

HICKORY COUNTY

Missouri Hunger Atlas

Total Population	9,271	Population Below Poverty	18%	Obesity	28%
Population < 18 years	18%	< 18 years Below Poverty	30%	Diabetes	7%
Population > 64 years	27%	> 64 years Below Poverty	11%	Hypertension	26%

Need Indicators

Overall Rank 22/115

Performance Indicators

Overall Rank 97/115

	County	Trend	State	County Rank*
Food Insecurity				
% of total population food insecure	16%	—	13%	18
% of <18 years food insecure	24%	▼	18%	9
% of >64 years food insecure	6%	—	7%	69
% Food insecure w/ hunger	5%	▲	4%	18
Food Stamp Program				
% of total population eligible	26%	▼	22%	22
% <18 years eligible	37%	▲	31%	25
# of monthly total participants	1,415	▲	NA	NA
% of total population	15%	▲	15%	46
# of monthly participants <18 years	489	▲	NA	NA
% of <18 years population	30%	▲	26%	32
Monthly benefits	\$98,804	▲	NA	NA
Free & Reduced School Lunch Program				
% of students eligible	57%	▲	47%	20
Women, Infants, & Children Program (WIC)				
# of monthly total participants	161	▼	NA	NA
# of monthly infant & child participant	113	▼	NA	NA
% of <5 years eligible	57%	▲	48%	36
% of <5 years participating	31%	▼	36%	72

* County rank: 1 = highest need to 115 = lowest need.

	County	Trend	State	County Rank**
Food Stamp Program Participation				
% of total eligible	60%	▲	67%	79
% of <18 years eligible	81%	▲	83%	63
% of food insecure population	47%	▲	54%	70
% of food insecure w/ hunger	68%	▲	77%	73
% of <18 years food insecure	62%	▲	69%	79
% of <100% poverty	74%	▲	86%	95
Free & Reduced School Lunch Program Participation				
% of eligible participating	84%	▼	79%	15
Summer Food Service Program Reimbursements				
Reimbursements per student	\$63	▼	\$30	NA
Women, Infants, & Children Program (WIC) Participation				
% of <5 years eligible who are enrolled	53%	▼	73%	111
Child & Adult Care Food Program Reimbursements				
Reimbursements per capita <5 years & <100% poverty	\$124	NA	\$319	92
Food Bank Distributions				
Lbs per capita food insecure	21	NA	93	93
Lbs per capita <100% poverty	15	NA	73	92

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