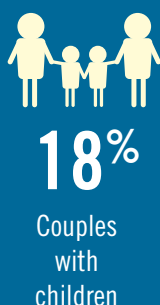


Children using food banks who go a day or more without food each year



## Unequal Families

Percentage of low-income families:



## Unequal Opportunities

Lowest-income children are:

**7x** more likely **NOT** to participate in sports and arts programs

**4x** more likely **NOT** to participate in early learning

**2x** more likely to have physical vulnerabilities in Kindergarten

**2x** more likely **NOT** to meet Grade 3 provincial standard in math



Source: Divided City: Life in Canada's Child Poverty Capital. 2016 Toronto Child and Family Poverty Report Card.