



County Population: 1,493,470

County Poverty Rate: 6.1%

Population for whom poverty status is determined: 1,467,340

Population Under 18 for whom poverty is determined: 351,669

Population 25 & over for whom education/poverty status determined: 995,395

Population Over 65 for whom poverty is determined: 195,048

Suffolk County Poverty Profile

Individuals in Poverty6.1% (90,093)

Children (under 18) in Poverty7.4% (26,092)

Adults 25+ in Poverty5.4% (54,170)

Senior Citizens (age 65+) in Poverty.... 5.6% (10,892)

Race & Poverty

Whites Living in Poverty4.8% (57,782)

African Americans Living in Poverty12.9% (13,947)

Hispanics/Latinos Living in Poverty10.7% (26,099)

Education & Poverty

Adults, 25+, with High School Degree Only.....30.5% (304,051)

Living in Poverty.....6.9% (21,127)

Adults, 25+, with Associate's Degree27.2% (270,730)

Living in Poverty.....4.2% (11,393)

Adults, 25+, with at least Bachelor's Degree32.5% (323,132)

Living in Poverty2.3% (7,413)

Employment & Poverty

Unemployment Rate.....7.2%

Median Income\$84,889

Median Income with High School Degree\$34,921

Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household\$54,966

Hourly Wage for FMR, 2 BR Apartment\$32.35

Health & Poverty

Infant Mortality Rate.....3.1

Low Birth Weight Rate.....7.8

No Health Insurance

Employed12.1%

Unemployed.....33.8%

Children Eligible for Free/Reduced

Lunch Program.....35%

Gender & Poverty

Median Male Income

High School Diploma Only.....\$42,172

Median Female Income

High School Diploma Only\$27,699

Families - Female Head of Household

w/Children Living in Poverty

.....19.7%

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