



8265 State Route 812  
Lowville, NY 13367  
315-376-8202

**County Population:**  
**26,719**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall  
**26,385**

Population Under 18  
**6,042**

Population 25 & Over  
**18,196**

Population over 65  
**4,482**

**14.1%**  
**COUNTY**  
**POVERTY**  
**RATE**

**Living In Poverty**

|                     |       |       |
|---------------------|-------|-------|
| Individuals         | 14.1% | 3,712 |
| Children (Under 18) | 23.9% | 1,446 |
| Adults 25+          | 10.2% | 1,851 |
| Senior Citizens 65+ | 6.2%  | 279   |

# Lewis County

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## Race & Poverty

|                  |                      |
|------------------|----------------------|
| White            | <b>13.7% (3,489)</b> |
| African American | <b>14.2% (24)</b>    |
| Hispanic/Latino  | <b>27.0% (116)</b>   |

VALUES REPRESENT THE PERCENT OF POPULATION IN POVERTY BY RACE.



## Education & Poverty



**Adult Population 25+: 18,196**

### Educational Attainment

| No Degree                | High School              | Associate                | Bachelors or Higher      |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>10.1% (1,831)</b>     | <b>46.0% (8,361)</b>     | <b>27.6% (5,020)</b>     | <b>16.4% (2,984)</b>     |
| <b>Total*</b>            | <b>Total*</b>            | <b>Total*</b>            | <b>Total*</b>            |
| <b>17.2% (315)</b>       | <b>12.1% (1,013)</b>     | <b>8.8% (440)</b>        | <b>2.8% (83)</b>         |
| <b>Living in Poverty</b> | <b>Living in Poverty</b> | <b>Living in Poverty</b> | <b>Living in Poverty</b> |

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



Living Wage for  
1 Adult, 1 Child  
Household  
**\$25.62**

## Employment & Poverty

Hourly Wage for  
FMR, 2BR Apartment  
**\$13.90**

Median Income  
**\$36,592**

Median Income  
w/High School Diploma  
**\$31,652**

## Health & Poverty

### No Health Insurance

|            |              |
|------------|--------------|
| Employed   | <b>7.2%</b>  |
| Unemployed | <b>25.6%</b> |

### Free/Reduced Lunch Program

 **51%**

## Gender & Poverty

**High School Diploma Only**



Median Earnings  
**\$40,145**



Median Earnings  
**\$21,959**

Of Those Families with  
Female Heads of Household  
and Children Present

**53.2%**  
**Live in Poverty**