

# FOODSHARE OVERVIEW

**Door County** 

**Door County SNAPshot** 





**FoodShare Recipients** 

2,041

People (April 2020) 7.4%

of the county population

Average Monthly Benefit Amount per Person: 2019

\$91.58

\$105.76 in Wisconsin \$129.96 for U.S. SNAP\*\*

Average Monthly Benefits Distributed throughout Door County, 2019

\$157,063

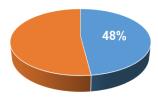
### What is FoodShare?

- ► FoodShare is the name of the Supplemental Nutritional Assistance Program (SNAP) in Wisconsin.
- This federally funded program enables hundreds of thousands of low-income adults, children, and seniors throughout the state with funds to purchase groceries.
- <sup>™</sup> FoodShare is the state's leading anti-hunger program.

## Who Uses FoodShare in Wisconsin?\*



**42%** of recipients are children.

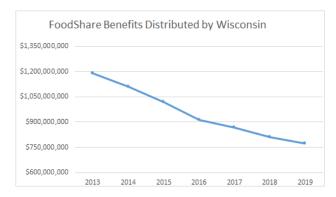


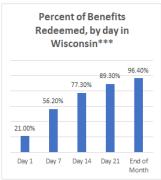
**48%** of families have at least one member who is elderly, blind or has disabilities.



**40%** of adult recipients are employed.

## FoodShare Benefits Distributed and Redeemed in Wisconsin





- \* From Wisconsin Department of Health Services. April 2020. FoodShare Program at a Glance.
- \*\* Based on the average benefit amount per person in Fiscal Year 2019.
- \*\*\* Cumulative percentages reported. Source: Department of Agriculture report, "Benefit Redemption Patterns in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program". April 2011.



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Median Individual Earnings

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\$31,638

40th out of 72 counties



Unemployment

20.0%

38.9% above the U.S. rate of 14.4%

Latest data available from April 2020.

## **Economic Impact**





**Economic Growth** 

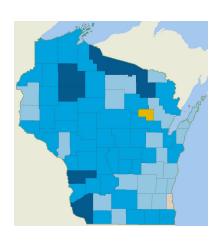
For every **\$1** in FoodShare benefits, an additional **\$1.70** is used in the **local** economy.

## Wisconsin Poverty by County

Percentage of Poverty



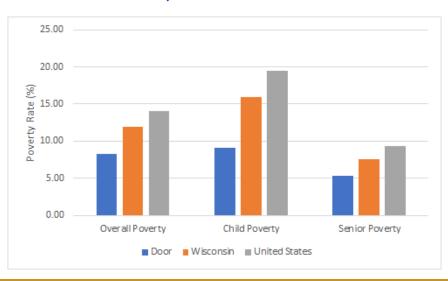
Door County: 8.3%



## **Door County Poverty**

- Door has a low level of poverty (8.3%), ranking it 10th out of 72 counties.
- Door has a low level of child poverty (9.1%), ranking it 10th out of 72 counties.
- Door has a low level of senior poverty (5.3%), ranking it 5th out of 72 counties.

## **Child and Senior Poverty**



#### Sources:

United States Census, 2013-2018 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates United States Department of Agriculture: Food and Nutrition Service United States Department of Labor: Employment & Training Institution

Wisconsin Department of Administration Wisconsin Department of Health Services Wisconsin Department of Workforce Development