

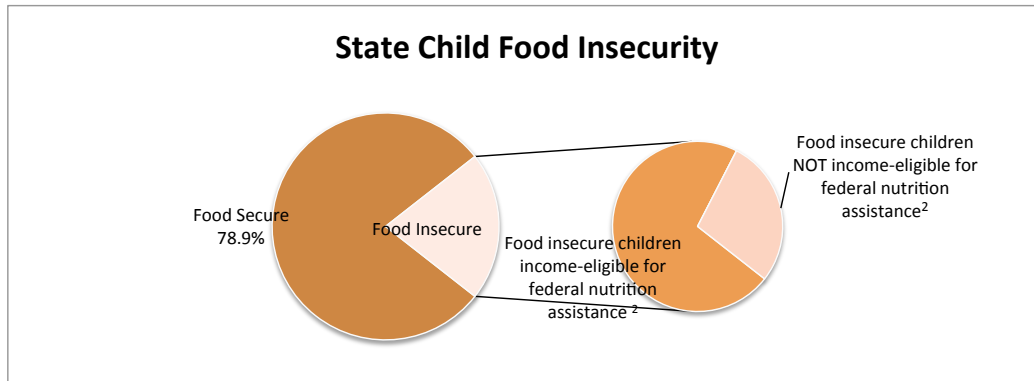
Map the Meal Gap 2015: Child Food Insecurity State Overview

Idaho

Population under 18 years old

426,854

Child food insecurity rate (2013) ¹	21.1%
Estimated number food insecure children	90,240



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¹A child (under 18 years old) is defined as being food insecure if he or she lives in a household experiencing food insecurity. The food insecurity measures here are derived from the measures of food insecurity found in the nationally representative Current Population Survey. Since 1995, those measures have been calculated from responses to a series of questions about conditions and behaviors known to characterize households having difficulty meeting basic food needs. For more details about how food insecurity is calculated, see Coleman-Jensen, Alisha, Christian Gregory, and Anita Singh. *Household Food Security in the United States in 2013*, ERR-173, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, September 2014.

²Program eligibility for child hunger programs such as National School Lunch Program, School Breakfast, and other federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds. These thresholds vary by state.



Map the Meal Gap 2015: Child Food Insecurity in Idaho by County in 2013¹



County	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Population under 18 years old	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
Ada	14.8%	104,422	18.8%	19,660	59%	41%
Adams	19.1%	747	26.4%	200	77%	23%
Bannock	15.9%	22,644	20.4%	4,610	69%	31%
Bear Lake	13.6%	1,623	19.4%	320	72%	28%
Benewah	18.1%	2,128	23.2%	490	94%	6%
Bingham	13.3%	14,799	20.4%	3,020	75%	25%
Blaine	11.6%	5,099	16.5%	840	51%	49%
Boise	16.2%	1,421	19.9%	280	63%	37%
Bonner	17.3%	8,589	23.2%	2,000	74%	26%
Bonneville	13.4%	33,110	18.1%	6,000	72%	28%
Boundary	17.5%	2,698	23.3%	630	97%	4%
Butte	15.6%	710	22.5%	160	91%	9%
Camas	14.6%	299	22.4%	70	100%	0%
Canyon	14.6%	59,512	22.8%	13,550	79%	21%
Caribou	12.4%	1,966	16.5%	320	61%	39%
Cassia	12.8%	7,468	18.9%	1,410	84%	16%
Clark	10.7%	192	22.2%	40	87%	13%
Clearwater	17.8%	1,469	24.5%	360	70%	30%
Custer	16.0%	894	20.6%	180	61%	39%
Elmore	16.1%	7,232	22.2%	1,610	70%	30%
Franklin	12.8%	4,459	18.8%	840	84%	16%
Fremont	12.9%	3,911	18.8%	740	88%	12%
Gem	16.3%	3,924	24.0%	940	74%	27%
Gooding	12.8%	4,444	20.9%	930	81%	19%
Idaho	17.3%	3,348	24.9%	830	71%	29%
Jefferson	12.6%	9,299	19.1%	1,780	79%	21%
Jerome	13.0%	6,961	21.1%	1,470	80%	20%
Kootenai	16.0%	34,211	21.3%	7,290	67%	33%
Latah	18.2%	7,012	19.7%	1,380	69%	31%
Lemhi	19.7%	1,490	29.8%	440	77%	23%
Lewis	15.9%	821	23.1%	190	80%	20%
Lincoln	13.5%	1,654	21.5%	360	81%	19%
Madison	21.0%	9,829	21.8%	2,140	70%	30%
Minidoka	11.2%	5,790	18.9%	1,100	81%	19%
Nez Perce	15.1%	8,454	19.9%	1,680	65%	35%
Oneida	14.2%	1,214	21.3%	260	78%	22%
Owyhee	14.6%	3,270	22.7%	740	80%	20%
Payette	15.3%	6,329	21.7%	1,380	73%	27%
Power	12.3%	2,378	20.4%	490	99%	1%
Shoshone	19.5%	2,621	26.0%	680	58%	42%
Teton	12.4%	2,947	18.7%	550	61%	39%
Twin Falls	14.7%	21,368	20.3%	4,340	70%	30%
Valley	16.3%	1,866	21.3%	400	73%	27%
Washington	14.4%	2,396	20.9%	500	83%	17%
State Total³	15.6%	426,854	21.1%	90,240	72%	28%

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²Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2013. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.

³Data in the state totals row do not reflect the sum of all counties in that state. The state totals are aggregated from the congressional districts data in that state.



Map the Meal Gap 2015:

Child Food Insecurity in Idaho by Congressional District in 2013¹



Congressional District	Food insecurity rate (full population)	Child food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure children (rounded)	Food insecure children likely income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²	Food insecure children likely NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²
1	15.7%	21.7%	46,000	70%	30%
2	15.5%	20.6%	44,240	73%	27%

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