



County Population: 27,073

County Poverty Rate: 13.4

Population for whom poverty status is determined: 26,718

Population Under 18 for whom poverty is determined: 6,486

Population 25 & over for whom education/poverty status determined: 18,082

Population Over 65 for whom poverty is determined: 3,954

Lewis County Poverty Profile

Individuals in Poverty13.4% (3,587)

Children (under 18) in Poverty20.6% (1,336)

Adults 25+ in Poverty9.9% (1,782)

Senior Citizens (age 65+) in Poverty..... 6.5% (256)

Race & Poverty

Whites Living in Poverty13.4% (3,498)

African Americans Living in Poverty(Not Available)

Hispanics/Latinos Living in Poverty (Not Available)

Education & Poverty

Adults, 25+, with High School Degree Only49.6% (8,695)

Living in Poverty.....10.4% (934)

Adults, 25+, with Associate's Degree25.7% (4,653)

Living in Poverty.....5.2% (243)

Adults, 25+, with at least Bachelor's Degree12.5% (2,268)

Living in Poverty3.5% (80)

Employment & Poverty

Unemployment Rate.....9.0%

Median Income\$44,230

Median Income with High School Degree\$28,848

Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household\$41,134

Hourly Wage for FMR, 2 BR Apartment\$13.10

Health & Poverty

Infant Mortality Rate.....1.0

Low Birth Weight Rate.....7.7

No Health Insurance

Employed12.2%

Unemployed.....45.6%

Children Eligible for Free/Reduced

Lunch Program.....47%

Gender & Poverty

Median Male Income

High School Diploma Only.....\$37,740

Median Female Income

High School Diploma Only\$18,811

Families - Female Head of Household

w/Children Living in Poverty

.....48.8%

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