



Chautauqua County **Poverty Rate**

County Population: 128,496

Population for whom poverty status is determined:

Overall 123,076

Population Under 18 25,699 Population 25 & Over 87,575 Population over 65 24,250

Living In Poverty

Individuals 18.2% (22,398) Children (Under 18) 28.5% (7,316) Adults 25+ 14.3% (12,557) Senior Citizens 65+ 8.7% (2,112)

Chautauqua County

Chautauqua Opportunities, Inc.

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Education & Poverty

Education Attainment for Adults 25+ (87,575)



Total Popu
No Degree
High Schoo
Associate
Bachelors +

25+ (67,575)				
lation		Living in Poverty		
	10.8%	No Degree	32.2%	
bl	35.4%	High School	16.2%	
	31.2%	Associate	12.5%	
F	22.5%	Bachelors +	5.4%	

Employment & Poverty

Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child	\$28.09	
Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apt	\$13.94	JOB
Median Income	\$33,896	
Median Income w/ HS Diploma	\$30,262	
Male Median Earnings	\$37,351	
Female Median Earnings	\$21,557	

Health & Poverty



No Health Insurance	
Employed	6.3%
Unemployed	10.0%
Free/Reduced Lunch Program	68%

Gender & Poverty

Male Female 17.1% (10,338) 19.2% (12,060)

Of those families with Female Heads of Household and Children Present

> 48.2% **Live in Poverty**

Race & Poverty

White African American Hispanic/Latino

17.2% (19,746) 36.1% (810) 40.5% (3,596)

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