



# Map the Meal Gap 2015:

## Child Food Insecurity in New Jersey by County in 2013<sup>1</sup>



County	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Population under 18 years old	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>
Atlantic	15.0%	63,099	21.9%	13,850	78%	22%
Bergen	9.7%	203,495	15.3%	31,040	50%	50%
Burlington	11.1%	102,563	14.8%	15,220	47%	53%
Camden	13.7%	123,421	18.8%	23,240	74%	27%
Cape May	14.0%	17,905	21.9%	3,930	65%	35%
Cumberland	14.8%	37,667	22.3%	8,410	83%	17%
Essex	17.9%	193,620	19.1%	36,970	71%	29%
Gloucester	11.5%	69,221	16.9%	11,720	54%	46%
Hudson	13.5%	132,206	21.5%	28,420	77%	24%
Hunterdon	7.2%	28,893	13.3%	3,850	32%	68%
Mercer	11.9%	82,412	15.6%	12,880	68%	33%
Middlesex	10.2%	184,910	15.8%	29,130	58%	43%
Monmouth	10.0%	146,999	15.3%	22,540	54%	46%
Morris	7.7%	115,768	13.3%	15,400	41%	59%
Ocean	11.0%	135,742	20.4%	27,720	79%	22%
Passaic	12.3%	124,196	21.4%	26,540	82%	18%
Salem	13.7%	15,192	20.4%	3,100	77%	23%
Somerset	7.9%	79,638	12.8%	10,210	45%	56%
Sussex	8.8%	34,263	15.9%	5,460	47%	53%
Union	11.6%	131,193	16.7%	21,950	67%	33%
Warren	10.4%	24,837	17.2%	4,270	54%	47%
<b>State Total<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>2,021,897</b>	<b>18.3%</b>	<b>374,350</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>2</sup>Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2013. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

<sup>3</sup>Data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state.



# Map the Meal Gap 2015:

## Child Food Insecurity in New Jersey by Congressional District in 2013 <sup>1</sup>



Congressional District	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>
1	14.4%	20.3%	34,290	70%	30%
2	14.9%	23.2%	37,570	73%	27%
3	10.5%	16.1%	25,860	52%	49%
4	10.8%	18.4%	32,860	74%	26%
5	9.1%	15.4%	25,820	54%	46%
6	11.8%	18.5%	30,630	69%	31%
7	7.6%	12.8%	22,570	37%	63%
8	13.2%	23.3%	37,770	78%	22%
9	11.9%	19.9%	34,810	79%	21%
10	23.6%	23.6%	41,500	72%	28%
11	8.3%	13.9%	22,680	37%	63%
12	12.6%	16.9%	27,990	60%	40%

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