



40 Smith Street  
 Middletown, NY 10940  
 845-342-3978

**County Population:**  
**378,174**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall  
**368,389**

Population Under 18  
**96,307**

Population 25 & Over  
**236,529**

Population over 65  
**47,604**

**12.2%**  
**COUNTY POVERTY RATE**

**Living In Poverty**

Individuals	12.2%	45,108
Children (Under 18)	19.9%	19,134
Adults 25+	9.1%	21,614
Senior Citizens 65+	7.0%	3,353

# Orange County

Regional Economic Community Action Program, Inc. (RECAP)

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

## Race & Poverty

White	10.8% (29,500)
African American	18.3% (6,975)
Hispanic/Latino	15.4% (11,225)



## Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 236,529

### Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
10.0% (23,592)	29.4% (69,516)	30.8% (72,883)	29.8% (70,538)
<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>	<b>Total*</b>
27.0% (6,373)	11.0% (7,645)	7.2% (5,227)	3.4% (2,369)
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  
**\$28.91**

## Employment & Poverty

Hourly Wage for  
 FMR, 2BR Apartment  
**\$25.40**

Median Income  
**\$45,019**

Median Income  
 w/High School Diploma  
**\$34,910**

## Health & Poverty

### No Health Insurance

Employed	8.3%
Unemployed	20.3%

### Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **62%**

## Gender & Poverty



High School  
 Diploma Only  
 Median  
 Earnings  
**\$41,622**



Median  
 Earnings  
**\$27,783**

Of Those Families with  
 Female Heads of Household  
 and Children Present

**31.8%**  
**Live in Poverty**