

Table 1 Indicator 1. Percentage of the Population by Proportion of Income from TANF, SNAP, and/or SSI: 1993-2018

Year	0%	>0 to 25%	> 25% to 50%	> 50% to 75%	> 75% to 100%	Total > 50%
2018	79.7	14.0	2.7	1.0	2.6	3.6
2017	79.1	13.9	3.0	1.1	2.9	4.1
2016	78.0	14.4	3.2	1.2	3.1	4.4
2015	77.5	14.3	3.6	1.5	3.1	4.6
2014	77.3	14.1	3.7	1.4	3.5	4.9
2013	76.5	14.4	4.1	1.7	3.4	5.0
2012	76.4	14.3	4.2	1.7	3.4	5.1
2011	76.9	13.8	4.1	1.7	3.5	5.2
2010	77.3	13.2	4.2	1.7	3.6	5.3
2009	80.1	11.4	3.9	1.5	3.1	4.6
2008	82.9	10.3	2.8	1.1	2.8	4.0
2007	84.1	9.7	2.8	1.1	2.3	3.5
2006	84.4	9.3	2.6	1.1	2.6	3.7
2005	84.7	8.9	2.6	1.1	2.7	3.8
2004	85.0	8.8	2.5	1.1	2.5	3.7
2003	85.9	8.2	2.4	1.1	2.4	3.6
2002	86.8	7.8	2.3	1.0	2.1	3.2
2001	87.4	7.3	2.2	1.0	2.1	3.1
2000	87.5	7.3	2.2	1.0	2.0	3.0
1999	86.7	7.7	2.3	1.1	2.2	3.3
1998	86.5	7.3	2.5	1.3	2.5	3.8
1997	85.3	7.7	2.5	1.5	3.1	4.5
1996	84.0	7.8	3.1	1.9	3.3	5.2
1995	83.2	8.5	3.1	1.8	3.5	5.3
1994	82.8	8.4	3.1	1.8	4.0	5.8
1993	83.4	7.8	3.0	1.8	4.1	5.9

Note: Unit of analysis is persons. N= 324,356,000. Income from social welfare programs includes cash income from TANF through federally-funded and state-separate programs, SSI income and the value of SNAP benefits. Excluded are cash benefits from other programs, such as state-local "general assistance" or solely-state-funded programs providing benefits to families who previously would have received TANF in some states. Total >50% includes all persons with more than 50 percent of their total annual income from these programs.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 2 Indicator 1. Dependency and Reciprocity Rates, Where Dependency is the Percentage of the Population with More than 50 Percent of Income from TANF, SNAP and/or SSI; Reciprocity is Receipt of Any Income from TANF, SNAP or SSI: Selected Years

Dependency Rates										
	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018
All Persons	3.0	3.2	3.7	3.7	4.0	5.3	5.1	4.9	4.4	3.6
Age Categories										
Children 0 to 17	4.9	4.9	5.9	5.8	6.4	8.3	8.1	7.3	6.6	5.1
Adults 18 to 64	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.2	3.4	4.7	4.5	4.5	3.9	3.3
Adults 65 and older	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.9
Racial/Ethnic Categories										
Non-Hispanic White	1.9	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.4	3.2	3.1	3.3	2.9	2.5
Non-Hispanic Black	7.7	8.7	10.0	9.5	10.2	12.5	12.0	11.0	9.6	8.3
Hispanic	4.5	4.9	5.2	5.2	5.7	8.0	7.4	6.6	6.0	4.4
Family Categories										
Persons in:										
Married couple families	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.4	1.2
Single female families	11.4	11.7	13.8	13.2	13.4	16.4	15.8	14.5	13.4	10.5
Single male families	4.4	3.8	4.0	4.5	4.7	6.5	5.8	6.6	4.9	4.7

Reciprocity Rates										
	2000	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018
All Persons	12.5	13.2	15.0	15.6	17.1	22.7	23.6	22.7	22.0	20.3
Age Categories										
Children 0 to 17	17.8	18.7	22.0	23.1	25.8	34.4	35.7	33.9	32.5	30.6
Adults 18 to 64	10.7	11.7	13.1	13.6	14.9	20.2	21.2	20.6	20.0	18.2
Adults 65 and older	10.4	9.7	10.0	10.6	11.4	12.3	13.7	13.5	13.8	14.0
Racial/Ethnic Categories										
Non-Hispanic White	8.2	8.8	10.1	10.6	11.4	15.7	16.5	15.7	15.3	14.1
Non-Hispanic Black	27.0	27.7	32.4	32.0	34.1	40.7	41.2	39.6	37.3	35.0
Hispanic	21.0	21.7	22.6	23.8	27.6	36.9	37.2	35.9	34.5	30.5
Family Categories										
Persons in:										
Married couple families	7.2	7.5	8.6	8.9	9.9	15.0	15.4	14.3	14.2	13.0
Single female families	37.1	37.7	42.6	44.3	47.3	54.2	56.1	55.7	52.6	50.2
Single male families	21.8	21.2	21.9	25.8	27.3	34.3	37.3	34.7	34.3	35.8

Note: Unit of analysis is persons. N= 320,372,000 in 2016 and N= 324,356,000 in 2018. Dependency is defined as living in a family having more than 50 percent of total annual income from one or more of these programs. Dependency rates would be lower if adjusted to exclude TANF assistance associated with work. Reciprocity is defined as living in a family with receipt in any amount for AFDC/TANF, SSI or SNAP during the year. Spouses are not present in categories shown for families headed by men and families headed by women. Beginning in 2002, persons who reported more than one race are not shown under either race category. Due to small sample size, Asians and Native Hawaiians or Other Pacific Islanders as well as American Indians and Alaska Natives but are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements, 1994-2017 and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 3 Indicator 1. Percentage of Total Income from TANF, SNAP and/or SSI Programs by Selected Characteristics: 2018

	0%	>0 to 25%	> 25% to 50%	> 50% to 75%	> 75% to 100%	Total > 50%
All Persons	79.7	14.0	2.7	1.0	2.6	3.6
Age Categories						
Children ages 0-17	69.4	20.8	4.8	1.8	3.3	5.1
Adults ages 18 to 64	81.8	12.7	2.1	0.8	2.5	3.3
Adults ages 65 and over	86.0	9.2	2.0	0.8	2.0	2.9
Racial/Ethnic Categories						
Non-Hispanic White	85.9	10.0	1.6	0.6	1.8	2.5
Non-Hispanic Black	65.0	20.9	5.9	2.3	6.0	8.3
Hispanic	69.5	22.1	4.0	1.4	3.0	4.4
Family Categories						
Persons in married-couple families	87.0	10.5	1.4	0.4	0.8	1.2
Persons in single female families	49.8	30.4	9.4	3.4	7.0	10.5
Persons in single male families	64.2	26.5	4.5	1.8	2.9	4.7
Unrelated persons	83.9	8.8	1.4	0.8	5.1	6.0

Table 3 Indicator 1. Percentage of Total Income from TANF, SNAP and/or SSI Programs by Selected Characteristics: 2017

	0%	>0 to 25%	> 25% to 50%	> 50% to 75%	> 75% to 100%	Total > 50%
All Persons	79.1	13.9	3.0	1.1	2.9	4.1
Age Categories						
Children ages 0-17	68.1	20.4	5.5	2.1	3.9	6.0
Adults ages 18 to 64	81.3	12.7	2.4	0.9	2.8	3.7
Adults ages 65 and over	86.5	9.2	1.7	0.6	2.0	2.6
Racial/Ethnic Categories						
Non-Hispanic White	85.4	9.9	1.9	0.7	2.0	2.8
Non-Hispanic Black	65.0	19.8	6.1	2.4	6.7	9.1
Hispanic	67.6	22.6	4.6	1.6	3.6	5.2
Family Categories						
Persons in married-couple families	86.5	10.6	1.6	0.5	0.9	1.4
Persons in single female families	49.4	28.3	10.1	4.2	7.9	12.1
Persons in single male families	67.6	23.4	4.1	1.4	3.6	5.0
Unrelated persons	82.4	10.1	1.5	0.7	5.4	6.1

Note: Total >50% includes all persons with more than 50 percent of their total annual income from these programs. Income includes cash income from TANF, SSI and the value of SNAP benefits. Means-tested assistance includes TANF through federally-funded and state-separate programs, but does not include other cash benefits, such as state-local "general assistance" or solely-state-funded programs providing benefits to families who previously would have received TANF in some states. Beginning in 2002 persons who reported more than one race are included in the total for all persons but are not shown under either race category. Due to small sample size, American Indians/Alaska Natives, Asians and Native Hawaiians/Other Pacific Islanders are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 4 Indicator 2. Percentage of Recipients in Families with Labor Force Participants by Program and Selected Characteristics: 2018

	Total		Detail: Someone in Labor Force		
	Someone in the labor force	No one in the labor force	One or more looking, no one working	One or more part-time, no one full-time	At least one full-time
TANF All Persons	54.0	46.0	6.8	12.7	34.5
Non-Hispanic White	47.9	52.1	5.9	13.5	28.6
Non-Hispanic Black	47.4	52.6	7.4	10.9	29.1
Hispanic	62.5	37.5	6.6	14.3	41.7
Children ages 0-5	57.9	42.1	6.2	13.9	37.7
Children ages 0-17	53.8	46.2	6.4	12.5	34.8
Ages 18-54	55.0	45.0	7.8	13.3	33.9
Women ages 16-64	52.1	47.9	7.6	12.5	32.0
Men ages 16-64	59.9	40.1	5.7	16.2	38.0
Persons in married-couple families	69.8	30.2	3.3	13.1	53.4
Persons in single female families	46.5	53.5	7.2	13.1	26.2
Persons in single male families	67.8	32.2	11.8	8.9	47.1
SNAP All Persons	61.2	38.8	4.8	13.8	42.6
Non-Hispanic White	54.7	45.3	4.2	13.4	37.1
Non-Hispanic Black	58.6	41.4	6.4	14.8	37.4
Hispanic	73.3	26.7	4.8	13.4	55.1
Children ages 0-5	74.9	25.1	4.4	15.4	55.1
Children ages 0-17	75.1	24.9	4.6	15.6	54.9
Ages 18-54	58.4	41.6	5.7	14.1	38.6
Women ages 16-64	59.8	40.2	5.0	15.6	39.2
Men ages 16-64	59.0	41.0	6.5	12.6	39.8
Adults ages 65 and over	20.8	79.2	1.9	5.6	13.2
Persons in married-couple families	75.7	24.3	3.4	12.4	59.9
Persons in single female families	64.9	35.1	5.3	17.9	41.7
Persons in single male families	70.2	29.8	7.0	12.1	51.1
SSI All Persons	39.2	60.8	2.1	8.2	28.9
Non-Hispanic White	34.2	65.8	1.5	7.8	24.9
Non-Hispanic Black	36.1	63.9	3.7	8.0	24.3
Hispanic	50.0	50.0	2.4	9.7	37.8
Children ages 0-5	58.6	41.4	3.4	8.1	47.1
Children ages 0-17	62.1	37.9	4.7	13.4	44.0
Ages 18-54	34.5	65.5	2.0	7.7	24.8
Women ages 16-64	32.3	67.7	2.0	8.3	22.0
Men ages 16-64	37.7	62.3	1.9	7.5	28.3
Adults ages 65 and over	37.5	62.5	1.1	6.7	29.7
Persons in married-couple families	64.3	35.7	1.6	9.0	53.7
Persons in single female families	49.2	50.8	3.8	12.3	33.0
Persons in single male families	56.9	43.1	2.2	10.3	44.4

Note: Recipients are limited to those individuals or their family members directly receiving benefits in a month. The indicator measures, on an average monthly basis, the combination of individual benefit receipt and the labor force participation of any relative in the household in the same month. Full-time workers are those who usually worked 35 hours or more per week. Part-time workers usually worked less than 35 hours per week. "Looking for work" includes individuals who were unemployed, laid off and/or looking for work.

Source: Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2018 and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 4 (continued). Percentage of Recipients in Families with Labor Force Participants by Program and Selected Characteristics: 2017

	Total		Detail: Someone in Labor Force		
	Someone in the labor force	No one in the labor force	One or more looking, no one working	One or more part-time, no one full-time	At least one full-time
TANF All Persons	54.7	45.3	7.9	19.6	27.3
Non-Hispanic White	53.8	46.2	6.2	15.8	31.8
Non-Hispanic Black	50.0	50.0	11.1	19.5	19.3
Hispanic	57.4	42.6	7.3	21.6	28.6
Children ages 0-5	57.0	43.0	7.7	21.0	28.4
Children ages 0-17	54.9	45.1	7.4	19.2	28.3
Ages 18-54	54.2	45.8	9.3	20.6	24.3
Women ages 16-64	54.0	46.0	9.4	20.7	23.9
Men ages 16-64	48.4	51.6	7.4	17.9	23.1
Persons in married-couple families	65.0	35.0	3.9	17.7	43.3
Persons in single female families	51.0	49.0	9.0	20.8	21.2
Persons in single male families	60.5	39.5	9.8	14.9	35.8
SNAP All Persons	63.0	37.0	5.9	15.8	41.3
Non-Hispanic White	57.2	42.8	6.0	15.5	35.7
Non-Hispanic Black	59.9	40.1	6.9	16.3	36.6
Hispanic	74.3	25.7	4.8	15.7	53.7
Children ages 0-5	75.8	24.2	5.1	16.4	54.2
Children ages 0-17	75.3	24.7	5.1	17.2	53.0
Ages 18-54	60.0	40.0	7.1	16.3	36.5
Women ages 16-64	60.7	39.3	6.4	17.7	36.6
Men ages 16-64	61.0	39.0	7.8	15.1	38.1
Adults ages 65 and over	19.3	80.7	2.2	5.6	11.5
Persons in married-couple families	77.6	22.4	4.6	13.6	59.4
Persons in single female families	65.2	34.8	6.0	20.1	39.0
Persons in single male families	70.6	29.4	7.9	14.3	48.4
SSI All Persons	38.0	62.0	2.7	8.5	26.8
Non-Hispanic White	32.8	67.2	2.5	8.3	22.0
Non-Hispanic Black	34.4	65.6	3.1	7.9	23.4
Hispanic	49.8	50.2	2.5	9.7	37.5
Children ages 0-5	57.5	42.5	3.5	10.2	43.9
Children ages 0-17	57.2	42.8	4.7	12.6	40.0
Ages 18-54	34.1	65.9	2.9	8.1	23.2
Women ages 16-64	31.7	68.3	3.5	7.9	20.4
Men ages 16-64	37.6	62.4	2.3	8.7	26.6
Adults ages 65 and over	36.0	64.0	1.2	7.3	27.6
Persons in married-couple families	63.7	36.3	3.4	9.4	50.9
Persons in single female families	47.2	52.8	3.5	13.3	30.3
Persons in single male families	56.0	44.0	2.9	12.1	41.0

Note: Recipients are limited to those individuals or their family members directly receiving benefits in a month. The indicator measures, on an average monthly basis, the combination of individual benefit receipt and the labor force participation of any relative in the household in the same month. Full-time workers are those who usually worked 35 hours or more per week. Part-time workers usually worked less than 35 hours per week. "Looking for work" includes individuals who were unemployed, laid off and/or looking for work.

Source: Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2017 and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 5 Indicator 2. Percentage of AFDC/TANF Recipients in Families with Labor Force Participants: 1993-2018

Year	Total		Detail: Someone in Labor Force	
	Someone in the labor force	No one in the labor force	One or more part-time or looking for work, no one full-time	At least one full-time
2018	54.0	46.0	19.5	34.5
2017	58.3	41.7	30.2	28.1
2016	54.7	45.3	27.4	27.3
2015	54.6	45.4	29.1	25.5
2014	56.2	43.8	29.1	27.1
2013	58.8	41.2	31.9	27.0
2012	56.7	43.3	33.2	23.5
2011	59.0	41.0	35.2	23.8
2010	56.5	43.5	31.4	25.1
2009	56.7	43.3	30.7	26.0
2008	54.4	45.6	27.2	27.2
2007	53.6	46.4	23.4	30.2
2006	53.4	46.6	21.2	32.2
2005	52.3	47.7	25.4	26.9
2004	51.9	48.0	23.8	28.1
2003	52.6	47.4	24.1	28.5
2002	60.1	39.8	25.8	34.3
2001	61.3	38.7	26.0	35.3
2000	58.8	41.2	24.1	34.7
1999	59.2	40.8	24.1	35.1
1998	55.7	44.3	25.8	29.9
1997	52.4	47.6	28.0	24.4
1996	49.9	50.1	25.6	24.3
1995	49.4	50.6	24.3	25.1
1994	45.2	54.8	24.8	20.4
1993	43.0	57.0	24.2	18.8

Note: Recipients are limited to those individuals or any family member in the household directly receiving benefits in a month. Full-time workers are those who usually work 35 hours or more per week. Part-time labor force participation includes part-time workers and those who are unemployed, laid off or looking for work. This indicator measures, on an average monthly basis, the combination of individual benefit receipt and labor force participation by any family member in the same month.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 6 Indicator 3. AFDC-TANF Benefits as a Percentage of the Poverty Guideline in 2019 Dollars, Selected Years, 1981 to 2019

State	Monthly Benefit for a Family of Three (in 2019 dollars) ¹											
	Maximum Monthly Benefit as a % of 2019 Guideline						Maximum Monthly Benefit					
	1981	1988	1996	2010	2015	2019	1981	1988	1996	2010	2015	2019
Mississippi	15.2	14.6	11.0	11.2	10.3	9.6	\$270	\$259	\$196	\$199	\$183	\$170
Arkansas	25.5	24.8	18.7	13.5	12.4	11.5	453	441	332	239	220	204
Alabama	18.7	14.3	15.0	14.2	13.0	12.1	332	255	267	252	232	215
Louisiana	27.4	23.1	17.4	15.8	14.6	13.5	487	411	310	281	259	240
Kentucky	29.7	26.5	24.0	17.3	15.9	14.7	529	471	427	307	283	262
North Carolina	30.4	32.3	24.9	17.9	16.5	15.3	540	575	443	319	293	272
Tennessee	19.3	21.0	17.0	12.2	11.2	15.6	343	374	301	217	200	277
Arizona	32.0	35.6	31.8	18.3	16.8	15.6	568	633	565	326	299	278
Georgia	29.0	32.8	25.7	18.5	17.0	15.8	515	583	456	328	302	280
Indiana	40.3	35.0	26.4	19.0	17.5	16.2	717	622	469	338	311	288
Missouri	39.2	34.3	26.8	19.3	17.7	16.4	698	609	476	342	315	292
Oklahoma	44.6	37.7	28.1	19.3	17.7	16.4	793	670	500	342	315	292
South Carolina	20.4	24.4	18.3	17.8	16.8	16.4	363	434	326	317	299	292
Texas	18.7	22.4	17.2	17.1	17.1	16.6	332	398	306	305	303	295
Florida	30.9	33.4	27.8	20.0	18.4	17.0	548	594	494	355	327	303
Idaho	48.3	37.0	29.1	20.4	18.8	17.4	858	657	517	362	333	309
Dist of Col	42.1	38.8	31.0	27.4	20.5	19.0	748	689	551	488	365	338
West Virginia	32.6	30.3	23.2	22.4	20.6	21.0	579	538	412	399	367	374
Nevada	38.1	40.1	31.9	25.3	23.2	21.7	678	713	567	449	413	386
Pennsylvania	52.5	48.9	38.6	27.8	24.5	22.7	934	869	686	494	435	403
Iowa	57.0	47.9	39.1	28.1	25.9	24.0	1,013	851	694	499	460	426
Kansas	55.9	51.9	39.3	28.3	26.0	24.1	993	923	699	503	463	429
Virginia	49.1	43.0	32.5	25.7	23.6	24.9	872	765	577	456	420	442
New Mexico	34.8	32.1	35.7	29.5	23.1	25.1	619	571	634	524	410	447
Nebraska	55.4	44.3	33.4	24.0	22.1	26.3	984	787	593	427	393	468
North Dakota	52.8	45.1	39.5	28.2	29.5	27.3	939	802	702	501	524	486
Michigan	62.8	53.0	42.1	32.5	29.9	27.7	1,117	942	748	577	531	492
Ohio	41.6	37.6	31.3	28.6	28.7	28.0	740	668	556	509	510	497
Utah	55.1	45.7	39.1	32.8	30.2	28.0	979	813	694	584	537	498
Oregon	50.8	50.1	42.2	32.0	30.7	28.5	903	890	750	569	546	506
Colorado	60.0	43.3	32.6	30.5	28.0	28.6	1,066	769	580	542	498	508
Illinois	47.8	41.6	34.6	28.5	26.2	29.3	849	739	614	506	466	520
Minnesota	70.6	64.7	48.8	35.1	32.3	29.9	1,254	1,150	867	624	574	532
Rhodew Island	58.1	62.9	50.8	36.5	33.6	31.2	1,032	1,117	903	650	598	554
New Jersey	57.0	51.6	38.9	28.0	25.7	31.4	1,013	916	691	497	457	559
Washington	65.7	59.8	50.1	37.1	31.6	32.0	1,167	1,063	890	659	562	569
Montana	41.0	43.6	40.2	33.2	35.6	33.1	728	776	714	591	632	588
Maine	47.6	50.6	38.3	32.0	29.4	33.4	847	899	681	569	523	594
Connecticut	78.8	75.7	58.3	43.3	36.2	33.6	1,401	1,346	1,036	769	644	597
Wisconsin	70.3	62.9	47.4	44.4	36.9	34.2	1,249	1,117	842	789	656	608
Hawaii	64.4	54.4	56.7	35.0	32.2	29.8	1,316	1,113	1,160	715	658	610
South Dakota	50.8	44.5	39.4	36.6	36.3	34.6	903	791	701	651	646	615
Vermont	82.0	76.5	58.3	43.9	38.8	36.0	1,457	1,359	1,036	780	690	640
Delaware	45.3	46.1	38.0	28.2	26.3	36.1	804	819	676	502	468	642
Wyoming	49.8	43.8	33.0	37.0	39.6	39.2	886	778	587	658	703	697
Maryland	42.7	45.8	34.2	37.9	38.6	39.9	759	815	608	673	686	709
California	80.1	80.6	54.6	45.8	42.7	44.2	1,423	1,433	971	814	759	785
New York	67.9	65.5	52.9	49.7	47.9	44.4	1,207	1,165	940	883	851	789
Alaska	72.3	75.8	67.7	48.7	44.8	41.5	1,606	1,683	1,504	1,082	996	923
New Hampshire	51.6	60.3	50.4	44.5	41.0	60.0	917	1,072	896	791	728	1,066
Massachusetts	60.0	65.5	51.8	40.8	37.5	35.6	1,066	1,165	921	725	667	633

¹Adjusted for inflation using the CPI-U for all Urban Consumers.

Source: Committee on Ways and Means, U.S. House of Representatives. (2014). 2014 Green book: Background material and data on the programs within the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means (22nd ed.) and the Welfare Rules Database. July 2018. Maintained by the Urban Institute. Available at: <https://wrd.urban.org/wrd/databook.cfm>

Table 7. Indicator 3. Number and Percentage of the Total Population Receiving AFDC/TANF: 1975-2019

Fiscal Year	Total Recipients		Adult Recipients		Child Recipients	
	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent
2019	2,926	1.0	765	0.3	2,162	3.2
2018	3,216	1.0	845	0.3	2,371	3.2
2017	3,628	1.1	982	0.4	2,646	3.6
2016	3,860	1.2	1,066	0.4	2,794	3.8
2015	4,143	1.3	1,157	0.5	2,986	4.1
2014	3,856	1.2	946	0.4	2,910	4.0
2013	4,062	1.3	997	0.4	3,065	4.2
2012	4,432	1.4	1,110	0.5	3,322	4.5
2011	4,554	1.5	1,150	0.5	3,405	4.6
2010	4,531	1.5	1,138	0.5	3,393	4.6
2009	4,217	1.4	1,021	0.4	3,197	4.3
2008	3,949	1.3	927	0.4	3,022	4.1
2007	4,099	1.4	962	0.4	3,138	4.2
2006	4,699	1.6	1,164	0.5	3,535	4.8
2005	5,064	1.7	1,276	0.6	3,788	5.2
2004	5,316	1.8	1,358	0.6	3,957	5.4
2003	5,452	1.9	1,415	0.7	4,037	5.5
2002	5,576	1.9	1,477	0.7	4,099	5.6
2001	5,673	2.0	1,503	0.7	4,171	5.7
2000	6,218	2.2	1,687	0.8	4,531	6.3
1999	7,068	2.5	1,838	0.9	5,231	7.3
1998	8,653	3.1	2,469	1.2	6,184	8.7
1997	10,779	4.0	3,106	1.5	7,673	10.8
1996	12,477	4.6	3,921	2.0	8,556	12.2
1995	13,480	5.1	4,323	2.2	9,157	13.2
1994	14,033	5.3	4,554	2.3	9,479	13.8
1993	13,943	5.4	4,520	2.3	9,424	13.9
1992	13,423	5.2	4,335	2.3	9,087	13.7
1991	12,391	4.9	4,016	2.1	8,375	12.8
1990	11,263	4.5	3,643	2.0	7,620	11.9
1989	10,741	4.4	3,503	1.9	7,238	11.4
1988	10,734	4.4	3,536	2.0	7,198	11.4
1987	10,878	4.5	3,625	2.0	7,254	11.5
1986	10,810	4.5	3,637	2.1	7,173	11.4
1985	10,630	4.5	3,589	2.0	7,041	11.2
1984	10,677	4.5	3,652	2.1	7,025	11.2
1983	10,467	4.5	3,548	2.1	6,919	11.1
1982	10,233	4.4	3,396	2.0	6,838	10.9
1981	10,979	4.8	3,491	2.1	7,488	11.8
1980	10,422	4.6	3,225	2.0	7,197	11.3
1979	10,146	4.5	3,068	1.9	7,071	11.0
1978	10,485	4.7	3,128	2.0	7,357	11.4
1977	10,933	5.0	3,230	2.1	7,703	11.8
1976	11,171	5.1	3,271	2.2	7,900	11.9
1975	10,854	5.0	3,102	2.1	7,753	11.5

Note: TANF includes small worker supplements which began in a few states following the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (DRA) and expanded in recent years to support low-income families transitioning to employment. Beginning in 2000, TANF data include separate state program (SSP) recipients. The number of adult and child recipients in 1998 were 1999 are estimated using data from the National Emergency TANF Data Files. Recipients are expressed as the fiscal year average of monthly caseloads from administrative data, excluding recipients in the territories. Tribal TANF recipients also are excluded. Child recipients include a small number of dependents ages 18 and older who are students.

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Office of Family Assistance (www.acf.hhs.gov/ofa/resource/tanf-caseload-data-2018) Population denominators for the percentage of recipients in each category are from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Table 8 Indicator 3. Number and Percentage of the Total Population Receiving Food Stamp or SNAP benefits: 1984-2018

Fiscal Year	Persons in poverty		Recipients of Food Stamp or SNAP Benefits							
			Total		Age 60 and older		Ages 18 to 59		Ages 0 to 17	
	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent
2018	38,146	11.8	39,199	12.0	5,552	7.6	16,581	9.2	17,065	23.3
2017	39,564	12.3	41,420	12.7	5,440	7.7	17,984	9.9	17,995	24.5
2016	40,616	12.7	43,465	13.5	5,111	7.4	19,179	10.6	19,173	26.0
2015	43,123	13.5	45,111	14.1	4,793	7.2	20,465	11.3	19,852	27.0
2014	46,657	14.8	45,800	14.4	4,645	7.2	20,924	11.6	20,231	27.5
2013	46,269	14.8	47,027	14.9	4,359	6.9	21,819	12.1	20,850	28.3
2012	46,496	15.0	45,956	14.6	4,150	6.8	21,342	11.9	20,463	27.8
2011	46,247	15.0	44,086	14.1	3,765	6.4	20,430	11.4	19,892	26.9
2010	46,343	15.1	39,703	12.8	3,117	5.4	18,102	10.2	18,484	24.9
2009	43,569	14.3	32,842	10.7	2,724	4.7	16,181	9.1	15,589	21.0
2008	39,829	13.2	27,751	9.1	2,517	4.7	14,145	8.0	13,472	18.2
2007	37,276	12.5	25,887	8.6	2,263	4.3	13,030	7.5	12,695	17.2
2006	36,460	12.3	25,555	8.6	2,226	4.4	12,758	7.3	12,579	17.1
2005	36,950	12.6	24,841	8.4	2,044	4.1	10,390	6.0	12,404	16.9
2004	37,040	12.7	23,447	8.0	1,917	3.9	9,753	5.7	11,771	16.1
2003	35,861	12.5	20,898	7.2	1,786	3.7	8,503	5.0	10,605	14.5
2002	34,570	12.1	19,003	6.6	1,684	3.6	7,625	4.5	9,688	13.3
2001	32,907	11.7	17,262	6.1	1,658	3.6	6,778	4.1	8,820	12.1
2000	31,581	11.3	17,054	6.0	1,700	3.7	6,612	4.0	8,743	12.1
1999	32,791	11.9	18,114	6.5	1,696	3.7	7,079	4.4	9,332	13.0
1998	34,476	12.7	19,748	7.2	1,635	3.6	7,760	4.9	10,520	14.7
1997	35,574	13.3	22,820	8.4	1,831	4.1	9,373	6.0	11,847	16.7
1996	36,529	13.7	25,495	9.5	1,891	4.3	10,769	7.0	13,189	18.8
1995	36,425	13.8	26,579	10.0	1,920	4.4	11,105	7.3	13,860	20.0
1994	38,059	14.5	27,439	10.4	1,955	4.5	11,615	7.7	14,391	21.0
1993	39,265	15.1	26,957	10.4	1,876	4.3	11,214	7.5	14,196	21.0
1992	38,014	14.8	25,371	9.9	1,687	3.9	10,550	7.2	13,349	20.1
1991	35,708	14.2	22,599	8.9	1,593	3.8	9,190	6.3	11,952	18.3
1990	33,585	13.5	20,020	8.0	1,511	3.6	8,084	5.6	10,127	15.8
1989	31,528	12.8	18,777	7.6	1,582	3.8	7,560	5.3	9,429	14.9
1988	31,745	13.0	18,613	7.6	1,500	3.7	7,506	5.3	9,351	14.8
1987	32,221	13.4	19,072	7.9	1,589	3.9	7,684	5.5	9,771	15.5
1986	32,370	13.6	19,381	8.1	1,631	4.1	7,895	5.7	9,844	15.7
1985	33,064	14.0	19,847	8.3	1,783	4.5	8,258	6.1	9,801	15.7
1984	33,700	14.4	20,796	8.8	1,758	4.5	8,521	6.3	10,492	16.8

Note: Estimates are fiscal year averages using monthly caseload data from administrative records. Percentages are calculated based on population estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau. Recipient totals exclude the territories.

Source: Food and Nutrition Service (FNS), "Characteristics of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program Households" and the FNS National Data Bank. Poverty data is from the U.S. Census Bureau.

Table 9 Indicator 3. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). National Level Annual Summary (released July 10, 2020)

Fiscal Year	Average Participation in 1,000s	Avg Monthly Benefit Per Person	All Benefits ¹ (in millions)	Other costs ¹ (in millions)	Total Costs ¹ (in millions)
2019	35,703	\$130	\$55,622	\$4,744	60,366
2018	40,776	125	60,917	4,530	65,446
2017	42,317	125	63,711	4,464	68,175
2016	44,220	125	66,539	4,374	70,914
2015	45,767	127	69,645	4,301	73,946
2014	46,664	125	69,999	4,061	74,060
2013	47,636	133	76,066	3,793	79,859
2012	46,609	133	74,619	3,792	78,411
2011	44,709	134	71,811	3,876	75,687
2010	40,302	134	64,702	3,581	68,283
2009	33,490	125	50,360	3,260	53,620
2008	28,223	102	34,608	3,031	37,640
2007	26,316	96	30,373	2,800	33,174
2006	26,549	95	30,187	2,716	32,903
2005	25,628	93	28,568	2,504	31,072
2004	23,811	86	24,619	2,480	27,099
2003	21,250	84	21,404	2,412	23,816
2002	19,096	80	18,256	2,381	20,637
2001	17,318	75	15,547	2,242	17,789
2000	17,194	73	14,983	2,071	17,054
1999	18,183	72	15,769	2,052	17,821
1998	19,791	71	16,890	2,098	18,988
1997	22,858	71	19,549	1,959	21,508
1996	25,543	73	22,440	1,891	24,331
1995	26,619	71	22,764	1,856	24,620
1994	27,474	69	22,749	1,745	24,493
1993	26,987	68	22,006	1,647	23,653
1992	25,407	69	20,906	1,557	22,462
1991	22,625	64	17,316	1,432	18,747
1990	20,049	59	14,143	1,304	15,447
1989	18,806	52	11,670	1,232	12,902
1988	18,645	50	11,149	1,168	12,317
1987	19,113	46	10,500	1,104	11,604
1986	19,429	45	10,605	1,033	11,638
1985	19,899	45	10,744	960	11,703
1984	20,854	43	10,696	883	11,579
1983	21,625	43	11,152	695	11,847
1982	21,717	39	10,208	628	10,837
1981	22,430	39	10,630	595	11,225
1980	21,082	34	8,721	486	9,207

¹ Values are not adjusted for inflation. See also "The Effects of the Decline in the Real Value of SNAP Benefits from 2009 to 2011." Released August 2013 by the Economic Research Service. https://www.ers.usda.gov/webdocs/publications/err151/39326_err151.pdf

Source: USDA, Food and Nutrition Service, <https://www.fns.usda.gov/pd/supplemental-nutrition-assistance-program-snap>.

Table 10 Indicator 3. Number and Percentage of the Total Population Receiving SSI by Age: 1980-2019

Date	Total recipients		Adult ages 65 & older		Adults ages 18-64		Children ages 0-17	
	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent	Number in 1,000s	Percent
Dec 2019	8,077	2.5	2,298	4.2	4,647	2.3	1,132	1.6
Dec 2018	8,129	2.5	2,266	4.3	4,714	2.3	1,148	1.6
Dec 2017	8,228	2.5	2,240	4.3	4,805	2.4	1,183	1.6
Dec 2016	8,251	2.5	2,192	4.4	4,846	2.4	1,213	1.6
Dec 2015	8,310	2.6	2,154	4.4	4,889	2.4	1,267	1.7
Dec 2014	8,336	2.6	2,123	4.5	4,913	2.5	1,300	1.8
Dec 2013	8,363	2.6	2,108	4.6	4,934	2.5	1,322	1.8
Dec 2012	8,263	2.6	2,082	4.7	4,869	2.5	1,312	1.8
Dec 2011	8,113	2.6	2,059	4.9	4,777	2.4	1,277	1.7
Dec 2010	7,912	2.5	2,041	5.0	4,632	2.4	1,239	1.7
Dec 2009	7,677	2.5	2,026	5.1	4,451	2.3	1,200	1.6
Dec 2008	7,521	2.5	2,034	5.2	4,333	2.3	1,154	1.6
Dec 2007	7,360	2.4	2,017	5.3	4,222	2.2	1,121	1.5
Dec 2006	7,236	2.4	2,004	5.3	4,152	2.2	1,079	1.5
Dec 2005	7,114	2.4	1,995	5.4	4,083	2.2	1,036	1.4
Dec 2004	6,988	2.4	1,978	5.4	4,017	2.2	993	1.4
Dec 2003	6,902	2.4	1,990	5.5	3,953	2.2	959	1.3
Dec 2002	6,788	2.3	1,995	5.6	3,878	2.2	915	1.3
Dec 2001	6,688	2.3	1,995	5.6	3,811	2.1	882	1.2
Dec 2000	6,602	2.3	2,011	5.7	3,744	2.1	847	1.2
Dec 1999	6,557	2.3	2,019	5.8	3,691	2.1	847	1.2
Dec 1998	6,566	2.4	2,033	5.9	3,646	2.1	887	1.2
Dec 1997	6,495	2.4	2,054	6.0	3,562	2.1	880	1.2
Dec 1996	6,634	2.4	2,110	6.2	3,568	2.2	955	1.4
Dec 1995	6,514	2.4	2,115	6.2	3,482	2.1	917	1.3
Dec 1994	6,296	2.4	2,119	6.3	3,335	2.1	841	1.2
Dec 1993	5,984	2.3	2,113	6.4	3,148	2.0	723	1.1
Dec 1992	5,566	2.2	2,100	6.4	2,910	1.8	556	0.8
Dec 1991	5,118	2.0	2,080	6.5	2,642	1.7	397	0.6
Dec 1990	4,817	1.9	2,059	6.5	2,450	1.6	309	0.5
Dec 1989	4,593	1.9	2,026	6.5	2,302	1.5	265	0.4
Dec 1988	4,464	1.8	2,006	6.6	2,203	1.5	255	0.4
Dec 1987	4,385	1.8	2,015	6.8	2,119	1.4	251	0.4
Dec 1986	4,269	1.8	2,018	6.9	2,010	1.4	241	0.4
Dec 1985	4,138	1.7	2,031	7.1	1,879	1.3	227	0.4
Dec 1984	4,029	1.7	2,037	7.2	1,780	1.2	212	0.3
Dec 1983	3,901	1.7	2,003	7.3	1,700	1.2	198	0.3
Dec 1982	3,858	1.7	2,011	7.4	1,655	1.2	192	0.3
Dec 1981	4,019	1.7	2,121	8.0	1,703	1.2	195	0.3
Dec 1980	4,142	1.8	2,221	8.6	1,731	1.3	190	0.3

Note: Population denominators are the average of the U.S. Census Bureau's July 1 population estimates for the current and subsequent year.

Source: Social Security Administration, Office of Research, Evaluation and Statistics, Annual Statistical Supplement to the Social Security Bulletin, 2020.

Table 11 Indicator 4. Families in the 50 States and District of Columbia Receiving Standard Benefits in AFDC or TANF, Select Years from 1981 to 2018

Year	Participating Families (in millions)	Eligible Families (in millions)	Participation Rate (in percent)
2018	1.022	4.218	24.2
2017	1.112	4.536	24.5
2016	1.213	4.869	24.9
2015	1.326	5.038	26.3
2014	1.494	5.420	27.6
2013	1.632	5.315	30.7
2012	1.763	5.440	32.4
2011	1.877	5.538	33.9
2010	1.892	5.616	33.7
2009	1.809	5.596	32.3
2008	1.661	5.039	33.0
2007	1.709	4.745	36.0
2006	1.881	4.829	39.0
2005	2.039	5.047	40.4
2004	2.129	5.065	42.0
2003	2.151	4.711	45.7
2002	2.141	4.450	48.1
2001	2.157	4.493	48.0
2000	2.274	4.388	51.8
1999	2.581	4.938	52.3
1998	3.021	5.416	55.8
1997	3.690	5.334	69.2
1996	4.360	5.524	78.9
1995	4.673	5.543	84.3
1994	4.926	5.997	82.1
1993	4.904	6.006	81.7
1992	4.720	5.509	85.7
1990	4.043	4.918	82.2
1989	3.766	4.506	83.6
1988	3.671	4.680	78.4
1987	3.680	4.797	76.7
1985	3.635	4.583	79.3
1983	3.611	4.649	77.7
1981	3.615	4.508	80.2

Note: As programs have changed over time, reporting from HHS has changed for clarity. Prior editions of this book showed an estimate of all families eligible for any TANF cash assistance or small supplement. Beginning in 2017 the number participating excludes families eligible only for a supplemental benefit most typically valued at \$10 or \$20 a month. Most supplemental benefits are granted to families with children who receive SNAP but not TANF. Data on the full caseload can be obtained from the HHS Administration for Children and Families website at <<https://www.acf.hhs.gov/ofa/programs/tanf/data-reports>>.

TANF includes separate state programs (SSPs) funded with maintenance-of-effort dollars. However, cash welfare income from "general assistance" or solely-state-funded programs (SSFs) **do not** count as TANF. Units that receive only small "worker supplement" benefits are excluded beginning in 2017. TANF receipt in this tables **excludes** units in the U.S. territories, non-custodial parent units, pregnancy-only units, and units with no cash benefits.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 12 Indicator 4. Number and Percentage of Eligible Households Participating in SNAP by Year

Month or Year	Eligible households (in millions)	Participating households (in millions)	Participation Rate (in percent)
Fiscal Year 2018 (prel.)	20.1	17.6	83.7
Fiscal Year 2017	21.3	18.6	87.5
Fiscal Year 2016	22.0	19.6	89.0
Fiscal Year 2015	23.0	20.4	88.8
Fiscal Year 2014	23.4	20.6	88.1
Fiscal Year 2013	23.2	20.9	90.1
Fiscal Year 2012	23.2	20.2	87.2
Fiscal Year 2011	23.5	19.2	81.8
Fiscal Year 2010	23.3	17.4	74.6
Fiscal Year 2009	20.3	14.7	72.2
Fiscal Year 2008	18.0	12.3	68.4
Fiscal Year 2007	17.5	11.4	65.5
Fiscal Year 2006	17.1	11.2	65.3
Fiscal Year 2005	17.7	10.7	60.6
Fiscal Year 2004	17.5	10.0	57.1
Fiscal Year 2003	17.1	8.9	52.1
Fiscal Year 2002	16.7	8.0	47.6
Fiscal Year 2001	15.1	7.3	48.0
Fiscal Year 2000	14.2	7.1	50.2
Fiscal Year 1999	14.5	7.5	51.6
September 1998	14.0	7.6	54.2
September 1997	14.7	8.4	57.5
September 1996	15.3	9.9	65.1
September 1995	15.0	10.4	69.2
September 1994	15.3	10.7	69.6
August 1993	17.0	10.9	64.0
August 1992	16.6	10.2	61.6
August 1991	15.6	9.2	59.1
August 1990	14.5	8.0	54.9
August 1988	14.9	7.0	47.1
August 1986	15.3	7.1	46.5
August 1984	14.2	7.3	51.6
August 1982	14.5	7.5	51.5
August 1980	14.0	7.4	52.5
February 1978	14.0	5.3	37.8
September 1976	16.3	5.3	32.6

Notes: Estimates are monthly averages. The grey and white shaded areas of the table are methodologically consistent and comparable. FY 2010 to FY 2013 estimates should not be compared with any prior estimates. The following estimates are methodologically consistent: September 1976 to August 1994; September 1994 to September 1999; FY 1999 to FY 2001; FY 2002 to FY 2009; FY 2010 to FY 2013.

Source: FSP Program Operations data, FSPQC data, and the Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements.

Table 13 Indicator 4. Percentage of Eligible Adult Units Participating in the SSI Program by Selected Characteristics: 1993-2018

Year	One-Person Units			Couple Units
	Total Adults	Ages 65 and older	Disabled	Married couples
2018	61.2	52.2	71.3	28.2
2017	60.8	54.2	67.7	32.5
2016	58.2	51.4	64.9	31.6
2015	60.2	57.5	65.0	30.9
2014	58.9	53.6	65.0	31.4
2013	62.0	58.7	66.4	36.4
2012	64.1	58.1	69.9	37.5
2011	67.3	67.3	70.3	40.1
2010	65.1	65.8	67.4	41.5
2009	64.6	64.8	67.4	40.0
2008	65.6	67.3	68.0	39.8
2007	66.8	61.6	72.3	43.0
2006	68.8	69.1	72.5	39.9
2005	67.7	63.4	73.5	41.1
2004	65.7	63.3	69.2	46.0
2003	68.2	62.3	73.8	47.6
2002	70.4	61.9	78.3	47.9
2001	69.7	64.4	75.9	45.7
2000	75.8	70.9	82.3	49.9
1999	74.3	65.8	83.3	47.8
1998	70.7	63.6	77.9	48.1
1997	71.1	62.7	79.4	49.1
1996	66.6	60.4	73.5	46.7
1995	69.1	64.9	74.0	52.2
1994	65.0	58.4	73.0	43.9
1993	62.0	57.0	71.0	37.0

Errata: For 2013 through 2016, a coding error increased self-employment income beyond the eligibility limit for a subset of individuals and had the effect of over-estimating participation rates. Previously published rates for 2013, 2014, 2015, and 2016 were inflated by a minimum of 0.1 percentage point to a maximum of 0.4 percentage points. The current table presents corrected, updated participation rates for these years.

Note: Improvements to the survey have resulted in small changes to the methodology over time. The model was revised in 1997 and 1998 to more accurately exclude ineligible immigrants. In 2004 the method for identifying individuals eligible for SSI due to disability were improved. Unpublished tabulations from the Social Security Administration based on data from the Survey of Income and Program Participation suggest that the rate of SSI participation among eligible working-age adults was between 40 percent and 80 percent.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 14 Indicator 5. Percentage of the Total Population that Received Assistance from Multiple Means-Tested Programs: 1993-2018

Year	Any Receipt	Receipt from One Program			Receipt from Two Programs	
		AFDC/TANF	FS/SNAP	SSI	AFDC/TANF & SNAP	SNAP & SSI
2018	13.8	0.2	10.6	1.0	0.6	1.5
2017	14.9	0.2	11.5	1.0	0.7	1.5
2016	15.4	0.1	11.9	1.1	0.8	1.5
2015	16.2	0.1	12.6	1.1	0.9	1.5
2014	16.5	0.1	12.7	1.0	1.0	1.6
2013	17.0	0.1	13.2	1.0	1.1	1.6
2012	17.0	0.1	13.0	1.0	1.2	1.6
2011	16.8	0.2	12.7	1.0	1.3	1.6
2010	16.3	0.2	12.2	1.0	1.3	1.5
2009	13.5	0.2	9.6	1.1	1.3	1.4
2008	11.4	0.2	7.7	1.2	1.2	1.2
2007	10.6	0.2	6.8	1.3	1.2	1.2
2006	10.4	0.2	6.5	1.3	1.3	1.2
2005	10.2	0.2	6.2	1.3	1.5	1.2
2004	10.3	0.2	6.1	1.2	1.6	1.1
2003	9.7	0.2	5.5	1.3	1.6	1.0
2002	8.5	0.3	4.5	1.3	1.4	1.0
2001	8.1	0.3	3.9	1.4	1.5	1.0
2000	8.1	0.2	3.8	1.4	1.7	1.0
1999	8.5	0.4	3.8	1.3	2.0	1.0
1998	9.0	0.4	3.9	1.4	2.4	0.9
1997	10.2	0.4	4.3	1.3	3.1	1.0
1996	12.0	0.3	5.3	1.2	4.0	1.1
1995	12.3	0.4	5.0	1.2	4.5	1.1
1994	12.8	0.5	5.3	1.2	4.6	1.1
1993	12.6	0.6	5.2	1.1	4.8	1.0

Note: The percentage of individuals who received assistance from any one program in an average month (shown here) is lower than the percentage who received assistance at some point over the course of a year (shown in Table 1). Categories are mutually exclusive. AFDC/TANF and Food Stamps/SNAP receipt are based on the family or recipient unit while SSI receipt is based on individuals. The TRIM model did not accumulate individuals who received benefits from all three programs.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements and microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 15 Indicator 5. Percentage of Recipients Receiving Assistance from One Program or Multiple Programs in an Average Month Among TANF, SSI and SNAP by Selected Characteristics: 2018

	Any Receipt	One Program Only			Two Programs	
		TANF	SNAP	SSI	TANF & SNAP	SNAP & SSI
All Persons	13.8	0.2	10.6	1.0	0.6	1.5
Racial/Ethnic Categories						
Non-Hispanic White	9.7	0.1	7.5	0.8	0.2	1.1
Non-Hispanic Black	26.4	0.3	19.8	1.4	1.5	3.4
Hispanic	19.2	0.3	15.0	1.3	1.0	1.5
Age Categories						
Children ages 0-5	25.5	0.7	21.7	0.4	2.1	0.6
Children ages 6-10	25.5	0.5	21.3	0.8	1.8	1.0
Children ages 11-15	22.5	0.5	18.3	0.9	1.7	1.2
Women ages 16-64	12.9	0.1	10.0	0.8	0.5	1.5
Men ages 16-64	9.7	0.0	7.2	1.0	0.2	1.3
Adults ages 65 and over	10.4	0.0	6.1	2.2	0.0	2.3
Family Categories						
Persons in:						
Married couple families	7.6	0.1	6.2	0.6	0.2	0.5
Single female families	36.3	0.5	28.1	2.0	2.8	2.9
Single male families	22.5	0.3	17.2	1.9	1.0	2.1
Unrelated persons	13.6	0.0	9.1	1.3	0.0	3.2

Table 15 Indicator 5. Percentage of Recipients Receiving Assistance from One Program or Multiple Programs in an Average Month Among TANF, SSI and SNAP by Selected Characteristics: 2017

	Any Receipt	One Program Only			Two Programs	
		TANF	SNAP	SSI	TANF & SNAP	SNAP & SSI
All Persons	14.9	0.2	11.5	1.0	0.7	1.5
Racial/Ethnic Categories						
Non-Hispanic White	10.5	0.1	8.3	0.7	0.3	1.1
Non-Hispanic Black	27.1	0.3	20.5	1.5	1.4	3.5
Hispanic	21.4	0.4	16.8	1.5	1.4	1.4
Age Categories						
Children ages 0-5	28.6	0.5	24.5	0.6	2.6	0.5
Children ages 6-10	27.2	0.6	22.4	0.9	2.3	1.0
Children ages 11-15	24.6	0.5	19.9	1.1	1.9	1.1
Women ages 16-64	13.7	0.1	10.7	0.8	0.5	1.7
Men ages 16-64	10.6	0.1	8.1	1.0	0.2	1.3
Adults ages 65 and over	10.4	0.0	6.1	2.1	0.0	2.2
Family Categories						
Persons in:						
Married couple families	8.5	0.1	7.1	0.7	0.2	0.5
Single female families	38.0	0.4	29.2	2.1	3.3	3.0
Single male families	21.1	0.3	16.2	1.9	0.7	2.0
Unrelated persons	14.8	0.0	10.3	1.2	0.0	3.4

Note: Data is an average monthly percentage of the population. Categories are mutually exclusive. TANF and SNAP receipt are based on the family or recipient unit while SSI receipt is based on individuals. Individuals do not tend to receive both TANF and SSI; hence, no individual receives benefits from all three programs. The percentage of individuals receiving assistance from any one program in an average month (shown here) is lower than the percentage residing in families receiving assistance at some point over the course of a year shown in Table 2 Indicator 1.

Persons who reported more than one race are not included the race categories above. Due to small sample sizes, American Indians/Alaska Natives, Asians and Native Hawaiians/Other Pacific Islanders are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplement, 2017 and the microsimulation model TRIM3.

Table 16 Indicator 6. Months of Benefit Receipt for Recipients of TANF, SNAP, or SSI, 2015-2016

TANF

	<= 4 Months	5-12 Months	13-20 Months	>20 Months
All Recipients	13.7%	55.2%	8.7%	22.4%
White, non-Hispanic	13.3%	78.2%	2.0%	6.5%
Black, non-Hispanic	16.6%	50.4%	14.0%	19.1%
Hispanic	9.1%	45.6%	7.1%	38.2%
Children ages 0-5	17.5%	54.2%	9.6%	18.7%
Children ages 6-10	11.8%	49.9%	9.7%	28.6%
Children ages 11-15	6.6%	49.5%	9.1%	34.8%
Adults ages 16-24	13.6%	64.3%	8.0%	14.1%
Adults ages 25-64	18.3%	58.6%	7.2%	15.9%
Single parents	19.0%	60.5%	8.6%	11.8%
Single non-parents	13.1%	59.0%	7.9%	20.0%

SNAP

	<= 4 Months	5-12 Months	13-20 Months	>20 Months
All Recipients	8.5%	26.6%	13.2%	51.7%
White, non-Hispanic	10.8%	24.5%	13.4%	51.4%
Black, non-Hispanic	5.0%	23.3%	12.8%	58.8%
Hispanic	8.4%	30.8%	12.8%	48.0%
Children ages 0-5	6.3%	24.7%	15.4%	53.6%
Children ages 6-10	7.0%	23.6%	15.2%	54.2%
Children ages 11-15	6.8%	27.7%	14.2%	51.3%
Adults ages 16-24	8.7%	38.4%	16.2%	36.7%
Adults ages 25-64	9.9%	27.1%	12.2%	50.8%
Adults ages 65 and over	8.2%	12.9%	5.8%	73.1%
Single parents	6.3%	23.1%	14.6%	56.0%
Single non-parents	8.5%	24.4%	12.4%	54.7%

SSI

	<= 4 Months	5-12 Months	13-20 Months	>20 Months
All Recipients	4.2%	28.9%	8.2%	58.7%
White, non-Hispanic	4.4%	30.3%	6.9%	58.4%
Black, non-Hispanic	3.2%	26.3%	11.5%	59.0%
Hispanic	5.5%	33.4%	8.6%	52.5%
Children ages 0-5	7.9%	32.0%	13.9%	46.2%
Children ages 6-10	1.2%	42.3%	2.8%	53.7%
Children ages 11-15	1.6%	34.5%	14.3%	49.6%
Adults ages 16-24	2.7%	34.8%	10.2%	52.3%
Adults ages 25-64	4.9%	27.8%	8.1%	59.2%
Adults ages 65 and over	3.9%	23.3%	5.3%	67.5%
Single parents	1.6%	36.9%	4.9%	56.6%
Single non-parents	3.1%	24.1%	8.4%	64.4%

Note: Unit of analysis is individuals. The sample is limited to those who received TANF, SNAP, or SSI benefits for at least one month during the analysis period and continued to participate in the survey.

Source: Survey of Income and Program Participation, 2015 and 2016

Table 17 Indicator 7. Percentage Employed at Any Time During the Year for Adults Ages 18-65 with a High School Degree or Less Education by Sex and Race and Ethnicity, 1975-2019

Year	Women			Men		
	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic
2019	62.0	61.4	59.5	76.4	62.9	82.9
2018	60.5	59.4	57.0	76.4	62.3	81.9
2017	60.0	58.2	56.3	75.8	61.6	81.1
2016	60.6	58.3	55.8	75.6	61.9	81.3
2015	60.6	57.6	55.5	75.8	60.2	80.8
2014	59.8	56.4	54.5	74.6	58.2	80.7
2013	60.7	60.0	53.9	74.9	56.7	82.1
2012	61.4	55.0	54.3	74.6	57.8	79.7
2011	61.0	55.9	54.7	74.4	57.3	78.4
2010	61.2	55.5	53.7	74.4	57.8	78.3
2009	63.4	57.1	55.6	76.7	60.0	80.1
2008	65.6	61.3	57.2	79.0	64.5	83.6
2007	66.1	62.4	56.0	80.3	65.8	85.6
2006	66.5	63.2	56.8	80.6	65.6	86.4
2005	66.3	63.3	56.1	80.7	66.3	85.6
2004	66.3	62.9	56.1	80.8	66.7	84.9
2003	66.9	65.2	56.9	81.1	65.7	84.6
2002	69.5	64.4	57.5	82.5	67.3	85.1
2001	69.8	64.8	59.2	83.4	69.9	85.5
2000	70.6	67.7	61.0	84.7	72.7	86.4
1999	71.4	68.4	58.8	84.5	72.0	86.4
1998	70.4	67.1	57.1	85.3	71.8	85.5
1997	69.9	66.6	56.9	85.3	72.0	85.0
1996	70.2	64.1	55.4	85.9	70.3	84.0
1995	69.6	60.1	53.9	85.9	70.1	83.3
1994	69.0	60.9	53.3	85.0	69.1	83.2
1993	68.6	60.0	52.2	84.6	71.2	83.5
1992	67.8	57.8	53.3	85.7	71.5	83.7
1991	68.3	61.0	54.6	86.4	73.9	85.0
1990	68.5	60.7	55.0	87.7	75.6	85.4
1989	68.8	61.1	55.8	87.7	75.3	86.6
1988	68.0	61.4	54.6	86.3	74.0	87.8
1987	67.3	59.9	54.0	86.7	73.9	85.6
1986	66.8	61.0	54.0	86.4	74.3	86.5
1985	66.0	59.4	52.9	86.1	74.6	83.9
1984	65.0	58.9	54.0	86.5	71.9	83.9
1983	63.5	55.3	51.7	84.8	70.2	85.2
1982	62.7	56.6	51.1	85.6	71.1	85.3
1981	64.0	57.5	53.0	87.4	74.5	87.6
1980	64.1	57.6	53.7	88.0	75.2	86.8
1979	62.9	58.9	55.0	88.5	78.7	89.4
1977	61.4	57.6	52.2	88.3	78.1	89.2
1975	58.3	57.2	49.7	88.2	78.8	86.2

Note: Data include both full and partial year employment for the given calendar year. Beginning in 2002 race groups include only persons who reported a single race. Due to small sample size, American Indians/Alaska Natives, Asians and Native Hawaiians/Other Pacific Islanders are not shown separately. Hispanic persons may be of any race.

Source: The Current Population Survey, Annual Social and Economic Supplements.

Table 18 IND 8. Percentage of Persons in Official Poverty by Age and Family Type: 1980 to 2019

Calendar Year	Total	Ages 0-5	Ages 6-17	Under 18	18 to 64	65 & over	In married-couple families	In single female families
2019	10.5	15.6	13.9	14.4	9.4	8.9	4.6	24.3
2018	11.8	17.4	15.7	16.2	10.7	9.7	5.4	26.8
2017	12.3	19.3	16.6	17.4	11.1	9.6	5.7	28.5
2016	12.7	19.7	17.2	18.0	11.6	8.8	5.8	28.8
2015	13.5	21.3	19.0	19.7	12.4	8.8	6.4	30.4
2014	14.8	23.9	19.8	21.1	13.5	10.0	7.2	33.1
2013	14.8	24.1	20.3	21.5	13.3	10.2	6.7	34.4
2012	15.0	24.8	20.4	21.8	13.7	9.1	7.5	33.9
2011	15.0	25.0	20.4	21.9	13.7	8.7	7.4	34.2
2010	15.1	25.8	20.2	22.0	13.8	8.9	7.7	34.3
2009	14.3	24.3	18.9	20.7	12.9	8.9	7.2	32.5
2008	13.2	21.7	17.6	19.0	11.7	9.7	6.7	31.4
2007	12.5	21.1	16.5	18.0	10.9	9.7	5.8	30.7
2006	12.3	20.3	16.0	17.4	10.8	9.4	5.7	30.5
2005	12.6	20.2	16.3	17.6	11.1	10.1	5.9	31.1
2004	12.7	20.3	16.6	17.8	11.3	9.8	6.4	30.5
2003	12.5	20.1	16.4	17.6	10.8	10.2	6.2	30.0
2002	12.1	18.8	15.7	16.7	10.6	10.4	6.1	28.8
2001	11.7	18.4	15.3	16.3	10.1	10.1	5.7	28.6
2000	11.3	18.3	15.2	16.2	9.6	9.9	5.5	27.9
1999	11.9	18.7	16.4	17.1	10.1	9.7	5.9	30.5
1998	12.7	21.0	17.8	18.9	10.5	10.5	6.2	33.1
1997	13.3	22.0	18.8	19.9	10.9	10.5	6.4	35.1
1996	13.7	23.2	19.1	20.5	11.4	10.8	6.9	35.8
1995	13.8	24.1	19.1	20.8	11.4	10.5	6.8	36.5
1994	14.5	25.1	20.1	21.8	11.9	11.7	7.4	38.6
1993	15.1	26.2	20.8	22.7	12.4	12.2	8.0	38.7
1992	14.8	26.4	20.1	22.3	11.9	12.9	7.7	38.5
1991	14.2	24.6	20.2	21.8	11.4	12.4	7.2	39.7
1990	13.5	23.6	19.0	20.6	10.7	12.2	6.9	37.2
1989	12.8	22.5	18.1	19.6	10.2	11.4	6.7	35.9
1988	13.0	22.3	18.1	19.5	10.5	12.0	6.6	37.2
1987	13.4	22.6	19.1	20.3	10.6	12.5	7.2	38.1
1986	13.6	22.2	19.6	20.5	10.8	12.4	7.3	38.3
1985	14.0	23.0	19.5	20.7	11.3	12.6	8.2	37.6
1984	14.4	24.0	20.2	21.5	11.7	12.4	8.5	38.4
1983	15.2	25.0	21.0	22.3	12.4	13.8	9.3	40.2
1982	15.0	23.8	20.9	21.9	12.0	14.6	9.1	40.6
1981	14.0	22.4	18.9	20.0	11.1	15.3	8.1	38.7
1980	13.0	20.7	17.3	18.3	10.1	15.7	7.4	36.7

Note: Universe is the civilian non-institutionalized population living in the United States. Individuals ages 0-14 are excluded if not related to the householder. Members of the Armed Forces are included if at least one civilian adult lives in the household.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, "Income, Poverty, and Health Insurance Coverage in the United States: 2019," Current Population Reports.

Table 19 Indicator 9. Percentage of Households Classified Food Security Status: 1998-2019

Year	Food secure	Low food security	Very low food security	Total not food secure	HHolds with children not food secure
2019	89.5	6.4	4.1	10.5	13.6
2018	88.9	6.8	4.3	11.1	13.9
2017	88.2	7.3	4.5	11.8	15.7
2016	87.7	7.4	4.9	12.3	16.5
2015	87.3	7.7	5.0	12.7	16.6
2014	86.0	8.4	5.6	14.0	19.2
2013	85.7	8.7	5.6	14.3	19.5
2012	85.5	8.8	5.7	14.5	20.0
2011	85.1	9.2	5.7	14.9	20.6
2010	85.5	9.1	5.4	14.5	20.2
2009	85.3	9.0	5.7	14.7	21.3
2008	85.4	8.9	5.7	14.6	21.0
2007	88.9	7.0	4.1	11.1	15.8
2006	89.1	6.9	4.0	10.9	15.6
2005	89.0	7.1	3.9	11.0	15.6
2004	88.1	8.0	3.9	11.9	17.6
2003	88.8	7.7	3.5	11.2	16.7
2002	88.9	7.6	3.5	11.1	16.5
2001	89.3	7.4	3.3	10.7	16.1
2000	89.5	7.3	3.1	10.5	16.2
1999	89.9	7.1	3.0	10.1	14.8
1998	88.2	8.1	3.7	11.8	17.6

Note: Food secure households have consistent, dependable access to enough food for active, healthy living. Households with low food security had difficulty at some time during the year providing enough food for all their members due to a lack of resources. Households with very low food security experienced reduced food intake for some household members and the disruption of normal eating patterns due lack of money and other resources.

Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, Household Food Security in the United States in 2019, Economic Research Report No. 275, September 2020. Data are from the Current Population Survey, Food Security Supplement.

Table 20 Indicator 9. Percentage of Households Classified by Food Security Status and Selected Characteristics: 2019

	Food secure	Total not food secure	Low food security	Very low food security
All Households	89.5	10.5	6.4	4.1
Racial/Ethnic Categories				
Non-Hispanic White	92.1	7.9	4.6	3.3
Non-Hispanic Black	80.9	19.2	11.5	7.6
Hispanic	84.4	15.6	10.7	4.9
Age Categories				
Households with children under 6	85.5	14.5	10.8	3.7
Households with children under 18	86.4	13.6	9.7	3.9
Households with elderly	92.8	7.2	4.6	2.6
Family Categories				
Married-couple households with children	92.5	7.5	6.1	1.4
Single female, family households with children	71.3	28.7	19.1	9.6
Single male, family households with children	84.6	15.4	9.5	5.9
Household Income-to-Poverty Ratio				
Under 1.00	65.1	34.9	19.4	15.5
Under 1.30	67.0	33.0	18.9	14.1
Under 1.85	72.4	27.6	16.4	11.2
1.85 and over	94.9	5.1	3.4	1.7

Table 20 (continued). Percentage of Households Classified by Food Security Status and Selected Characteristics: 2018

	Food secure	Total not food secure	Low food security	Very low food security
All Households	88.9	11.1	6.8	4.3
Racial/Ethnic Categories				
Non-Hispanic White	91.9	8.1	4.9	3.2
Non-Hispanic Black	78.8	21.2	12.1	9.1
Hispanic	83.8	16.2	11.1	5.1
Age Categories				
Households with children under 6	85.7	14.3	10.5	3.8
Households with children under 18	86.1	13.9	9.9	4.0
Households with elderly	92.5	7.5	4.9	2.6
Family Categories				
Married-couple households with children	91.7	8.3	6.6	1.7
Single female, family households with children	72.2	27.8	18.4	9.4
Single male, family households with children	84.1	15.9	10.6	5.3
Household Income-to-Poverty Ratio				
Under 1.00	64.7	35.3	19.4	15.9
Under 1.30	66.9	33.1	18.7	14.4
Under 1.85	70.9	29.1	17.1	12.0
1.85 and over	94.6	5.4	3.5	1.9

Note: Unit of analysis is households. For 2019 n=129,621,000 total households; n=37,614,000 households with children; n=16,115,000 household with children under 6. Food secure households have consistent, dependable access to enough food for active, healthy living. Households with low food security had difficulty at some time during the year providing enough food for all their members due to a lack of resources. Households with very low food security experienced reduced food intake for some household members and the disruption of normal eating patterns due lack of money and other resources.

Source: *Household Food Security in the United States, 2020*; Current Population Survey, Food Security Supplement, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service. <<https://www.ers.usda.gov/publications/pub-details/?pubid=99281>>

Table 21 Indicator 10. Births Per 1,000 Unmarried Teenage Women by Age, Race, and Ethnicity: 1975-2018

Year	Ages 15 to 17				Ages 18 and 19			
	All Races	White	Black	Hispanic	All Races	White	Black	Hispanic
2019	6.6	3.7	11.3	11.3	28.3	19.3	46.2	41.5
2018	7.1	4.0	12.0	12.2	29.2	20.3	46.1	43.4
2017	7.7	4.4	12.6	13.3	31.4	22.1	48.7	47.0
2016	8.6	5.0	13.9	15.1	33.5	23.5	51.2	51.2
2015	9.6	8.8	15.4	16.6	36.5	34.3	55.8	55.7
2014	10.6	9.7	16.7	18.6	39.4	36.4	60.9	59.5
2013	11.9	10.8	19.0	21.1	42.1	38.6	66.2	63.0
2012	13.7	12.4	22.0	24.5	45.8	41.4	73.2	68.5
2011	14.9	13.4	24.7	27.0	48.2	43.4	77.4	71.7
2010	16.8	15.1	27.6	30.8	52.0	46.9	83.6	79.8
2009	19.3	16.9	32.6	35.3	58.2	51.1	96.8	90.9
2008	20.6	18.0	35.5	39.4	61.9	54.2	104.4	101.1
2007	20.8	18.0	36.3	40.6	63.9	55.9	109.1	109.2
2006	20.4	17.4	36.6	40.5	61.8	53.9	107.8	110.2
2005	19.7	16.8	35.4	40.3	58.4	50.9	101.6	103.9
2004	20.1	17.1	37.0	41.2	57.7	50.4	100.9	102.9
2003	20.3	17.2	38.1	41.1	57.6	50.4	100.4	101.2
2002	20.8	17.5	39.9	41.9	58.6	51.0	104.1	100.7
2001	22.0	18.1	43.8	43.4	60.6	52.1	110.2	101.1
2000	23.9	19.7	48.3	47.0	62.2	53.1	115.0	102.2
1999	25.0	20.7	50.0	48.7	62.3	52.9	115.8	99.9
1998	26.5	21.5	55.0	49.8	63.6	53.1	121.5	101.2
1997	27.7	22.0	59.0	50.7	63.9	52.9	124.8	100.6
1996	28.5	22.3	62.6	49.7	64.9	53.5	127.2	102.3
1995	30.1	23.3	67.4	52.8	66.5	54.7	129.2	108.6
1994	31.7	23.9	73.9	55.7	69.1	55.8	139.6	115.4
1993	30.3	21.9	75.9	49.6	66.2	52.0	140.0	108.8
1992	30.2	21.5	77.2	49.2	66.7	51.2	146.4	106.6
1991	30.8	21.7	79.9	49.5	65.4	49.4	147.7	107.5
1990	29.6	20.4	78.8	45.9	60.7	44.9	143.7	98.9
1989	28.7	19.3	78.9	—	56.0	40.2	140.9	—
1988	26.4	17.6	73.5	—	51.5	36.8	130.5	—
1987	24.5	16.2	69.9	—	48.9	34.5	123.0	—
1986	22.8	14.9	67.0	—	48.0	33.5	121.1	—
1985	22.4	14.5	66.8	—	45.9	31.2	117.9	—
1984	21.9	13.7	66.5	—	42.5	27.9	113.6	—
1983	22.0	13.6	66.8	—	40.7	26.4	111.9	—
1982	21.5	13.1	66.3	—	39.6	25.3	112.7	—
1981	20.9	12.6	65.9	—	39.0	24.6	114.2	—
1980	20.6	12.0	68.8	—	39.0	24.1	118.2	—
1979	19.9	10.8	71.0	—	37.2	21.0	123.3	—
1978	19.1	10.3	68.8	—	35.1	19.3	119.6	—
1977	19.8	10.5	73.0	—	34.6	18.7	121.7	—
1976	19.0	9.7	73.5	—	32.1	16.9	117.9	—
1975	19.3	9.6	76.8	—	32.5	16.5	123.8	—

Note: Data are tabulated by the race and ethnic origin of the mother.

Source: National Center for Health Statistics, “Nonmarital Childbearing in the United States, 1940-1999,” *National Vital Statistics Reports*, Vol. 48 (16), 2000; “Births: Final Data for 2019,” *National Vital Statistics Reports*, forthcoming.