

Florida Food Insecurity by Congressional District, 2009

Florida Congressional District	Food Insecurity Rate	Number of Food Insecure Individuals	% Food Insecure Individuals Eligible for Federal Nutrition Assistance*	% Food Insecure Individuals NOT Eligible for Federal Nutrition Assistance*
1	18.0%	118,380	67%	33%
2	19.2%	129,080	70%	30%
3	27.1%	173,410	90%	10%
4	15.1%	105,230	57%	43%
5	18.7%	164,760	65%	35%
6	16.8%	130,520	64%	36%
7	16.3%	126,240	60%	41%
8	17.0%	132,200	61%	39%
9	15.7%	115,760	58%	43%
10	15.6%	95,330	60%	40%
11	22.3%	146,780	76%	24%
12	18.5%	142,450	68%	32%
13	17.9%	130,840	59%	41%
14	17.9%	146,680	58%	42%
15	18.1%	141,940	64%	36%
16	19.2%	145,930	63%	37%
17	24.9%	162,500	86%	15%
18	18.3%	126,100	70%	30%
19	16.9%	118,690	57%	43%
20	16.0%	108,960	51%	49%
21	19.0%	125,260	62%	38%
22	15.2%	105,550	51%	50%
23	25.1%	165,060	85%	15%
24	15.5%	115,300	55%	45%
25	18.4%	142,540	61%	39%

*Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which vary by state.

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Map the Meal Gap food insecurity estimates are based on unemployment rates, median incomes, poverty rates, and other demographic measures. Because Congressional District estimates use a three-year average of unemployment data (2007-2009) and county-level estimates use unemployment data from one-year (2009), Congressional District estimates are not directly comparable with county estimates or the aggregated state totals.