



913 Albany Street
Schenectady, NY 12307
518-374-9181

County Population:
154,796

Population for whom poverty status is determined:

Overall
150,825

Population Under 18
33,722

Population 25 & Over
104,303

Population over 65
22,661

12.6%
COUNTY
POVERTY
RATE

Living In Poverty

Individuals	12.6%	19,028
Children (Under 18)	20.9%	7,031
Adults 25+	9.7%	10,092
Senior Citizens 65+	6.5%	1,482

Schenectady County

Schenectady Community Action Program, Inc.

www.scapny.org

Race & Poverty

White	9.0% (10,672)
African American	31.0% (4,760)
Hispanic/Latino	35.8% (3,433)



Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 104,303

Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
9.3% (9,696)	29.8% (31,063)	30.2% (31,522)	30.7% (32,022)
Total*	Total*	Total*	Total*
25.0% (2,426)	12.7% (3,939)	9.2% (2,888)	2.6% (839)
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
\$24.90

Employment & Poverty

Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apartment
\$19.33

Median Income
\$38,334

Median Income w/High School Diploma
\$27,058

Health & Poverty

No Health Insurance

Employed	8.6%
Unemployed	27.0%

Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **31%**

Gender & Poverty
High School Diploma Only



Median Earnings
\$33,162



Median Earnings
\$22,397

Of Those Families with Female Heads of Household and Children Present

40.3%
Live in Poverty

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