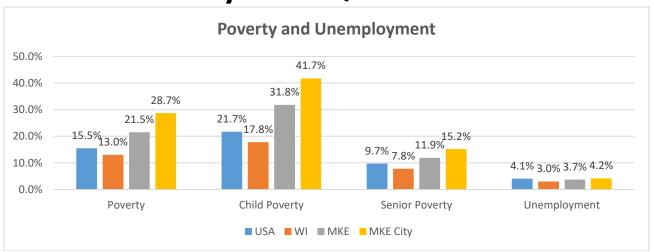


# **May 2017 QuickFacts**



Poverty data from ACS 5-Year Estimates; 1 Unemployment data from Apr 2017<sup>2</sup>

### **Poverty & Hunger**

Fact	Label	Date
\$24,600 or less	Poverty line for a family of four	2017³
<mark>\$129.20</mark>	The minimum cost to feed a family of four for a week	Apr 2017 <sup>4</sup>
\$106.33	Average monthly FoodShare benefit per client in Wisconsin	Apr 2017 <sup>5</sup>
32.2%	Total calls to 2-1-1 that were related to food needs	2016 Summary <sup>6</sup>

## **Emergency Food Distribution**

Fact	Label	Date
9 million	Pounds of food distributed by Hunger Task Force in the past fiscal year	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
52	Pantries served in the Hunger Task Force network in the past fiscal year	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
35,169	Average monthly individuals visiting Hunger Task Force-affiliated food pantries	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
14,744	Monthly household visits to Hunger Task Force-affiliated food pantries	Apr 2017 <sup>7</sup>
<mark>1.10%</mark>	Change in pantry attendance from 12 months prior	2016/2017 <sup>7</sup>
<mark>69%</mark>	Pantry households using FoodShare	Apr 2017 <sup>7</sup>
22	Meal sites supported by Hunger Task Force deliveries in the past fiscal year	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
55,959	Average monthly visits to Hunger Task Force-affiliated meal sites in the past fiscal year	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
<mark>43,049</mark>	Monthly meals served at Hunger Task Force-affiliated meal sites	Apr 2017 <sup>7</sup>
105	Stockbox sites supported by Hunger Task Force in the past fiscal year	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
9,359	Average monthly Stockboxes distributed by Hunger Task Force in the past fiscal year	FY2016 <sup>7</sup>
<mark>8,913</mark>	Monthly Stockboxes distributed by Hunger Task Force	Apr 2017 <sup>7</sup>

#### **FoodShare**

Fact	Label	Date
<mark>696,790</mark>	Average monthly FoodShare participation Year to Date: Wisconsin	<mark>2017<sup>5</sup></mark>
<mark>688,729</mark>	Monthly FoodShare participation: Wisconsin	Apr 2017 <sup>5</sup>
<mark>-4.48%</mark>	Change from 12 months prior	2016/2017 <sup>5</sup>
<mark>242,606</mark>	Average monthly FoodShare participation Year to Date: Milwaukee County	<mark>2017<sup>5</sup></mark>
<mark>240,828</mark>	Monthly FoodShare participation: Milwaukee County	Apr 2017 <sup>5</sup>
<mark>-2.81%</mark>	Change from 12 months prior	2016/2017 <sup>5</sup>
<mark>35%</mark>	Wisconsin FoodShare recipients who live in Milwaukee County	Apr 2017 <sup>5</sup>
43%	Share of Wisconsin FoodShare recipients under the age of 18	Mar 2017 <sup>5</sup>
25%	Wisconsinites on FoodShare who are either elderly, blind, or disabled	Mar 2017 <sup>5</sup>
46%	Share of Wisconsin FoodShare households with at least one individual who is either elderly, blind, or disabled	Mar 2017 <sup>5</sup>
<mark>72,607</mark>	FoodShare recipients in Wisconsin who were disenrolled due to FSET time limitations on benefits, July of 2015 to April 2016	Apr 2016 <sup>9</sup>
35,004	FoodShare recipients in Milwaukee County who were disenrolled due to FSET time limitations on benefits, July of 2015 to April 2016	Apr 2016 <sup>9</sup>

# **Child Nutrition Programs**

Fact	Label	Date
34,007	Average daily breakfast participation: Milwaukee Public Schools	2015 - 2016 <sup>10</sup>
80%	MPS students in low income households	2016 - 201711
75,577	MPS students eating free breakfast and lunch under Community Eligibility Provision	2015 - 2016 <sup>10</sup>
80,531	Suppers served through Kohl's Serving Up Supper for Kids	Summer 2016 <sup>7</sup>
168	Open Summer Meals sites in Milwaukee County	Summer 2016 <sup>7</sup>
92	Summer Meals sites serving suppers	Summer 2016 <sup>7</sup>
<mark>95,005</mark>	Monthly participation in the Wisconsin WIC Program	Apr 2017 <sup>4</sup>
<mark>32,071</mark>	Monthly WIC enrollees: Milwaukee County	Apr 2017 <sup>5</sup>
<mark>\$41.23</mark>	Average WIC benefit for Wisconsin participants	2016 <sup>4</sup>

#### **Denotes new information**

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> United States Census Bureau. American Community Survey 2014 five-year estimates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development, numbers are not seasonally adjusted.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 3}$  United States Department of Health and Human Services.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 4}$  United States Department of Agriculture.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 5}$  Wisconsin Department of Health Services.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> 211 @ Impact

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Hunger Task Force internal data

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Food Research and Action Center

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Wisconsin Department of Health Services, FoodShare Employment and Training Program Data for time-limited benefits.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 10}$  Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. Dates correspond with 2015-2015 school year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Milwaukee Public School District