



# POLK COUNTY

## OVERALL RANK\*

Need	Performance
Average	Average

\*Need is from a composite score including % food uncertain, % SNAP eligible, % NSLP enrolled, and % < 5 WIC eligible. Performance is from a composite score including % eligible and participating in SNAP, NSLP, WIC, and pounds of food distributed per capita < 100% poverty.

NEED INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
<b>Food Insecurity 2017</b>			
% Individuals Food Insecure	13.4%	14.2%	Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.7%	17.5%	Very Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	5%	4.8%	Low
<b>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2018</b>			
% Total Population Income Eligible	24.2%	19.4%	Average
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	29.2%	26.1%	Average
<b>Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2018</b>			
% Students Enrolled	59.7%	49.5%	High
<b>Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2017</b>			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	55.2%	43.3%	High
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
<b>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2018</b>			
Number of Monthly Participants	4,322	720,543	—
% Total Population Participating	13.6%	11.8%	High
% Income Eligible and Participating	59.6%	63.2%	Average
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,887	325,938	—
% < 18 Years Participating	25.9%	23.6%	High
<b>Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2018</b>			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	75.9%	74.7%	Average
<b>Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2017</b>			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	581	89,338	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	56.5%	55.9%	Average
<b>Food Bank Distributions 2018</b>			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	542,667	140,373,817	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	126	163	—
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
<b>Demographic Indicators 2017</b>			
Total Population	31,794	6,113,532	—
% Population < 18 Years	22.9%	22.6%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.1%	16.5%	—
<b>Health Indicators 2016</b>			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	37.5%	31.2%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	12.6%	11.1%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	39%	33.7%	—
<b>Economic Indicators 2017</b>			
% Population Below Poverty Level	14.4%	14.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	14.2%	20.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	6.7%	8.8%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$44,805	\$51,542	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	4%	3.8%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	13.8%	16.2%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.3%	16.0%	—