Map the Meal Gap 2018:

Child Food Insecurity in Florida by County in 2016 [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]
Alachua	19.8%	46,199	20.9%	9,640	66%	34%
Baker	16.5%	6,698	22.9%	1,530	70%	31%
Bay	16.5%	38,485	22.2%	8,540	72%	28%
Bradford	17.7%	5,344	22.4%	1,200	71%	30%
Brevard	14.6%	105,199	21.3%	22,430	71%	29%
Broward	14.3%	402,548	18.6%	74,730	64%	36%
Calhoun	14.9%	3,079	19.4%	600	86%	14%
Charlotte	13.6%	22,197	21.7%	4,820	81%	20%
Citrus	15.5%	21,091	25.8%	5,450	83%	18%
Clay	12.9%	48,706	18.3%	8,930	60%	41%
Collier	10.5%	63,437	19.6%	12,420	73%	27%
Columbia	17.5%	14,950	23.3%	3,480	73%	27%
DeSoto	15.9%	7,290	26.1%	1,900	81%	19%
Dixie	17.1%	3,004	24.6%	740	91%	9%
Duval	19.0%	206,017	21.8%	44,900	69%	31%
Escambia	18.0%	64,857	21.9%	14,230	68%	32%
Flagler	14.1%	18,721	21.3%	3,990	75%	25%
Franklin	17.2%	1,934	23.6%	460	67%	33%
Gadsden	23.9%	10,301	25.5%	2,630	75%	26%
Gilchrist	16.4%	3,530	27.0%	950	72%	28%
Glades	15.1%	2,241	23.7%	530	82%	18%
Gulf	16.3%	2,523	21.6%	550	84%	16%
Hamilton	21.5%	2,713	26.4%	720	72%	28%
Hardee	12.9%	7,366	25.0%	1,840	90%	10%
Hendry	13.3%	10,638	24.7%	2,620	82%	18%
Hernando	14.0%	33,313	23.0%	7,660	77%	23%
Highlands	15.0%	17,525	24.8%	4,340	82%	18%
Hillsborough	13.9%	306,913	19.7%	60,410	69%	32%
Holmes	18.4%	3,935	27.3%	1,080	85%	15%
Indian River	14.3%	25,464	22.2%	5,650	82%	18%
Jackson	20.1%	9,128	25.5%	2,330	75%	26%
Jefferson	18.7%	2,392	22.4%	540	90%	10%
Lafayette	14.6%	1,817	20.6%	370	91%	9%
Lake	13.3%	63,179	20.7%	13,090	74%	26%
Lee	12.9%	126,740	21.2%	26,930	75%	25%
Leon	21.1%	53,610	19.9%	10,670	61%	40%
Levy	16.8%	8,007	26.9%	2,150	84%	16%
Liberty	16.7%	1,580	20.9%	330	86%	15%
Madison	22.5%	3,713	25.9%	960	86%	14%
Manatee	13.2%	68,807	20.7%	14,230	72%	28%
Marion	15.8%	63,916	24.3%	15,520	80%	20%
Martin	12.2%	25,989	19.3%	5,020	72%	28%
Miami-Dade	9.1%	548,990	20.0%	109,780	67%	33%
Monroe	11.4%	11,570	17.7%	2,050	71%	29%
Nassau	13.8%	15,809	21.0%	3,320	65%	35%
Okaloosa	14.3%	43,490	20.0%	8,720	68%	33%
Okeechobee	15.0%	8,980	24.7%	2,220	87%	13%
Orange	14.5%	285,881	20.2%	57,730	69%	31%
Osceola	10.1%	78,437	21.1%	16,570	78%	22%
Palm Beach	13.6%	274,730	19.5%	53,630	68%	32%
Pasco	13.1%	100,115	20.1%	20,120	69%	31%
Pinellas	15.0%	159,955	20.7%	33,040	69%	31%
Polk	15.0%	144,790	22.4%	32,470	80%	20%
Putnam	19.4%	15,794	27.8%	4,390	82%	18%
St. Johns	11.7%	48,160	16.5%	7,960	49%	51%
St. Lucie	15.7%	61,096	22.5%	13,720	77%	23%
Santa Rosa	13.7%	37,032	20.4%	7,570	63%	37%
Sarasota	12.7%	59,467	19.8%	11,800	64%	36%
Seminole	12.4%	95,495	18.2%	17,340	62%	38%
Sumter	13.1%	8,541	24.0%	2,050	74%	26%
Suwannee	17.6%	9,357	26.5%	2,480	83%	17%

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Taylor	17.1%	4,352	20.1%	870	76%	24%
Union	19.2%	2,895	25.4%	740	83%	17%
Volusia	15.1%	92,156	22.3%	20,520	77%	23%
Wakulla	15.2%	6,576	20.7%	1,360	67%	33%
Walton	15.1%	12,588	23.5%	2,960	77%	23%
Washington	17.6%	4,924	24.6%	1,210	96%	4%
State Total[3]	**13.9%**	**4,145,140**	**20.7%**	**857,150**	**69%**	**31%**

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit map.feedingamerica.org .

[1]*Map the Meal Gap* 's child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2016 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2016 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, home ownership, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2016 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

[2]Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2016. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

[3]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.

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Child Food Insecurity in Florida by Congressional District in 2016 [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	16.0%	21.1%	34,550	63%	37%
2	16.5%	22.2%	31,400	71%	29%
3	17.6%	22.3%	33,790	71%	29%
4	12.5%	16.7%	27,130	50%	50%
5	25.3%	25.1%	42,610	74%	26%
6	14.5%	21.1%	29,090	76%	25%
7	13.2%	18.9%	28,820	59%	41%
8	14.7%	22.2%	29,980	73%	27%
9	11.9%	20.8%	42,110	74%	26%
10	16.7%	22.0%	40,390	72%	28%
11	14.5%	23.4%	27,300	79%	22%
12	13.5%	20.6%	29,720	60%	41%
13	16.2%	22.1%	27,690	67%	33%
14	15.7%	21.1%	35,550	68%	33%
15	13.1%	19.3%	33,650	70%	30%
16	12.3%	19.4%	29,950	67%	33%
17	14.1%	23.6%	31,330	75%	26%
18	12.9%	19.6%	28,050	68%	32%
19	12.4%	20.7%	28,960	73%	27%
20	21.6%	23.3%	44,370	72%	28%
21	12.9%	19.2%	27,850	69%	31%
22	13.6%	18.5%	25,440	63%	38%
23	9.8%	16.4%	24,870	55%	45%
24	20.8%	25.2%	40,990	69%	31%
25	4.0%	17.2%	25,980	74%	26%
26	5.9%	19.5%	34,000	69%	31%
27	5.1%	16.3%	21,580	67%	33%

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