



550 East Main Street
Rochester, NY 14604
585-325-5116

County Population:
749,356

Population for whom poverty status is determined:

Overall
725,169
Population Under 18
160,155
Population 25 & Over
497,839
Population over 65
108,216

15.2% COUNTY POVERTY RATE

Living In Poverty

Individuals	15.2%	110,192
Children (Under 18)	23.1%	36,909
Adults 25+	11.0%	54,901
Senior Citizens 65+	7.0%	7,554

Monroe County

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Race & Poverty

White	9.7% (53,466)
African American	36.2% (40,620)
Hispanic/Latino	34.6% (20,081)



Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 497,839

Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
9.7% (48,077)	24.9% (123,850)	29.1% (144,699)	36.4% (181,213)
Total*	Total*	Total*	Total*
32.2% (15,462)	13.7% (16,944)	10.4% (15,045)	4.1% (7,450)
Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty

*DUE TO ROUNDING, PERCENTAGES MAY NOT ADD UP PRECISELY TO 100%.



Living Wage for
1 Adult, 1 Child
Household
\$24.24

Employment & Poverty

Hourly Wage for
FMR, 2BR Apartment
\$16.60

Median Income
\$37,809

Median Income
w/High School Diploma
\$27,377

Health & Poverty

No Health Insurance

Employed	7.2%
Unemployed	19.9%

Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **33%**

Gender & Poverty



Median Earnings
\$31,818



Median Earnings
\$22,944

Of Those Families with
Female Heads of Household
and Children Present

43.4%
Live in Poverty