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New York, NY 10007  
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**County Population:**  
**1,629,507**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall  
**1,582,885**

Population Under 18  
**235,427**

Population 25 & Over  
**1,216,163**

Population over 65  
**224,409**

**17.9%**  
**COUNTY POVERTY RATE**

**Living In Poverty**

Individuals	17.9%	283,590
Children (Under 18)	24.6%	57,873
Adults 25+	15.0%	182,042
Senior Citizens 65+	18.0%	40,320

**New York County**

NYC Department of Youth & Community Development

[www.nyc.gov/html/dycd](http://www.nyc.gov/html/dycd)

**Race & Poverty**

White	10.5% (93,461)
African American	31.7% (74,949)
Hispanic/Latino	29.3% (121,207)



**Education & Poverty**



**Adult Population 25+: 1,216,163**

**Educational Attainment**

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
13.2% (160,977)	12.4% (151,135)	14.1% (171,358)	60.3% (732,693)
<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>
39.0% (62,794)	27.1% (40,888)	18.2% (31,246)	6.4% (47,114)
<b>Living in Poverty</b>	<b>Living in Poverty</b>	<b>Living in Poverty</b>	<b>Living in Poverty</b>

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



**Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household**  
**\$28.24**

**Employment & Poverty**

<b>Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apartment</b>	<b>Median Income</b>
\$30.21	\$58,888
<b>Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apartment</b>	<b>Median Income w/High School Diploma</b>
\$30.21	\$25,215

**Health & Poverty**

<b>No Health Insurance</b>	<b>Free/Reduced Lunch Program</b>
Employed: 9.5%	Data not available
Unemployed: 25.8%	

**Gender & Poverty**  
**High School Diploma Only**

<b>Median Earnings</b>	<b>Median Earnings</b>
\$27,799	\$21,116

**Of Those Families with Female Heads of Household and Children Present**

**41.3%**  
**Live in Poverty**

US Poverty Rate: 15.5% • NYS Poverty Rate: 15.7%