



County Population: 64,341
County Poverty Rate: 15.8
 Population for whom poverty status is determined: 62,978
 Population Under 18 for whom poverty is determined: 13,846
 Population 25 & over for whom education/poverty status determined: 43,842
 Population Over 65 for whom poverty is determined: 10,242

Herkimer County Poverty Profile

Individuals in Poverty15.8% (9,943)
 Children (under 18) in Poverty23.1% (3,203)
 Adults 25+ in Poverty12.4% (5,449)
 Senior Citizens (age 65+) in Poverty.... 11.8% (1,208)

Race & Poverty

Whites Living in Poverty15.4% (9,371)
 African Americans Living in Poverty (Not Available)
 Hispanics/Latinos Living in Poverty43.3% (433)

Education & Poverty

Adults, 25+, with High School Degree Only36.7% (15,842)
 Living in Poverty.....15.5% (2,453)
 Adults, 25+, with Associate's Degree32.1% (14,072)
 Living in Poverty.....9.2% (1,299)
 Adults, 25+, with at least Bachelor's Degree19.7% (8,618)
 Living in Poverty3.5% (304)

Employment & Poverty

Unemployment Rate.....8.0%
 Median Income\$43,324
 Median Income with High School Degree\$26,086
 Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child Household\$41,924
 Hourly Wage for FMR, 2 BR Apartment\$13.87

Health & Poverty

Infant Mortality Rate.....10.8
 Low Birth Weight Rate.....6.8
 No Health Insurance
 Employed12.9%
 Unemployed.....26.4%
 Children Eligible for Free/Reduced
 Lunch Program.....46%

Gender & Poverty

Median Male Income
 High School Diploma Only.....\$32,154
 Median Female Income
 High School Diploma Only\$21,563
 Families - Female Head of Household
 w/Children Living in Poverty
 34.9%

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