



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

*Overall Food Insecurity in District of Columbia by County in 2014*¹



| County | Population | Food insecurity rate | Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded) | Likely Income Eligibility for Federal Nutrition Assistance ² | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|--|--|--|
| | | | | % below 200% poverty <i>SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEFAP</i> | % above 200% poverty <i>Charitable Response</i> |
| District of Columbia | 633,736 | 13.5% | 85,310 | 74% | 26% |
| State Total⁶ | 658,893 | 13.8% | 90,900 | 73.1% | 26.9% |

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 2001-2014 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2014 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, homeownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2014 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.

⁶Population and food insecurity 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. All data in the state totals row pertaining to the cost of food or the "Meal Gap" reflect state-level data and are not aggregations of either counties or congressional districts.