



Opportunities
for Broome, Inc.
helping people, changing lives

5 W. State Street
Binghamton, NY 13901
607-723-6493

County Population:
196,124

*Population for whom poverty
status is determined:*

Overall
185,949

Population Under 18
37,278

Population 25 & Over
127,201

Population over 65
33,501

17.1%
**COUNTY
POVERTY
RATE**

Living In Poverty

Individuals	17.1%	31,795
Children (Under 18)	23.0%	8,571
Adults 25+	12.7%	16,112
Senior Citizens 65+	7.4%	2,467

Broome County

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Race & Poverty

White	13.5% (21,802)
African American	42.6% (4,451)
Hispanic/Latino	39.9% (2,726)



Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 127,201

Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
■ 9.2% (11,728)	■ 31.1% (39,533)	■ 31.3% (39,756)	■ 28.5% (36,184)
Total*	Total*	Total*	Total*
■ 34.2% (4,016)	■ 14.4% (5,702)	■ 11.1% (4,401)	■ 5.5% (1,993)
Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty

*DUE TO ROUNDING, PERCENTAGES MAY NOT ADD UP PRECISELY TO 100%.



Living Wage for
1 Adult, 1 Child
Household
\$25.36

Employment & Poverty

Hourly Wage for
FMR, 2BR Apartment
\$15.02

Median Income
\$34,903

Median Income
w/High School Diploma
\$27,220

Health & Poverty

No Health Insurance

Employed	6.5%
Unemployed	19.5%

Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **62%**

Gender & Poverty

High School
Diploma Only



Median
Earnings
\$31,286



Median
Earnings
\$22,756

Of Those Families with
Female Heads of Household
and Children Present

44.8%
Live in Poverty