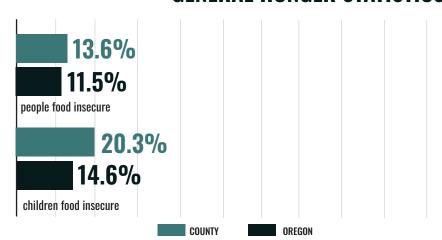
STATUS OF HUNGER IN WHEELER COUNTY

The data on this fact sheet reflect 2019 figures.

TOTAL COUNTY POPULATION: 1.440

GENERAL HUNGER STATISTICS



people reporting food insecurity who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance, Wheeler County

children in food insecure households who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance. Wheeler County

people reporting food insecurity who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance. statewide

40% 36%

> children in food insecure households who do not qualify for federal nutrition assistance. statewide

Hunger and Food Insecurity by Race/Ethnicity, statewide

11.2% 13.1% 8.3% 4.1% 3.7% 9.6% 10.6% 21.0% 18.2% 24.0%

White

Rlack

Native American Asian and Pacific Islander

Hispanic

Hunger and Food Insecurity by household type, statewide

0.2% 0.0% 15.4% 9.0% 5.1% 3.5% 3.0% 31.5% 15.3% 11.5%

Couples with children

Couples without children

Single mothers

Women, alone

Men, alone

Hunger and Food Insecurity by housing status, statewide

9.9% 21.0%

Renters

HUNGER

0.9% 2.8%

Owners

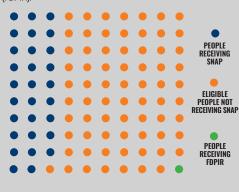
FOOD INSECURITY

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



PAI for all people. Wheeler County

PAI for people over 65. **Wheeler County**

PAI for all children, Wheeler County

185

average monthly SNAP participants, Wheeler County

\$586,925

estimated annual value of increasing SNAP participation, Wheeler County

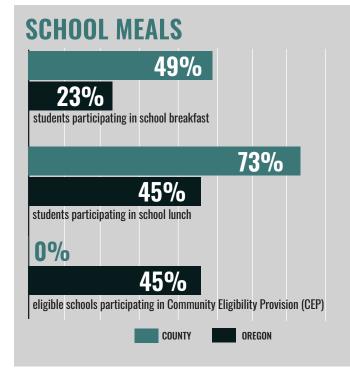
* Figures capped at 1.00. See study methodology for further information.

421,114

estimated income eligible people not participating in SNAP, statewide

\$621,270,345

estimated annual value of increasing SNAP participation, statewide



64%

students with Free and Reduced Price meal eligibility. Wheeler County

schools serving Breakfast after the **Bell, Wheeler County**

students with Free and Reduced Price meal eligibility, statewide

schools serving Breakfast after the Bell, statewide

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Students participating in summer meals compared to students participating in school lunch, Wheeler County

Students participating in summer meals compared to students participating in school lunch, wheeler County

students participating in school

-2.5% **Summer Meal participation**

percent change from 2018 to 2019, statewide

WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN

% all pregnant people served by WIC, Wheeler

27%

% all pregnant people served by WIC, statewide

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