There is unfinished business for girls in the United States.

And, where girls live matters.

State Ranking of Girls' Well-Being

State Ranking (1=best)
- 1–13
- 14–25
- 25–37
- 38–50

Girls' Well-Being = Physical Health and Safety + Emotional Health + Economic Well-Being + Education + Extracurricular Activities

Best states for a girl to live:

1. New Hampshire
2. North Dakota
3. South Dakota
4. Massachusetts
5. Vermont

States in the South are the most challenging places for girls to live.

Where does your state rank?

What more could your state do for girls?

Data is not destiny! Let's ensure that all girls have the opportunity to reach their fullest potential.

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