



32 N. Main Street
Cortland, NY 13045
607-753-6781

County Population:
49,043

Population for whom poverty status is determined:

Overall
45,514

Population Under 18
9,623

Population 25 & Over
30,006

Population over 65
6,867

14.7%
COUNTY POVERTY RATE

Living In Poverty

Individuals	14.7%	6,675
Children (Under 18)	15.3%	1,471
Adults 25+	9.9%	2,977
Senior Citizens 65+	10.0%	689

Cortland County

CAPCO Cortland County Community Action Program, Inc.

www.capco.org

Race & Poverty

White	14.5% (6,213)
African American	19.3% (138)
Hispanic/Latino	19.3% (224)



Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+: 30,006

Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
9.8% (2,937)	34.7% (10,405)	31.9% (9,561)	23.7% (7,103)
Total*	Total*	Total*	Total*
22.3% (655)	12.5% (1,297)	7.9% (752)	3.8% (273)
Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty	Living in Poverty

*DUE TO ROUNDING, PERCENTAGES MAY NOT ADD UP PRECISELY TO 100%.



Living Wage for
1 Adult, 1 Child
Household
\$23.48

Employment & Poverty

Hourly Wage for
FMR, 2BR Apartment
\$14.25

Median Income
\$34,359

Median Income
w/High School Diploma
\$30,267

Health & Poverty

No Health Insurance

Employed	7.7%
Unemployed	22.6%

Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **47%**

Gender & Poverty



Median Earnings
\$35,558



Median Earnings
\$22,479

Of Those Families with
Female Heads of Household
and Children Present

33.2%
Live in Poverty

US Poverty Rate: 15.5% • NYS Poverty Rate: 15.7%