



Map the Meal Gap 2015:

Child Food Insecurity in Minnesota by County in 2013¹



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
Aitkin	11.2%	2,789	19.3%	540	89%	11%
Anoka	8.6%	85,091	14.5%	12,360	61%	39%
Becker	10.5%	8,067	18.7%	1,510	80%	20%
Beltrami	13.7%	11,344	22.9%	2,600	86%	15%
Benton	11.9%	9,558	18.3%	1,750	70%	30%
Big Stone	10.3%	1,067	19.1%	200	86%	14%
Blue Earth	12.3%	12,586	15.9%	2,010	73%	27%
Brown	9.5%	5,650	15.4%	870	74%	27%
Carlton	10.8%	8,263	17.5%	1,440	73%	27%
Carver	7.1%	27,153	12.7%	3,440	43%	57%
Cass	12.4%	6,101	23.5%	1,430	86%	14%
Chippewa	10.2%	2,839	17.1%	490	74%	26%
Chisago	8.8%	13,407	15.2%	2,040	62%	38%
Clay	10.2%	13,787	15.3%	2,110	72%	28%
Clearwater	14.2%	2,128	24.6%	520	93%	7%
Cook	10.3%	877	17.7%	160	95%	5%
Cottonwood	10.2%	2,757	16.9%	470	80%	20%
Crow Wing	11.7%	14,290	19.5%	2,790	74%	26%
Dakota	8.6%	104,160	14.0%	14,570	59%	42%
Dodge	7.6%	5,745	14.7%	840	53%	47%
Douglas	9.8%	7,828	15.5%	1,210	57%	43%
Faribault	10.1%	3,115	19.1%	590	85%	15%
Fillmore	10.2%	5,008	18.0%	900	78%	22%
Freeborn	9.3%	6,839	16.6%	1,130	89%	11%
Goodhue	9.6%	10,831	16.4%	1,780	71%	29%
Grant	10.0%	1,273	18.1%	230	88%	12%
Hennepin	11.5%	263,891	15.2%	40,160	68%	32%
Houston	10.2%	4,210	18.2%	770	67%	33%
Hubbard	11.4%	4,459	20.1%	900	81%	19%
Isanti	9.5%	9,731	16.1%	1,560	61%	39%
Itasca	11.4%	9,768	20.0%	1,950	78%	22%
Jackson	9.0%	2,323	17.1%	400	66%	34%
Kanabec	12.4%	3,728	21.9%	820	85%	15%
Kandiyohi	9.5%	10,093	18.1%	1,820	78%	22%
Kittson	9.6%	997	16.6%	170	78%	22%
Koochiching	13.0%	2,736	19.6%	540	80%	20%
Lac qui Parle	9.0%	1,527	15.5%	240	77%	23%
Lake	10.6%	2,025	20.1%	410	69%	31%
Lake of the Woods	9.3%	783	14.8%	120	89%	11%
Le Sueur	9.2%	6,966	16.7%	1,160	69%	31%
Lincoln	8.9%	1,295	14.5%	190	62%	38%
Lyon	10.8%	6,250	16.6%	1,040	72%	28%
McLeod	9.5%	9,015	16.4%	1,480	65%	35%
Mahnomen	13.9%	1,656	25.5%	420	93%	7%
Marshall	10.0%	2,185	16.3%	360	65%	35%
Martin	10.0%	4,538	17.4%	790	88%	12%
Meeker	9.5%	5,803	17.1%	990	73%	28%
Mille Lacs	12.6%	6,480	21.0%	1,360	74%	26%
Morrison	11.2%	8,017	18.3%	1,470	77%	23%
Mower	10.3%	9,852	18.8%	1,850	74%	26%
Murray	8.9%	1,872	16.5%	310	72%	28%
Nicollet	9.3%	7,289	14.4%	1,050	55%	45%
Nobles	8.1%	5,550	16.5%	920	79%	21%
Norman	9.9%	1,602	18.7%	300	85%	15%
Olmsted	8.9%	36,689	13.4%	4,900	61%	39%
Otter Tail	10.1%	12,329	17.2%	2,120	80%	20%
Pennington	10.6%	3,278	16.8%	550	80%	20%
Pine	12.0%	6,334	21.0%	1,330	87%	13%
Pipestone	9.7%	2,339	16.0%	370	79%	21%
Polk	10.4%	7,406	17.1%	1,270	76%	24%
Pope	9.0%	2,307	15.1%	350	64%	36%
Ramsey	13.0%	120,028	18.6%	22,300	77%	23%

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Red Lake	10.6%	1,003	18.9%	190	84%	16%
Redwood	10.1%	3,924	17.3%	680	91%	9%
Renville	9.7%	3,528	18.3%	650	83%	18%
Rice	9.7%	14,834	17.5%	2,590	66%	34%
Rock	9.7%	2,469	17.6%	440	74%	26%
Roseau	9.4%	4,010	17.0%	680	71%	29%
St. Louis	12.6%	39,121	19.5%	7,640	72%	28%
Scott	6.9%	39,451	12.5%	4,940	43%	57%
Sherburne	8.7%	25,421	15.1%	3,840	58%	42%
Sibley	8.9%	3,823	17.9%	680	76%	24%
Stearns	10.9%	34,786	15.7%	5,470	67%	33%
Steele	9.1%	9,519	15.8%	1,500	68%	32%
Stevens	10.3%	2,026	14.2%	290	52%	48%
Swift	10.3%	2,127	16.4%	350	80%	20%
Todd	10.2%	6,062	19.7%	1,190	93%	7%
Traverse	9.2%	750	16.0%	120	73%	27%
Wabasha	8.6%	4,966	15.9%	790	72%	28%
Wadena	12.8%	3,303	21.3%	700	95%	5%
Waseca	9.6%	4,434	16.5%	730	69%	31%
Washington	7.6%	63,159	13.2%	8,310	50%	50%
Watsonwan	7.9%	2,770	16.4%	450	69%	31%
Wilkin	9.0%	1,573	14.9%	230	60%	40%
Winona	11.2%	9,738	15.4%	1,500	72%	28%
Wright	8.1%	37,267	14.6%	5,450	54%	46%
Yellow Medicine	9.6%	2,412	18.2%	440	71%	29%
State Total³	10.6%	1,282,594	16.0%	205,050	67%	33%

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

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²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2013. 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.



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Child Food Insecurity in Minnesota by Congressional District in 2013¹



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1	9.9%	15.8%	24,690	67%	33%
2	8.7%	14.5%	25,400	56%	44%
3	9.2%	13.3%	22,490	51%	49%
4	12.6%	17.9%	29,120	74%	26%
5	14.9%	18.6%	26,570	75%	25%
6	8.4%	14.1%	24,910	60%	40%
7	9.8%	16.7%	26,000	76%	24%
8	11.0%	18.0%	25,870	76%	24%

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