



# Map the Meal Gap 2015:

## Child Food Insecurity in Montana by County in 2013<sup>1</sup>



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 <sup>2</sup>	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance <sup>2</sup>
Beaverhead	13.3%	1,807	17.7%	320	58%	43%
Big Horn	20.3%	4,299	32.1%	1,380	82%	18%
Blaine	16.6%	1,945	28.1%	550	81%	20%
Broadwater	12.5%	1,326	19.3%	260	100%	0%
Carbon	11.5%	1,967	18.7%	370	59%	41%
Carter	11.3%	223	18.4%	40	88%	12%
Cascade	13.5%	18,553	21.9%	4,070	63%	37%
Chouteau	14.7%	1,520	25.6%	390	79%	21%
Custer	12.2%	2,589	17.6%	460	59%	41%
Daniels	11.4%	291	18.0%	50	55%	45%
Dawson	12.3%	1,830	22.0%	400	72%	28%
Deer Lodge	14.9%	1,721	25.5%	440	76%	24%
Fallon	9.8%	791	14.6%	120	35%	65%
Fergus	12.7%	2,244	22.0%	490	72%	28%
Flathead	14.3%	21,148	22.7%	4,810	74%	26%
Gallatin	13.1%	19,045	17.5%	3,340	54%	46%
Garfield	11.2%	273	18.0%	50	71%	29%
Glacier	20.8%	4,303	32.3%	1,390	76%	24%
Golden Valley	13.1%	122	30.6%	40	73%	27%
Granite	14.8%	512	25.7%	130	55%	45%
Hill	14.7%	4,409	23.4%	1,030	67%	33%
Jefferson	9.8%	2,577	15.6%	400	43%	57%
Judith Basin	11.8%	393	20.1%	80	60%	40%
Lake	16.0%	7,162	26.8%	1,920	76%	25%
Lewis and Clark	11.5%	14,358	17.6%	2,530	53%	47%
Liberty	15.0%	433	21.2%	90	53%	47%
Lincoln	17.9%	3,689	26.8%	990	66%	34%
McCone	9.9%	376	15.5%	60	87%	13%
Madison	11.4%	1,350	18.5%	250	49%	51%
Meagher	13.2%	456	18.9%	90	95%	5%
Mineral	16.5%	751	28.6%	210	85%	15%
Missoula	14.6%	21,814	19.3%	4,210	58%	42%
Musselshell	12.2%	999	18.2%	180	69%	31%
Park	12.6%	3,084	19.3%	600	65%	35%
Petroleum	12.9%	123	17.9%	20	84%	16%
Phillips	12.9%	948	19.4%	180	70%	30%
Pondera	14.2%	1,502	21.1%	320	71%	29%
Powder River	11.4%	320	16.1%	50	62%	38%
Powell	14.1%	1,107	24.5%	270	72%	28%
Prairie	12.7%	203	22.8%	50	82%	19%
Ravalli	14.4%	8,706	23.4%	2,040	69%	31%
Richland	11.2%	2,444	20.3%	500	66%	34%
Roosevelt	17.3%	3,379	26.7%	900	70%	30%
Rosebud	14.4%	2,740	23.0%	630	75%	25%
Sanders	17.9%	2,233	30.6%	680	77%	23%
Sheridan	11.0%	742	16.9%	130	62%	38%
Silver Bow	14.5%	7,190	22.8%	1,640	69%	31%
Stillwater	10.2%	1,997	16.3%	330	69%	31%
Sweet Grass	11.3%	913	20.4%	190	72%	28%
Teton	12.3%	1,443	19.9%	290	73%	27%
Toole	13.5%	1,008	21.9%	220	54%	46%
Treasure	11.3%	114	22.7%	30	55%	45%
Valley	12.5%	1,690	22.7%	380	64%	36%
Wheatland	12.7%	418	19.0%	80	100%	0%
Wibaux	11.9%	194	18.2%	40	56%	44%
Yellowstone	11.9%	35,521	18.6%	6,610	60%	41%
<b>State Total<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>14.2%</b>	<b>224,096</b>	<b>22.1%</b>	<b>49,300</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>36%</b>

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 2001-2013 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2013 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2013 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 2013. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

<sup>3</sup>Data 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.