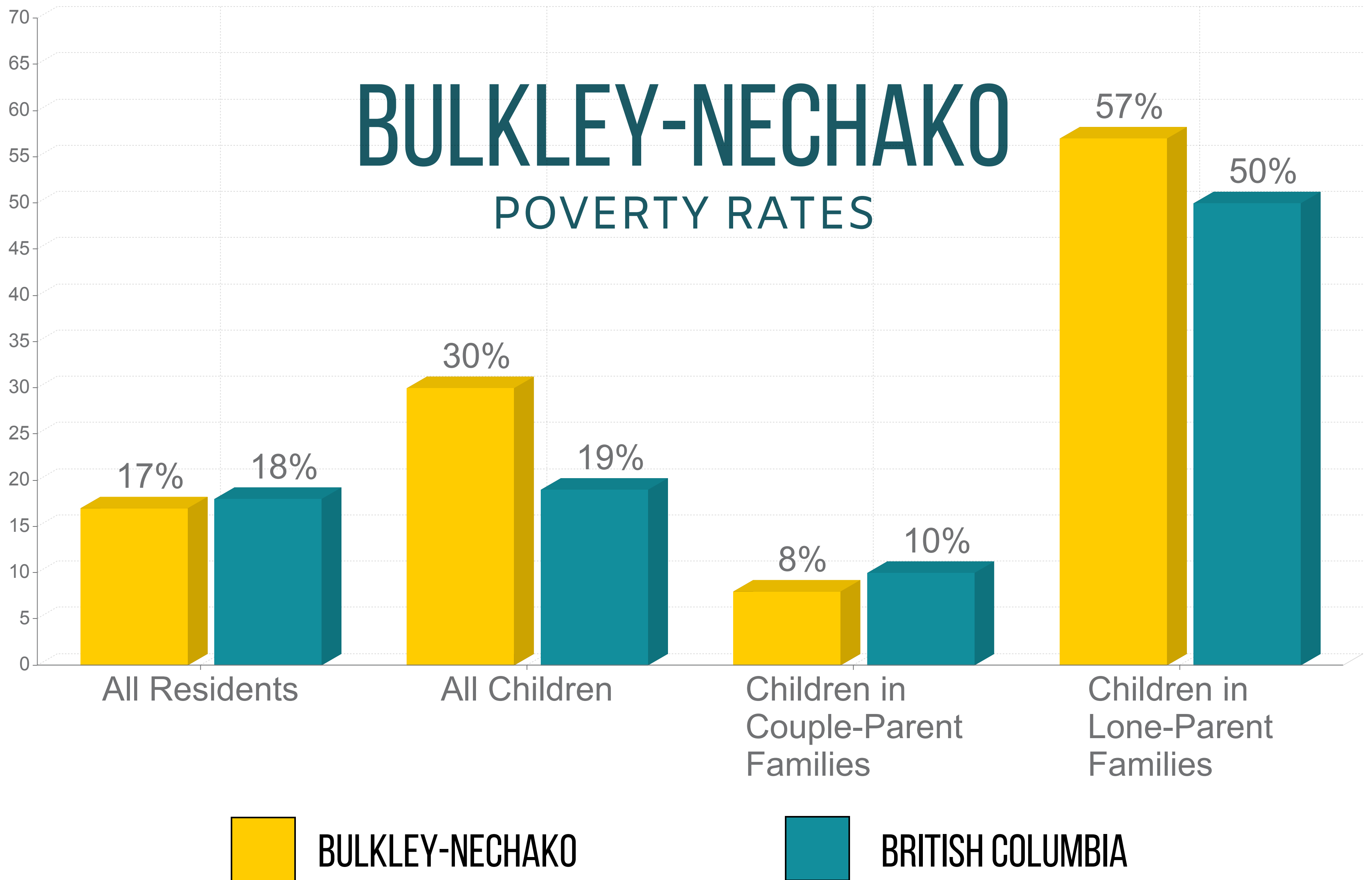


BC REGIONAL POVERTY STATISTICS



REGIONAL HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE 2020 BC POVERTY REPORT CARD

BULKLEY-NECHAKO

In the Bulkley-Nechako region, 1,970 (1 in 5) children live in poverty. Children in lone-parent families are at particular risk with child poverty rates seven times higher than the rate for children in couple-parent families. This region's lone-parent child poverty rate is 7 percentage points higher than the provincial average, whereas the couple-family child poverty rate is 2 percentage points lower than the provincial average. The child poverty rate is 4 percentage points higher than the all-residents poverty rate in this region.

17 %

of all residents live in poverty



21 %

of children live in poverty

1,970

children live in poverty



8 %

poverty rate for children in couple-parent families

57 %

poverty rate for children in lone-parent families



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