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## ~ Poverty 2007 Change Update ~

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#### Total Poverty Estimates

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	1,568	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	1,634	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	1,466	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<i>7.0%</i>	<i>3.3%</i>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	15.2%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	15.9%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	14.4%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>5.6%</i>	<i>1.8%</i>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	575	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	591	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	529	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>8.7%</i>	<i>5.1%</i>

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**Child Poverty Rate Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	22.7%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	23.1%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	21.1%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>7.6%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$42,058	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$41,254	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$42,186	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-0.3%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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#### Total Poverty Estimates

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Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	5,164	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	6,289	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	5,350	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<i>-3.5%</i>	<i>3.3%</i>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	19.3%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	23.6%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	20.1%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-4.0%</i>	<i>1.8%</i>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	1,847	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	2,100	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	1,877	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-1.6%</i>	<i>5.1%</i>

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**Child Poverty Rate Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	29.1%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	33.1%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	30.5%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-4.6%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$32,281	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$30,266	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$30,267	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>6.7%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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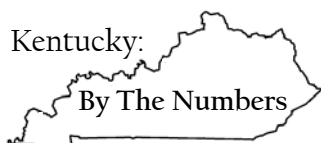
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#### Total Poverty Estimates

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Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	3,763	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	4,409	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	4,087	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<b>-7.9%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	23.6%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	27.4%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	25.5%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>-7.5%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	1,308	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	1,435	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	1,354	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>-3.4%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>

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	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	36.0%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	38.9%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	37.3%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-3.5%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$27,366	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$25,750	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$24,088	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>13.6%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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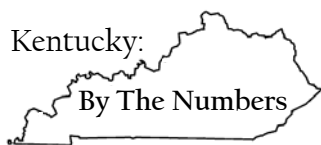
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Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	14,101	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	11,487	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	10,198	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<b>38.3%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	19.0%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	18.9%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	16.0%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>18.8%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	6,871	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	5,832	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	5,019	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>36.9%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>

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Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	27.4%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	27.4%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	23.4%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>17.1%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$37,632	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$36,229	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$33,891	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>11.0%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	4,726	684,183
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Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	13.8%	16.9%
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#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	1,779	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	1,652	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	1,539	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>15.6%</i>	<i>5.1%</i>

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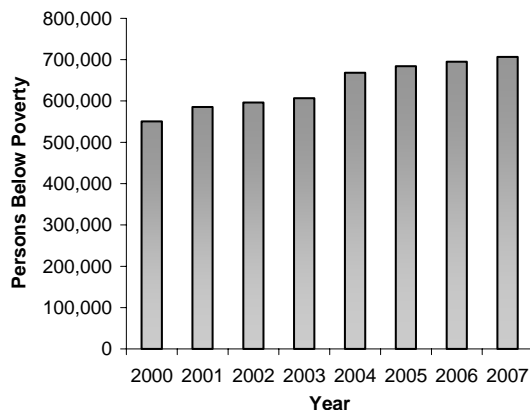
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Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	46.1%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	50.1%	23.0%
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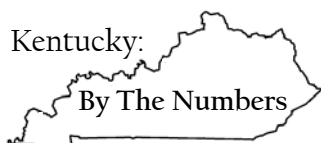
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Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	2,279	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	2,876	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	2,553	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<i>-10.7%</i>	<i>3.3%</i>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	24.1%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	30.4%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	27.0%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-10.7%</i>	<i>1.8%</i>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	756	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	856	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	762	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-0.8%</i>	<i>5.1%</i>

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**Child Poverty Rate Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	36.8%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	40.5%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	37.3%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>-1.3%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$25,677	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$22,185	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$23,282	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>10.3%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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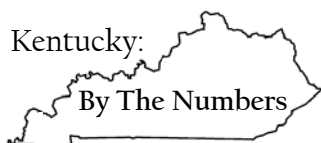
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#### Total Poverty Estimates

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	1,805	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	1,618	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	1,591	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<i>13.5%</i>	<i>3.3%</i>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	20.1%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	18.1%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	18.0%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>11.7%</i>	<i>1.8%</i>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	589	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	566	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	554	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<i>6.3%</i>	<i>5.1%</i>

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**Child Poverty Rate Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	31.3%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	29.8%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	30.2%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>3.6%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$33,804	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$33,304	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$32,299	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>4.7%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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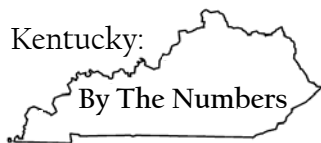
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#### **Total Poverty Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	1,620	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	1,837	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	1,629	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<b>-0.6%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>

#### **Poverty Rate Estimates**

Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	24.0%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	26.6%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	23.2%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>3.4%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>

#### **Child Poverty Estimates**

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	524	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	581	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	529	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>-0.9%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>

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**Child Poverty Rate Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	36.0%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	38.9%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	34.2%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<i>5.3%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$26,584	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$24,866	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$24,055	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<i>10.5%</i>	<i>7.8%</i>

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#### Total Poverty Estimates

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2007	14,015	706,947
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2006	12,691	694,866
Total number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005	13,124	684,183
<i>Percent change in number of persons below poverty (all ages), 2005-2007</i>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>

#### Poverty Rate Estimates

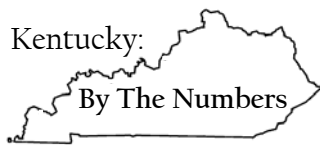
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2007	15.3%	17.2%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2006	13.9%	17.0%
Percent of the total population below poverty, 2005	14.6%	16.9%
<i>Percent change in the total population below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>4.8%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>

#### Child Poverty Estimates

Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	5,103	231,398
Total number of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	4,380	226,101
Total number of person under 18 below poverty, 2005	4,196	220,222
<i>Percent change in the number of persons under age 18 below poverty, 2005-2007</i>	<b>21.6%</b>	<b>5.1%</b>

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**Child Poverty Rate Estimates**

	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2007	22.8%	23.6%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2006	19.4%	23.1%
Percent of persons under 18 below poverty, 2005	18.9%	23.0%
<i>Percent change in the poverty rate of persons under 18, 2005-2007</i>	<b>20.6%</b>	<b>2.6%</b>

**Income Estimates**

Median household income, 2007	\$42,586	\$40,299
Median household income, 2006	\$41,279	\$39,318
Median household income, 2005	\$38,845	\$37,377
<i>Percent change in the median household income, 2005-2007</i>	<b>9.6%</b>	<b>7.8%</b>

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