



Map the Meal Gap 2016:

Overall Food Insecurity in Alaska by County in 2014¹



County	Population	Food Insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Likely Income Eligibility for Federal Nutrition Assistance ²		
				% below 130% poverty <small>SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEFAP</small>	% between 130% and 185% poverty <small>WIC, reduced price school meals</small>	% above 185% poverty <small>Charitable Response</small>
Aleutians East Borough	3,296	14.3%	470	64%	36%	0%
Aleutians West Census Area	5,650	14.6%	830	47%	27%	26%
Anchorage Municipality	298,178	12.7%	37,940	39%	18%	43%
Bethel Census Area	17,576	21.8%	3,820	71%	22%	7%
Bristol Bay Borough	995	14.0%	140	29%	9%	62%
Denali Borough	2,048	14.9%	310	40%	14%	46%
Dillingham Census Area	4,956	17.8%	880	66%	27%	8%
Fairbanks North Star Borough	99,319	13.4%	13,300	35%	18%	46%
Haines Borough	2,557	15.3%	390	38%	32%	31%
Hoonah-Angoon Census Area	2,126	20.2%	430	51%	20%	29%
Juneau City and Borough	32,200	11.3%	3,650	32%	12%	56%
Kenai Peninsula Borough	56,687	13.3%	7,530	43%	18%	39%
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	13,676	15.2%	2,080	43%	14%	44%
Kodiak Island Borough	13,924	13.0%	1,810	44%	17%	39%
Lake and Peninsula Borough	1,490	20.5%	300	59%	25%	16%
Matanuska-Susitna Borough	93,843	12.9%	12,110	45%	16%	39%
Nome Census Area	9,792	21.3%	2,090	76%	19%	5%
North Slope Borough	9,618	14.5%	1,400	44%	13%	43%
Northwest Arctic Borough	7,672	22.5%	1,730	65%	21%	14%
Petersburg Borough	3,212	14.7%	470	45%	13%	43%
Prince of Wales-Hyder Census Area	6,356	18.2%	1,160	52%	23%	25%
Sitka City and Borough	8,957	12.8%	1,150	37%	11%	52%
Skagway Municipality	996	15.9%	160	18%	15%	67%
Southeast Fairbanks Census Area	7,044	17.2%	1,210	49%	29%	22%
Valdez-Cordova Census Area	9,685	13.5%	1,300	52%	6%	42%
Wade Hampton Census Area	7,778	26.7%	2,080	85%	15%	0%
Wrangell City and Borough	2,383	14.8%	350	45%	21%	34%
Yakutat City and Borough	635	16.5%	100	30%	26%	44%
Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area	5,651	23.1%	1,300	64%	22%	14%
State Total⁶	736,732	14.4%	105,770	44.5%	15.1%	40.4%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap.

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¹Map the Meal Gap's food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2014 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2014 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, homeownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2014 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure individuals living in households with incomes within the income bands indicated. Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds which can vary by state.

⁶Population and food insecurity data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state. All data in the state totals row pertaining to the cost of food or the "Meal Gap" reflect state-level data and are not aggregations of either counties or congressional districts.