



Map the Meal Gap 2017:

Child Food Insecurity in Montana by County in 2015 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
Beaverhead	13.2%	1,816	14.5%	260	60%	41%
Big Horn	17.7%	4,380	26.8%	1,170	73%	28%
Blaine	17.0%	1,973	25.2%	500	75%	25%
Broadwater	11.3%	1,237	17.6%	220	100%	0%
Carbon	10.9%	1,935	17.7%	340	59%	41%
Carter	10.4%	236	16.6%	40	57%	43%
Cascade	13.4%	18,561	19.8%	3,680	64%	36%
Chouteau	15.2%	1,474	23.4%	350	71%	29%
Custer	11.5%	2,587	15.8%	410	43%	57%
Daniels	9.0%	306	12.6%	40	40%	60%
Dawson	11.8%	1,970	19.9%	390	76%	24%
Deer Lodge	13.1%	1,547	20.0%	310	80%	20%
Fallon	10.1%	790	14.2%	110	30%	70%
Fergus	12.3%	2,307	18.1%	420	74%	26%
Flathead	13.0%	21,094	19.7%	4,150	68%	32%
Gallatin	12.3%	19,633	15.2%	2,980	53%	47%
Garfield	10.7%	215	16.5%	40	96%	4%
Glacier	20.9%	4,357	28.6%	1,250	68%	32%
Golden Valley	15.2%	138	30.7%	40	66%	34%
Granite	13.3%	530	25.9%	140	62%	38%
Hill	14.2%	4,486	20.9%	940	63%	37%
Jefferson	9.8%	2,458	15.9%	390	41%	59%
Judith Basin	11.8%	352	18.7%	70	64%	37%
Lake	14.8%	7,196	23.4%	1,680	72%	28%
Lewis and Clark	11.5%	14,380	16.8%	2,420	53%	47%
Liberty	13.3%	490	16.7%	80	46%	54%
Lincoln	15.9%	3,607	24.2%	870	69%	31%
McCone	9.4%	322	13.9%	40	97%	3%
Madison	11.0%	1,237	18.3%	230	57%	43%
Meagher	12.2%	386	17.0%	70	100%	0%
Mineral	15.4%	763	26.4%	200	77%	23%
Missoula	14.0%	21,903	17.0%	3,720	57%	43%
Musselshell	12.7%	1,070	18.9%	200	67%	33%
Park	12.2%	2,981	16.0%	480	45%	55%
Petroleum	11.1%	83	17.2%	10	69%	31%
Phillips	13.4%	922	18.9%	170	77%	23%
Pondera	14.6%	1,528	21.5%	330	63%	37%
Powder River	10.7%	281	14.8%	40	81%	19%
Powell	12.9%	1,053	22.7%	240	84%	16%
Prairie	11.7%	310	20.4%	60	64%	36%
Ravalli	14.1%	8,486	22.1%	1,880	71%	29%
Richland	11.3%	2,722	18.1%	490	61%	39%
Roosevelt	17.9%	3,533	24.4%	860	70%	31%
Rosebud	14.3%	2,721	21.5%	590	61%	39%
Sanders	16.4%	2,138	27.7%	590	71%	29%
Sheridan	10.3%	764	15.1%	120	59%	42%
Silver Bow	14.5%	7,044	20.8%	1,470	62%	38%
Stillwater	9.5%	2,034	14.8%	300	77%	23%
Sweet Grass	11.3%	884	17.6%	160	54%	46%
Teton	11.7%	1,436	17.4%	250	61%	39%
Toole	14.2%	983	21.5%	210	68%	32%
Treasure	14.7%	146	23.9%	30	78%	22%
Valley	11.7%	1,712	17.9%	310	68%	32%
Wheatland	15.1%	453	23.8%	110	93%	7%
Wibaux	12.7%	192	18.3%	40	57%	43%
Yellowstone	11.1%	36,248	16.2%	5,880	62%	38%
State Total³	13.0%	226,227	18.8%	42,480	60%	40%

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 child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2015 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2015 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2015 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

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.