



# LAFAYETTE COUNTY

## OVERALL RANK\*

Need	Performance
Low	Average

\***Need** is from a composite score including % food insecure, % 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 2023</b>			
% Individuals Food Insecure	14.1%	15.4%	Very Low
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	16.2%	18.1%	Low
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	6.4%	5.8%	Very Low
<b>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023</b>			
% Total Population Income Eligible	12.5%	16.1%	Very Low
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	18.6%	25.0%	Very Low
<b>Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023</b>			
% Students Enrolled	40.0%	47.4%	Very Low
<b>Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023</b>			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	44.0%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
<b>Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023</b>			
Number of Monthly Participants	2,769	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	8.4%	10.3%	Low
% Income Eligible and Participating	68.4%	63.9%	High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	1,177	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	15.5%	19.6%	Low
<b>Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023</b>			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	63.0%	66.9%	Very Low
<b>Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023</b>			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	258	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	33.8%	51.2%	Very Low
<b>Food Bank Distributions 2023</b>			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	1,216,008	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	385	175	Very High
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
<b>Demographic Indicators 2023</b>			
Total Population	32,974	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	23.1%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	18.9%	18.4%	—
<b>Health Indicators 2022</b>			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	33.8%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	10.4%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	40.6%	37.5%	—
<b>Economic Indicators 2023</b>			
% Population Below Poverty Level	9.7%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	13.7%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	8.0%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$79,091	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	2.9%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	7.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—