



9882 River Road
Utica, NY 13502
315-624-9930

County Population:
62,943

Population for whom poverty status is determined:

Overall

61,769

Population Under 18

12,960

Population 25 & Over

43,417

Population over 65

11,462

14.9%
COUNTY
POVERTY
RATE

Living In Poverty

Individuals	14.9%	9,201
Children (Under 18)	23.1%	2,994
Adults 25+	11.9%	5,185
Senior Citizens 65+	8.2%	944

Herkimer County

Mohawk Valley Community Action Agency, Inc.

www.mvcaa.com

Race & Poverty

White	14.7% (8,713)
African American	36.0% (242)
Hispanic/Latino	22.9% (285)



Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 43,417

Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
10.1% (4,397)	36.2% (15,695)	32.8% (14,258)	20.9% (9,067)
Total*	Total*	Total*	Total*
25.0% (1,099)	14.5% (2,275)	9.6% (1,362)	5.0% (449)
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 \$15.00	Median Income \$33,637
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Health & Poverty

No Health Insurance

Employed	8.0%
Unemployed	18.5%

Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **61%**

Gender & Poverty

High School Diploma Only



Median Earnings
\$34,427



Median Earnings
\$21,700

Of Those Families with
Female Heads of Household
and Children Present

39.4%
Live in Poverty