



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

Child Food Insecurity in Maryland by County in 2014 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
Allegany	13.4%	13,097	25.5%	3,340	79%	21%
Anne Arundel	8.3%	126,248	16.1%	20,270	45%	55%
Baltimore	12.6%	177,795	18.1%	32,200	55%	45%
Calvert	7.6%	22,487	16.3%	3,660	41%	60%
Caroline	11.9%	8,008	23.0%	1,840	69%	31%
Carroll	6.3%	39,193	16.9%	6,600	39%	61%
Cecil	10.0%	24,642	21.2%	5,230	63%	37%
Charles	11.9%	38,654	15.2%	5,890	48%	52%
Dorchester	16.1%	6,936	25.7%	1,790	80%	20%
Frederick	7.4%	58,610	16.4%	9,620	53%	48%
Garrett	10.7%	6,245	25.6%	1,600	79%	21%
Harford	8.7%	58,767	18.2%	10,680	48%	52%
Howard	7.5%	75,248	13.8%	10,380	37%	63%
Kent	11.5%	3,295	22.0%	730	57%	43%
Montgomery	7.0%	238,214	13.9%	33,000	55%	45%
Prince George's	15.5%	204,328	14.7%	30,060	57%	43%
Queen Anne's	6.8%	11,108	18.4%	2,040	49%	51%
St. Mary's	9.0%	27,610	17.3%	4,770	52%	48%
Somerset	20.1%	4,292	28.5%	1,220	81%	19%
Talbot	10.6%	7,182	20.5%	1,470	66%	34%
Washington	12.1%	33,510	23.0%	7,700	67%	33%
Wicomico	15.3%	22,116	23.5%	5,210	74%	26%
Worcester	13.4%	9,287	23.9%	2,220	72%	28%
Baltimore city	23.8%	132,104	25.1%	33,130	71%	29%
State Total³	12.7%	1,351,175	18.3%	247,560	59%	41%

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 2014. 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.



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

Child Food Insecurity in Maryland by Congressional District in 2014 ¹



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 ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
1	9.2%	18.6%	29,430	60%	40%
2	15.7%	20.7%	35,360	67%	33%
3	11.3%	17.2%	28,230	57%	44%
4	15.7%	17.9%	31,160	60%	41%
5	12.3%	16.7%	29,140	51%	49%
6	9.6%	18.3%	32,740	60%	40%
7	20.3%	21.5%	34,690	65%	35%
8	7.8%	15.9%	26,810	51%	49%

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