

MONROE COUNTY

Missouri Hunger Atlas

Total Population	9,379	Population Below Poverty	11%	Obesity	24%
Population < 18 years	23%	< 18 years Below Poverty	17%	Diabetes	9%
Population > 64 years	17%	> 64 years Below Poverty	10%	Hypertension	29%

Need Indicators

Overall Rank 85/115

Performance Indicators

Overall Rank 71/115

	County	Trend	State	County Rank*
Food Insecurity				
% of total population food insecure	12%	—	13%	84
% of <18 years food insecure	16%	—	18%	87
% of >64 years food insecure	6%	—	7%	43
% food insecure w/ hunger	4%	▲	4%	82
Food Stamp Program				
% of total population eligible	17%	—	22%	95
% <18 years eligible	24%	▲	31%	93
# of monthly total participants	995	▲	NA	NA
% of total population	11%	▲	15%	85
# of monthly participants <18 years	428	▲	NA	NA
% of <18 years population	20%	▲	26%	86
Monthly benefits	\$68,675	▲	NA	NA
Free & Reduced School Lunch Program				
% of students eligible	39%	▲	47%	88
Women, Infants, & Children Program (WIC)				
# of monthly total participants	256	▲	NA	NA
# of monthly infant & child participant	192	▲	NA	NA
% of <5 years eligible	57%	▲	48%	37
% of <5 years participating	36%	▲	36%	56

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

	County	Trend	State	County Rank**
Food Stamp Program Participation				
% of total eligible	62%	▲	67%	67
% of <18 years eligible	83%	▲	83%	60
% of food insecure population	42%	▲	54%	89
% of food insecure w/ hunger	61%	▲	77%	92
% of <18 years food insecure	62%	▲	69%	77
% of <100% poverty	80%	▲	86%	72
Free & Reduced School Lunch Program Participation				
% of eligible participating	80%	▼	79%	44
Summer Food Service Program Reimbursements				
Reimbursements per student	dnp	NA	\$30	NA
Women, Infants, & Children Program (WIC) Participation				
% of <5 years eligible who are enrolled	62%	▼	73%	107
Child & Adult Care Food Program Reimbursements				
Reimbursements per capita <5 years & <100% poverty	\$624	NA	\$319	14
Food Bank Distributions				
Lbs per capita food insecure	229	NA	93	15
Lbs per capita <100% poverty	201	NA	73	13

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