



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

Overall Food Insecurity in Maryland 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	% above 200% poverty
				SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEFAP	Charitable Response
Allegany	73,976	13.4%	9,890	75%	25%
Anne Arundel	550,269	8.3%	45,710	50%	50%
Baltimore	817,720	12.6%	103,280	56%	44%
Calvert	89,793	7.6%	6,800	48%	52%
Caroline	32,759	11.9%	3,890	75%	25%
Carroll	167,399	6.3%	10,550	50%	50%
Cecil	101,803	10.0%	10,220	66%	34%
Charles	150,960	11.9%	17,940	48%	52%
Dorchester	32,614	16.1%	5,260	80%	20%
Frederick	239,253	7.4%	17,700	58%	42%
Garrett	29,945	10.7%	3,210	81%	19%
Harford	248,029	8.7%	21,680	53%	47%
Howard	299,269	7.5%	22,420	45%	55%
Kent	20,016	11.5%	2,300	67%	33%
Montgomery	1,005,087	7.0%	70,510	65%	35%
Prince George's	884,764	15.5%	137,350	60%	40%
Queen Anne's	48,439	6.8%	3,310	57%	43%
St. Mary's	108,472	9.0%	9,720	55%	46%
Somerset	26,197	20.1%	5,260	64%	37%
Talbot	37,894	10.6%	4,000	67%	33%
Washington	148,913	12.1%	18,090	66%	34%
Wicomico	100,376	15.3%	15,360	76%	24%
Worcester	51,558	13.4%	6,910	66%	34%
Baltimore city	622,271	23.8%	148,280	84%	16%
State Total⁶	5,976,407	12.7%	760,300	61.2%	38.8%

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 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.



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

Overall Food Insecurity in Maryland by Congressional District in 2014 ¹



Congressional District	Population	Food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Likely Income Eligibility for Federal Nutrition Assistance ²	
				% below 200% poverty	% above 200% poverty
				SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEFAP	Charitable Response
1	728,405	9.2%	67,300	63%	37%
2	743,321	15.7%	116,730	67%	33%
3	768,378	11.3%	86,480	56%	44%
4	742,761	15.7%	116,520	60%	40%
5	753,079	12.3%	92,650	48%	52%
6	755,369	9.6%	72,320	62%	38%
7	738,431	20.3%	149,870	68%	32%
8	746,663	7.8%	58,430	60%	40%

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