

Community and Economic Development Extension Programs

KENTUCKY: BY THE NUMBERS

~ Poverty 2000 Change Update ~ Adair County

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	County	<u>State</u>
Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	3,744	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	3,954	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	5.6%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	25.1%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	24.0%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-4.6%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	1,156	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	1,234	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	6.7%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	31.7%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	30.9%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-2.7%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	1,755	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	2,192	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	24.9%	-1.9%

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Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	19.7%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	21.8%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	10.5%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	833	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	528	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-36.6%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	35.4%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	21.7%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-38.7%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$20,625	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$24,055	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	16.6%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	3,548	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	3,045	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-14.2%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	24.6%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	17.3%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-29.5%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	1,142	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	1,089	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-4.6%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	29.9%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	23.8%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-20.2%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	1,708	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	1,485	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-13.1%	-1.9%

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Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	13.9%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-31.9%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	698	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	471	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-32.5%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	31.3%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	20.4%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-34.7%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$23,373	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$31,238	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	33.6%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	1,339	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	1,417	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	5.8%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	9.3%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	7.5%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-19.6%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	428	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	455	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	6.3%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	11.3%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	9.0%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-20.2%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	615	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	706	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	14.8%	-1.9%

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Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	6.9%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	5.9%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-14.4%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	296	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	256	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-13.5%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	17.5%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	13.1%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-24.9%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$36,200	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$45,433	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	25.5%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	1,443	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	1,102	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-23.6%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	18.5%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	13.6%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-26.8%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	403	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	375	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-6.9%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	21.1%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	19.8%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-6.0%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	693	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	535	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-22.8%	-1.9%

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Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	10.7%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-28.6%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	347	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	192	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-44.7%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	27.4%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	15.4%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-43.7%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$25,272	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$32,130	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	27.1%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	7,160	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	5,826	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-18.6%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	21.5%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	15.6%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-27.4%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	2,217	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	1,872	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-15.6%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	26.4%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	20.6%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-21.8%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	3,511	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	2,962	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-15.6%	-1.9%

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Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	12.8%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-27.0%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	1,432	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	992	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-30.7%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	28.9%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	19.1%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-33.8%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$25,501	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$31,240	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	22.5%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	2,598	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	2,393	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-7.9%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	27.3%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	21.9%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-19.6%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	784	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	794	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	1.3%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	32.7%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	29.9%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-8.7%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	1,380	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	1,279	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-7.3%	-1.9%

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Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	18.9%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-20.8%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	434	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	320	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-26.3%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	31.7%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	21.2%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-33.3%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$20,796	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$26,018	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	25.1%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	9,105	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-18.8%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	36.2%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	31.1%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-14.2%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	3,811	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	3,057	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-19.8%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	44.8%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	42.1%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-5.8%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	6,345	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	5,205	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-18.0%	-1.9%

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Bell County

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	34.4%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	28.6%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-16.9%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	1,053	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	843	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-19.9%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	26.4%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	21.8%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-17.2%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$17,062	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$19,057	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	11.7%	14.5%

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	County	State
Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	4,221	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	4,785	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	13.4%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	7.4%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	5.6%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-24.1%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	1,609	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	1,637	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	1.7%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	9.6%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	6.8%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-29.4%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	2,120	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	2,641	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	24.6%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	5.9%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	4.9%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-18.1%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	492	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	507	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	3.0%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	11.0%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	7.7%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-30.1%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$44,991	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$53,593	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	19.1%	14.5%

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	County	State
Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	3,330	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	2,670	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-19.8%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	17.5%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	14.0%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-20.2%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	1,179	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	917	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-22.2%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	23.5%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	19.3%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-17.9%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	1,449	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	1,457	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	0.6%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	12.7%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	12.3%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-3.1%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	702	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	296	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-57.8%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	27.5%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	11.9%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-56.7%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$29,283	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$35,038	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	19.7%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	8,203	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	7,393	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-9.9%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	16.5%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	15.5%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-6.4%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	2,649	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	2,506	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-5.4%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	22.2%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	23.5%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	5.6%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	4,388	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	3,982	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-9.3%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	14.4%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	13.4%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-7.1%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	1,166	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	905	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-22.4%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	15.8%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	12.1%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-23.4%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$31,096	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$32,749	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	5.3%	14.5%

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Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	4,043	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	2,993	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-26.0%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	17.1%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	11.9%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-30.3%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	1,416	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	983	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-30.6%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	23.6%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	16.1%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-31.5%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	2,000	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	1,561	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-22.0%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	14.0%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	10.2%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-27.3%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	627	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	449	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-28.4%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	18.5%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	12.1%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-34.8%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$30,170	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$35,241	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	16.8%	14.5%

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	County	<u>State</u>
Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	1,643	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	888	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-46.0%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	21.4%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	10.8%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-49.5%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	519	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	222	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-57.2%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	26.1%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	10.7%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-59.1%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	850	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	480	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-43.5%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	18.7%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	9.5%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-49.2%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	274	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	186	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-32.1%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	24.1%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	17.3%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-28.2%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$25,681	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$34,823	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	35.6%	14.5%

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	County	State
Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	6,072	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	5,196	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-14.4%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	39.5%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	33.2%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-15.9%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	2,088	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	1,697	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-18.7%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	47.1%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	43.5%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-7.8%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	3,399	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	3,027	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-10.9%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	36.4%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	30.3%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-16.7%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	585	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	472	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-19.3%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	36.4%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	26.8%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-26.2%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$16,155	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$19,155	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	18.6%	14.5%

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	County	<u>State</u>
Total Number of People Below Poverty (1990)	3,743	681,827
Total Number of People Below Poverty (2000)	2,899	621,096
Percent Change in the Number of People Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-22.5%	-8.9%
Total Poverty Rate (1990)	23.2%	19.0%
Total Poverty Rate (2000)	15.8%	15.8%
Percent Change in the Total Poverty Rate (1990-2000)	-31.8%	-16.9%
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990)	1,194	234,012
Total Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (2000)	756	203,547
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-36.7%	-13.0%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990)	28.4%	24.8%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (2000)	16.8%	20.8%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 0-17 (1990-2000)	-41.0%	-16.1%
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990)	1,932	356,724
Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (2000)	1,650	350,072
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Below Poverty who are Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-14.6%	-1.9%

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	County	State
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990)	20.2%	16.2%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (2000)	14.7%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 18-64 (1990-2000)	-27.1%	-12.8%
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990)	617	91,091
Total Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (2000)	493	67,477
Percent Change in the Number of Persons Ages 65 + Below Poverty (1990-2000)	-20.1%	-25.9%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990)	26.0%	20.6%
Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (2000)	19.0%	14.2%
Percent Change in the Poverty Rate for Persons Ages 65 + (1990-2000)	-27.0%	-31.3%
Median Household Income (Adjusted to 1999 Dollars*) (1990)	\$23,075	\$29,399
Median Household Income (2000)	\$30,554	\$33,672
Percent Change in Median Household Income (1990-2000)	32.4%	14.5%

^{*} To adjust to 1999 dollars, 1990 amounts provided by the Kentucky State Data Center were multiplied by 1.304650, a factor calculated by the Bureau of Labor Statistics' Consumer Price Index

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