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Background

This atlas assesses the extent of food insecurity in the state of Missouri. It also gauges how well public programs are doing in meeting the needs of our fellow citizens who have difficulty acquiring sufficient amounts and qualities of food. The concept of food security, as the Food Assistance and Nutrition Research Program within the United States Department of Agriculture defines it, refers to “access by all people at all times to enough food for an active, healthy life.” Food insecurity in this country is normally due to insufficient resources for food purchases, and most food-insecure households avoid hunger by relying on a narrower range of foods or acquiring food through private and public assistance programs.

In 2023, the year in which most of the data for this atlas is from, 13.5 percent of all Americans, or an estimated 47.4 million people, lived in food-insecure households. This is a greater than 30 percent increase from 2021. A reported 17.9 percent of all households with children experienced food insecurity. Households experiencing “very low food security,” formerly labeled as “food insecure with hunger,” accounted for 5.1 percent of households, meaning the food intake of some household members was reduced and their normal eating patterns were disrupted because of the lack of money and other resources.

The costs of food insecurity are economic, social, physical and psychological. For example, the economic costs of food insecurity among adults include income loss, work absenteeism, higher demand for public benefits and social services, and increased health care expenditures. Food

insecurity and poverty are clearly connected. Poverty is the best single predictor of food insecurity, and hunger strongly correlates with lower educational achievement, unemployment, and impaired work performance. Recent studies of children show food insecurity and hunger are significant predictors of chronic illness, low birth weight, lower school performance, and developmental problems.

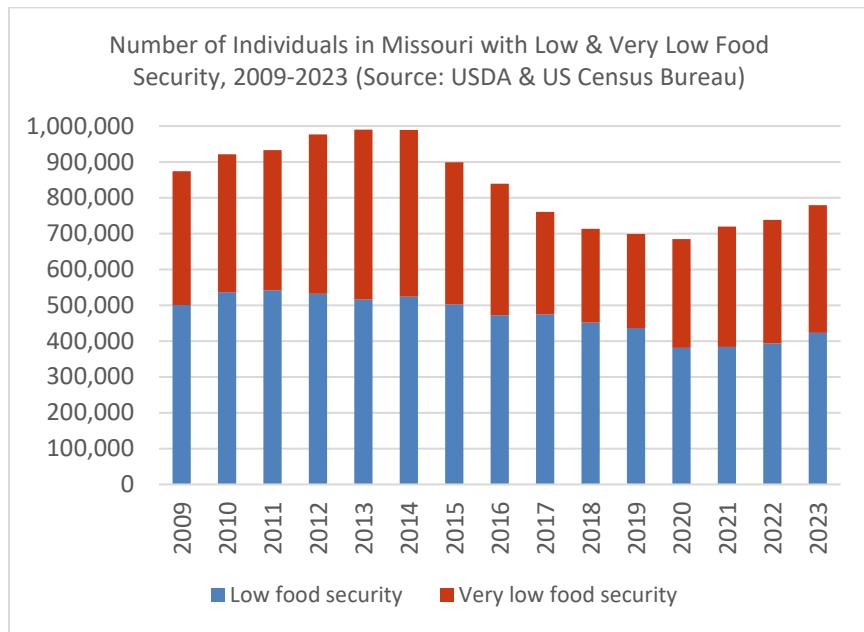


Figure 1

Missouri’s statistics (see *Figure 1*), after improving between 2015 and 2020, show an increase in the total number of people impacted by food insecurity between 2020 and 2023. An estimated 779,000 people are food insecure in Missouri. Of those, approximately 356,000 experience very low food security or hunger. Between 2021 and 2023 (see *Figure 2*), an average of 12.7 percent of Missouri households

experienced food insecurity, an increase of 10 percent compared to 2018 to 2020. Meanwhile, 5.8 percent of households experienced very low food security, an increase of 14 percent compared to 2018 to 2020).

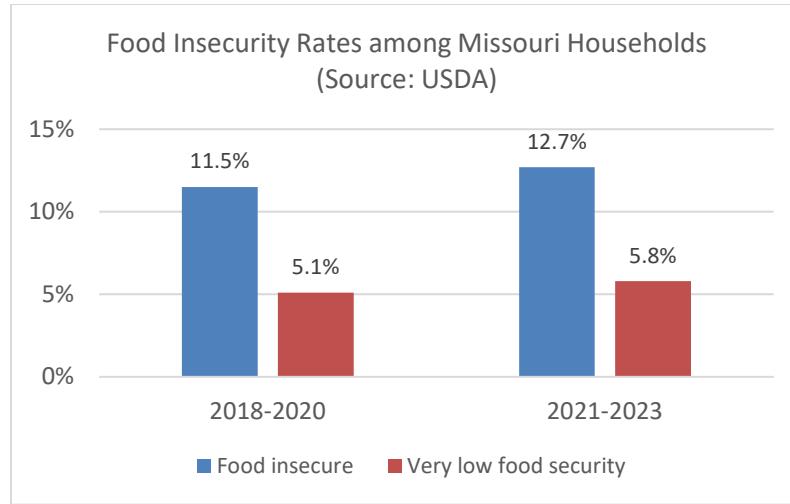


Figure 2

In Missouri, food insecurity and hunger continue to challenge our state. While COVID-19 pandemic era monetary assistance programs provided important support for many struggling families, the conclusion of those programs coupled with rising food costs and inflation has led to a significant rise in food insecurity.

Goals

To help Missourians gain a greater understanding of food insecurity and hunger in the state, researchers at the University of Missouri's Interdisciplinary Center for Food Security compiled county-level data to provide (1) a snapshot of the extent and depth of food insecurity and hunger (*which we refer to as “need” in this atlas*) and (2) an assessment of participation in programs intended to mediate food insecurity and hunger (*labeled as “performance” in this atlas*). With the cooperation of many public and private sector agencies and organizations, we identified appropriate variables or indicators for this analysis for each of Missouri’s 114 counties and the City of St. Louis.

The goals of the Missouri Hunger Atlas include the following:

- Raise Missourians’ awareness of the extent and depth of food insecurity and hunger needs in their own locations and in other regions of the state.
- Increase Missourians’ knowledge of the extent of the work of public programs and food banks in their regions and the success of these programs in reaching food-insecure populations.
- Reveal geographic patterns, including regional and county-level differences, in hunger need and performance in our state.

- Provide measures of need and performance that can be updated on a periodic basis and compared to assess trends in need and performance variables.
- Help public and private decision-makers assess food insecurity need and program performance as a means for improving the delivery of human, technical, and fiscal resources to residents and regions requiring assistance.

This publication is consistently a “work in progress.” We welcome comments and suggestions from readers and users. People might identify different sets of indicators than those described here, for example, or may have creative ideas for more effective presentations of the findings. Our goal is to have this atlas used by diverse groups in Missouri and outside our state. We sincerely hope that dialogue about both our methods and results become part of wider discussions. Please [contact us](http://foodsecurity.missouri.edu/contact-us) (foodsecurity.missouri.edu/contact-us) with questions or comments.

Reading the Atlas: County Tables & State Maps

This atlas presents information on indicators that measure both food insecurity and program success in meeting people’s needs. We have identified seven indicators related to “need” and ten measures of “performance.” Depending on the variable, our measures focus primarily on 2023 data, the most recent data available at time of publication, using either the calendar year, the state fiscal year (July 1 - June 30), or federal fiscal year (October 1 - September 30). In the county pages which make up the bulk of this report, readers will find

county-level information on (A) demographic, health, and economic indicators, (B) need indicators, and (C) performance indicators.

The next few pages of this atlas provide an overview of these three categories, as well as important information on how to read the county tables. This section also includes information on how to read the state maps included in this atlas.

County Profile Indicators

At the bottom of each county page are three types of indicators under the County Profile heading: demographic, health, and economic. These give readers a general profile of the county context. We present health variables due to the close correlations between food security, diet, and health status. Within the economic indicators, we include three poverty measures as poverty is the best predictor of food insecurity in the United States. Median household income, unemployment rate, percentage of single-parent households, and food affordability are additional measures of economic well-being included in this section.

Need and Performance Indicators

The purpose of the “Need Indicators” is to provide measures of the extent of food insecurity and hunger in each Missouri county and the City of St. Louis. The “Performance Indicators” provide county-level measures of the extent to which residents are participating in public and private programs intended to help people cope with food insecurity. Knowing county needs, we can examine the success of programs established to address those needs.

How to Read the County Tables

At the top of the County Table, seven indicators of food insecurity and hunger need are presented under the Need Indicator heading. Three columns of information are presented for each variable. To demonstrate how to read this information (see *Figure 3*), here is the first Need Indicator, percentage of individuals food insecure, for Linn County (see page 90 for complete table):

- The *first column*, “County,” reports the result for the county on this indicator; in this case, 16.1 percent of Linn County’s total population is food insecure.
- The *second column*, “State,” shows the average for the entire population of Missouri, in this case 15.4 percent.
- The *third column* is labeled “Rank.” This last column indicates the county’s rank in comparison with all other

Missouri counties and the City of St. Louis. Individual county results are normally divided into five quintiles to reveal if a county’s need or performance level is in the top 20 percent, second highest 20 percent, and so on. The labels under “rank” indicate the following groups:

- Very High: 80th to 100th percentile
- High: 60th to 79th percentile
- Average: 40th to 59th percentile
- Low: 20th to 39th percentile
- Very Low: 1st to 19th percentile

The example on page 90 shows the level in Linn County, in comparison to other counties, is in the middle quintile in terms of the percentage of individuals who are food insecure.

NOTE: County rankings are not compiled for every indicator.

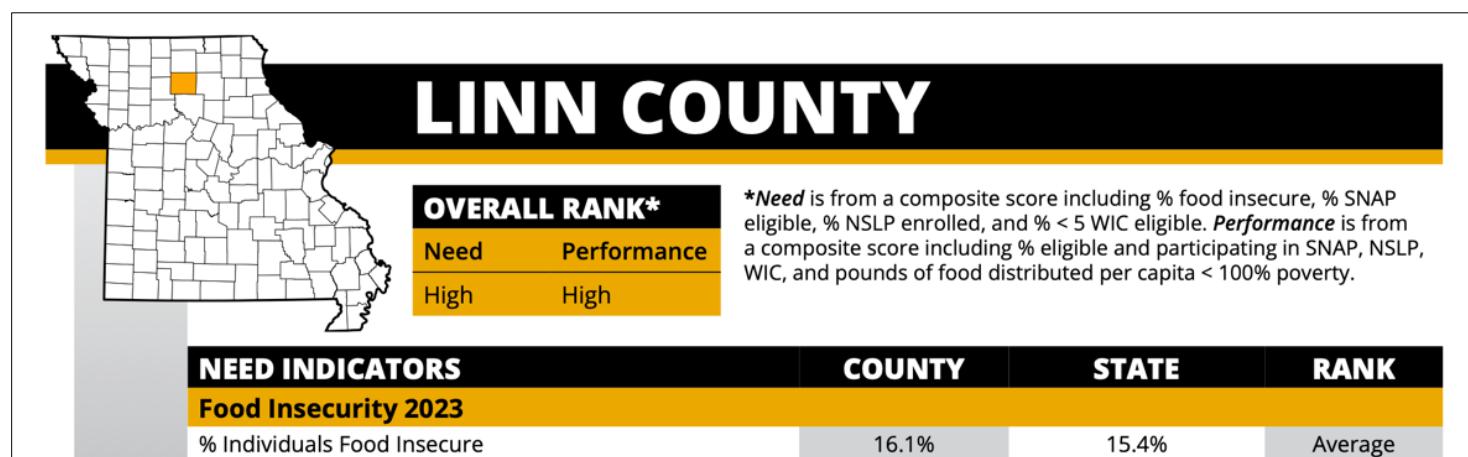


Figure 3

State Maps

For some indicators of hunger need and performance, we provide maps to visually show patterns among Missouri's 114 counties and the City of St. Louis. The maps allow the reader to quickly note the rankings of all counties in the state.

Each map divides the state into five equal fifths, or quintiles, according to the complete results for the measure. A quintile includes one-fifth, or 23, of the counties in the state.

The quintiles on each need and performance indicator map are arranged from very low (the 23 counties with lowest need or performance on that measure) to very high (the 23 counties with highest need or performance). For example, the percentage of individuals food insecure in the county ranges from a state low of 10.9 percent (St. Charles County) to a high of 23.1 percent (Wayne County). To make the state map of the percentage of individuals food insecure, the 23 counties with the lowest levels of food insecurity (10.9 – 14.6 percent) are in the first, or lowest quintile. The second quintile includes the 23 counties with the next lowest in levels of food insecurity, with rates from 14.6 to 15.9 percent. This pattern continues to the fifth quintile, or highest food insecurity group, which includes 23 counties with food insecurity rates from 18.4 to 23.1 percent.

Final Notes

This atlas emphasizes percentages rather than absolute numbers. In other words, most of our indicators reveal the percentage of a county's population that is food insecure or eligible for a particular program. With this approach, we can

compare need and performance measures between counties with different population numbers. However, it is important to remember that emphasizing percentages and comparatively assessing need and performance percentages between counties can cloak important differences in the absolute numbers of people affected by any single variable. The large proportion of people in Missouri's highest populated counties, including the City of St. Louis, St. Louis County, and Jackson County, means that the total number, rather than percentage, of people who are food insecure, eligible for a program, or participating in a program are almost always higher than counties with lower percentages. St. Louis City, for example, appears to be doing well in participation rates for specific programs and has a higher participation rate than many other counties with lower numbers of eligible participants. However, a participation rate of 80 percent in a highly populated county may mean that more people remain nonparticipants than in a county with a lower population and 70 percent participation rate. Similarly, a rate of eligibility for a program may be lower in a highly populated county than in a less populated area, but there may well be more individuals eligible in the former county due to the high number of residents.

The next three sections of this report present the indicators readers will find on the county pages. The major sections include the County Profile Indicators, Need Indicators, and Performance Indicators. Descriptions include the name of the indicator, how it is measured, and the source of the data. State maps are also provided for select indicators, including a Need vs. Performance map which compares overall need vs. overall performance.

County Profile Indicators

Demographic

Total Population

Number of people of all ages living in the county in 2023.

Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau

Population Under 18 Years

Percentage of the population under 18 years of age in 2023.

Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau

Population Over 64 Years

Percentage of the population 65 years of age and older in 2023.

Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau

Health

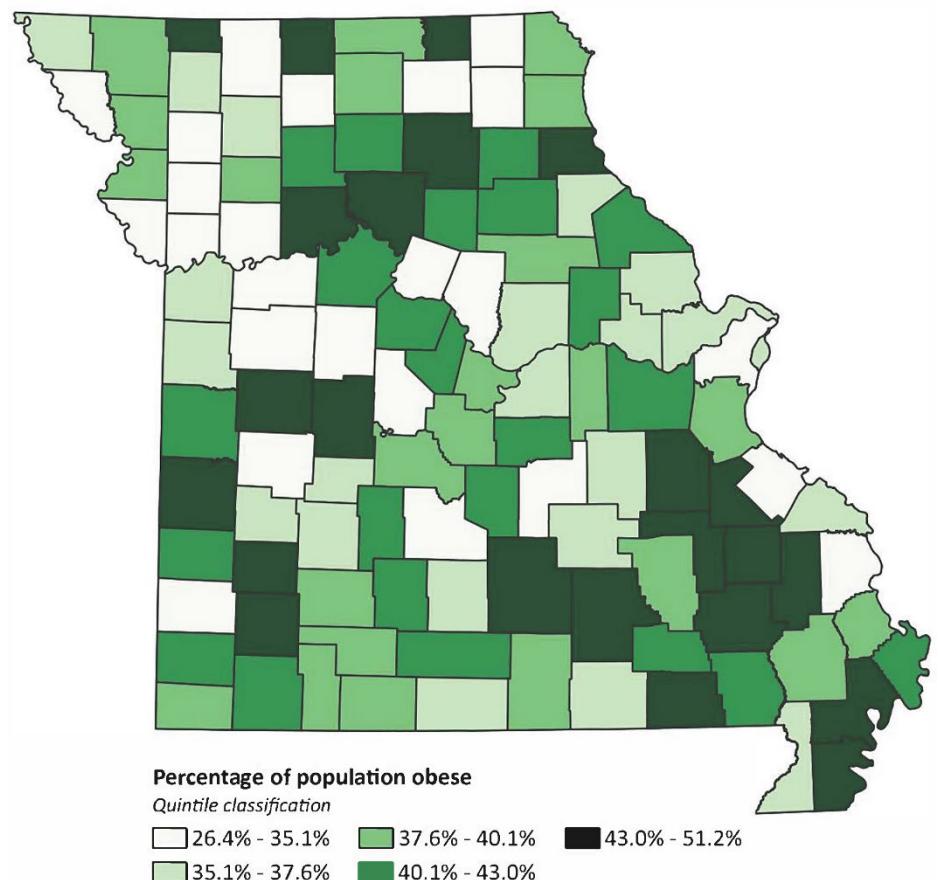
Obesity (MAP)

Percentage of the population 18 years of age and older in 2022 who are obese (Body Mass Index greater than 30).

Source: Missouri Public Health Information Management System (MOPHIMS), Department of Health and Senior Services, Community Data Profiles, County Level Study

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Diabetes (MAP)

Percentage of the population 18 years of age and older in 2022 who have been told by a doctor they have diabetes.

Source: Missouri Public Health Information Management System (MOPHIMS), Department of Health and Senior Services, Community Data Profiles, County Level Study

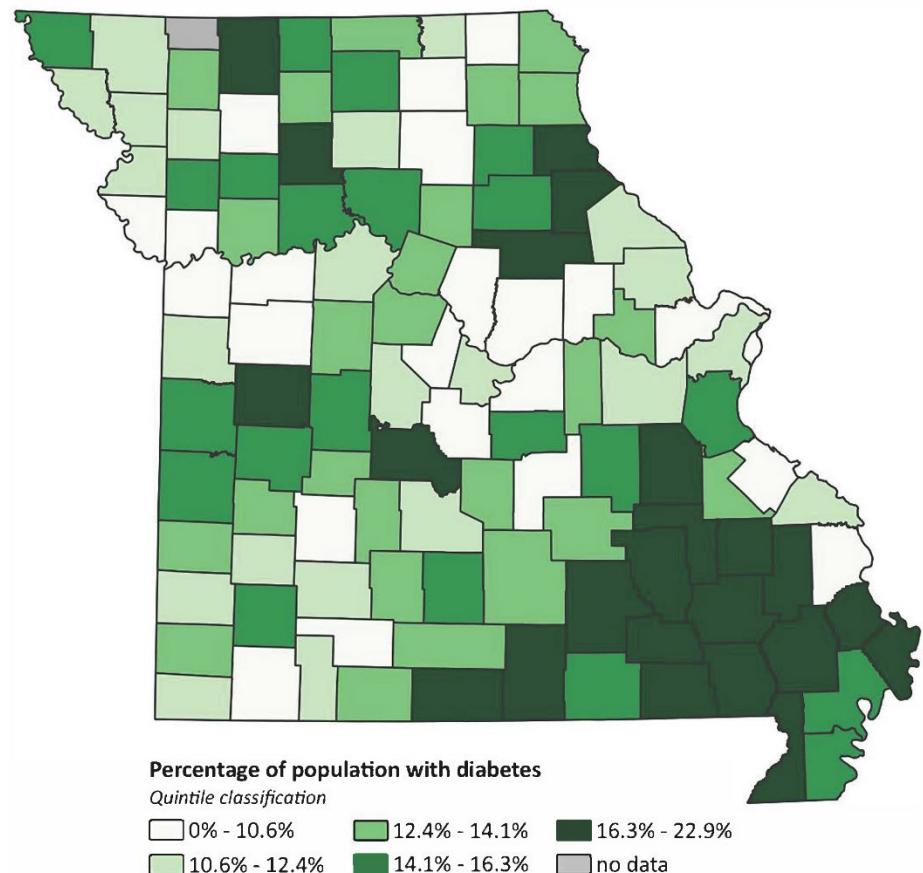
Hypertension

Percentage of the population 18 years of age and older in 2022 who have been told by a doctor they have high blood pressure.

Source: Missouri Public Health Information Management System (MOPHIMS), Department of Health and Senior Services, Community Data Profiles, County Level Study

Prevalence of Diabetes

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Economic Indicators

Population Below Poverty (MAP)

Percentage of the county's total population living at or below 100 percent of the poverty rate. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

Under 18 Years of Age Below Poverty

Percentage of the county's population under 18 years of age living at or below 100 percent of the poverty rate. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

Over 64 Years Below Poverty

Percentage of the county's population 65 years of age or older living at or below 100 percent of the poverty rate. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

Median Household Income

Average household income. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

Unemployment Rate

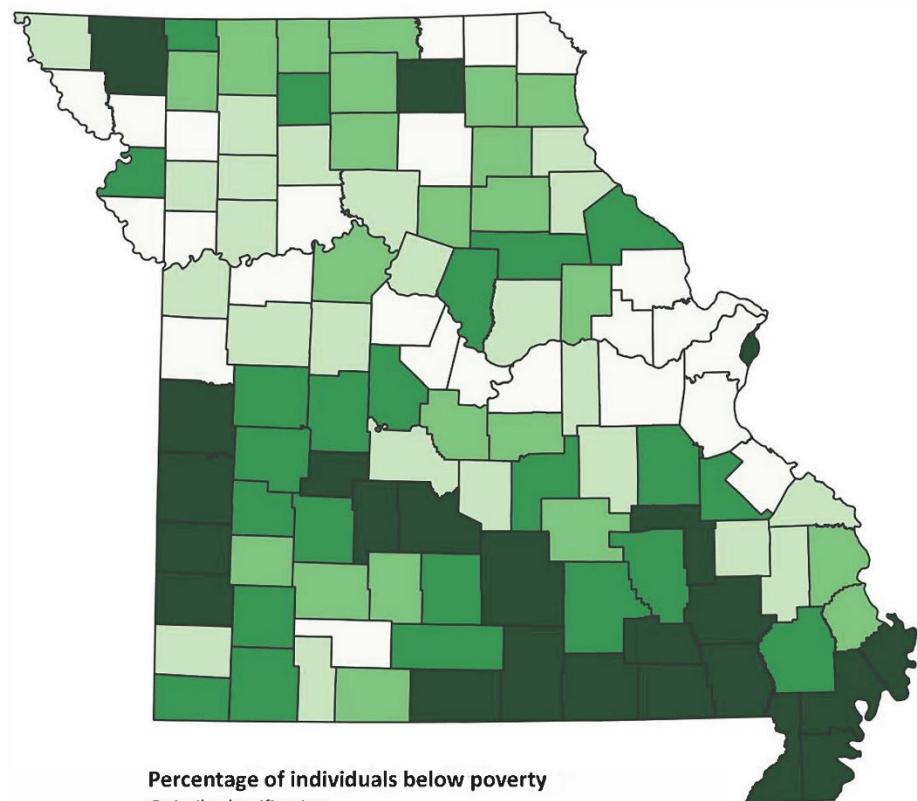
A county's average unemployment rate in 2023. *Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Local Area Unemployment Statistics*

Single Parent Households

The percentage of all households in a county headed by a single parent not currently married or living with a spouse. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

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Food Affordability (MAP)

An estimate of the percentage of income required each week by households in 2023 to meet average expenditures for food. Sources: *Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE)*, *U.S. Census Quick Facts*, *Feeding America, 2023 Map the Meal Gap*

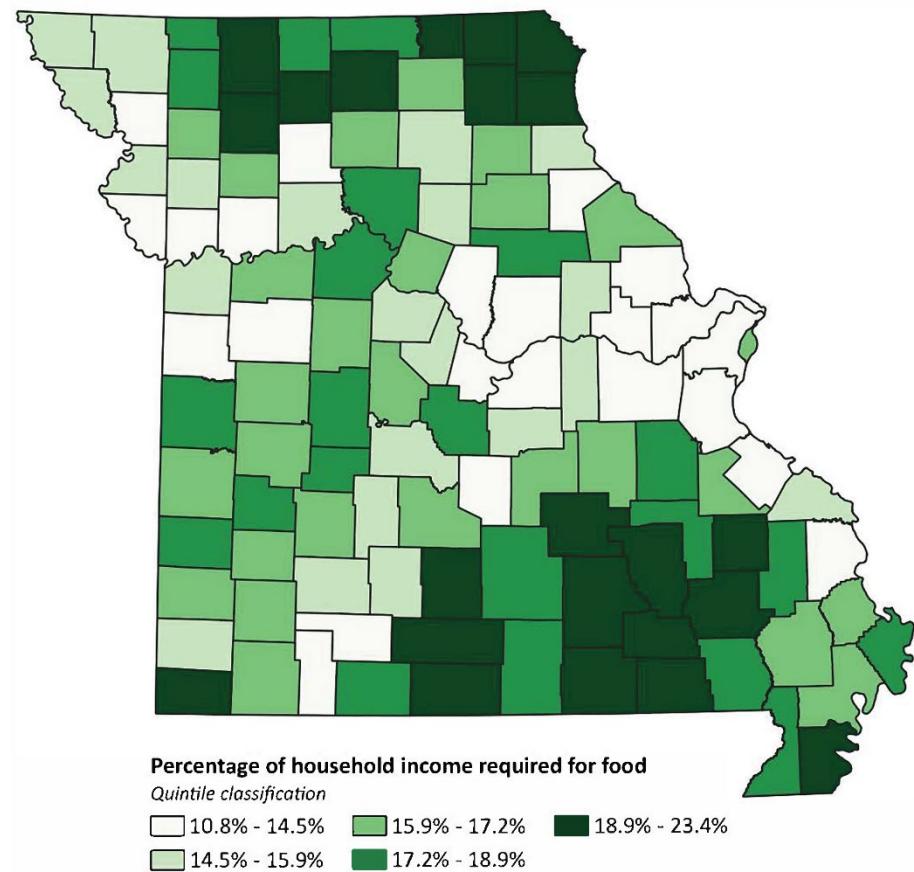
To better understand the context of rising food insecurity in Missouri, a new economic indicator, Food Affordability, was introduced in the 2013 edition of the Missouri Hunger Atlas.

Low-income households must often make tough choices about how to spend their money, which may ultimately lead to smaller amounts of household funds available for food expenditures. Likewise, higher food costs significantly limit household food choices. Therefore, the percentage of income needed to meet basic household food needs is an important determining factor in the quantity, quality, and types of food families purchase.

The food affordability indicator is a county-level estimate of the percentage of income required for food each week. It is calculated using the median household income divided by the average household size and then divided by 52 to obtain the average weekly median household income. The average costs of meals, obtained from Feeding America, were multiplied by 21 meals each week, assuming three meals each day. This number was then divided by the average weekly median household income and multiplied by 100 to obtain a percentage of weekly income needed to purchase food for a household.

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Need Indicators

Food Insecurity

Percentage of Individuals Food Insecure (MAP)

Estimated percentage of the total population food insecure in 2023, based on modeling of variables related to unemployment rates, median income, poverty rates, homeownership rates, and other predictors of food insecurity. *Source: Feeding America, 2023 Map the Meal Gap*

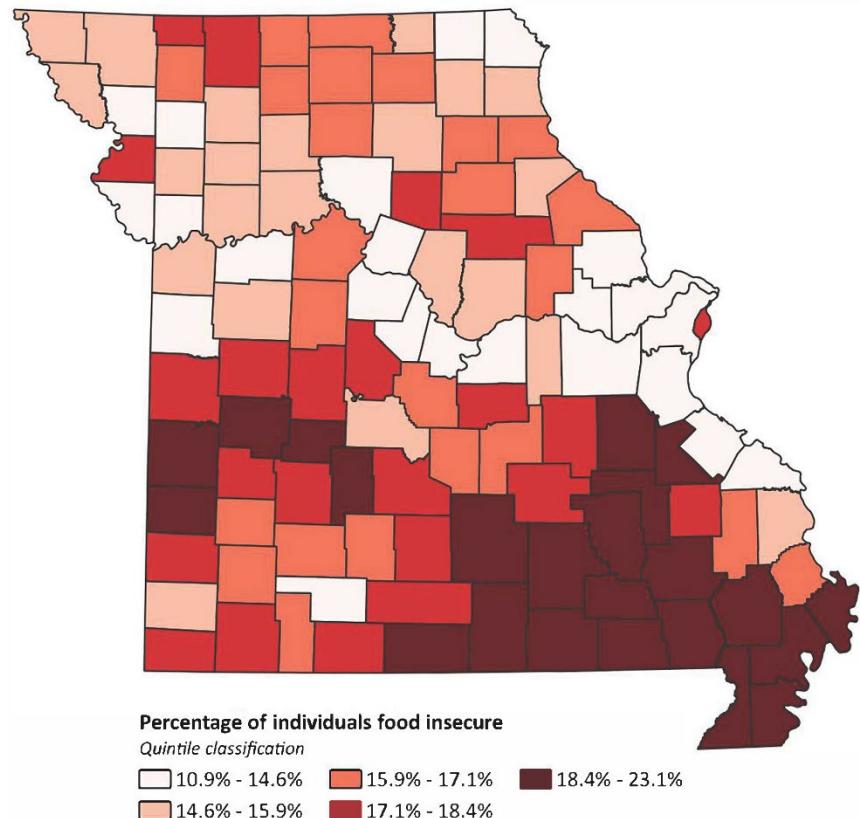
Percentage of Children Under 18 Food Insecure (MAP, next page). Estimated percentage of the total population under the age of 18 who are food insecure. Based on methods, variables and sources described above, restricted to houses with children, for all variables except unemployment rate. *Source: Feeding America, 2023 Map the Meal Gap*

Percentage of Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger

(MAP, next page) Estimated percentage of the total population food insecure with hunger. Based on total population food insecure in each county (see above) times 45.7 percent (the percentage of those who are considered food insecure who also have very low food security in Missouri). *Source: Feeding America, 2023 Map the Meal Gap; USDA, Household Food Insecurity in the United States in 2023*

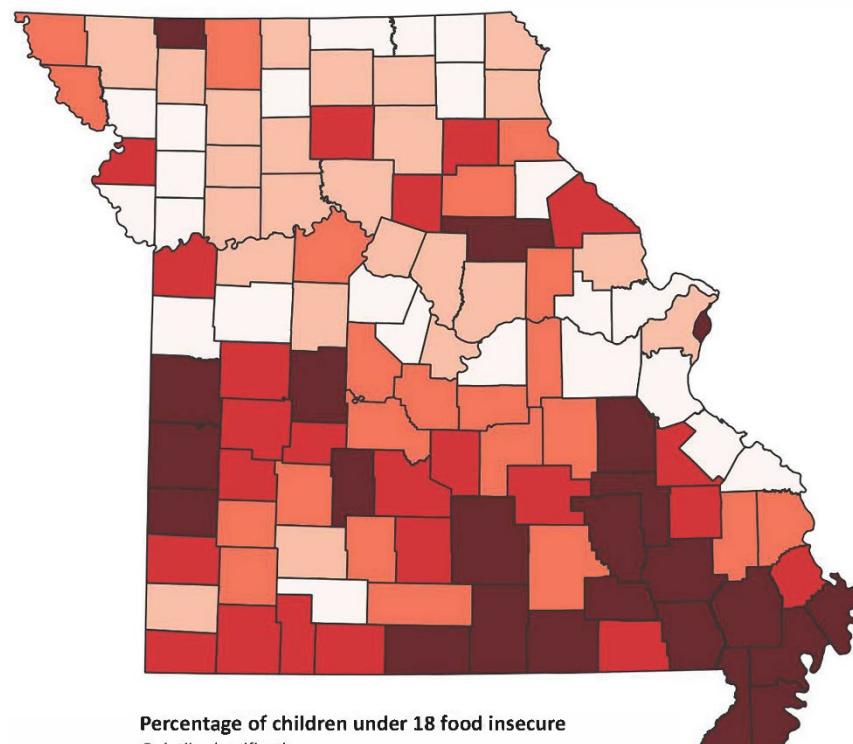
Percentage of Individuals Food Insecure

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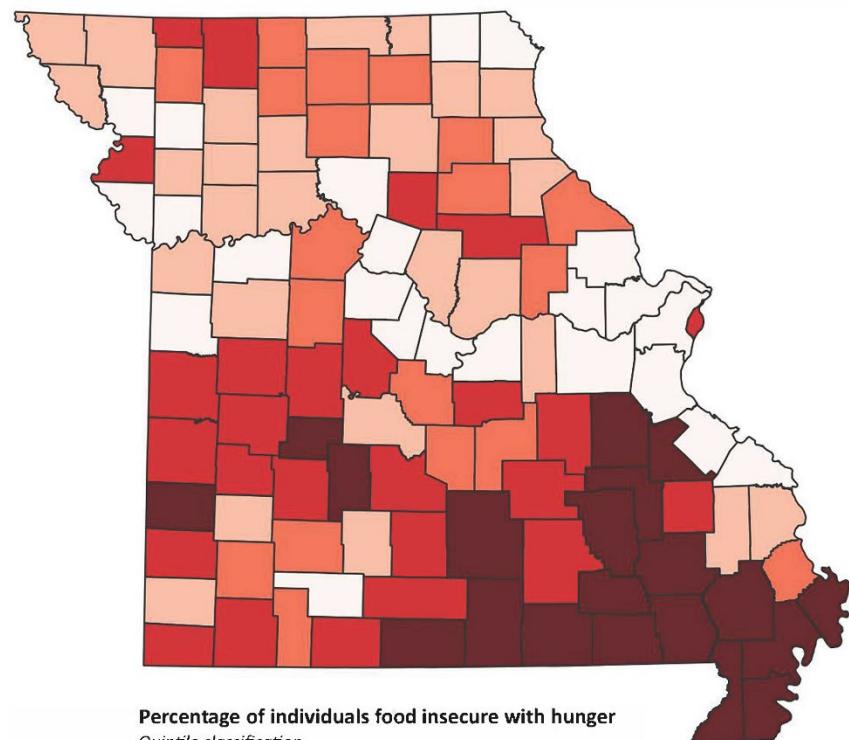
Percentage of Children Under 18 Food Insecure

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SNAP (Food Stamp) Program

Percentage Total Population Income Eligible (MAP)

Estimated percentage of total population income eligible for participation in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly Food Stamps). Household income of less than 130 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) is the primary eligibility requirement for SNAP¹. However, our measure uses 125 percent of FPL to compensate for other disqualifying criteria and to avoid overestimation of eligibility. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

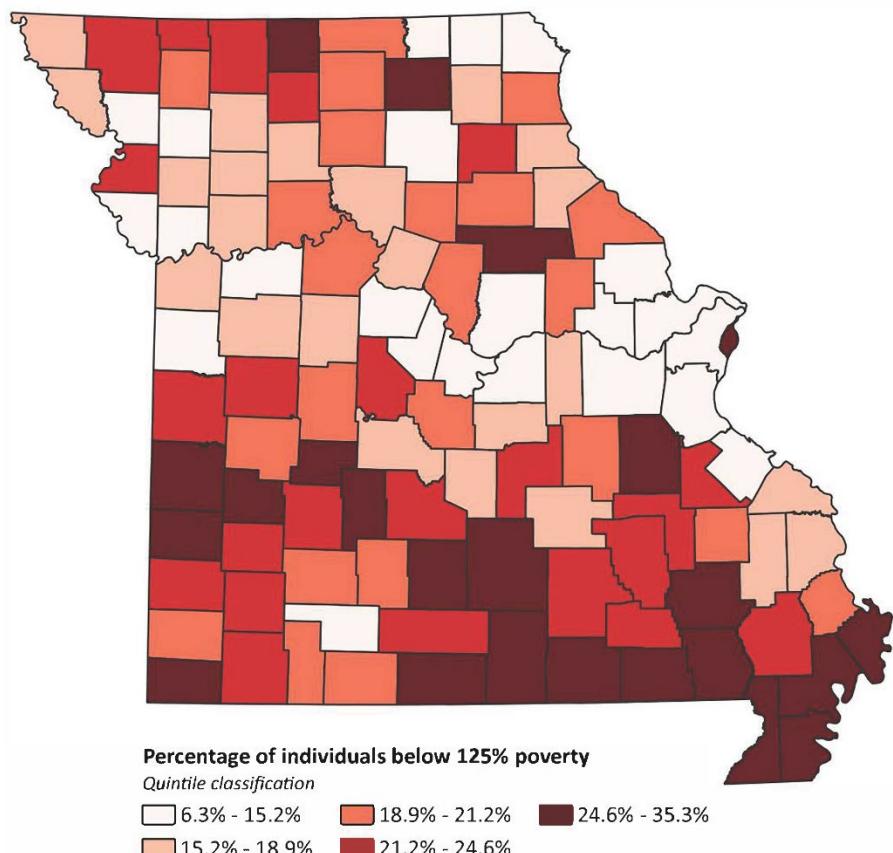
SNAP (FOOD STAMP) PROGRAM

MISSION	To improve the diets of low-income households by increasing food access and food purchasing ability
CONSTITUENCIES	All ages
ELIGIBILITY	Primarily household-level income \leq 130 percent of poverty levels plus restrictions based on immigrant status in U.S. and household asset levels
RESOURCES PROVIDED	Direct food payments using an Electronic Benefit Transfer card
STATE LEAD	Missouri Department of Social Services, Family Support Division

¹ The program has other eligibility requirements that modify the number of households eligible. Although there are various ways to estimate these

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additional restrictions, the data needed to approximate these adjustments are not currently available at the county level.

Percentage Under 18 Income Eligible (SNAP)

Estimated percentage of total population less than 18 years of age income eligible for participation in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (formerly Food Stamps Program). Household income of less than 130 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL) is the primary eligibility requirement for SNAP. However, our measure uses 125 percent of FPL to compensate for other disqualifying criteria and to avoid overestimation of eligibility. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

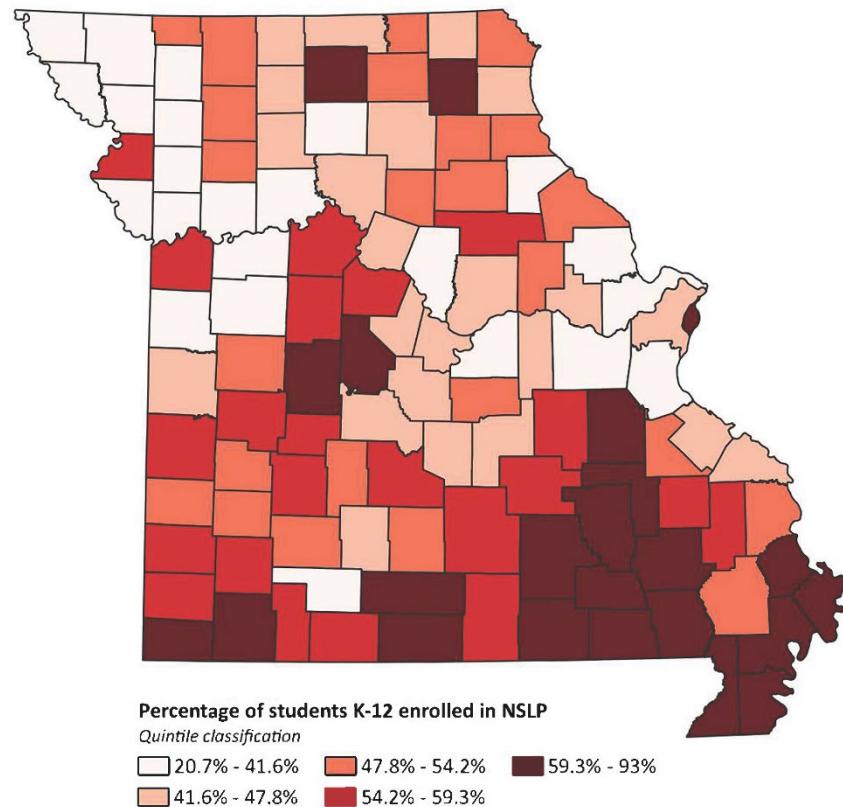
National School Lunch Program

Percentage of K-12 Students Enrolled in Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (MAP)

Percentage of students enrolled to receive free or reduced-price lunches in the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) in the 2023-2024 school year. Analysis only includes students in public and charter schools, which account for 99 percent of all students participating in NSLP. *Source: Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, October 2023.*

Free and Reduced-Price Lunch Enrollment (NSLP)

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Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Program

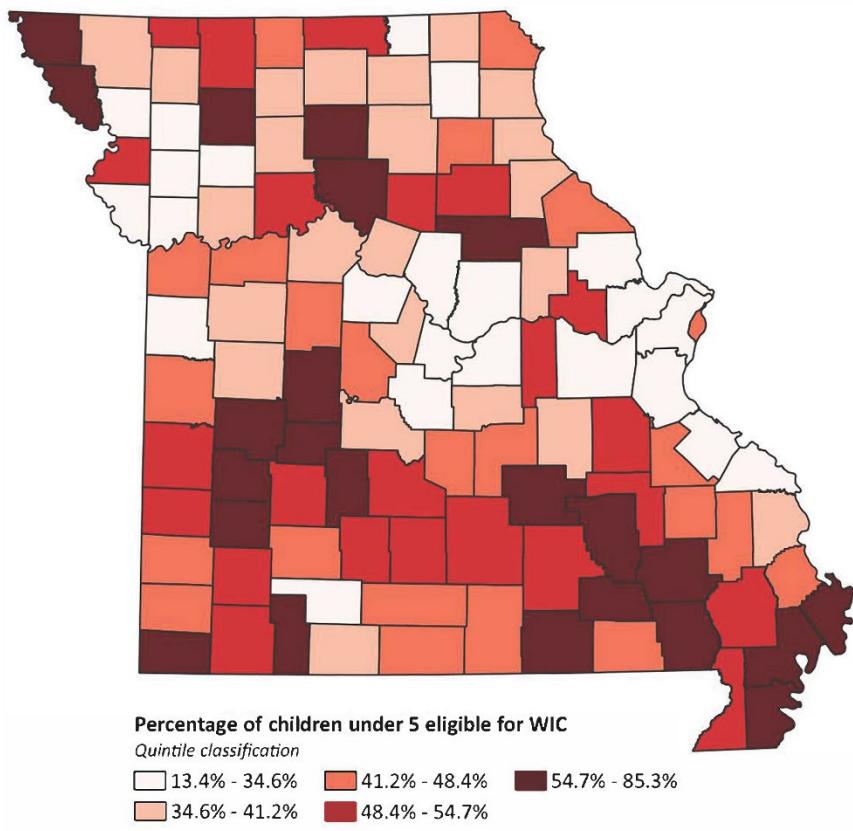
Percentage of Children Under Five Income Eligible

Percentage of total infants and children under five years of age whose household incomes are under 185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level. *Source: 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

WOMEN INFANTS AND CHILDREN PROGRAM	
MISSION	To safeguard the health of low-income women, and infants and children younger than 5 years, who are at nutritional risk
CONSTITUENCIES	Pregnant women, non-breastfeeding women up to 6 months postpartum, breastfeeding women up to one year postpartum, infants, and children up to fifth birthday
ELIGIBILITY	Categorical, residential, income and nutrition risk eligibility requirements. ≤ 185 percent of Federal Poverty Level. Some individuals are adjunctively eligible by participating in Medicaid with a household income >185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level.
RESOURCES PROVIDED	Food, nutrition education, and referrals to health care and social service providers
STATE LEAD	Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

Percentage of Children Under Five Income Eligible for WIC

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Overall Need Rank

The overall need rank is a single composite measure of food insecurity needs for each county. While seven need indicators are listed in each county table, we chose four of these to establish a composite measure of need. The four variables, which include overall measures of food uncertainty as well as county-level eligibility for participation in the primary public food assistance programs, include the following:

Percentage of Population Food Insecure

Percentage of total population who are food insecure in 2023.

Percentage of Total Population Income Eligible for SNAP/Food Stamps

Percentage of county residents whose income falls below 125 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (based on 2019-2023 five-year estimate).

Percentage of K-12 Students Enrolled in Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (NSLP)

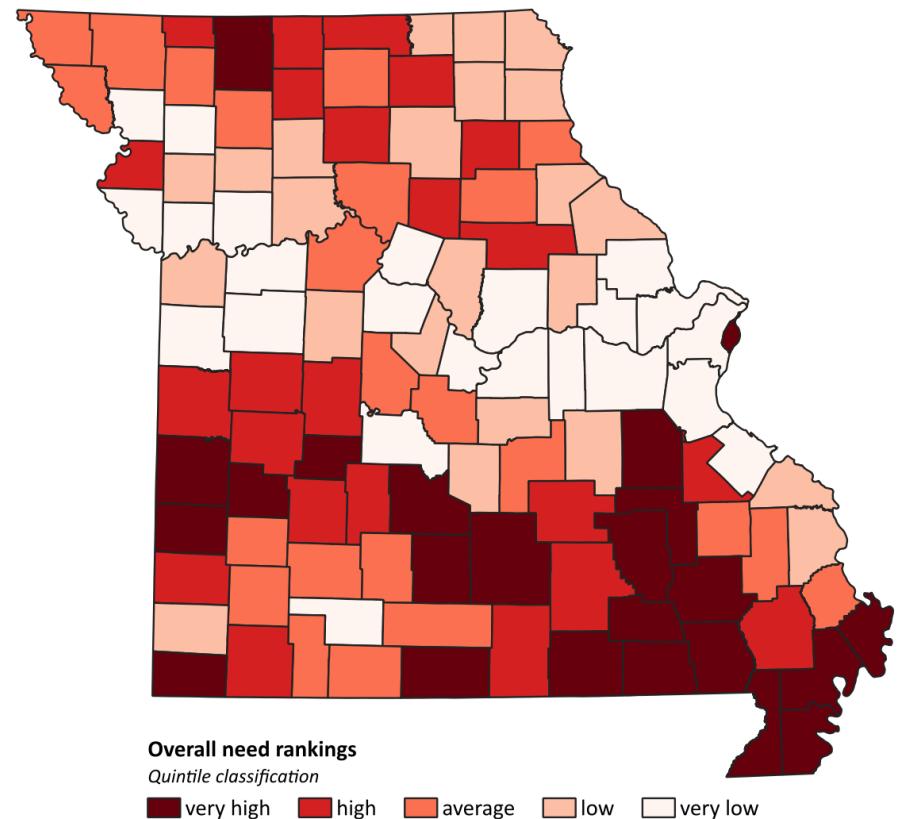
Percentage of K-12 students enrolled to receive free or reduced-price lunches (public and charter schools only) in the National School Lunch Program, 2023-2024 school year.

Percentage of Children Under Five WIC Eligible

Percentage of total infants and children under five years of age whose household incomes are under 185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level (based on 2019-2023 five-year estimate).

Overall Need Rankings

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Beginning with the individual county rankings for food insecurity, SNAP eligibility, NSLP free and reduced-price lunch enrollment, and WIC under 5 eligibility, we use two steps to establish a county's overall need rank. First, we combined the four variable ranks to establish a composite score. Rather than use a simple average of the four variable ranks, we assigned a weight to each rank in the construction of the composite score. Variables of percentage of population food insecure and percentage of population income eligible for SNAP benefits were assigned higher weights due to the greater percentage of population affected by these variables.

In brief, the weighting model includes the following:

- 30 percent of the composite score to each of the following measures:
 - Percentage of households food insecure
 - Percentage of total population eligible for SNAP/Food Stamps
- 20 percent of the composite score to both of the following:
 - Percentage of K-12 enrollment in free and reduced-price lunch (NSLP)
 - Percentage under five years of age eligible for WIC

For example, suppose a county had ranks of 17, 19, 91, and 22 for these four variables. The county's composite score, based on the weighted model and rounded off to the nearest whole number, would be 33. The second step of the process is an overall state ranking of the composite scores in which the composite scores of the 115 locations are compared to each other. In keeping with our ranking scale, in which

1=highest need and 115=lowest need, the county with the lowest numerical composite score is assigned 1 in the overall need ranking, which suggests the highest overall need among counties. Similarly, the county with the highest composite score is assigned number 115, which signifies the lowest overall need among counties. In our example case, the composite score of 33 ranks as the 29th highest in the state, which places the county in the second highest quintile (labeled "high") for Missouri.

Performance Indicators

SNAP (Food Stamp) Participation

Number of Monthly Participants

Average number of total county residents who used food stamps each month in Missouri FY2023 (July 1, 2022 – June 30, 2023). *Source: Missouri Department of Social Services*

Percentage of Total Population Using SNAP

Average percentage of total county population who used food stamps each month in FY2023. *Source: Missouri Department of Social Services*

Percentage Income Eligible and Participating (MAP)

Percentage of county residents eligible for food stamps in FY2023 who participated in the program.

Sources: Missouri Department of Social Services and 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau

Number of Monthly Participants Under 18

Average number of county residents < 18 years of age who used food stamps each month in FY2023.

Source: Missouri Department of Social Services

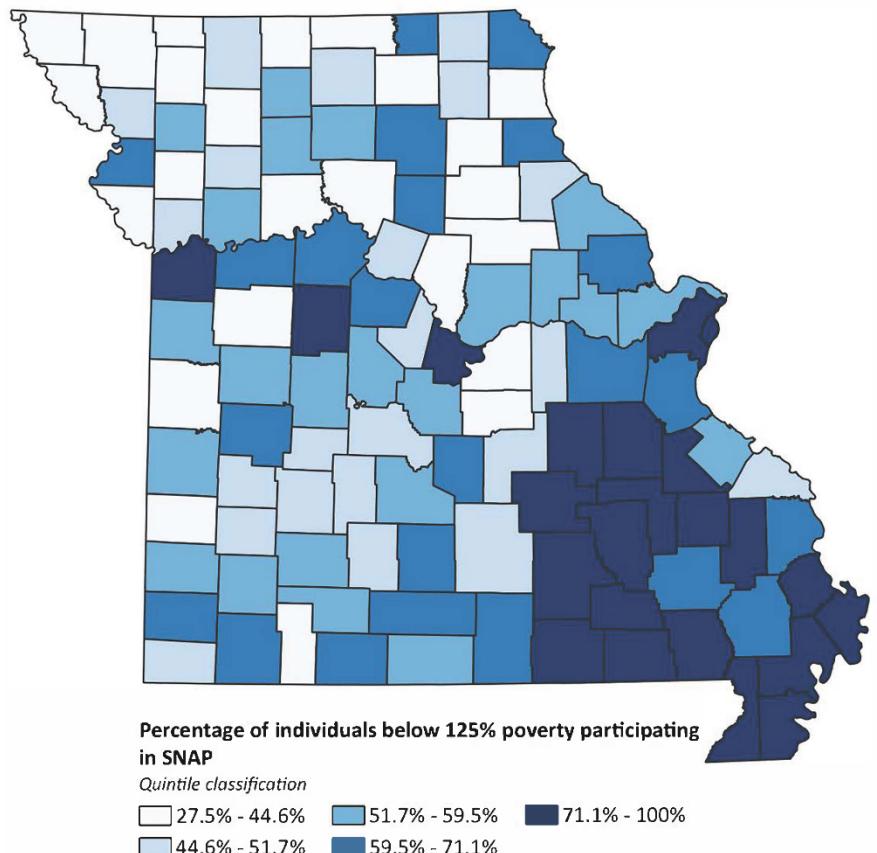
Percentage of Under 18 Population Participating

Average percentage of county population under 18 years of age who used food stamps each month in FY2023.

Source: Missouri Department of Social Services

Percentage of Income Eligible Population Participating in SNAP

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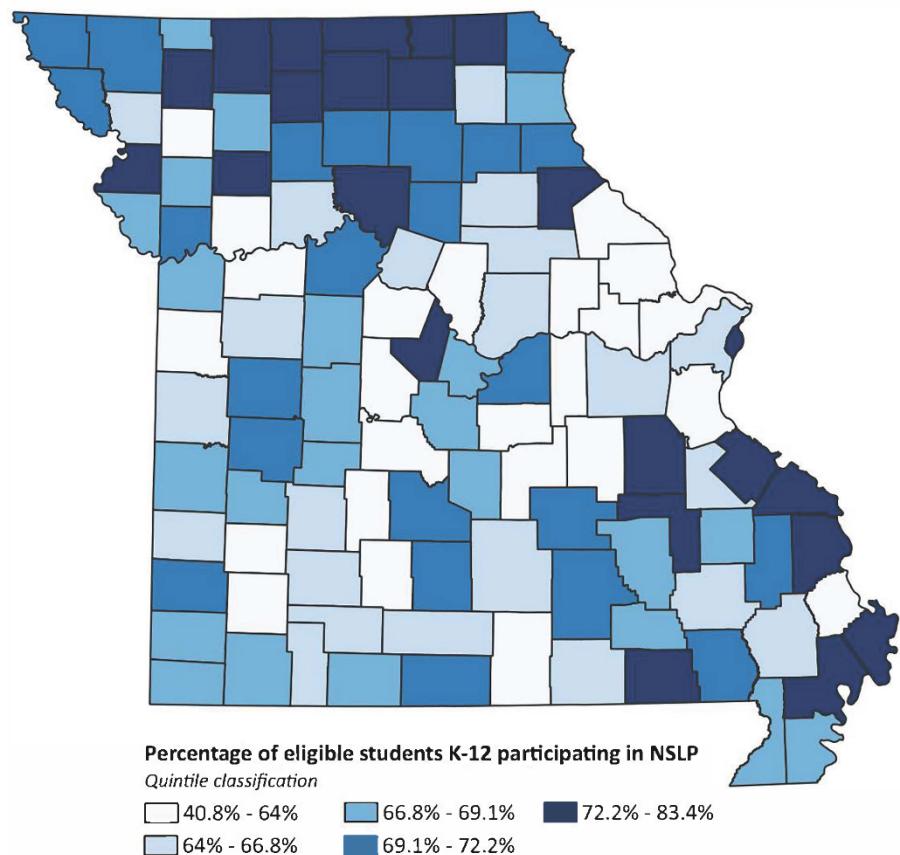
National School Lunch Program Participation

Percentage Enrolled and Participating (MAP)

Estimated percentage of students enrolled for free or reduced-price lunches who participated in the program in the 2023-2024 school year. Technically, this indicator is a proxy based on the actual number of free and reduced-price lunches served compared to the maximum (potential) number of free and reduced-price lunches that could be served to those students enrolled in the program. *Source: Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, October 2023*

Percentage of Students Enrolled and Participating in Free and Reduced-Price Lunches (NSLP)

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Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Program Participation

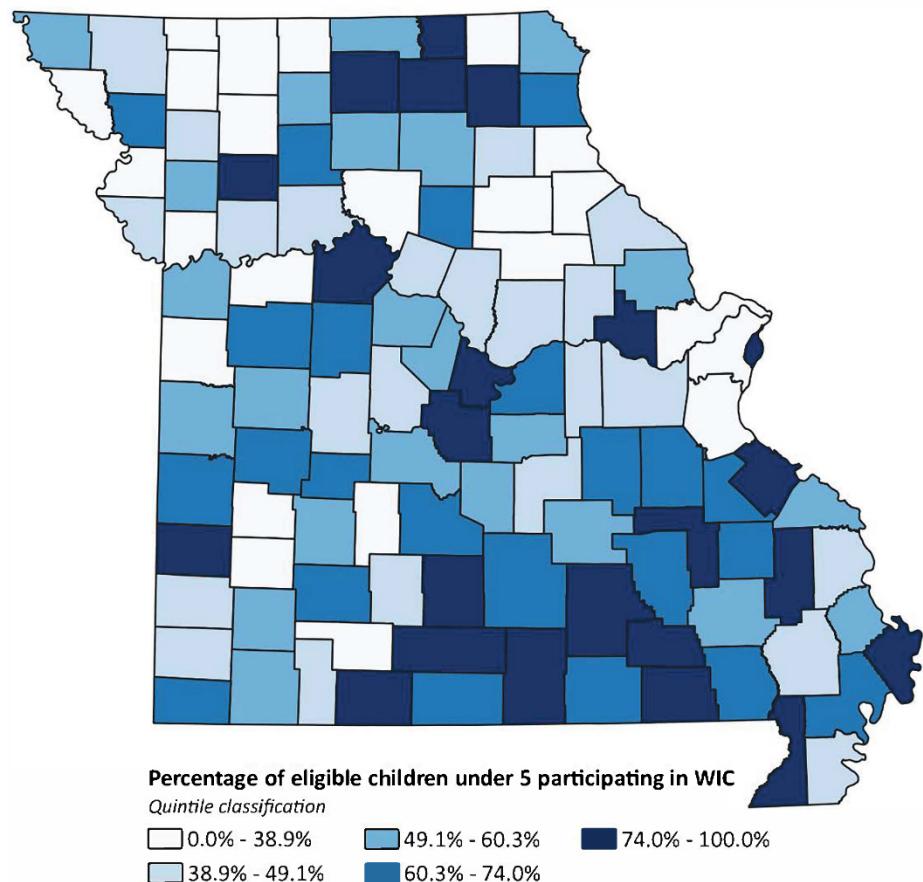
Number of Children Under Five Participating, Monthly

Average monthly number of infants and children enrolled in program during the Federal Fiscal Year 2023 (October 1, 2022 – September 30, 2023). *Source: Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services*

Percentage of Eligible Children Under Five Participating (MAP) Percentage of eligible infants and children under five years of age who are participating in WIC in Federal Fiscal Year 2023. *Sources: Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services and 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

Percentage of Eligible Children Under Five Participating in WIC

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Food Bank Distributions

Total Pounds in County

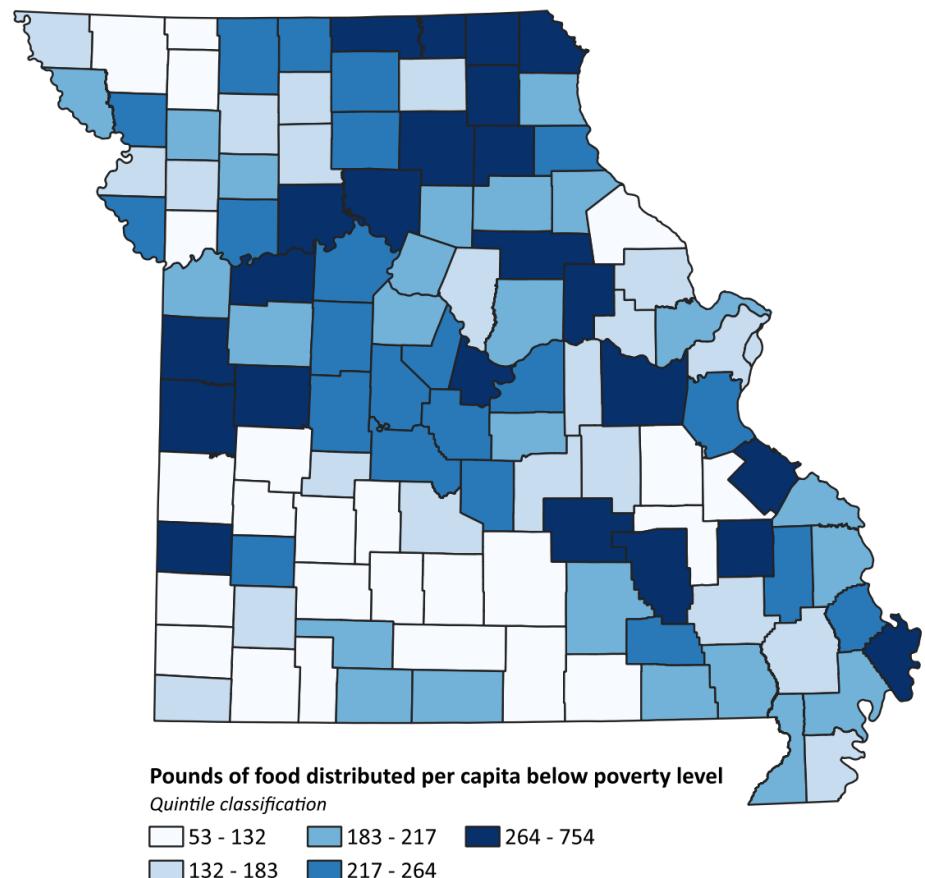
Total amount of pounds of food (including USDA commodity foods but excluding food for congregate meals and backpack programs) distributed from regional food banks to food pantries in the county during 2023. Sources: *The Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri, Harvesters: The Community Food Network, Ozarks Food Harvest, Saint Louis Area Foodbank, Second Harvest Community Food Bank, Southeast Missouri Food Bank, Operation Food Search*

Pounds of Food Distributed per Capita Below Poverty Level (MAP)

Number of pounds of food distributed per person in poverty to food pantries in the county by regional food banks in 2023. Sources: *The Food Bank for Central and Northeast Missouri, Harvesters: The Community Food Network, Ozarks Food Harvest, Saint Louis Area Foodbank, Second Harvest Community Food Bank, Southeast Missouri Food Bank, Operation Food Search and 2019-2023 American Community Survey 5-year Estimates, U.S. Census Bureau*

Pounds of Food Distributed by Food Banks Per Capita Below Poverty

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Overall Performance Rank

We constructed an overall performance rank for each county. We selected four indicators (from the 15 performance measures included for each county) to establish a composite measure of performance. The four variables include participation rates for three primary public programs and one measure of private program activity.

Percentage of income-eligible residents who received SNAP/food stamps

Estimated percentage of total population with incomes less than 125 percent of the Federal Poverty Level who participated in SNAP in FY2023.

Percentage of students enrolled and participating in free and reduced-price lunches (NSLP)

Percentage of students enrolled for free or reduced lunches who participated in the program in the 2023-2024 school year.

Percentage of income eligible infants and children receiving WIC benefits

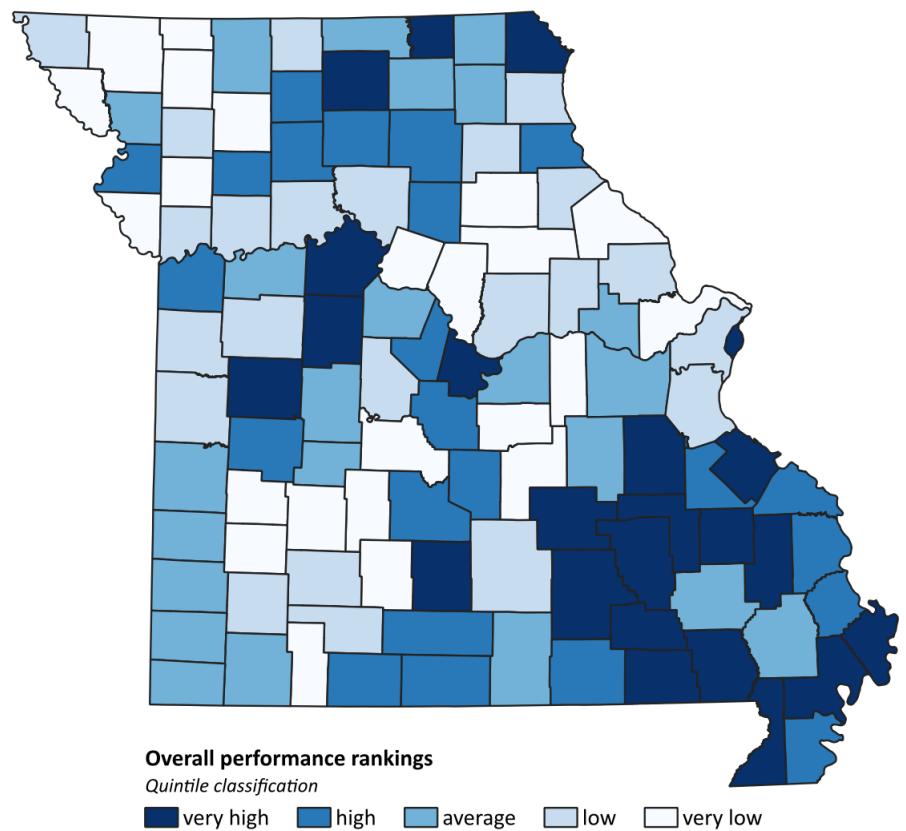
Percentage of income eligible infants and children under five years of age in FY2023 who were enrolled in WIC.

Pounds of food distributed per capita < 100 percent poverty

Number of pounds of food distributed per person in poverty in 2023.

Overall Performance Rankings

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We use the individual county rankings for SNAP participation, NSLP participation, WIC participation, and pounds of food distributed per person in poverty to establish a composite rank score. As with the overall need ranks, rather than using a simple average of the four variable ranks, we assigned a weight to each rank in constructing the composite rank score. SNAP participation is weighted the most because it affects the largest population group; food bank distributions are given the lowest weight in our formula because emergency food distribution sources are dependent on a variety of input sources other than food banks.

In brief, the weighting model includes the following:

- 35 percent of the composite rank:
 - SNAP (Food Stamp) participation as percentage of total population eligible
- 25 percent each to the following variables:
 - Free and reduced-price lunch (NSLP) participation as a percentage of total school population enrolled
 - WIC participation among children < 5 as a percentage of the eligible population
- 15 percent of the composite rank:
 - Pounds of food distributed per person in poverty by the regional food banks

We place the most weight on the SNAP variable as this program is by far the most extensive in the state and addresses all age groups. We place lower emphasis on the food bank distributions because the food banks are only one source of supply for local food pantries and on-site meal providers, and we have no comprehensive measure of total

private assistance in the state. Again, using a hypothetical case, suppose the county had ranks of 106, 64, 64, and 48 respectively for these four variables. The county's composite score, based on the weighted model and rounded off to the nearest whole number, is 77. The second step of the process is an overall state ranking of the composite performance scores in which the composite scores of the 115 locations are compared to each other. In keeping with our performance rank scale, where 1=highest performance and 115=lowest performance, the county with the best, or lowest, numerical composite score is assigned 1 in the overall performance rank, which suggests the highest overall performance in that county. Similarly, the county with the highest average composite score is assigned 115, which signifies the lowest overall performance. In this case, the composite score of 77 would rank as the 98th highest in the state, and so it is ranked in the lowest, or —very low, quintile.

Comparing Need and Performance

Having compiled county-level composite ranks in the areas of food insecurity and hunger need and program performance, a final and useful step is to compare how each county ranks in terms of the combination of their ranks on need *and* performance. In essence, we can ask whether counties that have high need are doing comparatively well or comparatively poorly in addressing those needs. Counties with high needs that have high performance rankings, for example, are likely more successful in serving the needs of their food insecure populations while counties with high needs but low performance are potential target locations for increased public and private sector attention.

We used several steps to perform this analysis. First, we labeled counties as high need if their composite need rank fell in the upper two quintiles (very high or high) of need. We designated counties as low need if their composite need rank fell in the lowest two quintiles (low or very low) of need. Similarly, we labeled counties as high performance if their composite performance ranks fell in the upper two quintiles (very high or high) of performance. We designated counties as low performance if their composite performance ranks fell in the lowest two quintiles (low or very low) of performance. We did not include counties that scored in the average, or middle, quintile in either of these composite ranks in this analysis, but they are included in the map.

The designation of counties as either high need or low need, and as either high performance or low performance, offers the possibility of counties falling into one of four categories:

- (1) high need/high performance
- (2) high need/low performance
- (3) low need/high performance
- (4) low need/low performance

As shown in the map and table (Figure 4) on the following page, this analysis yielded some interesting results. Twenty-three counties and St. Louis City have both high need and high performance. However, nine counties were labeled high need and low performance. We have no way of knowing whether public and private agencies are having difficulty targeting resources to these high need/low performing counties, but trends reveal that recent economic conditions have taken their toll on Missouri counties. These counties are concentrated in northern Missouri and southwestern Missouri. This could suggest focusing more individual attention on service delivery in these counties.

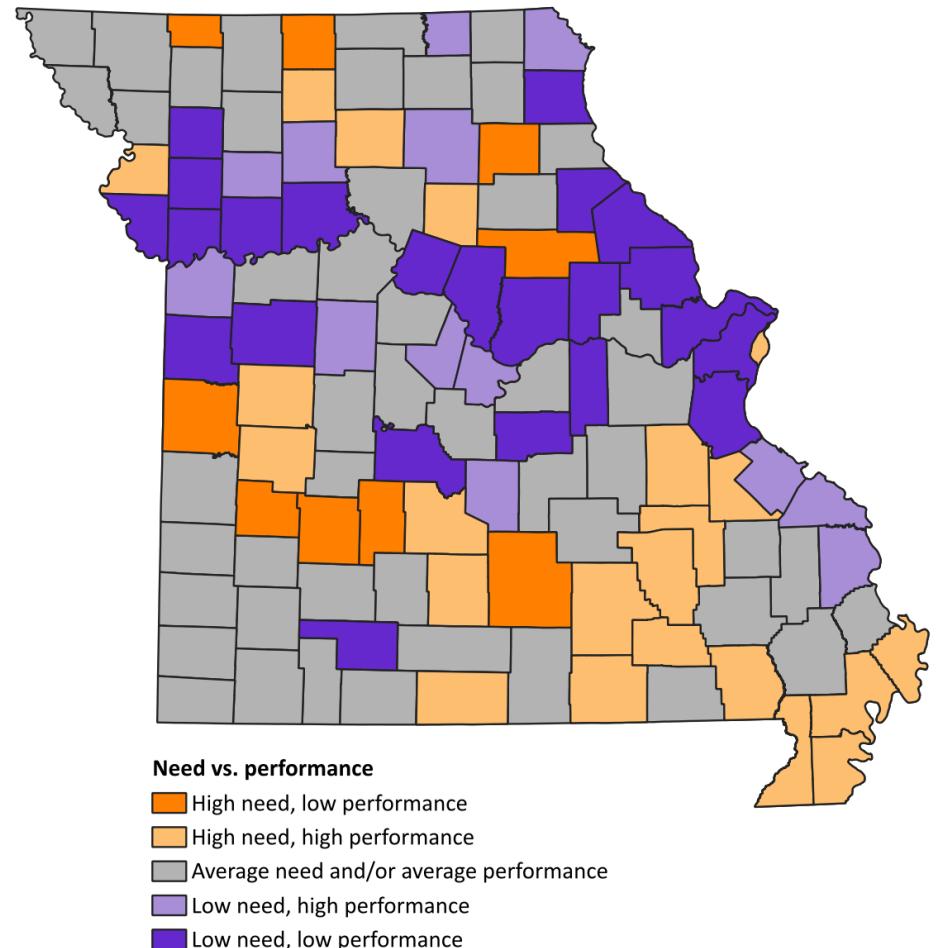
We found 13 counties qualifying as low need and high performance. In these areas, the results suggest that service providers are adequately handling food insecurity and hunger needs in their regions.

High Need/High Performance		High Need/Low Performance	
Low Need/High Performance		Low Need/Low Performance	
Buchanan	Butler	Audrain	Bates
Carter	Dunklin	Cedar	Dallas
Grundy	Henry	Mercer	Polk
Iron	Laclede	Shelby	Texas
Linn	Mississippi	Worth	
New Madrid	Oregon		
Ozark	Pemiscot		
Randolph	Reynolds		
Ripley	St. Clair		
St. Francois	Shannon		
Washington	Wright		
St. Louis City			

Figure 4

Need vs. Performance

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At the other end of the spectrum are 23 counties that have comparatively low percentages of populations with hunger needs but are also doing comparatively worse in meeting the requirements of these populations. Many of these counties are in relatively affluent regions near all of Missouri's major cities. Although the percentage in need is relatively low in these areas, in many cases the low percentages denote relatively large numbers of people because the base populations are often quite high (e.g. St. Charles County).

While the Missouri Hunger Atlas cannot scientifically prove why these counties are subject to low performance, we can offer a couple of explanations that could be tested with more research. First, residents living in regions with high levels of need and visible public programs might experience less social shame or stigma as participants in public programs. If one lives in a region in which sizeable proportions of a population regularly participate in public programs, an individual or family's choice to similarly participate would be in line with others' decisions and be subject to less social

angst or difference. On the other hand, residents of regions with high levels of social and economic inequality and smaller percentages of program participation might face social discomfort or ostracism related to participation. A student who is one of a limited number of persons qualifying for free lunches or a shopper who is one of a small group that separates items at a supermarket for WIC participation would be required to demonstrate a lower economic status in a public context in which such status contrasts with that of the majority.

A second possible explanation is that public and private agencies have made logical decisions to focus scarce human, technical, and financial resources in high-need areas. As a consequence, programs in low-need areas have a more difficult time conducting the type of outreach and education to attract high participation rates among eligible residents in their counties.

Concluding Remarks

Food insecurity and hunger continue to be facts of life for far too many Missourians. Feeding America's assessment that 15.4 percent of Missouri households were food insecure in 2023 suggests that around 951,000 individuals faced uncertainty in acquiring sufficient food, reduced the quality and variety of their diets, or at times did without food during the year. Further, the USDA estimates that 5.8 percent of households in Missouri experienced very low food security (prior to 2007 labeled as "food insecure with hunger") in 2023. This translates into roughly 150,000 households, or 356,000 Missourians, who experienced hunger in our state.

Food banks and pantries in the state report increasing demand. Participation in SNAP, NSLP, and other public programs remains high, while WIC participation lags. The economic recovery in the decade following the Great Recession (2010-2020) helped many families and brought down U.S. and Missouri levels of food insecurity and public program participation from historical highs. During the COVID-19 pandemic, there was a drop in food insecurity rates as federal monetary assistance to households grew substantially; specifically, SNAP benefits increased, and economic stimulus payments were made to households (Wolfson & Leung, 2024). Simultaneously, household costs began to increase. After a period of low inflation through 2021 (1.2 percent in 2021), inflation rates in the Midwest rose to 7.9 percent in 2022 and by another 6.0 percent in 2023. For households with lower incomes, especially those with more fixed incomes, food intake is often affected the most given that expenses for housing, transportation, and health care are higher priorities. Yet, as federal assistance waned (Rosenbaum, Bergh, & Hall, 2023), and food costs rose due to inflation (Stewart, Dong, & Grigsby-Calage, 2025), food insecurity rates increased in 2021 beyond pre-pandemic levels. Since food insecurity levels mimic the rise and fall of poverty levels, the most direct first step to alleviating hunger is to develop successful strategies for raising the incomes of those who are poor. Reversing poverty is more difficult, however, for individuals and households in which adult members are elderly or disabled or who, for various reasons, are unable to utilize salaries and wages for food purchases.

The establishment of public and private programs and activities is a necessary safety net response to meeting the short-term needs of food insecure and hungry citizens who inhabit every county and corner of our state. These programs do not provide a long-term solution to the factors that lead to hunger, but they are critical to ameliorating the day-to-day struggles of hundreds of thousands of Missourians.

It is not our goal to editorialize on whether public and private support for food assistance programs is too high or too low. Certainly, we know that estimated costs of food insecurity in Missouri typically underestimate the total costs of this social problem in at least three important ways:

- The programs included in this atlas are not comprehensive of the financial and human resources being brought to bear on hunger and food insecurity. For example, it is very difficult to comprehensively document contributions from the private sector. Our report documents only food distributed through Missouri food banks including Operation Food Search and those affiliated with Feeding Missouri and Feeding America, yet most local food pantries and meal-providing institutions rely on these food banks for only a portion of the food they provide to clients. And certainly, there are many other faith-based organizations, civic groups, and other organizations that provide food for residents in need without using food banks at all.
- A comprehensive understanding of the costs of food insecurity would also properly include the administrative and organizational costs of operating these programs. We can document the amount of benefits provided through SNAP and WIC, and the reimbursements given to schools for free and reduced lunches; however, one would have to also include the hundreds of positions at state agencies and in county governments that are necessary to operate these efforts, monitor participation, solicit and evaluate perspective participants, and conduct the dozens of other tasks necessary for their operation.
- Most significantly, the costs of food insecurity and hunger are critically underestimated if these are understood solely as the costs of providing assistance directly related to the acquisition of sufficient amounts of food. The costs of hunger should properly include the health care costs incurred because children and adults are more susceptible to, and recover more slowly from, disease and illness. It should include the health care costs for the management of chronic diseases, such as diabetes and hypertension, which are brought on in part by the reliance on less expensive foods, which tend to be high calorie, high fat, and low nutrient-dense foods. The costs of hunger extend to the costs of lower work productivity and missed days of work. And the costs of hunger include the social and psychological angst of not having sufficient and nutritious foods and the mental stress and discord that results for individuals and households. As much as poverty is a leading cause of food insecurity, so too are food insecurity and hunger leading causes of continued poverty.

Looking over the data of the last three Missouri Hunger Atlases (see the Figure 5 on the next page), there are some positive and some negative trends. (Readers are reminded that the year reported in the Missouri Hunger Atlas typically predates the year of publication by two years due to the lag in data reporting.) As noted, the negative effects of the Great Recession beginning in 2008 have been largely mitigated. The statewide poverty rate is holding steady, despite unique challenges in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic. Simultaneously, the reported state food insecurity rate jumped significantly in the most recent atlas when compared with the previous two editions.

Missouri Hunger Atlas Year	2019	2023	2025
Statewide poverty rate	14.6	12.8	12.6
Percentage individuals food insecure	14.2	11.6	15.4
Percentage SNAP income eligible (All ages)	19.4	17.0	16.1
Number SNAP participants (All ages)	720,543	685,547	636,724
Percentage SNAP eligible & participating (All ages)	63.2	67.4	63.9
Percentage <18 SNAP income eligible	26.1	22.6	25.0
Number <18 SNAP participants	325,938	294,385	269,042
Percentage <5 WIC income eligible	43.3	38.4	37.4
Number <5 WIC participants	89,338	65,924	67,306
Percentage <5 WIC eligible & participating	55.9	47.8	51.2
Percentage students enrolled in NSLP	49.5	46.8	47.4
Percentage NSLP enrolled students participating	74.7	67.2	66.9
Pounds of food distributed by food banks per person in poverty	163	202	175

Figure 5

But certainly, the need trends described in the Missouri Hunger Atlas have been moving in a good direction. The number of Missourians income-eligible for SNAP, the number of children under five years of age income eligible for WIC, and the percentage of students enrolled in the NSLP have all declined over the second decade of the 21st century. NSLP eligibility rates increased very slightly in this most recent edition of the atlas by 0.6 percent.

On the performance side, there are both positive and negative trends. The trend for participation in the WIC program by eligible children under the age of five years was positive compared to the last edition. WIC participation rates increased from 47.8 percent to 51.2 percent. Meanwhile, SNAP participation rates among eligible individuals of all ages have decreased since the last atlas edition from 67.4 percent to 63.9 percent. Unfortunately, it remains true that nearly one third of all potential income-eligible participants remain outside the program. The NSLP participation rate among eligible students also trended negative. NSLP participation rates decreased from 67.2 percent to 66.9 percent in 2025.

Finally, there was a decrease reported in the 2025 atlas in the number of pounds of food distributed by Missouri food banks per person in poverty. The poundage levels of Operation Food Search and institutions associated with Feeding Missouri and Feeding America increased from 163 to 175 pounds between the 2019 edition and the 2025 edition; however, there was a decrease from 202 to 175 pounds between the 2023 and 2025 editions.

Food insecurity and hunger continue to affect all regions of the state. Generally, one can point to larger proportions of counties with high need in the southern half of the state, but needs are also high in counties near the Iowa border in north central and northeast regions, and in the City of St. Louis. In general, the clustering of high need areas is similar to the grouping of counties with high and persistent poverty levels. County-level performance is more variable, and high and low performance counties are more dispersed throughout the state. On a positive note, a much higher percentage of counties characterized as high need are also performing well; however, nine high-need counties are low performers. This result suggests that programs could be more effective in targeting high-need areas. Generally, there is low performance in all highly populated metro and suburban areas (with the notable exception of the City of St. Louis) which means a larger number of people are at risk of hunger, even if the overall county need is relatively low.

Readers of the Missouri Hunger Atlas often ask what can be done to lower need and increase performance in their areas and throughout the state. We encourage you to read the recent Missouri Food Security Task Force [Final Report](#) (agriculture.mo.gov/foodsecurity.pdf/mo-fstf-final-report-2023.pdf). The task force, comprising 25 individuals from diverse groups concerned with food security, was established as a by House Bill 431. Among the duties of this group was to provide recommendations and strategies for the reduction of food insecurity in the state.

The data reported in this atlas specifically suggests attention to the following strategies:

- Targeted assessments of program implementation in counties characterized by high need and low performance, with particular attention to the north/central region and southwest corner of Missouri.
- Increased recognition of the importance of the public and private programs that provide food assistance – they are the barrier between hunger and non-hunger for hundreds of thousands of Missourians.
- Focus on improving understanding of patterns of low performance in all metro areas and most suburban counties. Greater knowledge of reasons for lower program participation rates in these regions should result in the implementation of new program and outreach strategies.
- Greater emphasis on the nutritional and health impacts of food access among clients of all public and private programs. Research has demonstrated that poverty is positively correlated both with food insecurity and with chronic diseases such as diabetes, obesity, and hypertension. Foods that tend to be cheaper and more widely available are also typically high in calories and low in nutrition, and this contributes to levels of health vulnerabilities. Many of the counties that have the

highest food insecurity and hunger in Missouri also have the highest levels of residents with these health conditions and also lack access to full-service grocery stores.

- Strengthened linkages between private sector temporary food assistance programs (e.g., food pantries) and local food systems. The demand for the goods and services provided by private programs continues to grow. Creative efforts can link local food systems and locally grown food with these programs.
- Assessments of community food security as a core local need, alongside such social concerns as education and health. In addition, technical support should be given to communities committed to developing action plans to address the results of community food security assessments.

Limitations

When reading the Missouri Hunger Atlas, please keep in mind a couple of important limitations. First, this atlas makes use of secondary data provided by a variety of state and federal agencies. While effort is made to ensure the accuracy of the data, there may be errors resulting from collection, reporting, and transcribing procedures.

Second, for some Missouri Hunger Atlas indicators, the data reported or utilized are based on estimates for a population. In these cases, and especially for counties with small populations, the data may have a high margin of error. Margin of error is a measure of the possible amount of variation of an estimate around the actual population value. High margins of error are problematic because it means there is less confidence that the reported value is close to the “true” value. Margins of error can occur when an estimate is made based on a relatively low number of samples.

In practice, margins of error may come into play in the Missouri Hunger Atlas for any indicator that utilizes the U.S. Census Bureau, USDA, Missouri Public Health Information Management System, and Feeding America. For more information, please refer to the actual data source.

County Data Tables





ADAIR COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.4%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.0%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.5%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	26.4%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	19.0%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	49.6%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.1%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,326	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	9.2%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	37.9%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	898	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.1%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	78.9%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	479	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	86.8%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	718,758	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	145	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	25,224	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	18.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	15.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	8.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	29.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	21.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	11.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,583	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.2%	13.1%	—



ANDREW COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	12.8%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	12.7%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.8%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	10.9%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	16.1%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	32.4%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	30.8%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	960	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	5.3%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	49.4%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	418	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	10.2%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	65.1%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	218	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	71.5%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	293,615	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	223	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	18,086	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	34.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	7.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	7.2%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$74,007	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	12.9%	13.1%	—



ATCHISON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.6%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.0%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.1%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.3%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	24.9%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	37.2%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	55.7%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	352	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.8%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	39.8%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	151	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.8%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.1%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	68	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	54.2%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	85,380	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	134	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	5,216	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	20.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$59,260	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.2%	13.1%	—



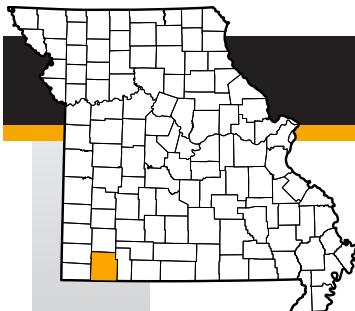
AUDRAIN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.2%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	23.3%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.3%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	25.9%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	44.4%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	58.9%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	63.7%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,639	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.7%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	43.4%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,125	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.0%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.7%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	296	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	31.8%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,130,039	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	267	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	24,688	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	27.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,232	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.4%	13.1%	—



BARRY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.3%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.8%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.9%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.0%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	41.2%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	61.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.2%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,725	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.6%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	62.7%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,982	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	24.9%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.5%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	630	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	60.1%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	502,903	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	88	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	34,831	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	42.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,611	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.2%	13.1%	—



BARTON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	20.1%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	23.7%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.2%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	28.0%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	40.6%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	50.9%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	52.9%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,420	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.2%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	44.0%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	580	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	21.0%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	65.0%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	309	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	84.1%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	682,160	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	267	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	11,685	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	43.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	22.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	27.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	15.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,503	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.7%	13.1%	—



BATES COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.2%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.7%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.3%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.2%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	36.5%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.8%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	43.9%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,497	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	9.3%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	43.0%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	569	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.1%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	65.2%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	223	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	55.5%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	916,809	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	312	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	16,121	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.4%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	33.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	28.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$57,914	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.5%	13.1%	—



BENTON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.3%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	23.8%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.2%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	39.1%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	66.8%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	56.1%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,278	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.5%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.8%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	820	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	24.0%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.9%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	200	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	44.5%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	751,053	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	230	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	19,887	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	17.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	31.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	45.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	50.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$52,200	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.5%	13.1%	—



BOLLINGER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.9%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.8%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.3%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.2%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	24.3%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	57.1%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	42.1%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,712	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	16.2%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	95.2%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	698	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	30.1%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	71.3%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	182	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	87.4%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	301,473	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	237	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	10,591	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	45.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	50.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$57,286	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.9%	13.1%	—



BOONE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.2%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.2%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.9%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.7%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	22.1%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	38.8%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	31.8%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	14,748	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.9%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	40.5%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	6,413	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	17.0%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.2%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1278	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	41.0%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	5,469,793	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	181	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	185,874	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	13.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	30.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	30.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$69,913	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.0%	13.1%	—



BUCHANAN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.5%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.7%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.0%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.9%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	33.4%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.2%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.8%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	12,500	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	14.9%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	71.1%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	5,278	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	28.1%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	75.7%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	933	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	36.6%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,991,309	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	147	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	83,855	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.4%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	34.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	22.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$59,423	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.1%	13.1%	—



BUTLER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	20.3%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	25.2%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.3%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	26.5%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	38.8%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	65.2%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	63.4%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	8,250	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	19.6%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	75.6%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	3,281	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	33.5%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.3%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1008	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	62.9%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,813,127	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	217	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	42,166	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	42.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	20.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	15.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,213	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.4%	13.1%	—



CALDWELL COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.1%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.8%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.9%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	18.0%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.0%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	49.1%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	27.5%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	715	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.0%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	45.8%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	295	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.0%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.4%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	102	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	84.5%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	234,487	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	208	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,890	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.4%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	39.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$62,520	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.1%	13.1%	—



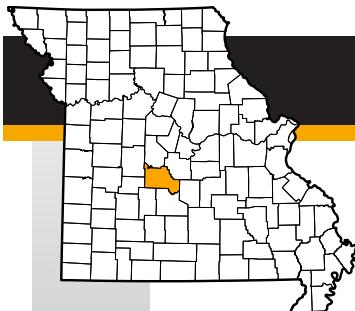
CALLAWAY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.7%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.6%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.7%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	15.0%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.8%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	44.4%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	32.0%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,608	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.1%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	59.1%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,519	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	16.4%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.9%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	329	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	44.2%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	898,823	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	192	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	44,541	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	8.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	39.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	11.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.2%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$72,645	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.3%	13.1%	—



CAMDEN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.8%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.8%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.2%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	16.2%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.0%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	45.0%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.8%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,278	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.6%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	47.1%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,306	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	17.3%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	59.4%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	419	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	50.5%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,329,459	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	236	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	43,416	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	17.4%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	28.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	43.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$62,927	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.3%	13.1%	—



CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.3%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.7%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.0%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	18.4%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	24.4%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	51.3%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	39.3%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	8,619	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.5%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	59.9%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	3,795	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	21.5%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	688	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	41.7%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	2,372,453	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	215	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	82,180	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	31.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$68,912	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.3%	13.1%	—



CARROLL COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.6%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.0%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.7%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.3%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.2%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	41.2%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	50.2%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	721	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.5%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	44.6%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	264	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.2%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.6%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	86	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	41.8%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	406,085	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	451	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,459	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	45.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	38.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	10.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	12.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$61,712	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.6%	13.1%	—



CARTER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	21.2%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	30.6%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.7%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	23.2%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	43.1%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	65.4%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	65.6%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,110	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	21.1%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	92.6%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	467	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	36.6%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.7%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	162	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	87.4%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	231,593	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	234	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	5,269	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	21.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	47.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	37.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$45,083	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	16.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	21.6%	13.1%	—



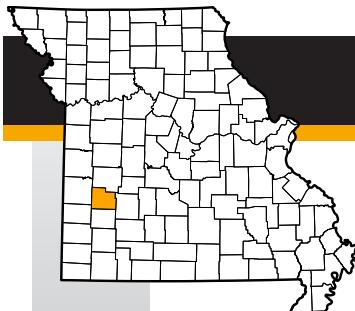
CASS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	12.5%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	13.7%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.7%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	10.1%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	18.4%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	36.3%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	33.1%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	6,469	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	5.9%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	59.3%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,864	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.0%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	63.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	716	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	35.6%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	2,174,425	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	311	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	109,393	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	6.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	9.1%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	5.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$87,413	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	11.9%	13.1%	—



CEDAR COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.4%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	28.1%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	36.2%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	54.2%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	57.5%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,867	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.9%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	46.7%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	709	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.3%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.1%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	162	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	30.4%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	220,174	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	91	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	14,440	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	23.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$45,577	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	2.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.9%	13.1%	—



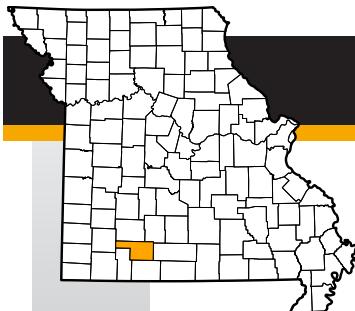
CHARITON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.2%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.2%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.5%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.8%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	31.2%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.9%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	57.2%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	552	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.4%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	43.3%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	231	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.5%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	74.1%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	72	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	28.6%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	272,410	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	320	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	7,406	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	46.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	11.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$63,307	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.6%	13.1%	—



CHRISTIAN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.2%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	13.5%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.0%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	11.6%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	16.0%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	27.6%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	31.1%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	5,706	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.3%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.6%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,537	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.0%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	65.0%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	520	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	30.7%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,614,907	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	206	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	91,229	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	8.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	10.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$81,245	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.3%	13.1%	—



CLARK COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.5%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.0%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.6%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	14.7%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	21.5%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	52.8%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	41.5%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	646	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	9.7%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	67.5%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	294	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	18.6%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.6%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	90	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	52.3%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	213,090	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	348	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	6,680	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	38.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	11.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$51,458	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	3.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	20.2%	13.1%	—



CLAY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.4%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.6%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.1%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	11.5%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	18.9%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	34.3%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	30.9%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	14,826	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	5.8%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	50.8%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	6,704	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.0%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	71.7%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1128	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	24.0%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	2,564,507	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	120	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	255,566	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	14.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	33.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	8.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	11.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$86,150	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	12.0%	13.1%	—



CLINTON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.3%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.5%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.0%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	15.8%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	18.7%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	35.7%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	31.3%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,290	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.1%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	39.4%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	558	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.4%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.0%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	205	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	56.0%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	374,494	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	141	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	21,259	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	32.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$70,625	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.5%	13.1%	—



COLE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.5%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.1%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.2%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.3%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	20.3%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	46.9%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	26.0%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	6,848	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.9%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	76.4%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	3,105	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	18.2%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.2%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	950	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	86.0%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,900,339	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	281	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	76,924	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	35.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	12.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$73,273	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	12.3%	13.1%	—



COOPER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.3%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.7%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.5%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	13.8%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	16.5%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	56.9%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	29.5%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,324	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.9%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	61.9%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	537	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.2%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	62.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	184	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	57.0%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	354,563	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	212	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	16,835	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	10.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	12.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$67,548	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.8%	13.1%	—



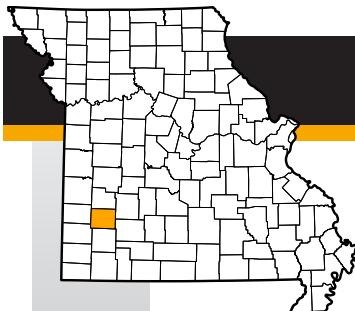
CRAWFORD COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.2%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.2%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.9%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.4%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	25.2%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.1%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	34.9%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,126	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.7%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	71.7%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,229	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	24.1%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	60.6%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	300	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	68.1%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	414,992	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	136	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	22,890	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	45.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,345	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.3%	13.1%	—



DADE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.9%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.5%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.3%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.4%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	34.7%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	51.3%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	64.9%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	778	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.2%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	46.5%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	293	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	18.4%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.0%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	0	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	0.0%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	255,786	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	243	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	7,627	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	24.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	44.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,899	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.2%	13.1%	—



DALLAS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	19.2%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	24.1%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.8%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	25.9%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	49.6%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	52.5%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	61.2%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,091	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.1%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	47.3%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	833	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.9%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	55.8%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	163	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	23.9%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	260,561	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	71	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	17,344	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	43.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	21.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	34.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$53,177	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.2%	13.1%	—



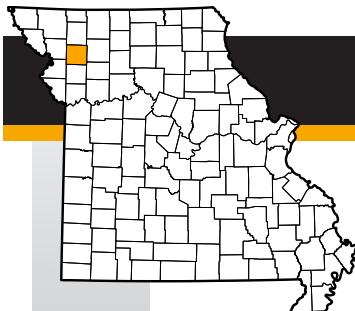
DAVIESS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.3%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.1%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.0%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	18.7%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.4%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	52.1%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	55.9%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	692	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.2%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	44.6%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	275	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.1%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.0%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	103	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	34.1%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	169,203	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	155	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,449	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	28.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$60,665	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	20.1%	13.1%	—



DEKALB COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.1%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.7%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.4%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.7%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	12.3%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	39.9%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	27.8%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	603	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	5.4%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	53.0%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	221	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	10.5%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	66	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	46.7%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	167,806	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	217	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	11,176	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	18.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	43.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	8.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	8.2%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$69,093	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—



DENT COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.7%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.6%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.1%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.8%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.9%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	58.2%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	57.6%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,321	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	16.0%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	90.8%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	876	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	26.7%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.1%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	251	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	54.9%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	745,985	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	365	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	14,506	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$54,306	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.4%	13.1%	—



DOUGLAS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.9%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.3%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.2%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.3%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	26.2%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	59.4%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	45.1%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,710	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	14.4%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	68.6%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	669	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	24.8%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.1%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	281	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	87.9%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	226,715	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	115	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	11,850	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	45.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	19.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,828	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	21.3%	13.1%	—



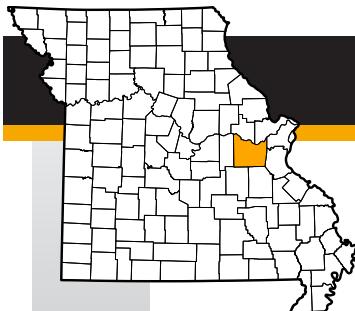
DUNKLIN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	21.3%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	27.4%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.7%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	29.0%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	40.9%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	75.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	51.0%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	7,567	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	27.2%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	96.6%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	3,203	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	44.6%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.1%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	733	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	84.0%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,121,893	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	194	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	27,795	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	49.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	21.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	26.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$47,368	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	5.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	13.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.3%	13.1%	—



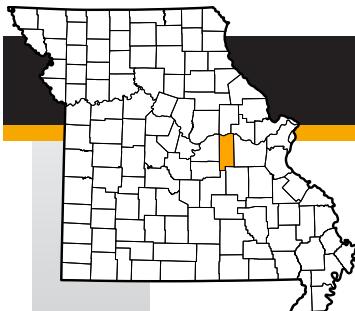
FRANKLIN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.4%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.1%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.1%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.1%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	18.3%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	41.4%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	29.1%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	8,306	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.9%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	66.1%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	3,429	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.4%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.8%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	704	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	40.7%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	3,458,408	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	405	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	105,316	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	42.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	30.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	8.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	9.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$71,973	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.0%	13.1%	—



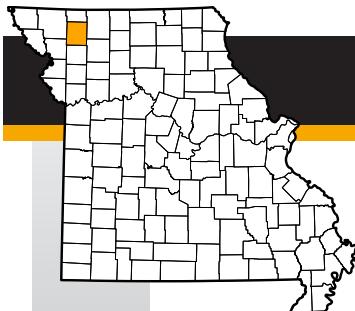
GASCONADE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.7%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.2%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.7%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	16.0%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.1%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.5%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	50.3%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,113	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.5%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	48.1%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	425	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.1%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	52.5%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	165	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	46.3%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	243,861	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	150	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	14,774	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	11.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$65,096	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.4%	13.1%	—



GENTRY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.5%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.1%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.5%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.9%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.5%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	39.6%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.1%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	471	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.6%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	38.8%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	203	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.0%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	78.0%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	37	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	21.3%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	125,591	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	132	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	6,224	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	15.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$57,458	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.6%	13.1%	—



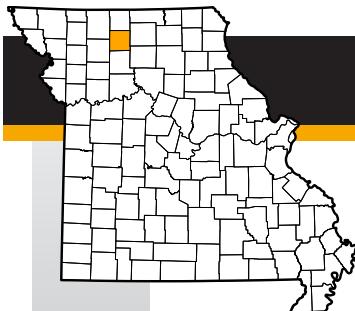
GREENE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.3%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.5%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.4%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.5%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	24.5%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	49.5%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	43.3%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	30,635	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.2%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.1%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	12,043	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.1%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.7%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	4546	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	64.3%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	2,475,772	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	59	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	301,121	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	29.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$57,488	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.5%	13.1%	—



GRUNDY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.0%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.7%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.8%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.7%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.8%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	46.4%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	36.5%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,127	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.5%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	52.3%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	447	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	17.8%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	81.4%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	133	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	54.1%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	237,937	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	149	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	9,822	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	16.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$53,839	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	22.6%	13.1%	—



HARRISON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.9%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.8%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.2%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	23.8%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.2%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	54.2%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	49.1%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	924	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.3%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	48.9%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	367	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	17.9%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	77.6%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	102	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	38.8%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	282,584	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	221	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,198	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$53,364	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.8%	13.1%	—



HENRY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.7%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.4%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.1%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.6%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	32.0%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	52.4%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.9%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,783	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.5%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	59.0%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,037	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.9%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.7%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	305	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	59.0%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,414,138	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	399	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	22,194	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	46.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	43.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	22.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,621	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.9%	13.1%	—



HICKORY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	19.5%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.9%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.9%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	30.1%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	31.3%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	58.7%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	75.4%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,129	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.3%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	45.0%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	417	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	28.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.5%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	167	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	66.1%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	285,962	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	176	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,501	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	17.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	32.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	49.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	15.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$35,084	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	2.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.5%	13.1%	—



HOLT COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.8%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.7%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.8%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.5%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.8%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	32.4%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	61.4%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	320	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.5%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	44.4%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	131	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.2%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	69.3%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	4	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	2.9%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	85,389	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	211	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	4,254	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	32.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$58,516	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.3%	13.1%	—



HOWARD COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.3%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.1%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.5%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	16.8%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	20.5%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.3%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	38.8%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	736	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.3%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	46.7%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	306	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.7%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.2%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	91	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	40.1%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	230,929	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	192	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	10,141	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$62,628	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.2%	13.1%	—



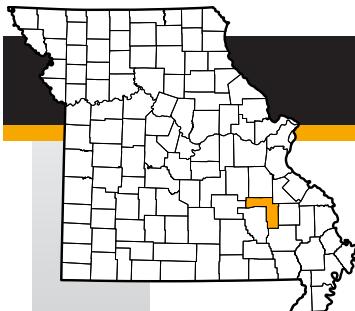
HOWELL COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	20.0%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.6%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.1%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	27.3%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	41.1%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	59.2%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	41.4%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	7,072	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	17.6%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	65.7%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,838	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	29.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	895	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	95.1%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	676,554	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	80	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	40,168	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	38.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	21.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	16.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,814	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.2%	13.1%	—



IRON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	20.3%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	24.1%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.3%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	23.7%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	37.2%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	69.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.4%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,708	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	18.0%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	79.1%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	622	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	31.1%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.9%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	187	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	74.7%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	165,711	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	88	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	9,482	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	45.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	18.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	46.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	20.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	28.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$51,161	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.6%	13.1%	—



JACKSON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.6%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.1%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.1%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.7%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.6%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	56.4%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	42.5%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	89,020	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.4%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	71.3%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	39,883	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	23.7%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.7%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	9857	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	52.1%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	18,913,967	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	194	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	717,021	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	15.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	38.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$67,178	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.6%	13.1%	—



JASPER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.2%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.0%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.3%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	23.4%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	38.4%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.1%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	47.8%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	16,177	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.1%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	57.2%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	6,872	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	22.4%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	69.5%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1722	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	46.0%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,621,260	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	73	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	123,532	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	15.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$57,525	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.7%	13.1%	—



JEFFERSON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.1%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	13.9%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.0%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	11.6%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	17.9%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	34.0%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	28.9%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	16,220	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.1%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	62.0%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	6,878	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.2%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	60.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1259	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	34.3%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	4,991,203	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	259	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	228,227	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	8.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	10.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$80,522	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	12.7%	13.1%	—



JOHNSON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.8%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.3%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.8%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	15.7%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	20.6%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	38.8%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	39.4%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,425	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.3%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	43.5%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,414	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.8%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.6%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	846	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	69.0%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,113,533	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	187	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	54,331	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	12.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	27.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	7.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	33.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	11.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	10.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$67,123	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.9%	13.1%	—



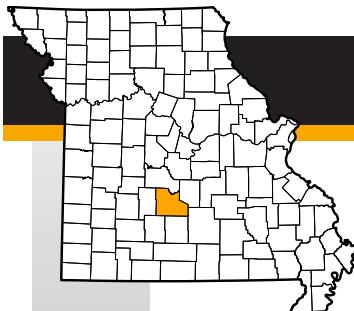
KNOX COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.6%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.5%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.1%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	18.7%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	21.1%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	61.9%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	31.2%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	317	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.4%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	46.3%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	135	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.5%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.6%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	74	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	82.2%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	226,638	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	422	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	3,760	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	33.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	14.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$53,333	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	22.9%	13.1%	—



LACLEDE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.2%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	24.6%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	41.6%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	59.1%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.5%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	5,032	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.9%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	57.3%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,145	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	23.9%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	71.4%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	779	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	63.8%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	878,907	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	133	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	36,245	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	33.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	14.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$50,825	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	11.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.2%	13.1%	—



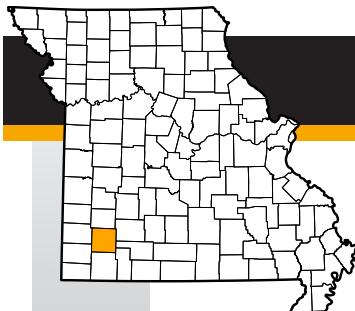
LAFAYETTE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.1%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.2%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.4%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.5%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	18.6%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	40.0%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	44.0%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,769	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.4%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	68.4%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,177	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.5%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	63.0%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	258	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	33.8%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,216,008	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	385	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	32,974	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	33.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.4%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$79,091	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—



LAWRENCE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.9%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.3%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.7%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.8%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	35.7%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.4%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	50.7%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,520	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.8%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	52.8%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,889	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.3%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.0%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	693	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	57.2%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,070,906	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	173	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	38,392	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	50.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	24.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,849	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.0%	13.1%	—



LEWIS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.8%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.9%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.2%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.5%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	37.8%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	44.6%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	34.8%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	704	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.1%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	37.4%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	293	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.7%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.7%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	118	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	72.5%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	286,739	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	205	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	9,945	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	15.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	15.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$52,340	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	3.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.1%	13.1%	—



LINCOLN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.4%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.8%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.6%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.8%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	17.6%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	34.0%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	25.2%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,968	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.1%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	64.0%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,219	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.3%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	60.1%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	529	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	50.3%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	966,828	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	150	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	61,636	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	14.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	34.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	10.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	11.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$85,276	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	12.9%	13.1%	—



LINN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.1%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.9%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.4%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.3%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	30.4%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	38.3%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	60.6%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,233	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.4%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.6%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	464	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	16.5%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.8%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	188	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	49.3%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	444,756	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	235	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	11,850	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	26.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$61,975	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.2%	13.1%	—



LIVINGSTON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.6%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.3%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.1%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	16.9%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	27.5%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.0%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	38.2%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,247	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.7%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	56.4%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	470	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.9%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	69.6%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	213	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	73.8%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	244,302	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	153	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	14,330	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	19.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	46.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$60,148	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.4%	13.1%	—



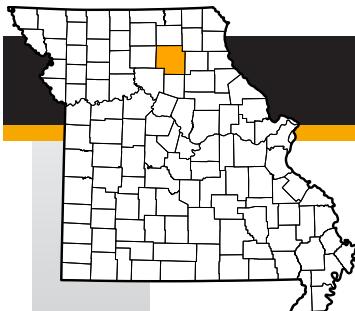
MCDONALD COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.8%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.9%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	27.4%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	42.9%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	70.2%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	57.1%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,946	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.5%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	46.3%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,389	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	23.1%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.8%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	507	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	61.2%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	596,858	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	149	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	23,492	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	15.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.4%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	23.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$48,145	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.2%	13.1%	—



MACON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.8%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.4%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.8%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	13.1%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	16.4%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	47.4%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	39.5%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,232	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.1%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	62.9%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	479	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.4%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	69.6%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	173	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	52.7%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	534,253	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	357	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	15,163	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	52.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	10.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	11.1%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$58,318	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.5%	13.1%	—



MADISON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.6%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.8%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.0%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.0%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	37.2%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	57.9%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	47.5%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,850	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	14.6%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	78.7%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	660	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	22.2%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.2%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	220	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	68.2%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	548,926	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	316	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	12,665	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	44.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	18.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	21.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$58,435	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.4%	13.1%	—



MARIES COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.9%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.9%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	18.7%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.1%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	53.8%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	39.0%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	654	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.8%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	41.8%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	247	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.4%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	40.8%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	91	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	54.6%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	230,276	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	185	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,435	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	44.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$61,359	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.1%	13.1%	—



MARION COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.0%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.0%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.3%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	18.1%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	25.3%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	48.4%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	39.3%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,454	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.1%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	69.6%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,362	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.2%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.7%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	266	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	35.3%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	916,242	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	245	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	28,493	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.6%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	20.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$63,908	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	12.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.8%	13.1%	—



MERCER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.2%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.1%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.4%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	24.7%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	46.2%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	41.7%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	47.7%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	234	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.7%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	27.5%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	90	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	10.7%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	73.6%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	38	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	34.7%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	119,183	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	236	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	3,501	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	50.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	18.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$60,357	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.4%	13.1%	—



MILLER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.7%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.6%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.6%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.8%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.0%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	45.0%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	33.8%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,727	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.9%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	53.1%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,114	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	18.9%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.9%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	385	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	75.8%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	800,679	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	223	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	25,081	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,172	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.8%	13.1%	—



MISSISSIPPI COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	21.2%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	31.1%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.7%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	29.5%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	39.7%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	81.0%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	68.4%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,690	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	22.3%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	85.5%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,067	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	39.6%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	83.4%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	303	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	75.4%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,128,006	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	460	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	12,079	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	48.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	23.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	28.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$46,258	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	13.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.9%	13.1%	—



MONITEAU COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.9%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.1%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.3%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	13.8%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	19.5%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	41.8%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	36.8%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	991	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.5%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	51.2%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	444	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.6%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	171	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	50.9%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	359,388	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	245	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	15,303	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	39.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	10.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$65,161	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.7%	13.1%	—



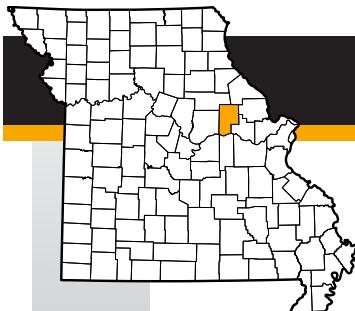
MONROE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.5%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.3%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.5%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.5%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.5%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	48.1%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	54.6%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	712	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.2%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	42.8%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	294	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.4%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	65.6%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	90	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	34.5%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	286,817	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	211	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,672	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	24.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	18.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$48,299	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.7%	13.1%	—



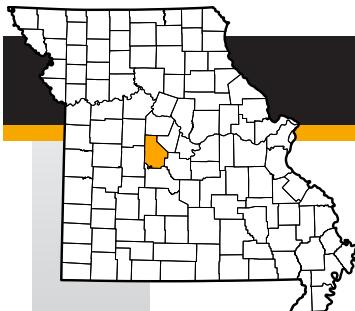
MONTGOMERY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.4%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.4%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.5%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.2%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	25.1%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	50.6%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.1%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,110	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	9.7%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	52.0%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	429	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	16.6%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.6%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	132	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	48.0%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	498,993	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	310	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	11,422	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	44.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$61,042	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.8%	13.1%	—



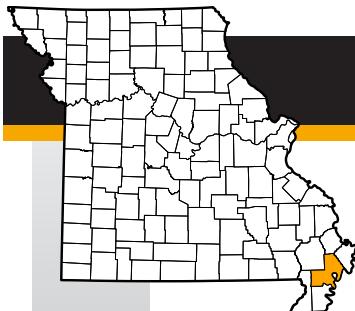
MORGAN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.1%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	19.9%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.3%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.9%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.2%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	75.0%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	46.8%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,599	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.1%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.1%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,021	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.7%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	63.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	325	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	48.7%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	790,622	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	222	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	21,430	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	23.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.6%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	14.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,663	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.1%	13.1%	—



NEW MADRID COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.9%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	26.0%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.6%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	24.9%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	32.2%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	79.9%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	55.3%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,064	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	19.1%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	79.0%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,220	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	32.1%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	329	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	60.5%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	583,437	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	202	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	16,041	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	48.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	51.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	21.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$49,237	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	13.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.7%	13.1%	—



NEWTON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.4%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.4%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.0%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.0%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	31.7%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	54.5%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	42.5%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	6,613	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.1%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	59.8%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,929	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.6%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.5%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	730	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	47.7%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	585,737	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	75	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	59,490	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.4%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	35.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$64,583	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.1%	13.1%	—



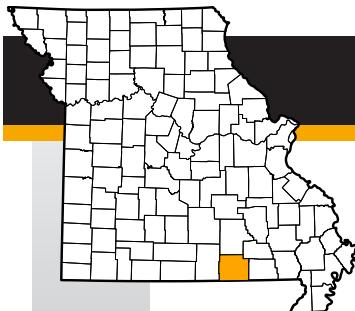
NODAWAY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.8%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.4%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.2%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.2%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.8%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	38.0%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.6%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,129	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	5.4%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	27.8%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	449	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	12.6%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.0%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	190	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	47.4%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	419,995	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	123	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	20,959	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	17.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	27.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,970	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.9%	13.1%	—



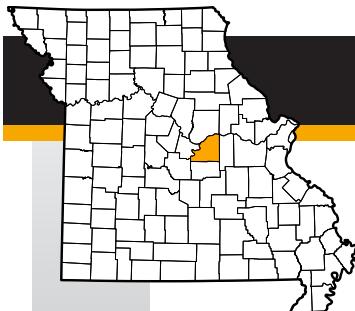
OREGON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	20.6%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	27.4%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.4%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	32.7%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	65.2%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	60.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	85.3%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,124	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	24.4%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	76.7%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	765	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	38.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	66.0%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	249	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	60.6%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	188,411	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	101	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,704	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	46.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	21.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	35.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	18.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$44,259	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	22.0%	13.1%	—



OSAGE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.0%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	12.3%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.9%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.9%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	15.1%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	30.1%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	22.1%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	575	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	4.3%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	34.1%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	239	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	7.7%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	69.3%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	105	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	72.4%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	291,957	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	222	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	13,379	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.6%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	39.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	10.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	11.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$75,355	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.4%	13.1%	—



OZARK COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	21.1%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	25.1%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.6%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	28.6%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	47.2%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	68.3%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	48.2%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,371	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	15.6%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	55.2%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	489	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	29.7%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	71.6%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	106	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	67.8%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	391,623	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	208	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	8,773	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	18.7%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	29.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	20.4%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	47.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	21.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.0%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	19.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$42,329	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	21.0%	13.1%	—



PEMISCOT COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	22.7%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	33.2%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	10.4%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	35.3%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	48.5%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	85.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	75.8%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,595	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	30.2%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	86.6%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,997	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	50.3%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.2%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	311	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	39.7%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	677,033	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	165	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	15,232	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	26.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	44.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	52.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	27.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	34.2%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	18.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$40,748	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	13.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	20.0%	13.1%	—



PERRY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.5%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.8%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.6%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	15.2%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	21.4%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	45.2%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	33.6%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,437	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.6%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	51.2%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	614	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.2%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.7%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	199	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	58.1%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	384,416	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	189	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	18,947	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	38.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	11.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	12.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.9%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$63,356	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.7%	13.1%	—



PETTIS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.3%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.3%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.4%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	17.9%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	24.7%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	59.1%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	44.3%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	5,642	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.1%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	74.0%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,595	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	23.9%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	66.9%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	932	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	69.0%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,336,407	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	234	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	43,205	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	25.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	33.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	13.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$60,232	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.7%	13.1%	—



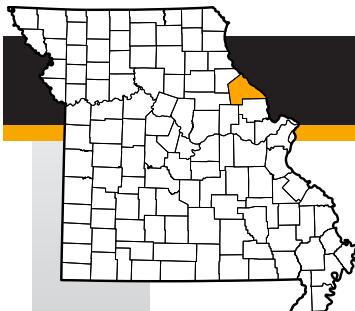
PHELPS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.0%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.5%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.8%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.3%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.4%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	46.6%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	44.2%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,658	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.4%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	50.0%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,781	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	18.7%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	60.3%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	487	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	46.8%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,015,392	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	141	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	44,948	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	29.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	6.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	35.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,427	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.8%	13.1%	—



PIKE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.7%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.2%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.6%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.1%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	32.5%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	48.5%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	41.5%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,797	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.2%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	56.4%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	760	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	18.7%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.8%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	200	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	44.4%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	286,976	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	111	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	17,623	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	42.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	23.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	14.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$57,572	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.2%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	12.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.9%	13.1%	—



PLATTE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	12.9%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	13.0%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.9%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	9.2%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	12.6%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	25.7%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	22.4%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,015	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	3.7%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	40.5%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,970	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	7.7%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.8%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	643	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	46.5%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,651,576	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	224	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	108,751	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.4%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	15.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	30.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	6.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	8.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$95,748	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	11.7%	13.1%	—



POLK COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.6%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.0%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.0%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	24.5%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	40.0%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.9%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	52.1%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,558	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.1%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	47.3%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,443	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.1%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	65.2%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	519	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	50.8%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	291,646	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	53	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	32,109	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	22.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,686	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.5%	13.1%	—



PULASKI COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.4%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.5%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.5%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	16.1%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	21.5%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	44.4%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	44.1%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,551	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.5%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	64.4%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,956	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	16.6%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	66.8%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	852	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	59.5%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,359,128	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	242	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	53,850	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	9.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.6%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.7%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	17.5%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$66,435	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.9%	13.1%	—



PUTNAM COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.9%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.1%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.3%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.1%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.4%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	46.8%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	51.1%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	378	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.1%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	41.0%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	138	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	13.2%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	80.9%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	85	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	56.9%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	216,243	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	291	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	4,675	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.4%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	48.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.2%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,875	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.0%	13.1%	—



RALLS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.6%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.7%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.7%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	16.3%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	22.3%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	38.3%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	38.3%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	789	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.6%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	46.9%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	339	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.6%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	76.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	39	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	18.9%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	259,295	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	199	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	10,394	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	18.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	43.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	12.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	20.6%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$62,054	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.9%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.2%	13.1%	—



RANDOLPH COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.2%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.1%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.9%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.7%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	35.9%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	51.7%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	48.7%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,084	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.6%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	65.9%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,231	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	22.8%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.1%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	405	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	63.7%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	706,889	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	198	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	24,524	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.1%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	14.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	15.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	24.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,310	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	11.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.9%	13.1%	—



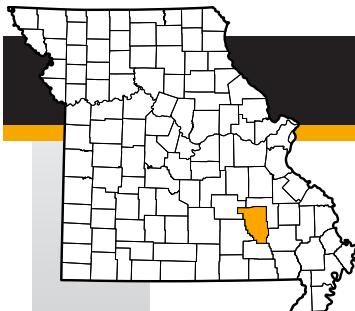
RAY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.1%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.6%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.9%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	15.7%	16.1%	Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.3%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	37.8%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.2%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,934	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.4%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.0%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	862	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	16.3%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.7%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	245	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	47.3%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	686,673	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	250	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	23,149	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	12.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	15.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$72,152	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.2%	13.1%	—



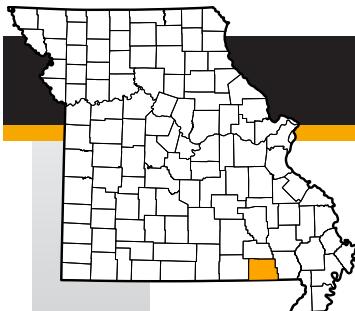
REYNOLDS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	19.4%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	26.5%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.9%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.3%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	53.3%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	65.7%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	69.1%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,147	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	18.9%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	87.6%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	402	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	34.8%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.7%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	124	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	72.1%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	468,133	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	447	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	6,058	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	19.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	23.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	22.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	49.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	32.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$44,357	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.2%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	21.5%	13.1%	—



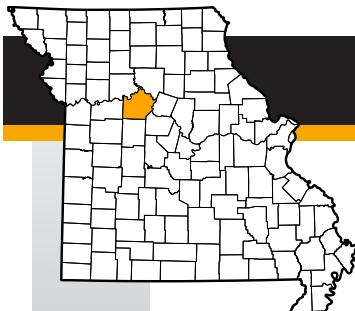
RIPLEY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	19.9%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.9%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.1%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	28.4%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	32.2%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	88.8%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	41.9%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,640	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	24.5%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	87.6%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,007	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	40.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	73.4%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	247	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	96.7%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	404,794	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	193	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	10,755	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.4%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.2%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	20.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	50.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	16.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$43,898	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.1%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	21.5%	13.1%	—



SALINE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.6%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.8%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.6%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.2%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.7%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	58.7%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	37.8%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,507	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.8%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	60.2%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,087	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	21.4%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	72.0%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	397	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	82.7%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	704,187	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	222	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	23,177	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.1%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,566	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.3%	13.1%	—



SCHUYLER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	15.4%	15.4%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.6%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.0%	5.8%	Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	13.0%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	9.7%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	52.4%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	26.0%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	363	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	9.0%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	68.9%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	128	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	11.4%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	77.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	66	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	74.7%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	269,241	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	690	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	4,044	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	27.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	50.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	46.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	4.1%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	15.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$56,023	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	23.4%	13.1%	—



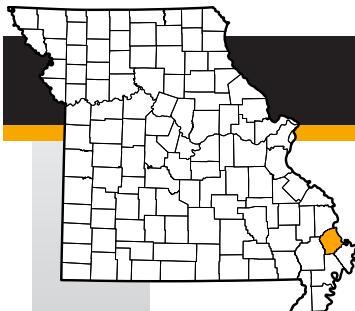
SCOTLAND COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	12.2%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	11.2%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.6%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.5%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	15.2%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	46.8%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	40.5%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	293	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.2%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	50.9%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	107	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	7.7%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	73.4%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	55	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	34.8%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	248,019	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	754	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	4,698	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	29.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.0%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	28.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	7.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	5.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$67,568	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.4%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.9%	13.1%	—



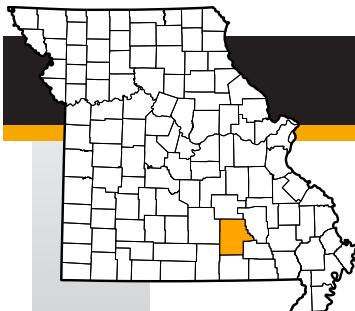
SCOTT COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.5%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.8%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.5%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.9%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	32.1%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	64.0%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	46.9%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	6,900	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	18.2%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	88.9%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,870	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	31.3%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.4%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	595	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	52.5%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,414,367	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	263	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	37,967	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	24.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	22.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	49.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.5%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	12.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$58,847	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.9%	13.1%	—



SHANNON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.5%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.1%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	22.0%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	25.9%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	73.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	49.7%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,684	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	23.6%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	100.0%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	643	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	40.5%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	69.6%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	140	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	78.5%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	242,084	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	210	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	7,137	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	46.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	45.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	17.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	18.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$59,000	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.4%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	20.2%	13.1%	—



SHELBY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.8%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.9%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.7%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	24.5%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	40.4%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	48.0%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	45.1%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	522	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.7%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	36.9%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	219	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.3%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	70.5%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	68	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	44.2%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	333,752	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	370	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	6,011	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	21.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	42.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	15.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	18.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$52,127	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.9%	13.1%	—



ST. CHARLES COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	10.9%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	9.6%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.0%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	6.3%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	7.9%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	20.7%	47.4%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	14.0%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	14,232	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	3.5%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	56.4%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	6,366	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	6.8%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	56.1%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1235	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	38.7%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	3,944,081	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	209	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	409,830	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.6%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	33.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	4.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	5.2%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	5.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$102,912	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.8%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	10.8%	13.1%	—



ST. CLAIR COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.5%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.3%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	20.5%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	20.5%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.5%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	59.4%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,212	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.8%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	64.7%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	436	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	22.0%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	71.0%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	186	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	65.7%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	152,228	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	102	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	9,451	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.1%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	16.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	41.8%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	16.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	15.4%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$46,731	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—



ST. FRANCOIS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.9%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.0%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.6%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.9%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.7%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	52.3%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	46.2%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	10,008	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	15.0%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	74.5%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	3,830	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	27.2%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	66.1%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1117	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	70.7%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,218,010	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	117	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	66,864	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	16.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.3%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.8%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.4%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$54,813	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	10.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	17.1%	13.1%	—



ST. LOUIS CITY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	30.6%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	25.2%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	39.0%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	93.0%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	45.2%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	58,190	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	19.9%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	81.1%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	22,326	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	41.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	73.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	6942	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	92.6%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	9,814,645	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	175	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	293,109	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	18.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	14.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	34.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	26.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	17.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,279	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—



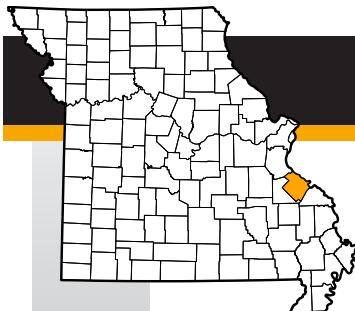
ST. LOUIS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	12.8%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.6%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5.8%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.5%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	20.4%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.9%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	28.5%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	95,503	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	9.6%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	78.7%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	43,269	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.6%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.2%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	3816	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	24.2%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	13,452,758	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	144	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	996,618	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	34.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	37.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.1%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$81,340	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.0%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	12.9%	13.1%	—



STE. GENEVIEVE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.7%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	14.2%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.3%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.0%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	13.5%	25.0%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	42.8%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	13.4%	37.4%	Very Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	1,216	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	6.6%	10.3%	Very Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	55.9%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	508	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	12.7%	19.6%	Very Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	75.2%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	178	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	100.0%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	463,528	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	324	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	18,551	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	26.4%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	35.4%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	7.9%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	8.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$61,310	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.2%	13.1%	—



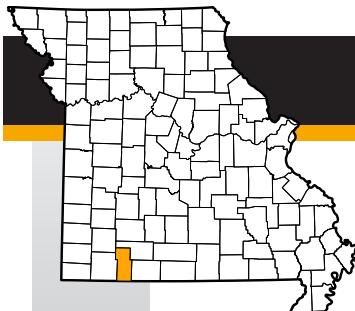
STODDARD COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.7%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.4%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.5%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.3%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.5%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	53.3%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	52.6%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,238	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	14.8%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	70.8%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,595	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	25.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.5%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	377	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	41.6%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	731,715	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	153	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	28,547	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	40.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	21.3%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	44.1%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	21.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$54,067	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.9%	13.1%	—



STONE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.6%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.3%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.6%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.8%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	35.5%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	56.1%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	58.7%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,658	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.4%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	42.9%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,099	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	20.6%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.7%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	315	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	44.4%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	466,418	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	107	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	31,697	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	16.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	31.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	39.6%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	11.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	44.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	18.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$61,323	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.6%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.3%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	14.4%	13.1%	—



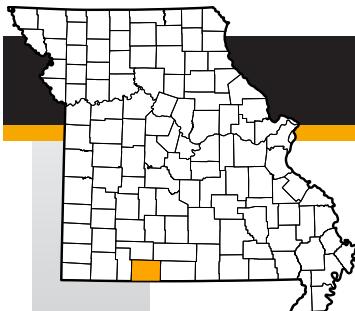
SULLIVAN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.3%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	17.5%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.4%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	21.1%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	30.6%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	64.5%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	39.2%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	617	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	10.5%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	50.8%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	256	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	19.7%	19.6%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	82.2%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	132	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	100.0%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	192,849	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	227	175	High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	5,903	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.5%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	38.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	35.7%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	13.3%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,500	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.3%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	21.0%	13.1%	—



TANEY COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	17.7%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	20.6%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.1%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.2%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	28.3%	25.0%	Average
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	59.3%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	38.2%	37.4%	Low
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	6,464	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	11.5%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	61.8%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	2,566	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	21.7%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.0%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1061	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	96.0%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,448,304	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	184	175	Average
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	56,382	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.0%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	22.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.9%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.4%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	19.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	9.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$58,258	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.1%	13.1%	—



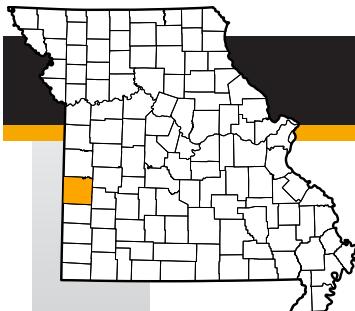
TEXAS COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	19.9%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	25.0%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	9.1%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	28.1%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	52.5%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	57.4%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	52.9%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,111	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	12.5%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	47.1%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,246	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	23.1%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	66.7%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	435	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	61.2%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	427,916	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	94	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	24,956	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	21.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	45.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	35.6%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	25.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	16.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$48,055	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.6%	13.1%	—



VERNON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.5%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	22.5%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	25.3%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	38.1%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	55.8%	47.4%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	54.4%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,689	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	13.6%	10.3%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	55.9%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,042	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	22.1%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	68.3%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	386	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	64.1%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	390,979	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	108	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	19,713	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.9%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	20.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	47.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.2%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.0%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	27.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	11.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$54,519	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	5.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—



WARREN COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.5%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	15.6%	18.1%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.2%	5.8%	Very Low
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	14.3%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	23.0%	25.0%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	43.4%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	49.3%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,782	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.6%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	54.3%	63.9%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,230	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.4%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	61.6%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	1071	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	100.0%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	602,737	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	180	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	36,467	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	35.9%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.6%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	36.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.3%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.1%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	7.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$77,989	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	13.7%	13.1%	—



WASHINGTON COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	19.0%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	24.1%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.7%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	26.3%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	40.7%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	67.6%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.7%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,366	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	18.6%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	73.7%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,641	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	29.9%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	73.3%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	489	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	66.5%	51.2%	High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	497,762	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	122	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	23,483	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	17.4%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	43.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	18.0%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	45.0%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	18.2%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	24.6%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$51,886	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.8%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.0%	13.1%	—



WAYNE COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Average

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	23.1%	15.4%	Very High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	28.7%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	10.5%	5.8%	Very High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	30.5%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	50.7%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	61.8%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	77.1%	37.4%	Very High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,168	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	19.8%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	66.2%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	765	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	34.5%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	64.4%	66.9%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	184	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	51.2%	51.2%	Average
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	412,945	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	153	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	10,942	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.3%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	24.3%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	45.0%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	17.2%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	54.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	25.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	35.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	19.2%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$43,393	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	4.0%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	20.5%	13.1%	—



WEBSTER COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
Average	Low

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	16.0%	15.4%	Average
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	18.5%	18.1%	Average
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	7.3%	5.8%	Average
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	19.7%	16.1%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	33.0%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	45.1%	47.4%	Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	49.4%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	3,491	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.8%	10.3%	Average
% Income Eligible and Participating	45.7%	63.9%	Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,530	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	14.0%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	63.5%	66.9%	Very Low
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	519	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	38.9%	51.2%	Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	457,425	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	73	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	39,868	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	27.5%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	15.7%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	41.7%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	13.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	42.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	16.1%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	24.5%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.7%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$69,731	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	6.6%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	15.0%	13.1%	—



WORTH COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	Low

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NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	24.3%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	23.8%	16.1%	High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	52.8%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	53.0%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.8%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	151	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	7.7%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	32.9%	63.9%	Very Low
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	61	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.1%	19.6%	Low
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	67.3%	66.9%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	12	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	21.9%	51.2%	Very Low
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	36,211	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	107	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	1,956	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	20.8%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	25.6%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	51.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	N/A%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	45.9%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	34.8%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	10.1%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$46,167	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.5%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	18.4%	13.1%	—



WRIGHT COUNTY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. **Performance** is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.2%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	21.9%	18.1%	High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.3%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	25.1%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	44.3%	25.0%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	53.2%	47.4%	Average
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	53.0%	37.4%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,994	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	16.0%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	65.1%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,206	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	24.6%	19.6%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	71.1%	66.9%	High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	432	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	74.6%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	426,497	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	132	175	Very Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	18,722	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	26.2%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	19.8%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.5%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	15.1%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	45.3%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	17.6%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	23.3%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	14.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$47,304	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.5%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	8.7%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	19.8%	13.1%	—