

# Herkimer County

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**13.0%**  
**Herkimer County**  
**Poverty Rate**

County Population:  
**60,596**

*Population for whom  
 poverty status is  
 determined:*

Overall  
**59,517**

Population Under 18  
**12,228**

Population 25 & Over  
**42,501**

Population 65 & Over  
**12,114**

### Living In Poverty

Individuals  
**13.0% (7,754)**

Children (Under 18)  
**19.8% (2,419)**

Adults 25 & Over  
**10.9% (4,639)**

Adults 65 & Over  
**8.4% (1,019)**

## Education & Poverty

Education Attainment for Adults 25+ (42,501)



### Total Population

No Degree	9.1%
High School	35.4%
Associate	33.9%
Bachelors +	21.6%

### Living in Poverty

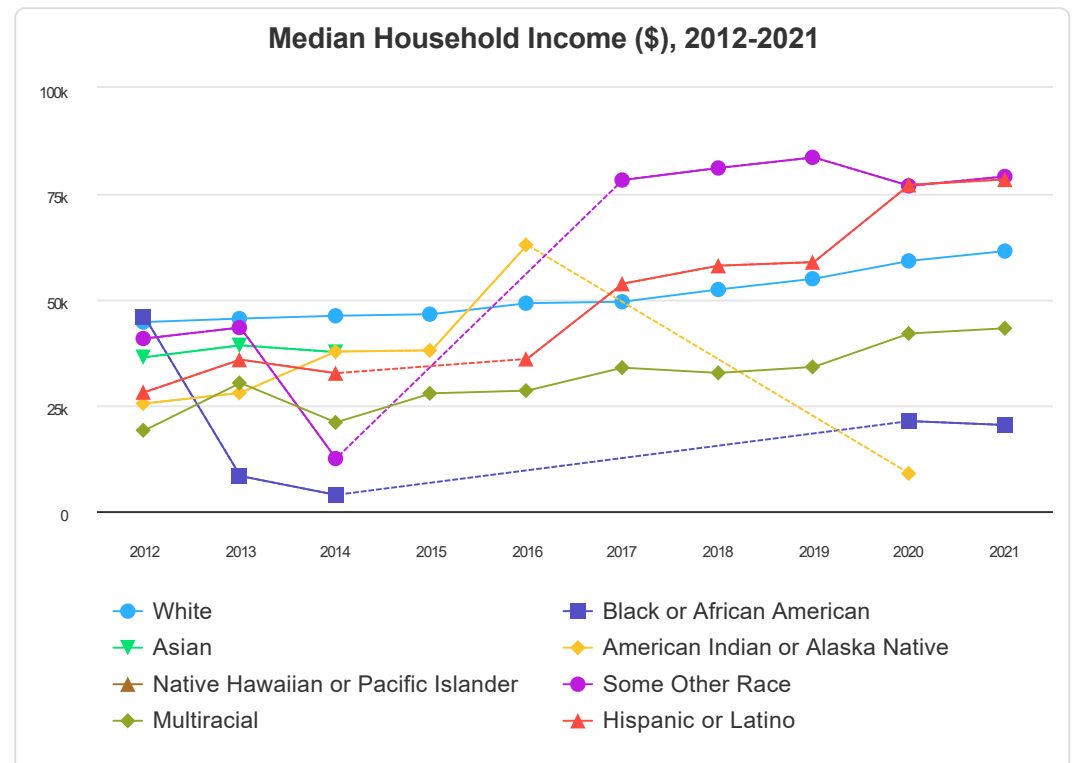
No Degree	21.6%
High School	13.8%
Associate	9.2%
Bachelors +	4.3%

## Employment & Poverty

Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child	<b>\$32.46</b>
Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apt	<b>\$16.60</b>
Median Income	<b>\$39,472</b>
Median Income w/ HS Diploma	<b>\$32,252</b>
Male Median Earnings	<b>\$38,661</b>
Female Median Earnings	<b>\$25,744</b>



## Median Household Income by Race & Ethnicity



ALICE: households that are Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed.

**28.9%**  
Households Live Below ALICE Threshold

Total Households:  
**24,441**

ALICE Households by Race & Ethnicity

White  
**7,407**

Black or African American  
**187**

Asian  
**47**

Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  
**No data**

Multiracial  
**246**

Hispanic or Latino  
**45**

## Health Insurance & Poverty



### No Health Insurance

Employed **5.9%**  
Unemployed **15.8%**

## Gender & Poverty

Male **12.4% (3,684)**  
Female **13.7% (4,070)**

Of those families with Female Heads of Household and Children Present  
**24.9%**  
Live in Poverty

## Race, Ethnicity & Poverty

White **12.4% (6,996)**  
Black or African American **21.0% (133)**  
Asian **30.5% (91)**  
American Indian or Alaska Native **14.0% (14)**  
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander **0.0% (0)**  
Some Other Race **24.4% (86)**  
Multiracial **23.6% (434)**  
Hispanic or Latino **25.3% (354)**

## ALICE Household Monthly Survival Budget

1 Adult	<b>\$2,091</b>	2 Adults	<b>\$3,146</b>
1 Senior Adult	<b>\$2,408</b>	2 Adults, 2 Infants	<b>\$5,826</b>
1 Adult, 1 Infant	<b>\$3,498</b>	2 Adults, 2 Pre-K	<b>\$5,191</b>
1 Adult, 1 Pre-K	<b>\$3,281</b>	2 Adults, 2 School-age	<b>\$4,365</b>
1 Adult, 1 School-age	<b>\$2,886</b>		

## Children in Poverty

