

Kentucky: By the Numbers

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	6,248	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	19.6	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	2,208	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	27.9	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$24,158	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	4,545	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	13.2	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995) Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,703 17.5	255,550 26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$33,745	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,548	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	22.1	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	553	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	32.7	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$22,897	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	4,820	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	22.1	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,751	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	30.4	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$24,047	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,407	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	5.9	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	878	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	7.5	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$52,475	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,878	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	19	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	681	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	26.8	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$27,838	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,537	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	46.6	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	933	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	65.4	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$14,393	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,136	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	15.5	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	860	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	22.2	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$30,968	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	9,521	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	30.4	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	3,667	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	42.2	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$22,808	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	18,066	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	24.5	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	6,843	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	34.2	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$24,430	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	3,145	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	25.1	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,246	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	34.5	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$23,088	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	11,606	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	21.2	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	3,992	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	30.4	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$24,225	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	442	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	20.1	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	141	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	28.3	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$25,306	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	4,275	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	27.2	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,568	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	38.5	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$21,156	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	4,763	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	25.8	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,423	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	32.3	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$23,309	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	3,815	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	23.3	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995) Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,230 32.8	255,550 26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$21,722	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	3,754	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	13.4	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995) Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,474 19.6	255,550 26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$38,119	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	3,194	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	11.3	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,136	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	16.4	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$37,471	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,092	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	12.9	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	798	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	19.1	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$29,517	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,214	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	13.9	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	450	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	19.8	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$31,760	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	3,882	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	17.2	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,361	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	24.9	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$27,193	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,073	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	18.4	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	721	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	25.3	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$26,801	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,777	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	14.9	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	571	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	21.7	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$26,690	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,162	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	15.9	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	400	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	21.4	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$29,039	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,670	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	16	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,032	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	22.2	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$29,093	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	12,871	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	15.7	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	4,512	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	22.4	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$32,131	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,832	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	17	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	628	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	22	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$27,097	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	5,987	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	32	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	2,203	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	45.3	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$19,157	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,107	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	15.6	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	714	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	20.9	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$27,143	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	10,716	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	30.7	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995) Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	4,099 43.7	255,550 26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$20,667	\$28,929

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Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	2,870	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	38.9	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	1,160	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	57.2	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$16,745	\$28,929

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	County	State
Total Number of People in Poverty (1995)	1,890	689,138
Total Poverty Rate (1995)	8.5	17.9
Number of Children in Poverty Ages 0-17 (1995)	689	255,550
Child Poverty Rate Ages 0-17 (1995)	12.2	26.0
Median Household Income (1995)	\$41,150	\$28,929

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