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~ Families and Poverty Update ~

McLean County

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<u>All Families</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	399	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>13.7%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	288	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>20.4%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	144	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>13.6%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	24	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>26.4%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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<u>Families Related Children under 18 Years (continued)</u>		
Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	120	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	46.5%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	50.0%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	8.3%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>41.7%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
	100%	100%

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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	2,204	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>12.0%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	1,626	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>17.6%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	639	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>9.5%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	87	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>18.3%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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<u>Families Related Children under 18 Years (continued)</u>		
Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	900	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	43.8%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	39.3%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	5.4%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>55.4%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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<u>All Families</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	1,210	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>31.2%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	790	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>37.1%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	438	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>27.9%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	71	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>48.3%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	281	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	68.4%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	55.4%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	9.0%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>35.6%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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<u>All Families</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	754	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>15.8%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	522	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>20.8%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	160	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>9.2%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	46	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>32.2%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	316	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	50.1%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	30.7%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	8.8%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>60.5%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	593	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	6.6%	12.7%
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	364	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	9.8%	18.1%
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	136	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	4.6%	10.0%
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	31	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	14.7%	23.8%

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	197	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	35.9%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	37.4%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	8.5%	7.9%
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	1,211	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>33.3%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	825	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>40.6%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	480	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>32.4%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	55	7,985
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<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	70.2%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	58.2%	39.6%
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Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	453	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>19.3%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	219	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>12.7%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	187	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	41.2%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	48.3%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	10.4%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>41.3%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	695	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>9.3%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	483	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>11.0%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	181	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>5.3%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	56	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>18.5%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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<u>Families Related Children under 18 Years (continued)</u>		
Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	246	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	35.4%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	37.5%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	11.6%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>50.9%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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<u>All Families</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	441	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>23.4%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	306	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>35.3%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	181	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>27.9%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	27	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>44.3%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	98	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	62.0%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	59.2%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	8.8%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>32.0%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	609	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>10.0%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	418	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>14.7%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	164	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>7.7%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	32	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>16.8%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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<u>Families Related Children under 18 Years (continued)</u>		
Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	222	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	42.1%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	39.2%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	7.7%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>53.1%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	549	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>18.8%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	354	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>25.9%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	188	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>17.9%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	40	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>47.6%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	126	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	53.8%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	53.1%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	11.3%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>35.6%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	681	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>20.0%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	396	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>24.4%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	191	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>15.9%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	38	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>43.7%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	167	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	49.4%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	48.2%	39.6%
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<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>12.5%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	546	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>17.1%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	233	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>10.0%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	22	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>19.3%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	291	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	38.5%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	42.7%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	4.0%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>53.3%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	844	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>23.5%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	576	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>31.8%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	384	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>26.3%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	35	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>38.5%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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<u>Families Related Children under 18 Years (continued)</u>		
Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	157	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	59.9%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	66.7%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	6.1%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>27.3%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
	100%	100%

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While the poverty rate for single parents (male or female) tends to be higher than that for married couples, in over 58 counties in Kentucky, there are more married couples with children living in poverty than single mothers. The Census defines a family as “A group of two or more people who reside together and who are related by birth, marriage, or adoption.” Related children is defined as including “all people in a household under the age of 18, regardless of marital status, who are related to the householder.”

This issue of “Kentucky: By the Numbers” provides data on families with related children living below poverty. This is one of a series of several profiles produced by “Kentucky: By the Numbers” examining different aspects of poverty at the county level in Kentucky.

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<u>All Families</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Families Below Poverty (2000)	1,411	140,519
<i>Percent of all Families Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>15.5%</i>	<i>12.7%</i>
Total Number of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	952	101,463
<i>Percent of Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>22.4%</i>	<i>18.1%</i>
<u>Families with Related Children under 18 Years</u>		
Number of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	439	40,158
<i>Percent of Married Couple Families with Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>13.6%</i>	<i>10.0%</i>
Number of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	80	7,985
<i>Percent of Families with Male Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>35.2%</i>	<i>23.8%</i>

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<u>Families Related Children under 18 Years (continued)</u>		
Number of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 Years who Live Below Poverty (2000)	433	53,320
<i>Percent of Families with Female Householder (no spouse present) and Related Children under 18 years who Live Below Poverty (2000)</i>	53.9%	42.7%
<u>Distribution of all Families with Related Children Living Below Poverty</u>		
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Married Couple Families (2000)	46.1%	39.6%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Male Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	8.4%	7.9%
Percent of all Families with Related Children under 18 Living Below Poverty who are Female Householder (no spouse present) (2000)	<u>45.5%</u>	<u>52.6%</u>
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