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Abstract

We continue support the Federal Bank of Boston “Working Cities” challenge which aims to support social and economic recovery of underperforming small and mid-sized cities in the New England region. We continue to extend our data profiles of these cities located in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and now Connecticut. It is our hope that these data ‘rich” profiles which includes key indicators on health, population and demographic changes, industrial growth, and educational performance can not only support policy development in these targeted areas, but also help in monitoring the progress these cities make over time.

Keywords

Working Cities, Mosakowski Institute, Clark University, Data Profiles, Rhode Island, North Providence

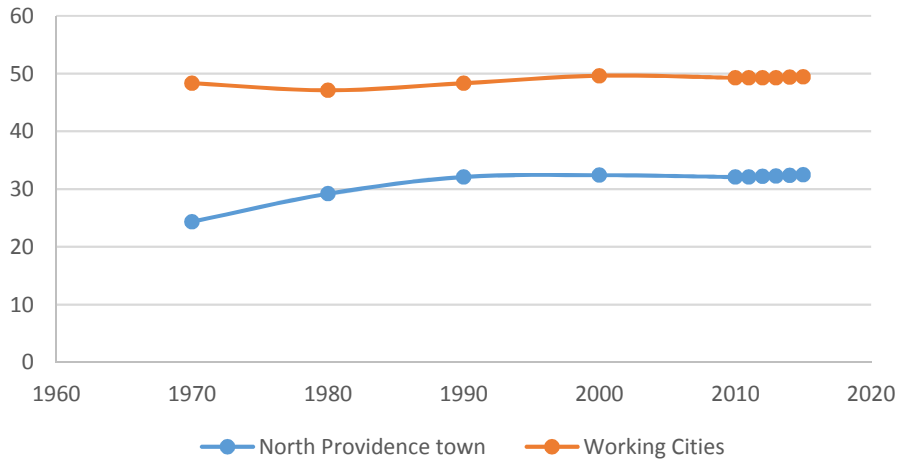
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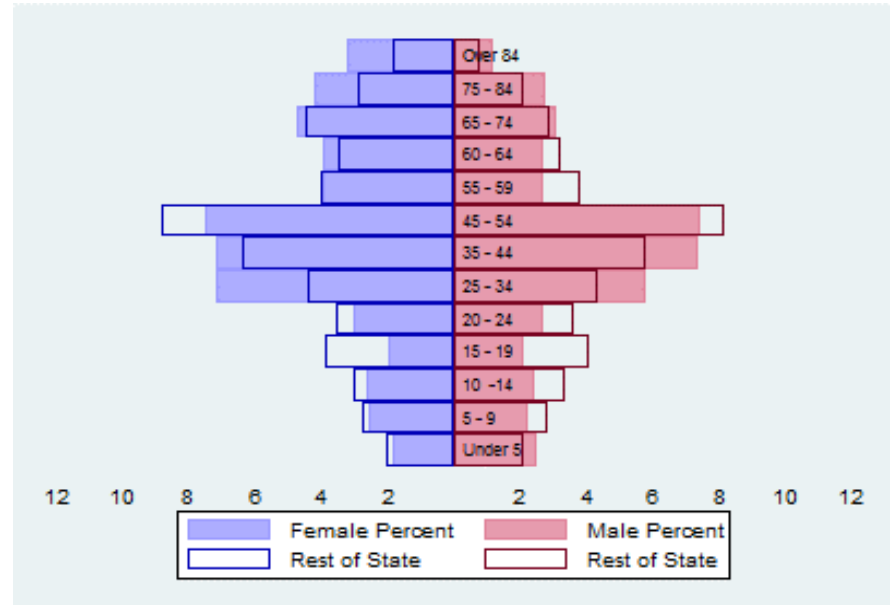
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The Population

City Population 1970 to 2014



Population Distribution by Age Group



Population Distribution by Race and Ethnicity

percentage of the total	2000	2013	Cities 2013	2013
White	89.8	83.3	73.7	75.7
Black	2.5	7.5	5.0	5.3
Asian	1.8	1.6	3.2	3.0
Foreign-Born	9.8	9.8	13.9	13.1
Hispanic	3.8	6.0	15.1	12.9
Origin as percent of Hispanic				
Central America	5.7	21.8	14.6	17.3
Dominican Republic	7.4	11.7	9.4	17.1
Mexico	10.5	0.6	2.6	2.6
Puerto Rico	19.3	4.7	10.3	9.8

Recent Demographic Behavior

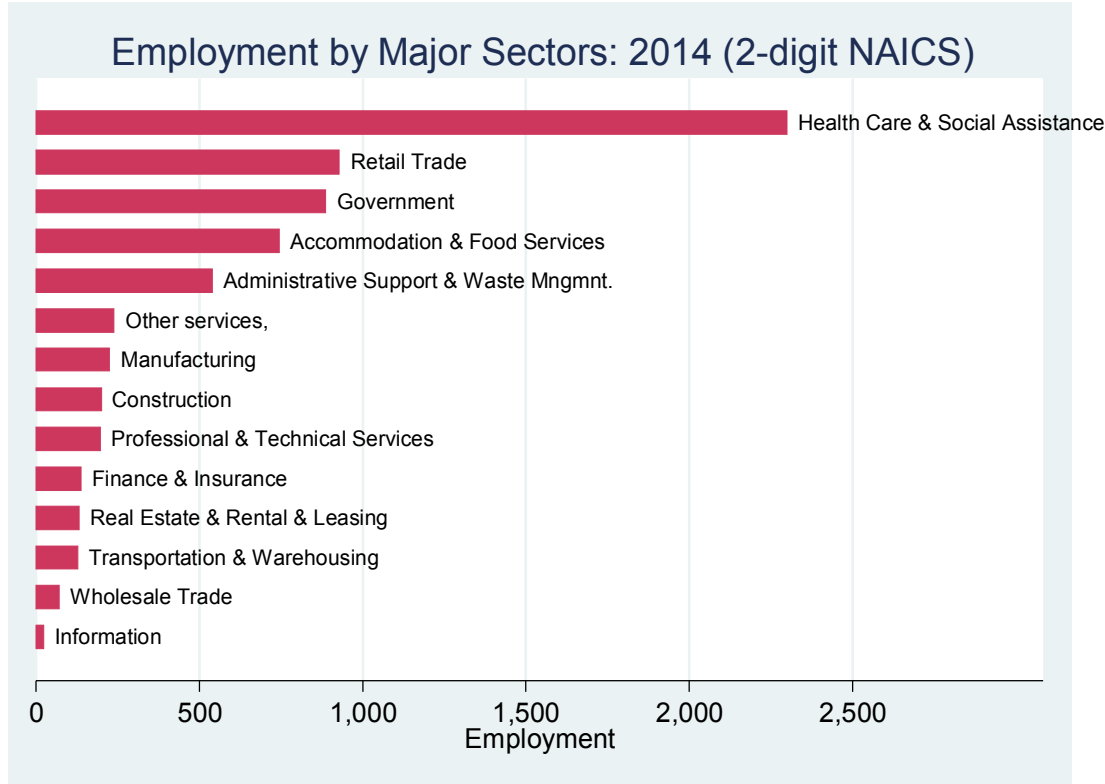
Indicator	North Providence	Working Cities	State
Birth Rate (per 1,000 females 15-44)	51.1	57.8	59.6
Low birthweight (<2.5 kg. % of births)	8.5	8.6	7.9
Births to teen mothers (15-19 years)†	6.3	10.9	9.0
Birth rate of teen mothers‡	3.1	3.7	2.9
Infant mortality (per 1,000 live births)	1.8	6.1	6.4
Mortality rate (per 100,000 residents)	1180.0	938.0	950.0

†As percent of all births

‡Per 1,000 females aged 15-19 years

The Local Economy

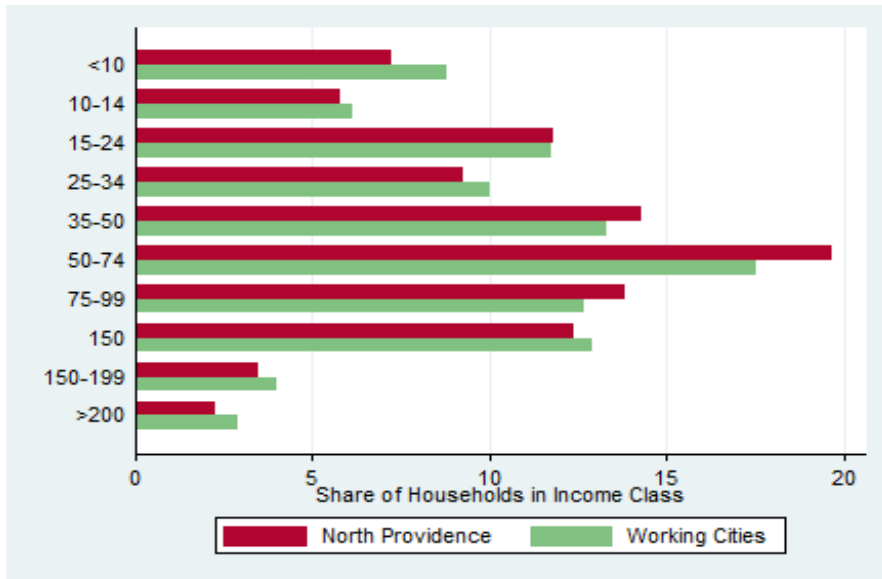
Employment by Major Sectors: 2012 (2-digit NAICS)



The Five Largest Industries: 2012 (4-digit NAICS Industries)

Description	NAICS	Employess
General medical and surgical hospitals	6221	1000-2499
Restaurants	7225	500-999
Computer systems design and services	5415	250-499
Nursing Facilities	6231	250-499
Grocery stores	4451	250-499

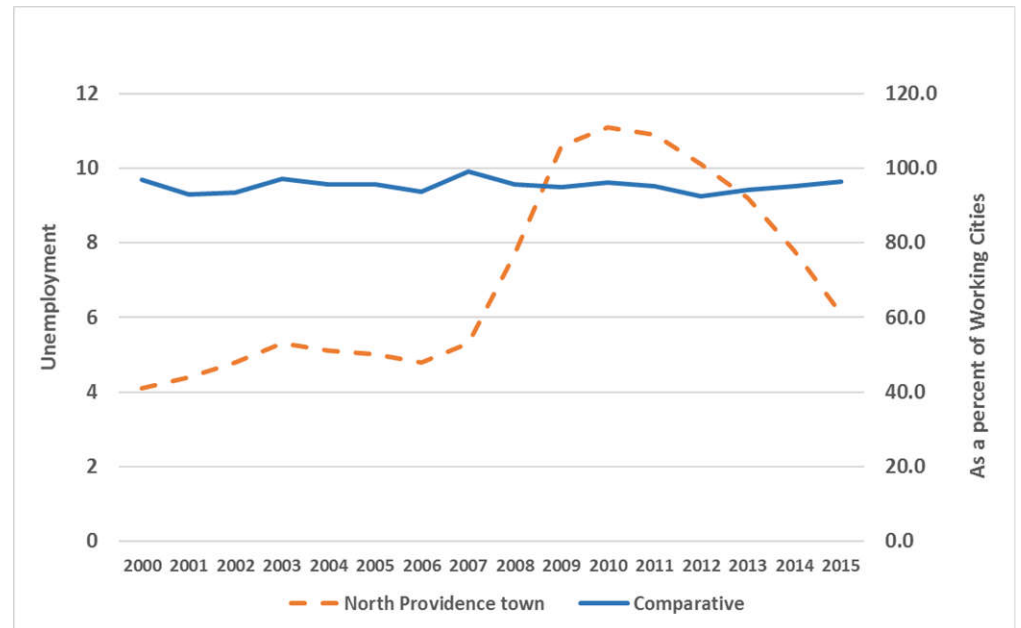
Distribution of Households by Income Class (in \$1,000)



Key Indicators of Income and Commuting

Indicator	North Providence	Working Cities
Median Family Income (\$)	53,078	50,837
Families below Poverty Line (%)	7.5	12.3
Children < 18 below Poverty Line (%)	12.3	19.3
Families with Food Assistance (%)	11.3	17.1
Commute with Public Transit (%)	2.7	2.6

Unemployment Rate: 2000-2015

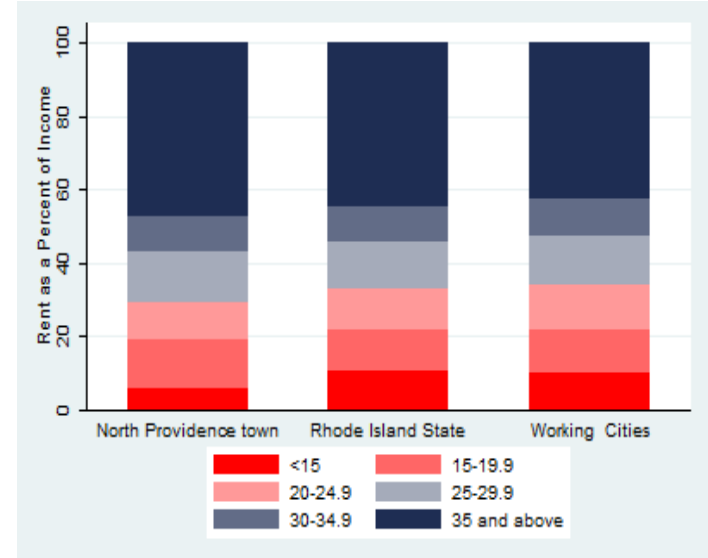


Housing

Housing Market Indicators in 2013

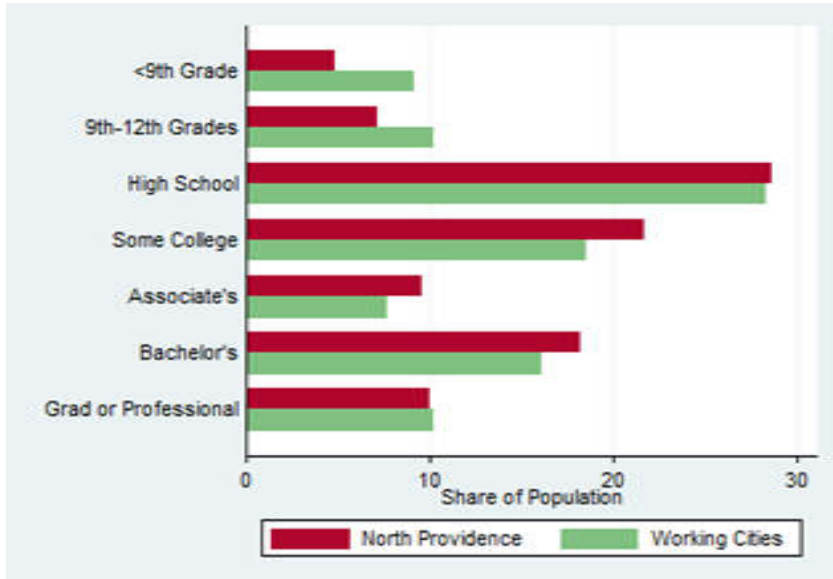
Indicator	North Providence	Working Cities	State
Share owner-occupied	62.8	54.7	61.2
Median Home Value	214,500	226,192	247,400
Average Size of Owner-Occupied Households	2.4	2.6	2.6
Average Size of Tenant Households	1.8	2.2	2.2

Housing Affordability



Education

Educational Attainment of the Population Aged 25 and Older



Civic Engagement

Voting Behaviour in 2014

	North Providence town	Working Cities
Registered Voters as a percent of registered Voters	101.0	85.6
Voters in 2014 election as percent of registered voters	41.7	65.2
Voters in 2014 election as percent of population aged 18 and above	42.1	55.8

Not-for-Profit Sector

Indicator (in \$ per capita)	North Providence	Working Cities	State
Assets of Education, Finance and Medical Non-Profits	2,401.05	11,450.84	16,053.18
Assets of Other Non-Profits	667.65	10,384.89	45,501.65
Revenue of Education, Finance and Medical Non-Profits	4,455.82	4,966.32	6,117.99
Revenue of Other Non-Profits	703.50	4,067.27	25,333.23

Other Non-Profits

Name	Revenues	Assets	Area
ADELPHOI LODGE NO 33	0.1	1.1	Membership Benefit
WOODWARD RD SOCIAL CLUB	0.0	0.0	Sports
RHODE ISLAND JUVENILE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION	0.1	0.0	Crime & Law
STELLA AMOAH CANCER FOUNDATION SACF	0.0	0.0	Diseases
AMERICAN LEGION	0.0	0.0	Public Benefit
SUNNYSIDE RECREATION CLUB	0.0	0.0	Sports