

Map the Meal Gap 2011

Ohio Food Insecurity by Congressional District, 2009

Ohio Congressional District	Food Insecurity Rate	Number of Food Insecure Individuals	% Food Insecure Individuals Below SNAP Threshold of 130%*	% Food Insecure Individuals Between 130% and 185%*	% Food Insecure Individuals NOT Eligible for Federal Nutrition Assistance*
1	16.4%	100,840	59%	14%	27%
2	13.1%	87,880	41%	17%	42%
3	16.4%	101,140	48%	19%	33%
4	14.8%	89,500	47%	24%	29%
5	15.5%	93,660	42%	24%	34%
6	15.8%	92,490	55%	25%	20%
7	14.8%	95,370	46%	20%	33%
8	15.4%	98,000	46%	22%	32%
9	19.0%	118,450	52%	19%	30%
10	16.8%	98,550	47%	20%	33%
11	24.0%	128,550	75%	9%	16%
12	13.1%	91,600	48%	14%	39%
13	15.7%	99,280	47%	17%	36%
14	11.8%	75,720	35%	21%	44%
15	13.9%	91,070	52%	18%	30%
16	13.7%	86,780	44%	24%	32%
17	17.9%	105,970	56%	20%	24%
18	15.6%	97,610	54%	28%	19%

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

Source: Gundersen, C., E. Waxman, E. Engelhard and J. Brown. Map the Meal Gap: Preliminary Findings. Feeding America, 2011. www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap

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