



County Population: 93,621
County Poverty Rate: 10.8%
 Population for whom poverty status is determined: 92,037
 Population Under 18 for whom poverty is determined: 21,759
 Population 25 & over for whom education/poverty status determined: 63,391
 Population Over 65 for whom poverty is determined: 12,835

Wayne County Poverty Profile

Individuals in Poverty10.8% (9,946)
 Children (under 18) in Poverty16.0% (3,490)
 Adults 25+ in Poverty8.6% (5,462)
 Senior Citizens (age 65+) in Poverty..... 7.5% (965)

Race & Poverty

Whites Living in Poverty9.4% (8,110)
 African Americans Living in Poverty42.6% (1,370)
 Hispanics/Latinos Living in Poverty21.3% (701)

Education & Poverty

Adults, 25+, with High School Degree Only34.8% (22,037)
 Living in Poverty.....10.2% (2,258)
 Adults, 25+, with Associate's Degree32.0% (20,306)
 Living in Poverty.....5.7% (1,148)
 Adults, 25+, with at least Bachelor's Degree20.9% (13,244)
 Living in Poverty2.6% (346)

Employment & Poverty

Unemployment Rate.....7.7%
 Median Income\$52,943
 Median Income with High School Degree\$27,666
 Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household\$42,745
 Hourly Wage for FMR, 2 BR Apartment\$15.37

Health & Poverty

Infant Mortality Rate.....4.2
 Low Birth Weight Rate.....7.1
 No Health Insurance
 Employed9.6%
 Unemployed.....26.5%
 Children Eligible for Free/Reduced
 Lunch Program.....42%

Gender & Poverty

Median Male Income
 High School Diploma Only.....\$35,179
 Median Female Income
 High School Diploma Only\$21,407
 Families - Female Head of Household
 w/Children Living in Poverty
 38.8%

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