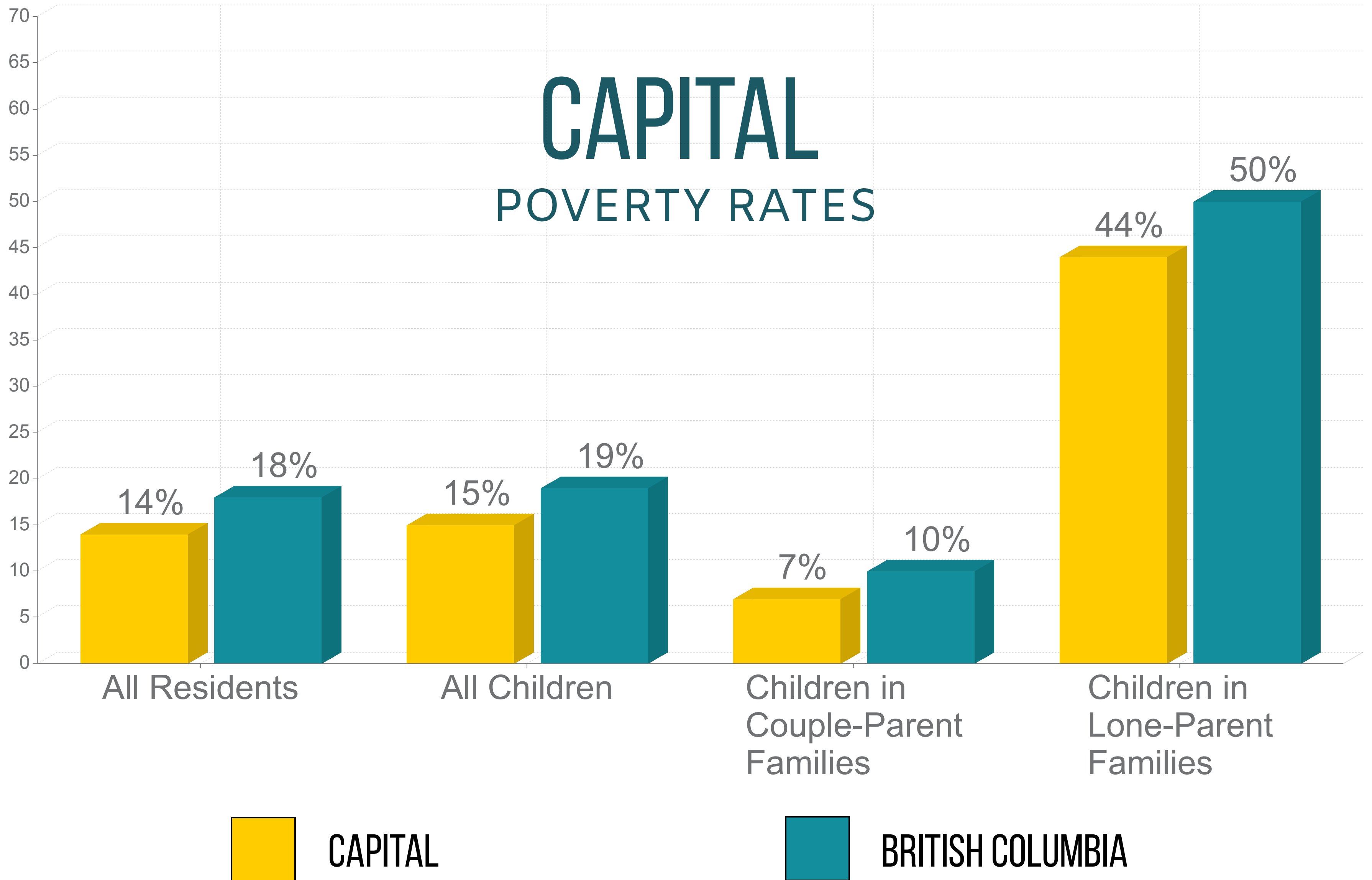


BC REGIONAL POVERTY STATISTICS



REGIONAL HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE 2020 BC POVERTY REPORT CARD

CAPITAL

In the Capital region, 9,290 (1 in 7) children live in poverty. This region has the second lowest poverty rate in BC and the lowest rate for children in lone-parent families of all regions. However, children in lone-parent families in this region have a poverty rate that is three times higher than the overall regional child poverty rate. Their poverty rate is also more than six times higher than the rate for children in couple-parent families.

14 %

of all residents live in poverty



15 %

of children live in poverty

9,290

children live in poverty



7 %

poverty rate for children in couple-parent families

44 %

poverty rate for children in lone-parent families



firstcall BC CHILD AND YOUTH
ADVOCACY COALITION

sparc bc
people. planning. positive change.

Read the full report at still1in5.ca