



KENTUCKY: BY THE NUMBERS

~ Housing and Poverty Update ~

Adair County

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	6,747	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,693	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>25.1%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	644	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>48.1%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,049	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>19.4%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>38.0%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>62.0%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	734	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>10.9%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Households without Vehicles (continued)

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	270	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>20.1%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	464	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>8.6%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	646	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>9.6%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	377	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>22.3%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	84	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>5.0%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	6,910	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,306	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>18.9%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	534	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>36.8%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	772	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>14.1%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>40.9%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>59.1%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	610	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>8.8%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	262	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>18.0%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	348	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>6.4%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	556	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>8.0%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	241	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>18.5%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	84	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>6.4%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	7,320	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	715	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>9.8%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	344	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>23.3%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	371	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>6.3%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>48.1%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>51.9%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	356	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>4.9%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	136	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>9.2%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	220	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>3.8%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	376	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>5.1%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	120	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>16.8%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	19	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>2.7%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	3,395	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	486	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>14.3%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	200	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>32.5%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	286	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>10.3%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>41.2%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>58.8%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	202	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>5.9%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	100	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>16.2%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	102	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>3.7%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	82	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>2.4%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	39	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>8.0%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	2	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>0.4%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	15,346	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	2,512	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>16.4%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,234	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>29.0%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,278	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>11.5%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>49.1%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>50.9%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	1,293	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>8.4%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	695	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>16.3%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	598	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>5.4%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	563	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>3.7%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	262	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>10.4%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	88	6,962
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Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,025	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>23.1%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	404	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>45.0%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	621	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>17.5%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>39.4%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>60.6%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	408	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>9.2%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	191	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>21.3%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	217	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>6.1%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	376	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>8.5%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	229	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>22.3%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	51	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>5.0%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	12,004	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	3,893	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	32.4%	16.2%
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,866	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	47.8%	29.5%
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	2,027	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	25.0%	10.8%
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	47.9%	53.1%
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	52.1%	46.9%
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	2,033	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	16.9%	9.3%

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Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	1,122	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>28.7%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	911	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>11.2%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	1,243	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>10.4%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	757	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>19.4%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	93	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>2.4%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	31,258	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,996	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>6.4%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,291	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>16.0%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	705	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>3.0%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>64.7%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>35.3%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	1,569	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>5.0%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	1,130	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>14.0%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	439	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>1.9%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	358	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>1.1%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	120	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>6.0%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	31	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>1.6%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	7,681	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,143	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>14.9%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	773	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>29.2%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	370	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>7.4%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>67.6%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>32.4%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	820	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>10.7%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	545	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>20.6%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	275	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>5.5%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	388	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>5.1%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	153	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>13.4%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	5	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>0.4%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	20,010	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	3,188	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>15.9%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,751	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>32.3%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,437	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>9.8%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>54.9%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>45.1%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	2,121	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>10.6%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	1,180	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>21.8%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	941	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>6.4%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	790	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>3.9%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	441	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>13.8%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	35	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>1.1%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	10,574	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,460	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>13.8%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	963	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>29.6%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	497	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>6.8%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>66.0%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>34.0%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	851	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>8.0%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	528	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>16.2%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	323	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>4.4%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	493	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>4.7%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	229	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>15.7%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	23	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>1.6%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	3,228	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	427	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>13.2%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	192	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>25.7%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	235	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>9.5%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>45.0%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>55.0%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	221	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>6.8%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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Households without Vehicles (continued)

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	86	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>11.5%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	135	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>5.4%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	206	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>6.4%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	70	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>16.4%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	11	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>2.6%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	6,170	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	2,117	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>34.3%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	800	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>55.2%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,317	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>27.9%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>37.8%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>62.2%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	1,143	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>18.5%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	482	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>33.3%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	661	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>14.0%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	745	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>12.1%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	459	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>21.7%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	172	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>8.1%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total Number of Households (above and below poverty) (2000)	7,324	1,590,647
Total Number of Households Below Poverty (2000)	1,280	258,455
<i>Percent of all Households who are Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>17.5%</i>	<i>16.2%</i>
<u>Renters and Owners</u>		
Number of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	496	137,158
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>37.3%</i>	<i>29.5%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)	784	121,297
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households Below Poverty (2000)</i>	<i>13.1%</i>	<i>10.8%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Renter Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>38.8%</i>	<i>53.1%</i>
<i>Percent of all Households Below Poverty Owner Occupied (2000)</i>	<i>61.3%</i>	<i>46.9%</i>
	100%	100%

Households without Vehicles

Number of all Households with No Vehicles Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	605	148,691
<i>Percent of all Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>8.3%</i>	<i>9.3%</i>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Number of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	282	87,200
<i>Percent of Renter Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>21.2%</i>	<i>18.7%</i>
Number of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)	323	61,491
<i>Percent of Owner Occupied Households with No Vehicle Available (above and below poverty) (2000)</i>	<i>5.4%</i>	<i>5.5%</i>

Households without Phones

Total Number of Households without Phone Service (2000)	483	74,612
<i>Percent of Households without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>6.6%</i>	<i>4.7%</i>
Number of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)	245	40,830
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty without Phone Service (2000)</i>	<i>19.1%</i>	<i>15.8%</i>

Households without Complete Plumbing Facilities

Number of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)	34	6,962
<i>Percent of Households Below Poverty that are without Complete Plumbing Facilities (2000)</i>	<i>2.7%</i>	<i>2.7%</i>

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