



County Population: 134,793
County Poverty Rate: 18.8%
 Population for whom poverty status is determined: 128,623
 Population Under 18 for whom poverty is determined: 28,552
 Population 25 & over for whom education/poverty status determined: 87,850
 Population Over 65 for whom poverty is determined: 21,147

Chautauqua County Poverty Profile

Individuals in Poverty18.8% (24,229)
 Children (under 18) in Poverty28.2% (8,042)
 Adults 25+ in Poverty12.9% (11,325)
 Senior Citizens (age 65+) in Poverty..... 8.2% (1,743)

Race & Poverty

Whites Living in Poverty17.0% (20,516)
 African Americans Living in Poverty32.9% (768)
 Hispanics/Latinos Living in Poverty50.3% (3,850)

Education & Poverty

Adults, 25+, with High School Degree Only34.5% (30,289)
 Living in Poverty.....13.8% (4,187)
 Adults, 25+, with Associate's Degree31.7% (27,860)
 Living in Poverty.....11.4% (3,166)
 Adults, 25+, with at least Bachelor's Degree21.6% (18,998)
 Living in Poverty3.9% (732)

Employment & Poverty

Unemployment Rate.....8.2%
 Median Income\$40,711
 Median Income with High School Degree\$24,334
 Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household\$41,304
 Hourly Wage for FMR, 2 BR Apartment\$13.79

Health & Poverty

Infant Mortality Rate.....5.0
 Low Birth Weight Rate.....6.2
 No Health Insurance
 Employed10.8%
 Unemployed.....24.9%
 Children Eligible for Free/Reduced
 Lunch Program.....50%

Gender & Poverty

Median Male Income
 High School Diploma Only.....\$30,923
 Median Female Income
 High School Diploma Only\$18,595
 Families - Female Head of Household
 w/Children Living in Poverty
 50.1%

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