New York State Community Action Association http://www.nyscommunityaction.org

County Population: 88,840 County Poverty Rate: 15.8%

Population for whom poverty status is determined: 82,724 Population Under 18 for whom poverty is determined: 19,316

Population 25 & over for whom education/poverty status determined: 56,972

Population Over 65 for whom poverty is determined: 12,928



Chemung County Poverty Profile

Individuals in Poverty	15.8% (13,036)
Children (under 18) in Poverty	23.7% (4,573)
Adults 25+ in Poverty	12.0% (6,823)
Senior Citizens (age 65+) in Poverty.	8.7% (1,129)

Race & Poverty	Health & Poverty
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Whites Living in Poverty	14.5% (11,109)	Infant Mortality Rate3.7
African Americans Living in Poverty	33.8% (1,053)	Low Birth Weight Rate8.8
Hispanics/Latinos Living in Poverty	(Not Available)	No Health Insurance
Education & Poverty		Employed9.9%
Adults, 25+, with High School Degree Only	35.7% (20,343)	Unemployed32.7%
Living in Poverty	13.4% (2,722)	Children Eligible for Free/Reduced
Adults, 25+, with Associate's Degree	32.5% (18,540)	Lunch Program49%
Living in Poverty	11.4% (2.106)	Candar & Dayouts

Living in Poverty2.6% (323)

Adults, 25+, with at least Bachelor's Degree21.6% (12,299)

Employment & Poverty	
Unemployment Rate	8.5%
Median Income	\$48,046
Median Income with High School Degree	\$26,246
Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household	\$42,590
Hourly Wage for FMR, 2 BR Apartment	\$14.79

Gender & Poverty

Median Male Income High School Diploma Only.....\$30,567 Median Female Income High School Diploma Only\$22,292 Families - Female Head of Household w/Children Living in Poverty43.2%

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