



Map the Meal Gap 2018:

Overall Food Insecurity in North Dakota by County in 2016 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>
Adams	2,348	6.5%	150	67%	33%
Barnes	11,033	7.1%	780	61%	39%
Benson	6,802	14.2%	960	78%	22%
Billings	936	6.8%	60	66%	35%
Bottineau	6,650	6.9%	460	60%	40%
Bowman	3,238	4.5%	150	52%	48%
Burke	2,239	7.6%	170	73%	27%
Burleigh	90,560	6.0%	5,400	57%	43%
Cass	166,852	8.9%	14,810	63%	38%
Cavalier	3,867	4.1%	160	70%	30%
Dickey	5,160	5.5%	290	73%	27%
Divide	2,369	5.6%	130	54%	46%
Dunn	4,284	6.2%	270	67%	33%
Eddy	2,370	8.1%	190	62%	39%
Emmons	3,426	7.2%	250	74%	26%
Foster	3,345	6.6%	220	67%	34%
Golden Valley	1,895	7.3%	140	76%	24%
Grand Forks	69,793	10.4%	7,250	64%	37%
Grant	2,369	6.9%	160	73%	27%
Griggs	2,311	6.4%	150	69%	31%
Hettinger	2,639	5.0%	130	82%	18%
Kidder	2,419	5.1%	120	86%	14%
LaMoure	4,111	5.7%	230	74%	26%
Logan	1,939	5.0%	100	72%	28%
McHenry	5,912	6.5%	390	62%	38%
McIntosh	2,737	6.2%	170	69%	31%
McKenzie	10,718	7.8%	840	59%	41%
McLean	9,576	6.0%	580	64%	36%
Mercer	8,671	5.4%	470	54%	46%
Morton	29,633	6.1%	1,810	56%	44%
Mountrail	9,675	6.3%	610	70%	30%
Nelson	3,032	6.1%	190	64%	36%
Oliver	1,768	5.1%	90	56%	44%
Pembina	7,136	5.9%	420	72%	28%
Pierce	4,373	9.7%	420	63%	37%
Ramsey	11,578	7.5%	870	68%	32%
Ransom	5,457	6.5%	350	72%	28%
Renville	2,573	5.4%	140	77%	23%
Richland	16,329	6.4%	1,040	65%	35%
Rollette	14,607	17.2%	2,520	75%	26%
Sargent	3,889	4.7%	180	82%	18%
Sheridan	1,395	9.4%	130	69%	31%
Sioux	4,431	17.2%	760	80%	20%
Slope	665	6.1%	40	68%	33%
Stark	29,837	6.0%	1,800	54%	46%
Steele	1,969	4.4%	90	65%	35%
Stutsman	21,108	7.2%	1,520	64%	36%
Towner	2,292	6.8%	160	74%	27%
Traill	8,075	5.7%	460	65%	35%
Walsh	10,995	5.5%	610	86%	14%
Ward	68,954	7.3%	5,020	63%	37%
Wells	4,179	5.3%	220	78%	22%
Williams	31,643	7.0%	2,230	50%	50%
State Total⁶	757,953	7.4%	55,710	63.4%	36.6%

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

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¹Map the Meal Gap's food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2016 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2016 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, homeownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2016 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.