

# Chemung County

## Economic Opportunity Program, Inc. of Chemung and Schuyler Counties



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**15.2%**  
**Chemung County Poverty Rate**

County Population:  
**83,584**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall  
**79,840**

Population Under 18  
**17,079**

Population 25 & Over  
**56,799**

Population 65 & Over  
**15,901**

### Living In Poverty

Individuals  
**15.2% (12,118)**

Children (Under 18)  
**19.9% (3,404)**

Adults 25 & Over  
**13.0% (7,384)**

Adults 65 & Over  
**9.6% (1,525)**

## Education & Poverty

Education Attainment for Adults 25+ (56,799)



### Total Population

No Degree	8.7%
High School	33.4%
Associate	32.6%
Bachelors +	25.4%

### Living in Poverty

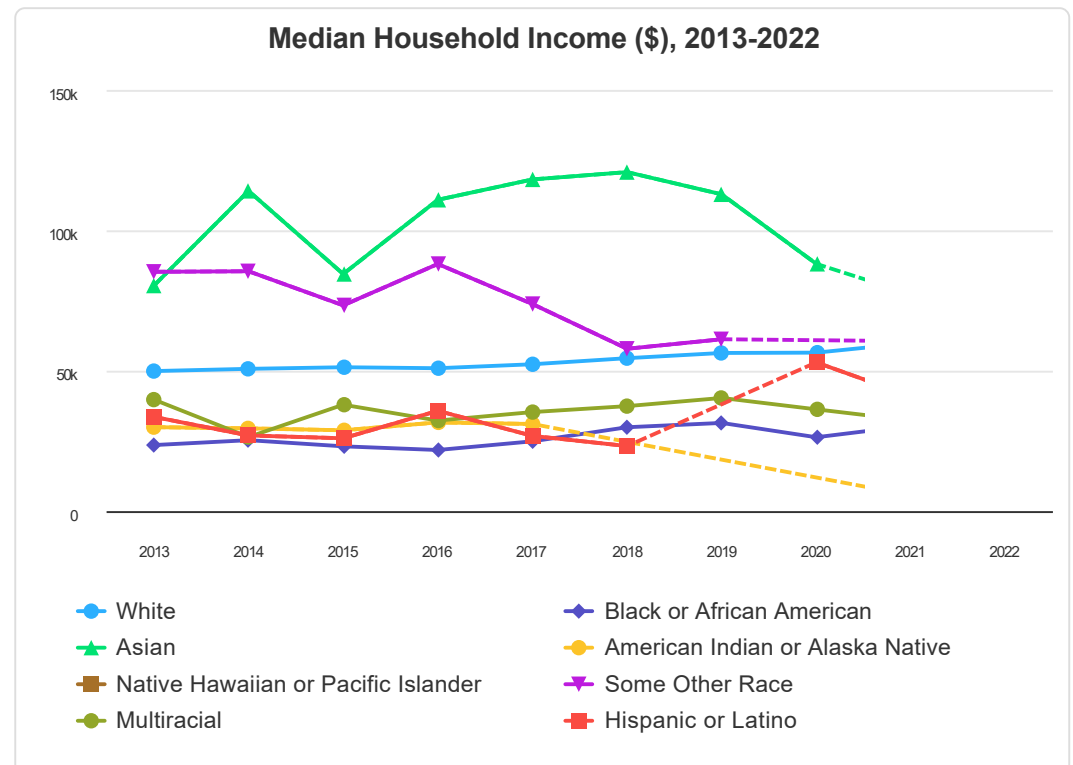
No Degree	31.1%
High School	16.2%
Associate	12.0%
Bachelors +	3.9%

## Employment & Poverty

Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child	<b>\$37.79</b>
Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apt	<b>\$19.98</b>
Median Income	<b>\$43,225</b>
Median Income w/ HS Diploma	<b>\$36,278</b>
Male Median Earnings	<b>\$43,274</b>
Female Median Earnings	<b>\$29,990</b>



## Median Household Income by Race & Ethnicity



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

**30.0%**  
Households Live Below ALICE Threshold

Total Households:  
**34,319**

ALICE Households by Race & Ethnicity

White  
**10,936**

Black or African American  
**368**

Asian  
**116**

American Indian or Alaska Native  
**No data**

Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  
**No data**

Some Other Race  
**91**

Multiracial  
**350**

Hispanic or Latino  
**272**

## Health Insurance & Poverty



### No Health Insurance

Employed **6.1%**  
Unemployed **15.8%**

## Gender & Poverty

Male **13.8% (5,406)**  
Female **16.5% (6,712)**

Of those families with Female Heads of Household and Children Present  
**40.3%**  
Live in Poverty

## Race, Ethnicity & Poverty

White **13.2% (9,178)**  
Black or African American **28.1% (954)**  
Asian **13.8% (166)**  
American Indian or Alaska Native **87.5% (168)**  
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander **0% (0)**  
Some Other Race **46.0% (297)**  
Multiracial **28.3% (1,355)**  
Hispanic or Latino **40.4% (1,043)**

## ALICE Household Monthly Survival Budget

1 Adult	<b>\$2,412</b>	1 Adult and 1 School-age	<b>\$3,561</b>
1 Senior Adult	<b>\$2,752</b>	2 Adults	<b>\$3,370</b>
1 Adult and 1 Pre-K	<b>\$4,265</b>	2 Adults and 2 School-age	<b>\$5,578</b>

## Children in Poverty

