

Michigan

Demographics, Poverty and Food Insecurity

Population (2005)	
Total People	9,865,583
Children (Under Age 18)	2,512,663
Income and Poverty (2005)	
Median Household Income (2005)	\$46,039
Rank Among States	22
Total People Living In Poverty	1,299,688
Poverty Rate	13.2%
Rank Among States (Highest to Lowest)	23
Children (Under Age 18) Living In Poverty	459,304
Child Poverty Rate	18.5%
Rank Among States (Highest to Lowest)	22
Total People Living Below 185% of Federal Poverty Level	2,574,791
Food Insecurity Among Households (2003-2005, 3-Year Averages)	
Number of Households that are Food Insecure	456,000
Percent of Households that are Food Insecure	11.5%
Number of Households that are Very-Low Food Secure	162,000
Percent of Households that are Very-Low Food Secure	4.1%

Federal Nutrition Programs

School Breakfast Program (School Year 2005-2006)	
Average Daily Student Participation	234,034
Free and Reduced-Price Students	191,659
Paid Students	42,375
Change in Free and Reduced-Price Participation in Last 10 Years	70.4%
Free/Reduced-Price Student Participation Rate (Compared to School Lunch Participation)	40.1
Rank Among States	34
Additional Free and Reduced-Priced Children Served if Reached Participation Rate of 60%	95,097
Additional Federal Dollars State Would Receive if Reached Participation Rate of 60%	\$19,922,292
Number of Schools Participating	3,029
School Participation Rate (Compared to Number of Schools Serving Lunch)	76.8%
Federal Reimbursement for School Breakfast	\$46,825,022
School Breakfast Mandate in State Law (Yes/No)	Yes
National School Lunch Program (School Year 2005-2006)	
Average Daily Student Participation	883,873
Free and Reduced-Price Students	477,927
Paid Students	405,946
Number of Schools Participating	3,942
Federal Reimbursement for School Lunch	\$185,070,326
Summer Nutrition Participation (July 2005)	
Average Daily Summer Nutrition Participation in July	49,781
July Summer Food Service Participation	38,267
July National School Lunch Participation in Free and Reduced-Price Lunch	11,514
Change in Average Daily Summer Nutrition Participation in Last 10 Years	-23.9%
Low-Income Participation Rate (Compared to Regular Year Free and Reduced-Price School Lunch)	11.5
Rank Among States	39
Additional Low-Income Children Served if Participation Rate Reached 40%	122,639
Additional Federal Dollars State Would Receive if Participation Rate Reached 40%	\$6,610,222
Number of Summer Food Service Sponsors	105
Number of Summer Food Service Sites	748
Federal Funding for Summer Food Service Program	\$3,682,963

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Food Stamp Program (FY 2006)	
Average Monthly Number of Individuals Participating	1,133,793
Change in Participation in Last 5 Years	76.8%
Average Monthly Benefit per Person	\$91.05
Proportion of Eligible Persons Who Were Participating (FY 2004)	66%
Rank Among States	17
Participation Rate of Eligible Working Poor (FY 2004)	67%
Federal Funding for Food Stamps	\$1,238,787,643
Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC) (FY 2006)	
Average Monthly Number of Participants	229,770
Women	55,229
Infants	54,200
Children	120,341
Change in Last 10 Years (Total Participation)	8.2%
Federal Funding for WIC	\$136,804,083
Child and Adult Care Food Program (FY 2006)	
Number of Participating Family Child Care Homes	6,617
Family Child Care Home Average Daily Participation of Children	33,448
Change in Family Child Care Daily Participation in Last 10 Years	-6.4%
Number of Participating Child Care Centers (Includes Head Start)	999
Child Care Center Average Daily Participation of Children (Includes Head Start)	37,536
Change in Center Daily Participation in Last 10 Years	5.9%
Federal Funding for CACFP	\$46,368,493
The Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) (FY 2006)	
Federal Entitlement Funding	\$4,763,679
Federal Bonus Commodity Funding	\$1,449,490
Administrative Funding	\$2,233,289
Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) (FY 2006)	
Average Monthly Participation	80,147
Federal Funding for CSFP	\$16,629,380

State Economic Security Policies

Minimum Wage (2006)	
State Minimum Wage	\$6.95 (Oct. 1, 2006)
Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) (2006)	
State EITC (Yes/No)	Beginning 2008
Refundable (Yes/No)	Yes
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) (FY 2005)	
Average Monthly Number of Participants (2005)	214,776
Adults	57,557
Children	157,219
Maximum Monthly Benefit per 3-Person Family (FY 2004)	\$459
Federal and State Funding for Cash Assistance	\$411,966,196