2021
STATUS OF HUNGER IN HARNEY COUNTY

The data on this fact sheet reflect 2019 figures.

TOTAL COUNTY POPULATION: 7,280

GENERAL HUNGER STATISTICS

17% people reporting food insecurity who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance, Harney County
32% children in food insecure households who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance, Harney County
40% people reporting food insecurity who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance, statewide
36% children in food insecure households who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance, statewide

SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

PROGRAM ACCESS INDEX (PAI)*
This indicator estimates SNAP utilization in this county. It is a ratio comparing people participating in SNAP with all income-eligible people. In some counties, time limits may cause a participation gap. These kick some individuals off SNAP after three months even if they are income-eligible.
Out of an average population of 100 people in this county, this visualization represents those who are participating in SNAP eligible for SNAP but not participating, and receiving the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR).

Hunger and Food Insecurity by Race/Ethnicity, statewide
White  4.1%
Black  11.2%
Native American  13.1%
Asian and Pacific Islander  3.7%
Hispanic  8.3%

17%  32%  40%  36%
people food insecure
children food insecure
county
Oregon

Hunger and Food Insecurity by household type, statewide
Couples with children  0.0%
Couples without children  3.5%
Single mothers  15.4%
Women, alone  9.0%
Men, alone  5.1%

Hunger and Food Insecurity by housing status, statewide
Renters  9.9%
Owners  0.9%

1,297 average monthly SNAP participants, Harney County
421,114 estimated income eligible people not participating in SNAP, statewide

$1,611,964 estimated annual value of increasing SNAP participation, Harney County
$621,270,345 estimated annual value of increasing SNAP participation, statewide

* Figures capped at 1.00. See study methodology for further information.
## School Meals

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<td>Students participating in school breakfast</td>
<td>23%</td>
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<td>Students participating in school lunch</td>
<td>47%</td>
<td>45%</td>
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<td>No schools eligible</td>
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<td>Eligible schools participating in Community Eligibility Provision (CEP)</td>
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## Summer Meals

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<td>Students participating in summer meals compared to students participating in school lunch, Harney County</td>
<td>32.6%</td>
<td>27.7%</td>
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<td>Summer Meal participation percent change from 2018 to 2019, statewide</td>
<td>-2.5%</td>
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## Women, Infants and Children

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<td>Students with Free and Reduced Price meal eligibility, Harney County</td>
<td>51%</td>
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<td>Schools serving Breakfast after the Bell, Harney County</td>
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<td>20%</td>
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<td>Schools serving Breakfast after the Bell, statewide</td>
<td>10%</td>
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<td>% all pregnant people served by WIC, Harney County</td>
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## About the Oregon Hunger Task Force

The Oregon Hunger Task Force was created by the State Legislature to act as a resource within government and as a statewide advocate for Oregonians who are hungry or at risk of hunger. Made up of legislators, state agency representatives, and nonprofit and community leaders, the Oregon Hunger Task Force works collaboratively with stakeholders throughout Oregon to: research, document, and raise awareness about the extent of hunger in Oregon, coordinate the provision of food and nutrition services across the state, and make recommendations for government action for the alleviation of hunger.

To see all 36 Oregon Hunger Task Force county fact sheets and read about our methodology, visit [www.oregonhungertaskforce.org/county-fact-sheets](http://www.oregonhungertaskforce.org/county-fact-sheets)