



# Map the Meal Gap 2013

## Alaska Child Food Insecurity by County in 2011 <sup>1</sup>



County	Food insecurity rate (full population) <sup>2</sup>	Population under 18 years old	Child food insecurity rate <sup>2</sup>	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>3</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>3</sup>
Aleutians East Borough	20.2%	221	25.5%	60	62%	38%
Aleutians West Census Area	17.0%	825	17.5%	140	41%	59%
Anchorage Municipality	12.6%	74,716	16.4%	12,280	54%	46%
Bethel Census Area	19.9%	6,187	27.6%	1,710	83%	17%
Bristol Bay Borough	11.0%	267	14.5%	40	32%	68%
Denali Borough	14.2%	354	22.1%	80	31%	69%
Dillingham Census Area	17.9%	1,607	25.3%	410	76%	24%
Fairbanks North Star Borough	13.1%	24,813	16.8%	4,180	53%	47%
Haines Borough	12.4%	544	16.1%	90	15%	85%
Hoonah-Angoon Census Area	20.1%	384	29.5%	110	80%	20%
Juneau City and Borough	11.0%	7,404	15.2%	1,120	46%	54%
Kenai Peninsula Borough	13.2%	13,149	18.5%	2,430	62%	38%
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	13.8%	3,227	17.9%	580	52%	48%
Kodiak Island Borough	14.2%	3,907	19.8%	770	53%	47%
Lake and Peninsula Borough	16.1%	473	23.5%	110	54%	46%
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	12.4%	25,134	18.7%	4,690	53%	48%
Nome Census Area	20.9%	3,228	28.7%	930	87%	13%
North Slope Borough	14.2%	2,907	18.3%	530	52%	48%
Northwest Arctic Borough	20.9%	2,656	28.0%	740	89%	11%
Petersburg Census Area	13.8%	835	19.5%	160	39%	62%
Prince of Wales-Hyder Census Area	18.7%	1,408	27.9%	390	84%	16%
Sitka City and Borough	12.8%	1,972	17.0%	330	42%	58%
Skagway Municipality	17.5%	214	26.2%	60	14%	86%
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	15.6%	1,931	21.8%	420	63%	37%
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	12.3%	2,366	16.2%	380	55%	45%
Wade Hampton Census Area	25.4%	3,118	35.6%	1,110	100%	0%
Wrangell City and Borough	12.5%	563	18.8%	110	58%	43%
Yakutat City and Borough	15.5%	149	19.1%	30	43%	57%
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	20.6%	1,538	30.8%	470	80%	20%
<b>State Total<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>14.7%</b>	<b>182,576</b>	<b>20.3%</b>	<b>37,640</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>35%</b>

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit [www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap](http://www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap).

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<sup>1</sup>Map the Meal Gap's child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2011 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2011 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2011 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

<sup>2</sup>The statistical model for estimating food insecurity in 2013 differs slightly from the model used in 2012. The updated 2013 model includes "homeownership" in addition to the variables used in previous years to account for household assets and help produce more accurate estimates of food insecurity at the local level. For more information about these factors, please see the technical brief or supplemental methodology information on HungerNet.

<sup>3</sup>Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2011. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.