

Menifee County Data Profile

Menifee County's Data Profile is provided by the Kentucky: By The Numbers program in the Department of Community and Leadership Development for the Community Assessments conducted by the University of Kentucky's Cooperative Extension Service. These secondary data profiles supplement the survey, focus groups, and key informant interviews conducted in each county across the state through the County Extension Offices and coordinated by Community and Economic Development Initiative of Kentucky (CEDIK).

The overall goals for the Community Assessments are:

- To gain a better understanding of the county's pressing issues;
- To enhance Extension's place-based approach by providing information on locally relevant issues in counties;
- To gain a better understanding of how Extension can support important community change to improve Kentucky;
- To provide a statewide view of how top issues are distributed across the state.

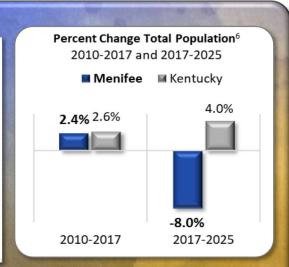
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County Demographics

Other and 2 or more races

Hispanic

Population	<u>2010</u> ¹	<u>2017</u> ²	<u>2025</u> ³
Total	6,306	6,455	5,940
Ages 65 and over	1,005		1,460
	<u> </u>	2010-2017 ⁴	
Net Migration (in/out)		172	
Race/Ethnicity	2010 ¹		2016 ⁵
White	6,068		6,072
Black or African American	112		167
Asian	7		9



From 2010 to 2017, the total population in Menifee County increased by 149 people.²

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- Between April 2010 and June 2017, there was an estimated net in migration of 172 people.⁴
- In 2016, the composition of Menifee County's population is estimated to be **94.8%** White, **2.6%** Black/African American, **0.1%** Asian, **1.3%** other and 2 or more races, and **1.2%** Hispanic.⁵

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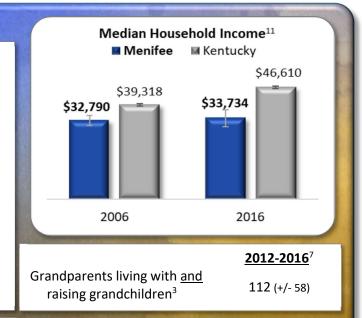
- From 2017 to 2025, the total population in Menifee County is projected to decrease by -515 people.³
- As baby boomers are entering retirement, between 2010 and 2025 the population ages 65 and over in Menifee County are **projected** to **increase** by **45.3%** compared to 51.9% for the state as a whole.³



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Families and Households

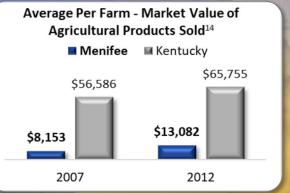
Families	<u>2010</u> ¹	2012-2016 ⁷
Married couple		
with own children	454	388 (+/- 83)
Female householder		
with own children	114	203 (+/- 71)
Male householder		
with own children	66	50 (+/- 31)
Nonfamily households		
(live alone/unrelated)	716	787 (+/- 132)
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Poverty		2012-2016 ⁷
Percent of families with re children who are below		37.8% (+/- 8.8%)
Percent 65 and over below	v poverty	17.0% (+/- 6.3%)



- In 2016, Menifee County's official poverty rate was **24.1%** (18.4% 29.8%), compared to 18.2% (17.9% 18.6%) for the state as a whole.⁸
- In 2017, there were **2** child care centers in Menifee County. Of these **1** were STARS certified.⁹
- Between 2012-2016, 1.6% (+/-1.0%) of people ages 5 and over spoke a language other than English at home.
- The Urban Institute estimates that **12%** people in Menifee County with a credit bureau record in 2016 had student loan debt compared to 16% for the state. 10

Agriculture (Data from the 2017 Ag Census will be available in 2019)

Farms* Total number of farms	2007 ¹² 331	2012 ¹³ 294
Percent of land in farms	33.1%	31.4%
Average farm size (acres)	130	139
		2012 ¹³
Income from agri-tourism and recreational services		N/A
Number of farms marketing products directly to retail outlet	S	5
Average value per farm of agricultural products sold direct individuals for human consumpt		\$2,213



Percent of Principal Operators	2012 ¹³
who are female	12.2%
under age 35	4.8%
farming as primary occupation	38.8%

- In 2012, the total market value of agricultural products sold in Menifee County was \$3,846,000.¹³
- Of the total market value of agricultural products sold, **44.1%** was the value of crops and **55.9%** was the value of livestock, poultry, and their products.¹³
- The total farm production expenses (average per farm) was \$17,522 compared to \$62,002 for the state. 13
- In Menifee County, there were 178 hired farm labor workers on 75 farms. 13
- 93.2% of farms were operated by a family or an individual compared to 91.0% for the state.¹³

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Jobs, Economy, and Labor Force

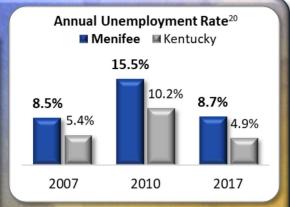
Jobs and Businesses Total Employment (# of jobs) ¹⁵	2010 1,693	2016 1,643
Total Establishments (w/ employees) ¹⁶ % with 1-9 employees % with 10-20 employees	63 76.2% 17.5%	58 74.1% 15.5%
Total NonEmployer Establishments (w/o employees) ¹⁷	455	406

Education

Percent of population 25 and over	2012-2016 ⁷
with HS or higher	77.0% (+/- 3.8%)
with bachelors or higher	12.3% (+/- 3.0%)

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Median Earnings $(2012-16)^7$ \$33,299 (+/-\$3,642) \$25,973 (+/-\$1,894)



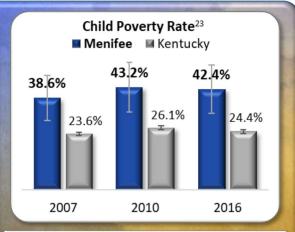
Avg Weekly Wage ¹⁸	<u> 2017</u>
All Industries (Private & Govt)	\$612
Goods-producing (Private)	\$721
Service-providing (Private)	\$555

- In 2017, the number of private establishments covered by unemployment insurance in Menifee County was **12** for goods-producing, **69** for service-providing, and **2** for hospitality & leisure.¹⁸
- Between 2012 and 2016, of the 2,303 (+/- 227) workers ages 16 and over, 39.9% (+/- 5.6%) worked inside the county, 59.0% (+/-1.3%) worked outside the county and 1.1% (+/-1.3%) worked outside Kentucky.⁷
- Between 2012 and 2016, **1.5%** (+/-1.5%) of workers ages 16 and over who worked full-time year round were below poverty compared to 3.5% (+/- 0.1%) for the state as a whole.⁷
- 37.0% of 2016 HS graduates in the county earned an industry certificate compared to 19.2% for the state.¹⁹

Youth

Population by Age	2010 ¹	2017 ²	2025 ³
Under 5 years old	345	334	269
5-9 years old	398	330	318
10-14 years old	424	333	332
15-19 years old	495	428	364

Children by Relationship to Householder	2012-2016 ⁷
Own Children (Biological, Adopted, Stepchild)	966 (+/- 139)
Grandchild	273 (+/- 123)
Other Relative	50 (+/- 48)
Foster/Unrelated	68 (+/- 50)



30.8% of students entered KY public postsecondary institutions underprepared in one or more subjects (2015).²¹

- Between 2012-2016, there were an estimated **89** (+/-40) youth ages 5-17 who had a disability.⁷
- **26.0%** of 3rd grade students in Menifee County scored proficient or distinguished on math in the 2015-16 school year compared to 47.7% for the state.²²
- **604** (+/- 149) youth under age 18 lived in households that received supplemental security income (SSI), cash public assistance, or food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months (2012-2016).⁷

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Health and Wellness

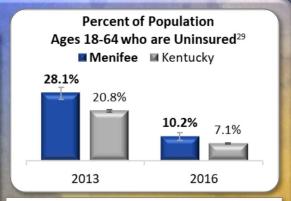
Percent of Adults

reporting poor or fair health (2016) ²⁴	22.0% (21.1%-22.9%)
with hypertension (2013-15) ²⁵	50.5% (36.4%-64.6%)
with obesity (2014-16) ²⁵	29% (18.8%-41.0%)
with diabetes (2014-16) ²⁵	17.4% (10.9%-26.6%)

Number of Individuals

receiving SNAP (food stamps) (2017) ²⁶	1,648
who are food insecure (2016 estimate) ²⁷	1,050

Number of Overdoses ²⁸	2008-2010	2015-2017
fatal overdoses	8	5
nonfatal overdoses	50	74



Number of Care Providers ²⁴	
Primary Care Physicians (2015)	2
Dentists (2016)	2
Mental Health Providers (2017)	16

- The estimated food insecurity rate for Menifee County is 16.5%, compared to 15.5% for the state.²⁷
- From 2010 to 2016, the number of grocery stores decreased by 66.7%, from 3 to 1 stores. 16
- In 2013-2015, 30.4% (24.6%-37.2%) of adults ages 20 and over reported no leisure time physical activity.²⁴
- The Urban Institute estimates that 43% of people in Menifee County with a credit bureau record in 2016 had medical debt in collections compared to 27% for the state as a whole. 10
- 18.2% (10.3%-30.1%) of adults reported that there was a time in past year when they needed to see a doctor but could not because of the cost.²⁵

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Additional data are also available at:

Kentucky: By The Numbers (http://www2.ca.uky.edu/snarl/Index.htm), the FCS Building Strong Families profiles (http://hes.uky.edu/StrongFamilies), and the CEDIK county profiles (https://cedik.ca.uky.edu/CountyDataProfiles).