

## Map the Meal Gap 2013



## Wisconsin Child Food Insecurity by County in 2011 1

County	Food insecurity rate (full	Population under 18	Child food insecurity rate <sup>2</sup>	Estimated number food insecure children	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for
	population) <sup>2</sup>	years old		(rounded)	nutrition assistance <sup>3</sup>	federal nutrition assistance <sup>3</sup>
Adams	12.4%	3,541	24.4%	860	88%	12%
Ashland	14.3%	3,725	26.3%	980	86%	14%
Barron	11.2%	10,272	19.7%	2,020	77%	23%
Bayfield	12.0%	2,880	22.8%	660	68%	32%
Brown	11.1%	61,776	18.7%	11,550	61%	39%
Buffalo	9.5%	3,050	17.9%	550	64%	36%
Burnett	12.7%	3,117	25.1%	780	82%	18%
Calumet	7.5%	13,051	14.9%	1,940	49%	51%
Chippewa	10.9%	14,610	19.6%	2,870	70%	30%
Clark	11.3%	10,071	21.4%	2,160	90%	11%
Columbia	10.1%	13,249	18.7%	2,480	60%	40%
Crawford	11.4%	3,679	20.0%	740	83%	18%
Dane	11.2%	104,699	15.5%	16,270	54%	46%
Dodge	10.6%	19,735	18.6%	3,660	66%	34%
Door	12.2%	5,016	21.3%	1,070	57%	43%
Douglas	11.7%	9,502	19.9%	1,890	66%	34%
Dunn	11.8%	8,970	18.2%	1,630	67%	33%
Eau Claire	12.1%	20,777	18.3%	3,800	67%	33%
Florence	10.9%	880	20.9%	180	86%	15%
Fond du Lac	10.5%	23,183	18.4%	4,260	62%	38%
Forest	13.7%	2,086	25.1%	520	82%	18%
Grant	11.1%	10,827	18.4%	2,000	77%	23%
Green	9.9%	8,961	18.4%	1,650	57%	43%
Green Lake	10.8%	4,358	21.7%	940	78%	22%
Iowa	9.1%	5,867	15.6%	920	60%	40%
Iron	13.4%	1,025	27.5%	280	90%	10%
Jackson	12.5%	4,598	24.2%	1,110	80%	20%
Jefferson	11.0%	19,835	19.0%	3,780	56%	44%
Juneau	12.0%	5,992	21.8%	1,310	72%	28%
Kenosha	12.9%	42,789	20.4%	8,730	62%	38%
Kewaunee	9.2%	4,869	17.5%	850	57%	43%
La Crosse	11.4%	24,285	17.3%	4,190	60%	40%
Lafayette	9.1%	4,323	17.9%	770	70%	30%
Langlade	11.8%	4,185	20.4%	850	78%	22%
Lincoln	12.1%	6,285	20.6%	1,300	60%	40%
Manitowoc	10.5%	18,418	18.8%	3,460	57%	43%
Marathon	10.5%	32,920	18.8%	6,200	60%	40%
Marinette	12.0%	8,594	21.0%	1,810	70%	30%
Marquette	11.8%	3,086	22.8%	700	69%	31%
Menominee	21.4%	1,331	37.0%	490	89%	11%
Milwaukee	18.6%	235,857	22.2%	52,330	67%	33%
Monroe	11.5%	11,599	22.3%	2,590	71%	29%
Oconto	10.8%	8,479	20.7%	1,760	64%	36%
Oneida	11.5%	6,726	21.8%	1,470	75%	25%
Outagamie	10.1%	44,415	17.1%	7,610	55%	45%
Ozaukee	8.1%	20,442	13.7%	2,790	36%	64%
Pepin	9.7%	1,729	18.9%	330	69%	31%
Pierce	9.4%	8,953	15.9%	1,430	47%	53%
Polk	10.5%	10,498	19.5%	2,040	74%	26%
Portage	11.2%	14,567	17.5%	2,540	60%	40%
Price	11.0%	2,747	20.7%	570	86%	14%
Racine	13.1%	48,733	20.2%	9,850	67%	33%
Richland	10.2%	4,198	19.1%	800	82%	18%
Rock	13.0%	40,381	21.7%	8,760	67%	33%
Rusk	13.9%	3,297	26.3%	870	90%	10%
St. Croix	8.5%	22,786	15.3%	3,490	46%	54%
Sauk	10.7%	14,693	18.9%	2,780	64%	36%
Jauk		,		, , , , ,	31,70	30,0
Sawyer	14.0%	3,431	27.8%	950	88%	12%

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Sheboygan	10.4%	27,668	18.3%	5,060	65%	35%
Taylor	11.4%	5,031	20.1%	1,010	75%	25%
Trempealeau	10.0%	6,966	19.8%	1,380	72%	28%
Vernon	10.6%	7,843	21.2%	1,660	88%	12%
Vilas	12.4%	3,815	23.8%	910	83%	17%
Walworth	11.3%	24,009	20.0%	4,810	63%	37%
Washburn	10.9%	3,254	21.8%	710	91%	9%
Washington	8.7%	32,337	15.8%	5,110	45%	55%
Waukesha	8.4%	93,924	14.4%	13,570	35%	65%
Waupaca	10.8%	12,000	19.5%	2,340	74%	26%
Waushara	11.4%	4,857	22.8%	1,110	81%	19%
Winnebago	11.0%	36,203	18.1%	6,570	58%	42%
Wood	10.7%	17,053	19.1%	3,260	67%	33%
State Total <sup>4</sup>	13.0%	1,315,376	20.8%	270,150	65%	35%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit <a href="www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap">www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap</a>.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Map the Meal Gap's child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2011 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2011 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2011 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The statistical model for estimating food insecurity in 2013 differs slightly from the model used in 2012. The updated 2013 model includes "homeownership" in addition to the variables used in previous years to account for household assets and help produce more accurate estimates of food insecurity at the local level. For more information about these factors, please see the technical brief or supplemental methodology information on HungerNet.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2011. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.