



# Suffolk County

## EOC of Suffolk

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# 6.9%

## Suffolk County Poverty Rate

County Population:

**1,483,832**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall

**1,456,653**

Population Under 18

**311,523**

Population 25 & Over

**1,020,374**

Population over 65

**238,323**

### Living In Poverty

Individuals

**6.9% (100,133)**

Children (Under 18)

**9.1% (28,414)**

Adults 25+

**6.1% (62,165)**

Senior Citizens 65+

**5.8% (13,822)**

## Education & Poverty

Education Attainment for Adults 25+ (1,020,374)



### Total Population

No Degree	9.3%
High School	27.2%
Associate	27.0%
Bachelors +	36.6%

### Living in Poverty

No Degree	16.7%
High School	8.0%
Associate	4.9%
Bachelors +	2.9%

## Employment & Poverty

Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child **\$41.82**

Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apt **\$38.31**

Median Income **\$53,210**

Median Income w/ HS Diploma **\$41,742**

Male Median Earnings **\$51,108**

Female Median Earnings **\$31,552**



## Health & Poverty



No Health Insurance

Employed **6.2%**

Unemployed **15.0%**

Free/Reduced Lunch Program **44%**

## Gender & Poverty

Male **6.1% (43,456)**

Female **7.7% (56,677)**

Of those families with  
Female Heads of Household  
and Children Present

**20.9%**

**Live in Poverty**

## Race & Poverty

White **5.9% (69,538)**

African American **11.2% (12,528)**

Hispanic/Latino **12.7% (35,688)**

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