Education is a particular strength in Canada (15th), with 99.8% of the population enrolling in secondary school and women spending an average of 15.7 years in school, some of the highest rates seen anywhere in the world.

Rates of suicide in the United States (20th) stand at 14.5 deaths per 100,000 population, contributing to the country’s low ranking for mental health (135th).

The United States ranks 4th for both Enterprise Conditions and Infrastructure and Market Access, a reflection of its status as a leading country for business. The United States enjoys the highest availability of skilled workers in the world.

Fiscal Sustainability declined sharply in the United States, as the pandemic has impacted the government’s balance sheet. Debt now exceeds $28 trillion, an increase of nearly $5 trillion in the past 14 months.