



Map the Meal Gap 2012

Rhode Island Child Food Insecurity by Congressional District in 2010¹



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	14.9%	20.0%	20,950	77%	23%
2	15.8%	22.9%	26,710	61%	39%

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

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¹Map the Meal Gap's child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2010 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2010 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2010 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2010. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.