

Poverty 2012

Robertson County

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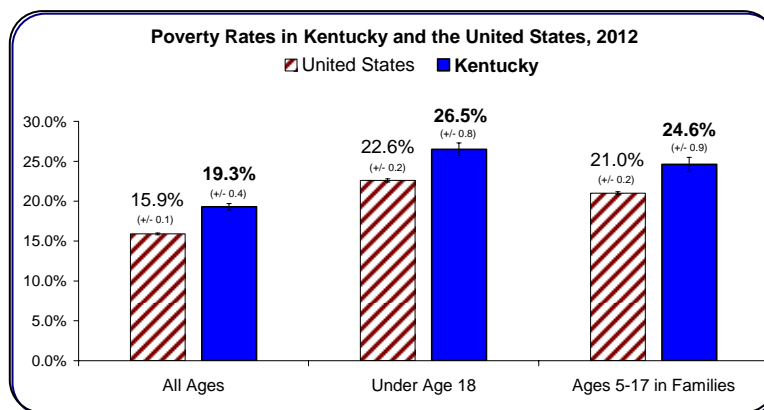
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	County		State	
	Estimate	MOE	Estimate	MOE
Poverty Rate, All Ages	23.8%	(+/-) 5.1	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	506	(+/-) 109	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	35.4%	(+/-) 8.0	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	143	(+/-) 32	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	31.6%	(+/-) 7.4	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	97	(+/-) 23	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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Rockcastle County

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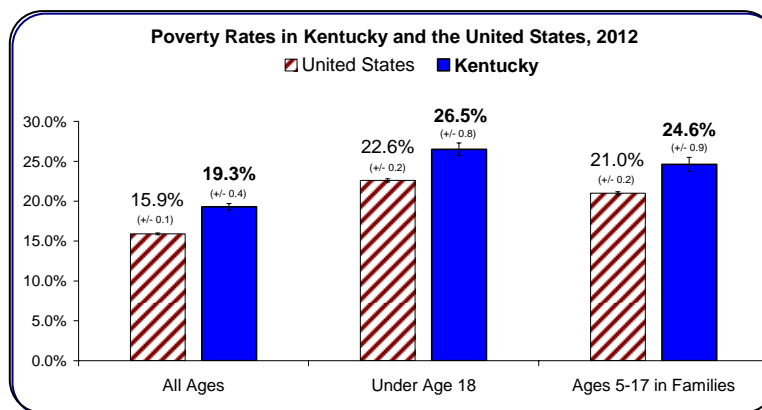
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	27.7%	(+/-) 4.5	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	4,611	(+/-) 745	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	36.5%	(+/-) 7.3	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,389	(+/-) 277	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	32.5%	(+/-) 7.0	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	933	(+/-) 201	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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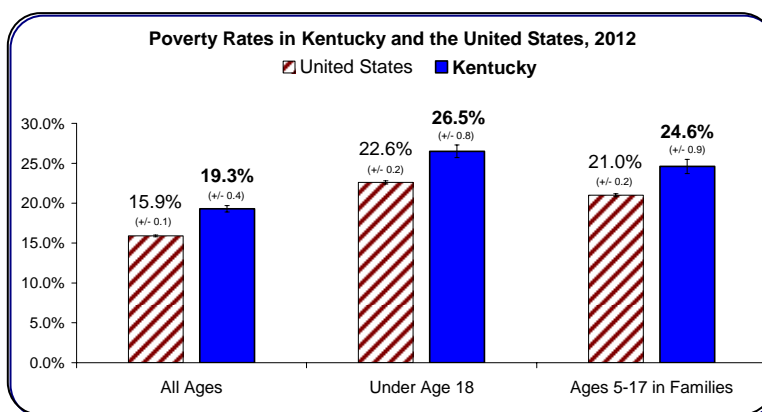
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	28.2%	(+/-) 4.7	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	5,900	(+/-) 979	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	32.6%	(+/-) 6.4	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,425	(+/-) 281	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	30.8%	(+/-) 6.5	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	939	(+/-) 197	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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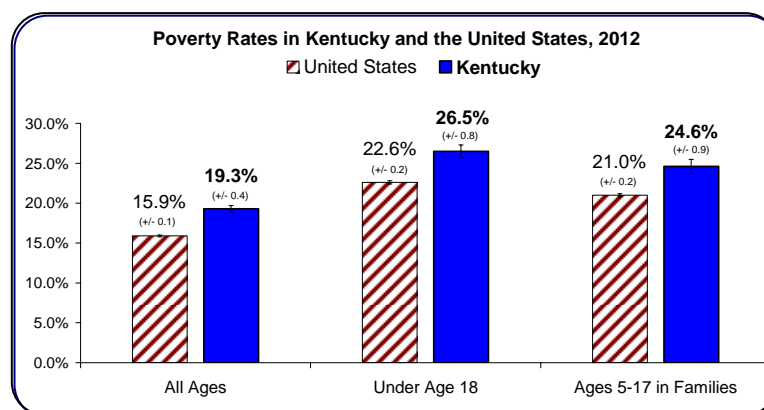
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	28.0%	(+/-) 4.4	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	4,824	(+/-) 752	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	39.5%	(+/-) 7.6	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,482	(+/-) 286	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	37.1%	(+/-) 8.0	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	977	(+/-) 210	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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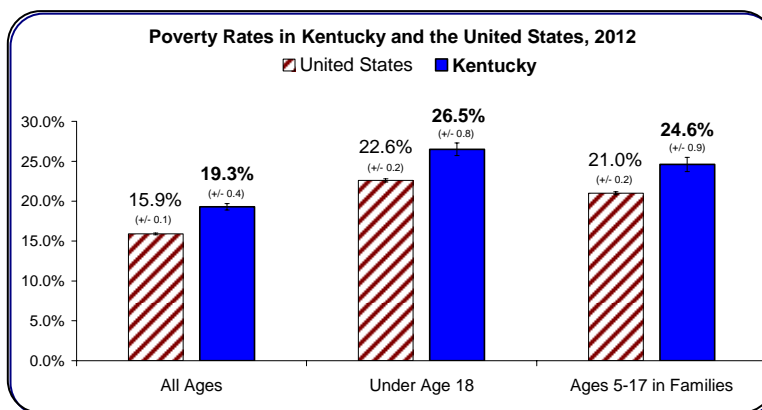
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Number Below Poverty, All Ages	5,176	(+/-) 901	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	15.6%	(+/-) 3.4	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,968	(+/-) 433	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	14.5%	(+/-) 3.2	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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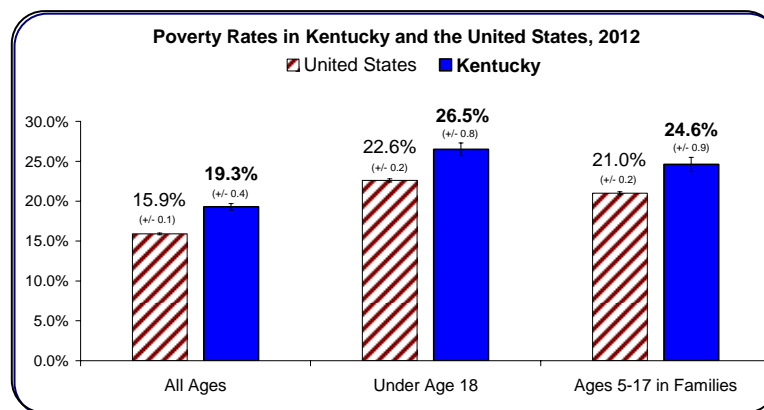
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Number Below Poverty, All Ages	5,576	(+/-) 997	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	18.5%	(+/-) 3.9	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,963	(+/-) 415	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	17.0%	(+/-) 3.7	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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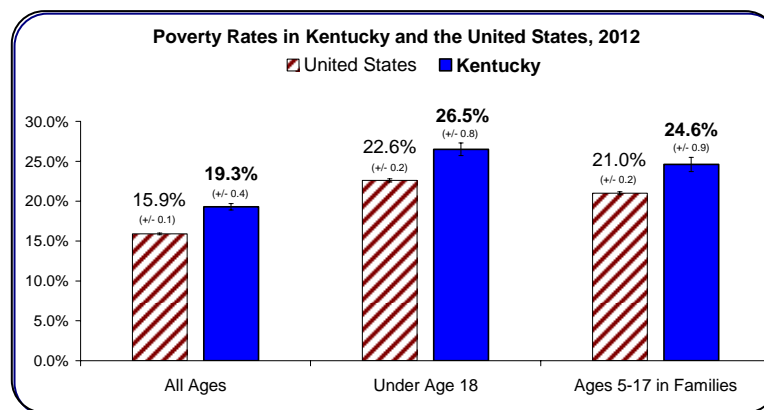
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Number Below Poverty, All Ages	3,090	(+/-) 550	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	26.8%	(+/-) 5.6	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,116	(+/-) 234	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	24.5%	(+/-) 5.7	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	743	(+/-) 172	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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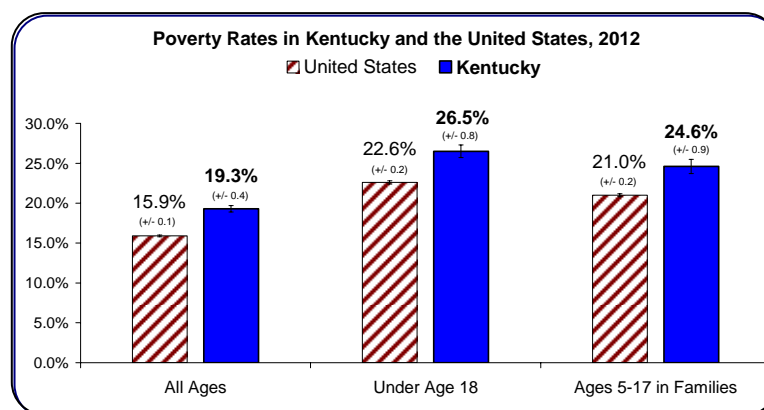
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Number Below Poverty, All Ages	1,705	(+/-) 331	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	14.0%	(+/-) 3.2	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	599	(+/-) 135	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	12.3%	(+/-) 2.9	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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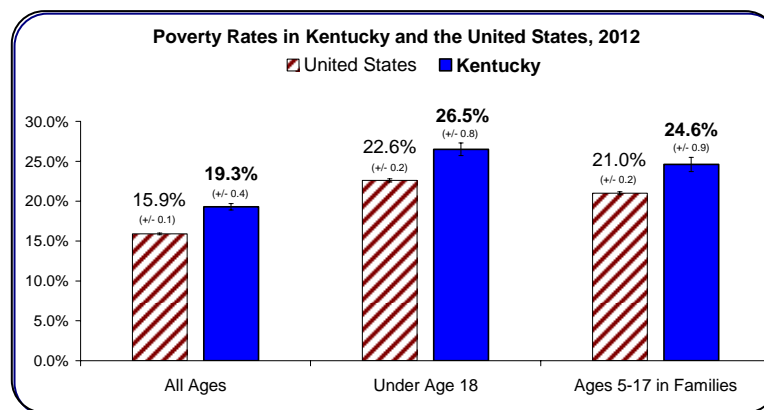
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Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,690	(+/-) 374	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
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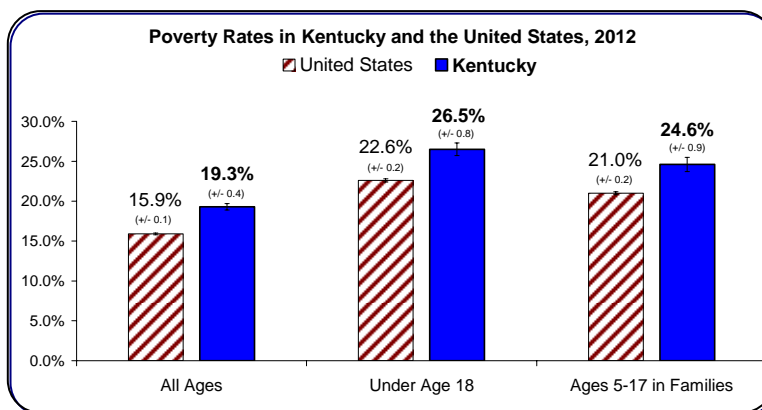
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	21.1%	(+/-) 4.1	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	2,615	(+/-) 507	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	32.2%	(+/-) 7.1	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,079	(+/-) 240	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	30.3%	(+/-) 7.0	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	740	(+/-) 170	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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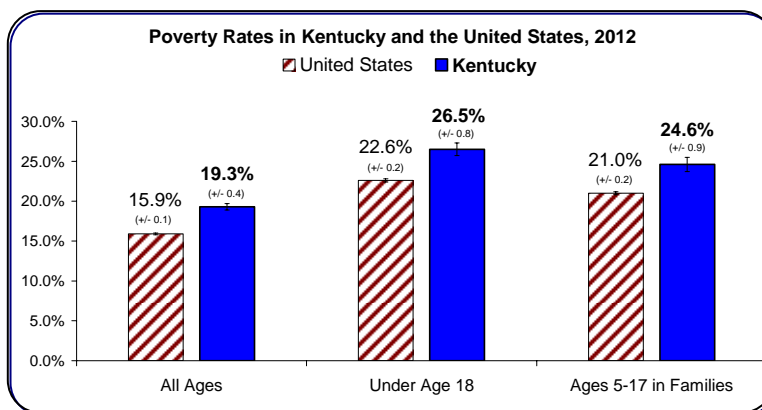
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	Estimate	MOE	Estimate	MOE
Poverty Rate, All Ages	16.8%	(+/-) 3.3	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	2,414	(+/-) 476	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	27.3%	(+/-) 5.8	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	857	(+/-) 181	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	25.4%	(+/-) 5.5	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	591	(+/-) 128	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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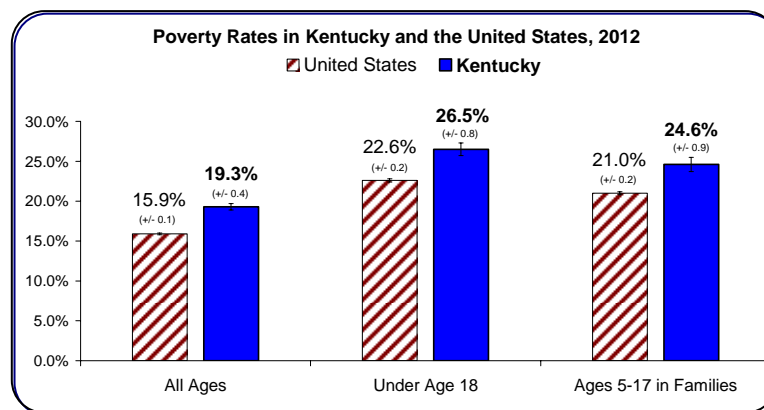
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	Estimate	MOE	Estimate	MOE
Poverty Rate, All Ages	17.8%	(+/-) 3.2	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	1,544	(+/-) 279	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	22.8%	(+/-) 5.0	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	476	(+/-) 105	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	20.9%	(+/-) 4.9	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	326	(+/-) 76	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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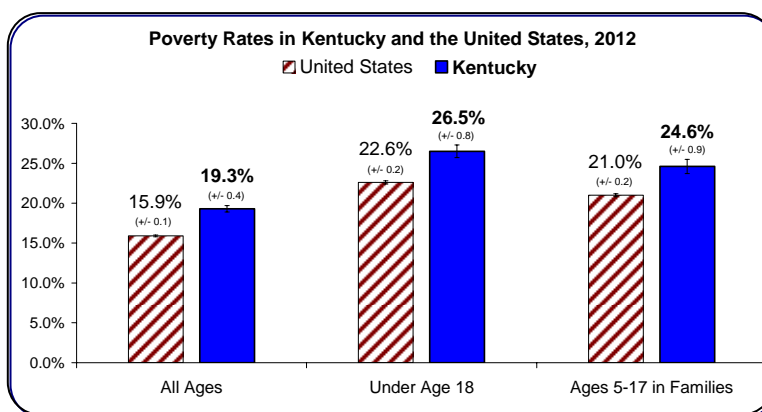
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	20.4%	(+/-) 3.1	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	2,981	(+/-) 452	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	25.4%	(+/-) 5.2	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	828	(+/-) 169	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	22.9%	(+/-) 4.8	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	537	(+/-) 113	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



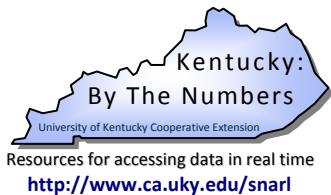
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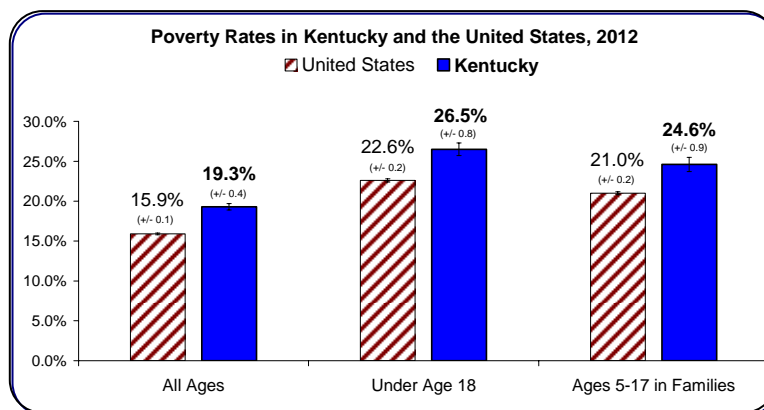
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	19.8%	(+/-) 2.2	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	21,952	(+/-) 2,430	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	25.8%	(+/-) 3.9	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	6,628	(+/-) 1,005	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	23.0%	(+/-) 4.3	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	4,230	(+/-) 791	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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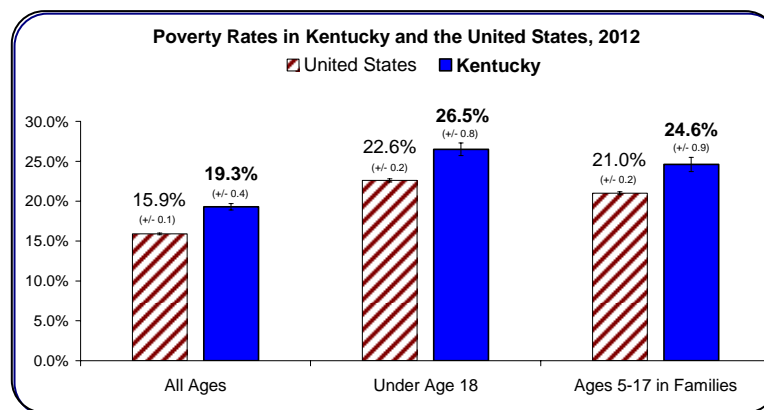
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	16.9%	(+/-) 3.3	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	1,936	(+/-) 378	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	23.6%	(+/-) 5.3	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	629	(+/-) 140	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	21.8%	(+/-) 5.2	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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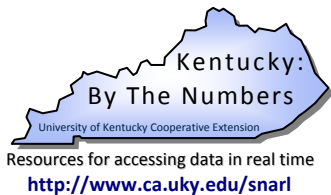
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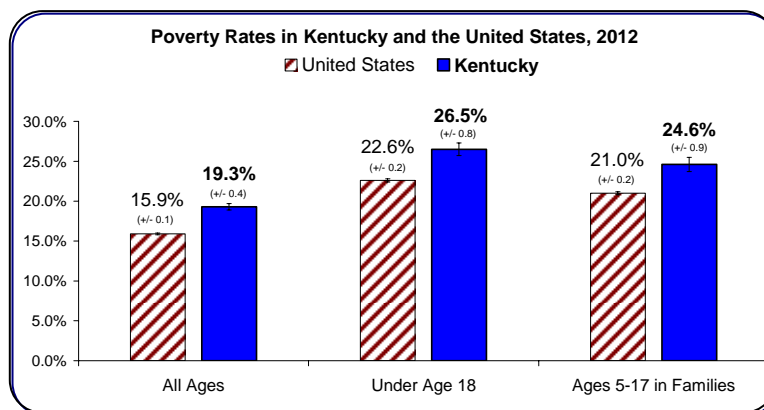
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	26.9%	(+/-) 4.7	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	5,492	(+/-) 968	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	38.0%	(+/-) 8.1	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	1,710	(+/-) 363	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	35.8%	(+/-) 7.7	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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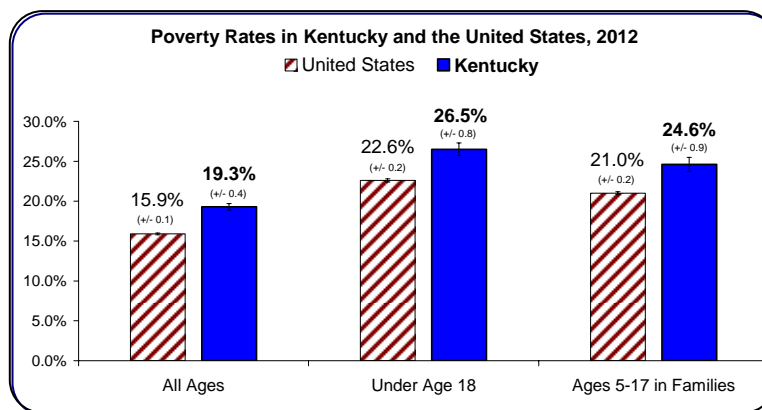
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	15.5%	(+/-) 3.2	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	2,034	(+/-) 416	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	23.4%	(+/-) 5.3	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	728	(+/-) 164	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	23.2%	(+/-) 5.4	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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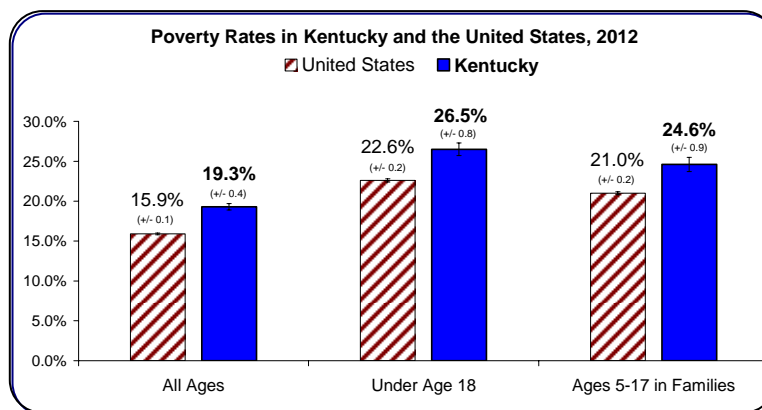
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Number Below Poverty, All Ages	10,076	(+/-) 1,567	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	42.7%	(+/-) 7.4	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	3,557	(+/-) 613	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	39.5%	(+/-) 7.3	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
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Poverty 2012

Wolfe County

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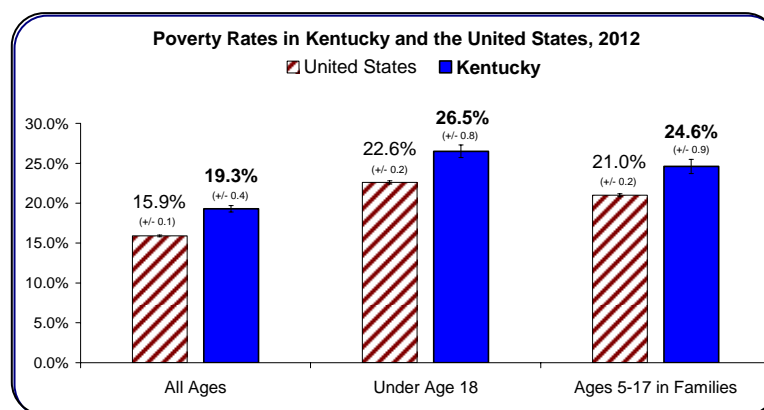
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	36.6%	(+/-) 6.4	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	2,568	(+/-) 452	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	49.9%	(+/-) 10.7	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	837	(+/-) 179	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	45.8%	(+/-) 10.4	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	560	(+/-) 128	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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Poverty 2012

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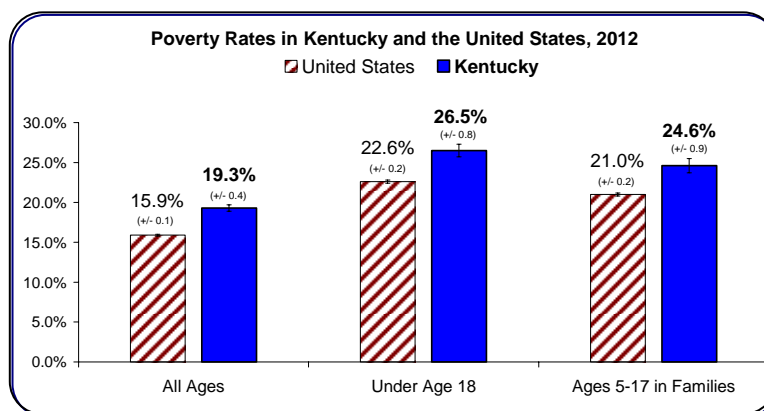
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Poverty Rate, All Ages	10.5%	(+/-) 2.0	19.3%	(+/-) 0.4
Number Below Poverty, All Ages	2,585	(+/-) 497	821,067	(+/-) 15,075
Poverty Rate, Under Age 18	16.4%	(+/-) 3.7	26.5%	(+/-) 0.8
Number Below Poverty, Under Age 18	934	(+/-) 212	263,744	(+/-) 7,758
Poverty Rate, Ages 5-17 in Families	14.6%	(+/-) 3.4	24.6%	(+/-) 0.9
Number Below Poverty, Ages 5-17 in Families	628	(+/-) 148	176,603	(+/-) 6,704



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