



Map the Meal Gap 2014:

Overall Food Insecurity in Iowa by County in 2012 ¹



County	Population	Food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Likely Income Eligibility for Federal Nutrition Assistance ²		
				% below 160% poverty <i>SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEAP</i>	% between 160% and 185% poverty <i>WIC, reduced price school meals</i>	% above 185% poverty <i>Charitable Response</i>
Adair	7,628	11.0%	840	50%	11%	40%
Adams	4,027	11.4%	460	52%	13%	35%
Allamakee	14,285	12.0%	1,710	63%	11%	26%
Appanoose	12,858	14.1%	1,810	64%	13%	23%
Audubon	6,077	11.5%	700	54%	5%	40%
Benton	26,044	10.6%	2,760	44%	8%	48%
Black Hawk	130,843	14.6%	19,110	56%	9%	35%
Boone	26,324	11.1%	2,920	53%	11%	36%
Bremer	24,294	9.8%	2,380	40%	6%	54%
Buchanan	20,988	11.5%	2,410	50%	7%	43%
Buena Vista	20,215	11.4%	2,310	62%	11%	27%
Butler	14,899	10.8%	1,600	52%	10%	39%
Calhoun	9,936	12.1%	1,200	56%	8%	37%
Carroll	20,751	10.9%	2,250	51%	6%	44%
Cass	13,865	12.9%	1,780	61%	9%	30%
Cedar	18,446	10.3%	1,900	47%	6%	47%
Cerro Gordo	44,083	13.3%	5,880	56%	9%	35%
Cherokee	12,011	10.9%	1,310	49%	14%	37%
Chickasaw	12,409	11.1%	1,380	64%	13%	24%
Clarke	9,286	12.4%	1,160	61%	5%	34%
Clay	16,649	11.9%	1,980	50%	13%	37%
Clayton	18,056	12.4%	2,240	54%	10%	36%
Clinton	49,074	13.1%	6,450	51%	9%	40%
Crawford	17,100	10.4%	1,770	71%	2%	28%
Dallas	66,997	9.7%	6,470	37%	6%	57%
Davis	8,718	13.0%	1,130	72%	9%	19%
Decatur	8,382	14.4%	1,210	69%	8%	24%
Delaware	17,721	10.5%	1,860	48%	11%	42%
Des Moines	40,268	13.9%	5,610	60%	10%	31%
Dickinson	16,778	11.4%	1,910	41%	7%	52%
Dubuque	93,776	11.9%	11,150	48%	9%	43%
Emmet	10,263	10.9%	1,120	54%	12%	34%
Fayette	20,894	12.5%	2,600	54%	12%	35%
Floyd	16,204	13.1%	2,120	59%	11%	30%
Franklin	10,650	11.2%	1,200	60%	10%	30%
Fremont	7,373	11.4%	840	53%	8%	40%
Greene	9,304	12.0%	1,120	57%	14%	29%
Grundy	12,431	9.9%	1,240	40%	10%	51%
Guthrie	10,915	11.3%	1,240	52%	11%	37%
Hamilton	15,614	13.3%	2,070	59%	9%	31%
Hancock	11,320	11.0%	1,240	54%	14%	32%
Hardin	17,479	11.8%	2,070	55%	10%	35%
Harrison	14,838	11.1%	1,650	53%	8%	39%
Henry	20,242	14.3%	2,880	57%	6%	37%
Howard	9,568	11.5%	1,100	59%	9%	33%
Humboldt	9,818	11.5%	1,130	60%	7%	34%
Ida	7,113	11.9%	850	61%	13%	26%
Iowa	16,320	11.2%	1,820	42%	4%	53%
Jackson	19,807	12.5%	2,470	58%	9%	33%
Jasper	36,823	13.7%	5,050	48%	7%	45%
Jefferson	16,791	13.4%	2,250	55%	3%	43%
Johnson	131,627	14.2%	18,640	55%	5%	40%
Jones	20,686	11.1%	2,290	46%	10%	44%
Keokuk	10,480	11.9%	1,240	59%	10%	32%
Kossuth	15,510	10.1%	1,570	49%	9%	42%
Lee	35,741	14.7%	5,240	57%	11%	32%
Linn	211,954	12.2%	25,880	44%	7%	50%

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Louisa	11,448	11.0%	1,260	68%	10%	21%
Lucas	8,913	12.8%	1,140	63%	7%	31%
Lyon	11,623	9.6%	1,120	55%	11%	35%
Madison	15,630	11.6%	1,810	51%	12%	37%
Mahaska	22,432	13.5%	3,020	57%	7%	36%
Marion	33,388	11.3%	3,760	44%	9%	47%
Marshall	40,568	12.2%	4,950	63%	6%	31%
Mills	15,028	9.4%	1,410	52%	6%	42%
Mitchell	10,761	10.3%	1,100	47%	10%	43%
Monona	9,242	13.6%	1,260	56%	9%	36%
Monroe	7,979	12.3%	980	53%	8%	39%
Montgomery	10,710	13.2%	1,410	67%	6%	28%
Muscatine	42,729	11.9%	5,080	63%	5%	32%
O'Brien	14,302	11.3%	1,610	58%	12%	31%
Osceola	6,413	11.1%	710	53%	6%	41%
Page	15,902	12.8%	2,030	61%	5%	35%
Palo Alto	9,402	11.7%	1,100	61%	11%	28%
Plymouth	24,911	9.6%	2,400	41%	9%	49%
Pocahontas	7,307	11.6%	850	58%	12%	30%
Polk	431,811	12.7%	54,670	49%	7%	44%
Pottawattamie	92,793	12.3%	11,410	58%	6%	35%
Poweshiek	18,888	12.1%	2,280	44%	7%	49%
Ringgold	5,123	12.1%	620	62%	6%	33%
Sac	10,307	10.5%	1,080	55%	13%	32%
Scott	165,432	13.8%	22,860	49%	9%	42%
Shelby	12,158	10.7%	1,300	57%	13%	30%
Sioux	33,776	9.2%	3,100	47%	9%	44%
Story	89,734	15.2%	13,630	56%	5%	39%
Tama	17,746	12.4%	2,200	57%	8%	35%
Taylor	6,292	11.6%	730	66%	7%	27%
Union	12,525	13.9%	1,740	66%	10%	24%
Van Buren	7,565	13.1%	990	61%	8%	31%
Wapello	35,449	14.2%	5,020	69%	6%	25%
Warren	46,239	10.4%	4,820	41%	6%	53%
Washington	21,765	11.3%	2,450	54%	10%	36%
Wayne	6,372	12.2%	780	71%	11%	18%
Webster	37,895	14.7%	5,580	55%	10%	35%
Winnebago	10,800	12.0%	1,290	55%	7%	38%
Winneshiek	21,033	10.9%	2,290	42%	10%	49%
Woodbury	101,948	13.1%	13,330	63%	8%	30%
Worth	7,581	11.9%	900	55%	7%	38%
Wright	13,173	11.5%	1,510	59%	8%	33%
State Total^b	3,074,186	12.7%	389,730	52.4%	7.8%	39.8%

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 food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2012 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2012 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, homeownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2012 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure individuals living in households with incomes within the income bands indicated. Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds which can vary by state.