



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

Child Food Insecurity in New Jersey by County in 2014 ¹



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 ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
Atlantic	14.8%	62,319	21.4%	13,360	76%	24%
Bergen	8.8%	203,322	13.5%	27,500	53%	47%
Burlington	10.8%	100,758	14.1%	14,250	48%	52%
Camden	13.5%	121,787	17.8%	21,740	73%	27%
Cape May	14.2%	17,613	22.8%	4,020	65%	35%
Cumberland	14.3%	37,511	20.6%	7,730	83%	17%
Essex	18.6%	193,134	18.6%	35,880	69%	32%
Gloucester	10.9%	68,263	15.9%	10,870	52%	48%
Hudson	12.5%	134,283	18.8%	25,290	75%	25%
Hunterdon	6.4%	27,997	12.4%	3,470	32%	68%
Mercer	12.0%	82,005	15.0%	12,310	68%	32%
Middlesex	9.6%	184,849	14.3%	26,480	60%	40%
Monmouth	9.3%	144,681	14.2%	20,600	55%	45%
Morris	6.9%	114,335	11.9%	13,640	42%	58%
Ocean	10.4%	136,473	19.9%	27,160	78%	22%
Passaic	11.5%	124,175	19.1%	23,740	80%	20%
Salem	14.1%	14,894	21.0%	3,120	76%	25%
Somerset	7.3%	78,982	11.7%	9,250	45%	55%
Sussex	7.9%	33,209	14.8%	4,920	51%	49%
Union	11.4%	131,500	15.5%	20,430	69%	31%
Warren	10.0%	23,994	16.2%	3,890	52%	49%
State Total³	11.8%	2,012,197	16.8%	338,690	65%	35%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2014. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

³Data 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.



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*Child Food Insecurity in New Jersey by Congressional District in 2014*¹



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 ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
1	13.4%	17.9%	29,810	65%	35%
2	13.6%	20.9%	33,780	76%	24%
3	11.0%	16.5%	25,460	50%	50%
4	10.3%	17.4%	31,410	69%	31%
5	7.8%	13.0%	21,430	49%	51%
6	10.3%	15.0%	24,970	66%	34%
7	6.8%	11.6%	20,510	47%	53%
8	12.1%	20.0%	32,570	80%	20%
9	11.3%	17.9%	31,700	73%	27%
10	24.8%	23.1%	40,680	70%	30%
11	7.8%	12.7%	20,400	40%	61%
12	12.0%	15.9%	25,970	67%	33%

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