



Map the Meal Gap 2014:

Child Food Insecurity in Pennsylvania by County in 2012 ¹



County	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Population under 18 years old	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
Adams	10.3%	22,419	18.2%	4,080	61%	39%
Allegheny	14.0%	241,407	17.9%	43,090	61%	39%
Armstrong	12.5%	14,093	21.3%	3,010	76%	24%
Beaver	12.8%	34,767	20.2%	7,030	68%	32%
Bedford	12.8%	10,723	21.6%	2,320	85%	16%
Berks	12.1%	97,630	21.1%	20,630	66%	35%
Blair	12.7%	26,872	20.8%	5,590	78%	22%
Bradford	12.0%	14,205	21.0%	2,980	81%	19%
Bucks	9.8%	142,809	15.4%	21,950	40%	61%
Butler	10.6%	41,077	16.8%	6,890	49%	51%
Cambria	13.8%	28,079	22.8%	6,400	72%	28%
Cameron	14.7%	948	25.4%	240	83%	17%
Carbon	12.4%	13,475	20.9%	2,820	65%	35%
Centre	14.5%	24,408	18.2%	4,430	59%	41%
Chester	9.5%	123,230	14.6%	17,930	39%	61%
Clarion	14.4%	7,767	22.7%	1,760	75%	25%
Clearfield	13.2%	16,234	23.0%	3,730	77%	23%
Clinton	14.1%	8,105	22.7%	1,840	77%	23%
Columbia	13.5%	12,448	20.4%	2,540	73%	27%
Crawford	13.5%	19,767	23.7%	4,690	80%	20%
Cumberland	11.1%	48,495	17.3%	8,390	51%	49%
Dauphin	14.5%	61,934	19.1%	11,840	64%	36%
Delaware	13.7%	129,866	16.2%	21,060	57%	43%
Elk	10.9%	6,565	21.1%	1,380	80%	20%
Erie	14.3%	63,567	21.7%	13,790	71%	29%
Fayette	15.1%	27,629	25.7%	7,100	80%	20%
Forest	13.7%	960	21.2%	200	92%	8%
Franklin	11.5%	35,599	18.9%	6,710	65%	35%
Fulton	12.6%	3,402	21.2%	720	79%	21%
Greene	12.9%	7,639	20.6%	1,570	81%	19%
Huntingdon	13.4%	9,022	21.5%	1,940	75%	25%
Indiana	14.1%	16,716	21.4%	3,570	77%	23%
Jefferson	12.8%	9,696	22.3%	2,170	80%	20%
Juniata	11.6%	5,846	20.2%	1,180	92%	8%
Lackawanna	14.0%	43,776	22.3%	9,750	71%	29%
Lancaster	11.4%	128,804	18.7%	24,080	67%	33%
Lawrence	13.0%	19,235	21.6%	4,160	76%	24%
Lebanon	10.8%	30,692	19.1%	5,870	67%	33%
Lehigh	12.7%	82,372	21.3%	17,520	67%	33%
Luzerne	14.5%	64,491	23.9%	15,390	73%	27%
Lycoming	13.7%	24,248	21.3%	5,170	76%	24%
McKean	13.5%	9,181	22.8%	2,090	82%	18%
Mercer	13.5%	25,064	21.4%	5,360	78%	22%
Mifflin	13.4%	10,774	23.5%	2,530	87%	13%
Monroe	12.8%	40,106	18.6%	7,450	68%	32%
Montgomery	10.7%	182,314	14.6%	26,540	40%	60%
Montour	11.0%	3,896	17.5%	680	73%	27%
Northampton	11.8%	64,662	18.7%	12,110	57%	44%
Northumberland	13.8%	19,091	23.2%	4,430	81%	19%
Perry	11.2%	10,584	20.1%	2,130	67%	33%
Philadelphia	22.1%	345,826	22.9%	79,040	67%	33%
Pike	12.2%	13,177	20.2%	2,660	67%	33%
Potter	13.3%	3,898	22.7%	890	83%	17%
Schuylkill	13.2%	29,550	21.7%	6,420	72%	28%
Snyder	12.1%	8,794	20.9%	1,840	77%	23%
Somerset	12.7%	15,008	21.9%	3,290	81%	19%
Sullivan	11.9%	1,074	20.9%	220	88%	12%
Susquehanna	11.7%	9,102	20.7%	1,880	81%	19%
Tioga	13.0%	8,621	22.3%	1,930	82%	18%
Union	12.7%	8,170	20.4%	1,670	77%	23%
Venango	13.3%	11,782	24.7%	2,910	73%	27%
Warren	11.5%	8,564	20.3%	1,740	73%	27%

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Washington	11.7%	42,658	18.4%	7,870	59%	41%
Wayne	11.5%	10,034	20.8%	2,090	80%	20%
Westmoreland	11.7%	72,297	19.2%	13,870	65%	35%
Wyoming	12.9%	6,054	22.7%	1,370	67%	33%
York	11.7%	101,520	18.4%	18,680	61%	40%
State Total³	14.3%	2,737,454	20.6%	562,770	66%	34%

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 2001-2012 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.

²Numbers 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.

³Data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state.