



ST. LOUIS CITY

OVERALL RANK*

Need	Performance
High	High

***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
Food Insecurity 2023			
% Individuals Food Insecure	18.4%	15.4%	High
% Individuals < 18 Food Insecure	30.6%	18.1%	Very High
% Individuals Food Insecure with Hunger	8.4%	5.8%	High
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
% Total Population Income Eligible	25.2%	16.1%	Very High
% < 18 Years Income Eligible	39.0%	25.0%	High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled	93.0%	47.4%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
% < 5 Years Income Eligible	45.2%	37.4%	Average
PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	COUNTY	STATE	RANK
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP/Food Stamps) 2023			
Number of Monthly Participants	58,190	636,724	—
% Total Population Participating	19.9%	10.3%	Very High
% Income Eligible and Participating	81.1%	63.9%	Very High
Number of Monthly Participants < 18 Years	22,326	269,042	—
% < 18 Years Participating	41.0%	19.6%	Very High
Free and Reduced-Price Lunch (National School Lunch Program) 2023			
% Students Enrolled and Participating	73.8%	66.9%	Very High
Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) 2023			
Number < 5 Years Participating, Monthly	6942	67,306	—
% < 5 Years Eligible and Participating	92.6%	51.2%	Very High
Food Bank Distributions 2023			
Total Pounds Distributed in County	9,814,645	132,203,712	—
Pounds Per Capita Below 100% Poverty Level	175	175	Low
COUNTY PROFILE	COUNTY	STATE	
Demographic Indicators 2023			
Total Population	293,109	6,196,156	—
% Population < 18 Years	18.6%	22.1%	—
% Population > 64 Years	14.9%	18.4%	—
Health Indicators 2022			
Obesity Prevalence (%)	36.2%	36.6%	—
Diabetes Prevalence (%)	9.5%	12.4%	—
Hypertension Prevalence (%)	34.5%	37.5%	—
Economic Indicators 2023			
% Population Below Poverty Level	19.8%	12.6%	—
% < 18 Below Poverty	26.9%	16.0%	—
% > 64 Below Poverty	17.8%	10.0%	—
Median Household Income (\$, Annual)	\$55,279	\$68,920	—
Unemployment Rate (%)	3.7%	3.0%	—
Single-Parent Households (%)	9.1%	8.3%	—
Food Affordability (%)	16.4%	13.1%	—