



77 Cannon Street  
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601  
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**County Population:**  
**293,894**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall  
**277,367**

Population Under 18  
**55,711**

Population 25 & Over  
**197,596**

Population over 65  
**46,983**

**9.1%**  
**COUNTY**  
**POVERTY**  
**RATE**

Living In Poverty

Individuals	9.1%	25,335
Children (Under 18)	11.8%	6,561
Adults 25+	7.9%	15,595
Senior Citizens 65+	6.2%	2,903

## Dutchess County

### Community Action Partnership for Dutchess County

[www.dutchesscap.org](http://www.dutchesscap.org)

## Race & Poverty

White	7.6% (16,817)
African American	16.4% (4,419)
Hispanic/Latino	15.3% (4,971)

VALUES REPRESENT THE PERCENT OF POPULATION IN POVERTY BY RACE.



## Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 197,596

### Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
8.8% (17,288)	25.9% (51,103)	29.2% (57,780)	36.2% (71,425)
<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>
21.8% (3,764)	10.4% (5,304)	7.3% (4,239)	3.2% (2,288)
Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty

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



## Employment & Poverty

Living Wage for  
1 Adult, 1 Child  
Household  
**\$29.72**

Hourly Wage for  
FMR, 2BR Apartment  
**\$25.88**

Median Income  
**\$46,372**

Median Income  
w/High School Diploma  
**\$35,009**

## Health & Poverty

### No Health Insurance

Employed	6.9%
Unemployed	13.7%

### Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **39%**

## Gender & Poverty



**High School Diploma Only**

Median Earnings  
**\$40,859**

Median Earnings  
**\$27,756**

Of Those Families with  
Female Heads of Household  
and Children Present

**29.3%**  
**Live in Poverty**

US Poverty Rate: 14.1% • State Poverty Rate: 14.6%