

Poverty Reduction in Fulton County Indiana University



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Background of Fulton County

Population

20,092 Total Population

50.2% Female 49.8% Male

96% White

Name	Population in 2017	Percent of County
Akron	1,123	5.6%
Fulton	318	1.6%
Kewanna	589	2.9%
Rochester	5,990	29.8%

Population Estimates by Age, 2017	Number	Rank in State	Pct Dist. in County	Pct Dist. in State
Preschool (0 to 4)	1,251	67	6.2%	6.3%
School Age (5 to 17)	3,536	69	17.6%	17.3%
College Age (18 to 24)	1,519	73	7.6%	9.9%
Young Adult (25 to 44)	4,520	73	22.5%	25.3%
Older Adult (45 to 64)	5,386	74	26.9%	25.9%
Seniors (65 and older)	3,847	71	19.2%	15.4%
Median Age	41.5		Median Age = 37.7	

Sources: U.S. Census Bureau; Indiana Business Research Center

Income

	Fulton County	Indiana
Median Household Income	\$47,108	\$52,162
Mean Household Income	\$57,636	\$69,197
Median Worker Income	\$26,614	\$30,810
Median Male Full-Time Income	\$40,176	\$49,182
Median Female Full-Time Income	\$30,253	\$36,431

Source: US Census Bureau Indiana 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

Income

INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2017 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)		
Total households	7,934	+/-276
Less than \$10,000	597	+/-171
\$10,000 to \$14,999	339	+/-109
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,008	+/-193
\$25,000 to \$34,999	837	+/-175
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,501	+/-227
\$50,000 to \$74,999	1,635	+/-219
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,083	+/-182
\$100,000 to \$149,999	748	+/-165
\$150,000 to \$199,999	132	+/-53
\$200,000 or more	54	+/-35
Median household income (dollars)	47,108	+/-3,650
Mean household income (dollars)	57,635	+/-4,545
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	26,814	+/-1,740
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	40,176	+/-2,815
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	30,253	+/-2,999

Source: US Census Bureau Fulton County Indiana 2013-2017 American Community Survey 5 Year Estimates

Income

BASIC BUDGET NEEDS FOR THIS COUNTY



1 ADULT



1 ADULT
1 PRESCHOOLER
1 SCHOOL-AGE



2 ADULTS
1 PRESCHOOLER
1 SCHOOL-AGE

MONTHLY COSTS

	1 ADULT	1 ADULT 1 PRESCHOOLER 1 SCHOOL-AGE	2 ADULTS 1 PRESCHOOLER 1 SCHOOL-AGE
Housing	\$491	\$642	\$642
Child Care	\$0	\$780	\$780
Food	\$236	\$540	\$742
Transportation	\$240	\$247	\$470
Health Care	\$177	\$483	\$543
Miscellaneous	\$114	\$269	\$318
Taxes	\$251	\$486	\$583
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	\$0	(\$149)	(\$99)
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	\$0	(\$120)	(\$100)
Child Tax Credit (-)	\$0	(\$167)	(\$167)
SELF-SUFFICIENCY WAGE			
Hourly (per adult)	\$8.57	\$17.11	\$10.54
Monthly	\$1,509	\$3,012	\$3,711
Annual	\$18,107	\$36,146	\$44,536



Annual child care expenses in this county
1 PRESCHOOLER + 1 SCHOOL-AGE CHILD

\$9,360

Employment

Labor Force, 2017	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
Total Resident Labor Force	9,696	70	0.3%	3,336,655
Employed	9,355	70	0.3%	3,218,115
Unemployed	341	76	0.3%	118,540
Annual Unemployment Rate	3.5	45	97.2%	3.6
February 2019 Unemployment Rate	4.3	37	104.9%	4.1

Source: STATS Indiana, using data from the Indiana Department of Workforce Development

County Sending Workers	Workers
Miami	323
Marshall	210
Cass	178
Kosciusko	161
Pulaski	149
Total of Above	1,021

County Receiving Workers	Workers
Kosciusko	802
Marshall	565
Cass	334
Pulaski	202
Miami	119
Total of Above	2,022

Employment

INDUSTRY		
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	9,575	+/-344
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	432	+/-131
Construction	627	+/-211
Manufacturing	2,876	+/-306
Wholesale trade	385	+/-159
Retail trade	1,073	+/-209
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	422	+/-138
Information	97	+/-49
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	361	+/-115
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	320	+/-117
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	1,600	+/-216
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	509	+/-205
Other services, except public administration	424	+/-131
Public administration	449	+/-156

Education

Education	Number	Rank in State	Percent of State	Indiana
School Enrollment (2018/2019 Total Reported)	2,849	72	0.3%	1,117,590
Public	2,849	72	0.3%	1,054,903
Adults (25+ in 2017 ACS)	14,015	71	0.3%	4,369,451
with High School diploma or higher	86%	66		88.3%
with B.A. or higher degree	12.8%	75		25.3%

Sources: Indiana Department of Education; U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey 5-year estimates.

Education

- 10 Private Colleges within 50 miles
- 3 Public Colleges within 50 miles
- 80% have computers
- 65% have broadband internet access

Rochester High School

Senior Class = 145 students

78 = 4 year college

5 = 2 year college

6 = vocation/technical school

9 = military

15 = undecided

32 = directly to workforce

Education

Caston School Corporation	
College & Career Readiness Rate	72.8
% Taking AP Exams	16.9%
% Passing AP Exams	3.4%

Rochester School Corporation	
College & Career Readiness Rate	65.7
% Taking AP Exams	2.7%
% Passing AP Exams	0

Tippecanoe Valley School Corporation	
College & Career Readiness Rate	57.9
% Taking AP Exams	22.8%
% Passing AP Exams	2.8%

Transportation

Fulton County Transpo				
	Single Ride - City	Single Ride - County	Ticket - City	Ticket - County
Age 60 +	Donation	Donation	N/A	N/A
Ages 4-59	\$2/stop	\$4/stop	\$20 for 12 rides	\$40 for 12 rides
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 45% of their riders are 60 years of age or older and 55% of their riders are ages 4-59• 175 rides per day approximately 50% ticket sales and 50% from single ride purchases• Average commute to work is 22.8 minutes• Transportation cost = \$240/single adult				

Food Insecurity

	% Free and Reduced Lunch
Caston School Corp	40.9%
Rochester School Corp	52.0%
Tippecanoe	54%



DIVISION OF FAMILY RESOURCES

Monthly Management Report

Reporting Month: February 2019

Location: Fulton County

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP)

	February 2019	January 2019	February 2018	Annual Change
Total issuance	\$159,178	\$155,633	\$183,597	-13.30%
Number of households receiving SNAP benefits	704	703	734	-4.09%
Number of recipients	1,504	1,516	1,696	-11.32%
Average issuance per household	\$226.11	\$221.38	\$250.13	-9.60%
Average issuance per recipient	\$105.84	\$102.66	\$108.25	-2.23%

Note:

All data July 2014 and following will be broken out according to the new DFR region structure effective July 1 2014.

Crime Demographics

- Total Population- 65
 - Male: 47
 - Female- 18
- Race
 - Black- 3
 - White- 47
 - No Code- 15
- Marital Status
 - Divorced- 6
 - Married- 7
 - Not Married- 27
 - Separated- 2
 - No code- 23
- Age
 - Under 20- 3%
 - 21-30: 39%
 - 31-40- 40%
 - 41-50- 15%
 - 50 and above-3%

Crime of Current Inmates

Crime Classification	Number of Inmates
Class A Misdemeanor	11
Class B Misdemeanor	1
Class C Misdemeanor	7
Juvenile Delinquent Act	1
Level 5 Felony	1
Level 6 Felony	21
No Code Entered	23

Mental Health/Drug Abuse

Health Indicators	Description	County	Quartile	State
Life Expectancy, Women	³ Estimated female life expectancy at birth (years), 2014	79.7	3-MIDDLE	80.0
Life Expectancy, Men	³ Estimated male life expectancy at birth (years), 2014	74.3	3-MIDDLE	75.3
Number of Infant Deaths, (Rate)	⁴ The number of infant deaths of all races (<1 yr), (Rate of infant mortality for all races per 1,000 live births) , 2011-2015	15 (U)	Not Applicable	3,003 (7.2)
Number of Black Infant Deaths, (Rate)	⁴ The number of black infant deaths (<1 yr), (Rate of black infant mortality per 1,000 live births) , 2011-2015	0 (U)	Not Applicable	711 (14.0)
Poor Mental Health Days*	¹ Average number of days out of the past 30 when mental health, which includes stress, depression, and problems with emotions, was not good (<i>age-adjusted</i>), 2014	4.2	4-BOTTOM	4.3
Drug Overdose Death Rate	⁴ Drug poisoning deaths per 100,000 population, 2012-2015	14.6	2-MIDDLE	17.9
Suicide Death, (Rate)*	⁴ Number of suicide deaths, (Suicide death rate, age-adjusted per 100,000 population) , 2011-2015	19 (U)	1-TOP	4,696 (14.2)

Health

Health Behaviors	Description	County	Quartile	State
% Adult Obesity	¹ Percentage of adults that report a BMI \geq 30, 2013	38%	4-BOTTOM	32%
% Adult Physical Inactivity	¹ Percentage of leisure-time physical inactivity, age-adjusted, 20+, 2013	23%	1-TOP	27%
% Adult Smokers	¹ Percentage of adults (18 +) who are current smokers, 2014	21%	3-MIDDLE	23%
% Youth Smokers	⁶ Percentage of middle and high school students who were current tobacco users, 2012–2013	Indiana: 11.7%, National Average: 7% <i>*no county level data available</i>		
% Adult Excessive Drinking	¹ Percentage of adults reporting binge or heavy drinking, 2014	15%	1-TOP	16%
Teen Birth Rate	⁷ The birth rate for mothers ages 15 through 19 per 1,000 females in each age group, 2015	26.4	2-MIDDLE	26.0
Sexually Transmitted Infection Rate	¹ Number of newly reported chlamydia cases per 100,000 population, 2013	149.0	1-TOP	271.0