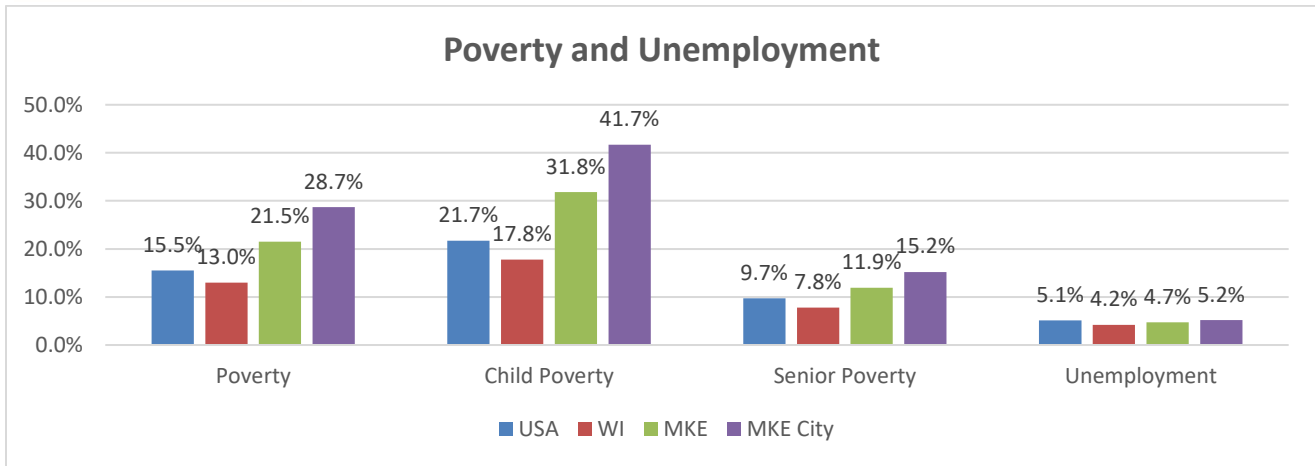




February 2017 QuickFacts



Poverty data from 2015 estimates;¹ Unemployment data from Jan 2017²

Poverty & Hunger

| Fact | Label | Date |
|------------------|---|---------------------------|
| \$24,600 or less | Poverty line for a family of four | Feb 2017 ³ |
| \$128.60 | The minimum cost to feed a family of four for a week | Feb 2017 ⁴ |
| \$106.27 | Average monthly FoodShare benefit per client in Wisconsin | Jan 2017 ⁵ |
| 32.2% | Total calls to 2-1-1 that were related to food needs | 2016 Summary ⁶ |

Emergency Food Distribution

| Fact | Label | Date |
|-----------|---|-----------------------------------|
| 9 million | Pounds of food distributed by Hunger Task Force in the past fiscal year | Oct 2015 - Sept 2016 ⁷ |
| 52 | Pantries served in the Hunger Task Force network | FY2016 ⁷ |
| 35,169 | Average monthly individuals visiting Hunger Task Force-affiliated food pantries | FY2016 ⁷ |
| 13,199 | Monthly household visits to Hunger Task Force-affiliated food pantries | Feb 2017 ⁷ |
| 11.9% | Change in pantry attendance from 12 months prior | 2016/2017 ⁷ |
| 70% | Pantry households using FoodShare | Feb 2017 ⁷ |
| 22 | Meal sites supported by Hunger Task Force deliveries | FY2016 ⁷ |
| 55,959 | Average monthly visits to Hunger Task Force-affiliated meal sites | FY2016 ⁷ |
| 39,093 | Monthly meals served at Hunger Task Force-affiliated meal sites | Feb 2017 ⁷ |
| 105 | Stockbox sites supported by Hunger Task Force | FY2016 ⁷ |
| 9,359 | Average monthly Stockboxes distributed by Hunger Task Force | FY2016 ⁷ |
| 9,145 | Monthly Stockboxes distributed by Hunger Task Force | Feb 2017 ⁷ |

FoodShare

| Fact | Label | Date |
|---------|--|------------------------|
| 718,272 | Average monthly FoodShare participation: Wisconsin | 2016 ⁵ |
| 702,811 | Monthly FoodShare participation: Wisconsin | Jan 2017 ⁵ |
| -5.13% | Change from 12 months prior | 2016/2017 ⁵ |
| 248,151 | Average monthly FoodShare participation: Milwaukee County | 2016 ⁵ |
| 244,027 | Monthly FoodShare participation: Milwaukee County | Jan 2017 ⁵ |
| -1.66% | Change from 12 months prior | 2016/2017 ⁵ |
| 34.72% | Wisconsin FoodShare recipients who live in Milwaukee County | Jan 2017 ⁵ |
| 43% | Share of Wisconsin FoodShare recipients under the age of 18 | Jan 2017 ⁵ |
| 25% | Wisconsinites on FoodShare who are either elderly, blind, or disabled | Jan 2017 ⁵ |
| 94% | Eligible residents of Milwaukee County who receive FoodShare | Jan 2011 ⁸ |
| 64,227 | FoodShare recipients in Wisconsin who were disenrolled due to FSET time limitations on benefits, July of 2015 to December of 2016 | Feb 2017 ⁹ |
| 31,605 | FoodShare recipients in Milwaukee County who were disenrolled due to FSET time limitations on benefits, July of 2015 to December of 2016 | Feb 2017 ⁹ |

Child Nutrition Programs

| Fact | Label | Date |
|---------|--|---------------------------|
| 34,007 | Average daily breakfast participation: Milwaukee Public Schools | 2015 - 2016 ¹⁰ |
| 80% | MPS students in low income households | 2016 - 2017 ¹¹ |
| 75,577 | MPS students eating free breakfast and lunch under Community Eligibility Provision | 2015 - 2016 ¹⁰ |
| 818,052 | Meals served to children through Kohl's Serving Up Supper for Kids | Summer 2015 ⁷ |
| 262,352 | Suppers served through Kohl's Serving Up Supper for Kids | Summer 2015 ⁷ |
| 167 | Open Summer Meals sites in Milwaukee County | Summer 2015 ⁷ |
| 99 | Summer Meals sites serving suppers | Summer 2015 ⁷ |
| 105,504 | Average Monthly participation in the Wisconsin WIC Program | FY2015 ⁵ |
| 69.2% | Eligible Wisconsin women and children that are receiving WIC | Jan 2013 ⁵ |
| 70.4% | Eligible Milwaukee County women and children that are receiving WIC | Jan 2013 ⁵ |

¹ United States Census Bureau. American Community Survey 2014 five-year estimates.

² Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development, numbers are not seasonally adjusted.

³ United States Department of Health and Human Services.

⁴ United States Department of Agriculture.

⁵ Wisconsin Department of Health Services.

⁶ 211 @ Impact

⁷ Hunger Task Force internal data

⁸ Food Research and Action Center

⁹ Wisconsin Department of Health Services, FoodShare Employment and Training Program Data for time-limited benefits.

¹⁰ Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction. Dates correspond with 2015-2015 school year.

¹¹ Milwaukee Public School District