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 NYC, NY 10007
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County Population:
2,280,602

*Population for whom
 poverty status is determined:*

Overall
2,255,875
 Population Under 18
460,966
 Population 25 & Over
1,585,144
 Population over 65
291,113

15.3%
COUNTY
POVERTY
RATE

Living In Poverty
 Individuals
 15.3% 344,920
 Children (Under 18)
 21.0% 96,841
 Adults 25+
 13.1% 207,842
 Senior Citizens 65+
 13.6% 39,643

Queens County

NYC Dept. of Youth and Community Development

www.nyc.gov/html/dycd

Race & Poverty

White	12.8% (119,610)
African American	14.4% (59,975)
Hispanic/Latino	19.1% (119,949)



Education & Poverty



Adult Population 25+ - 1,585,144

Educational Attainment

No Degree	High School	Associate	Bachelors or Higher
■ 19.4% (308,180) Total	■ 27.2% (431,661) Total	■ 23.0% (363,944) Total	■ 30.4% (481,359) Total
■ 22.7% (69,894) Living in Poverty	■ 14.8% (63,810) Living in Poverty	■ 10.8% (39,359) Living in Poverty	■ 7.2% (34,779) Living in Poverty



Employment & Poverty

Living Wage for
 1 Adult, 1 Child
 Household
\$27.44

Hourly Wage for
 FMR, 2BR
 Apartment
\$28.48

Median
 Income
\$36,524
 Median Income
 w/High School Diploma
\$28,442

Health & Poverty

No Health Insurance
 Employed
 21.8%
 Unemployed
 34.4%

Free/Reduced Lunch Program
 Data for all 5 counties of NYC

77%

Gender & Poverty

High School Diploma Only

Median
 Income
\$31,770

Median
 Income
\$24,546

Of Those Families with
 Female Heads of Household
 and Children Present

31.0%
Live in Poverty