



# Map the Meal Gap 2014:

## Child Food Insecurity in New Jersey by Congressional District in 2012 <sup>1</sup>



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 <sup>2</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>
1	14.4%	19.1%	32,320	67%	33%
2	14.6%	21.1%	34,360	75%	25%
3	11.2%	15.9%	25,730	51%	49%
4	10.4%	18.0%	32,500	67%	33%
5	8.7%	14.1%	23,610	41%	59%
6	12.2%	18.5%	30,360	60%	40%
7	8.0%	13.9%	25,120	43%	57%
8	16.2%	25.8%	44,140	83%	17%
9	14.3%	22.1%	38,970	72%	28%
10	25.6%	23.3%	38,910	71%	29%
11	8.0%	13.1%	20,850	35%	65%
12	12.6%	16.9%	28,370	64%	36%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit [www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap](http://www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap).

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<sup>1</sup>Map the Meal Gap's child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2012 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2012 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2012 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

<sup>2</sup>Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2012. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.