



7572 Court Street, Suite 2  
Elizabethtown, NY 12932  
518-873-3207

**County Population:**  
**38,233**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall  
**35,631**

Population Under 18  
**6,312**

Population 25 & Over  
**26,796**

Population over 65  
**7,937**

**8.9%**  
**COUNTY POVERTY RATE**

**Living In Poverty**

Individuals	8.9%	3,170
Children (Under 18)	11.2%	704
Adults 25+	7.6%	2,048
Senior Citizens 65+	5.4%	432

**Essex County**

**Adirondack Community Action Programs, Inc.**

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

**Race & Poverty**

White	8.3% (2,861)
African American	61.0% (86)
Hispanic/Latino	24.1% (158)



**Education & Poverty**



Adult Population 25+: 26,796

**Educational Attainment**

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
8.2% (2,184)	32.0% (8,562)	31.5% (8,443)	28.4% (7,607)
<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>
14.7% (322)	10.2% (870)	6.3% (531)	4.3% (325)
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  
**\$25.91**

**Employment & Poverty**

Hourly Wage for  
FMR, 2BR Apartment  
**\$16.62**

Median Income  
**\$32,172**

Median Income  
w/High School Diploma  
**\$28,601**

**Health & Poverty**

**No Health Insurance**

Employed	7.3%
Unemployed	12.4%

**Free/Reduced Lunch Program**

 **57%**

**Gender & Poverty**



**High School Diploma Only**

Median Earnings  
**\$34,485**

Median Earnings  
**\$22,363**

Of Those Families with  
Female Heads of Household  
and Children Present

**26.5%**  
**Live in Poverty**