

# Columbia County

## Columbia Opportunities, Inc.

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**11.6%**  
**Columbia County  
 Poverty Rate**

County Population:

**60,371**

*Population for whom poverty status is determined:*

Overall

**58,561**

Population Under 18

**10,124**

Population 25 & Over

**44,404**

Population over 65

**13,330**

Living In Poverty

Individuals

**11.6% (6,777)**

Children (Under 18)

**15.7% (1,593)**

Adults 25+

**10.4% (4,617)**

Senior Citizens 65+

**8.2% (1,098)**

## Education & Poverty

Education Attainment for Adults 25+ (44,404)



### Total Population

|             |       |
|-------------|-------|
| No Degree   | 9.4%  |
| High School | 29.3% |
| Associate   | 28.1% |
| Bachelors + | 33.3% |

### Living in Poverty

|             |       |
|-------------|-------|
| No Degree   | 25.8% |
| High School | 12.9% |
| Associate   | 8.7%  |
| Bachelors + | 5.3%  |

## Employment & Poverty

|                                  |                 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Living Wage for 1 Adult, 1 Child | <b>\$30.78</b>  |
| Hourly Wage for FMR, 2BR Apt     | <b>\$18.56</b>  |
| Median Income                    | <b>\$39,657</b> |
| Median Income w/ HS Diploma      | <b>\$31,995</b> |
| Male Median Earnings             | <b>\$38,943</b> |
| Female Median Earnings           | <b>\$25,248</b> |



## Health & Poverty



|                            |              |
|----------------------------|--------------|
| No Health Insurance        |              |
| Employed                   | <b>6.7%</b>  |
| Unemployed                 | <b>13.8%</b> |
| Free/Reduced Lunch Program | <b>60%</b>   |

## Gender & Poverty

|        |                      |
|--------|----------------------|
| Male   | <b>10.7% (3,081)</b> |
| Female | <b>12.4% (3,696)</b> |

Of those families with  
 Female Heads of Household  
 and Children Present

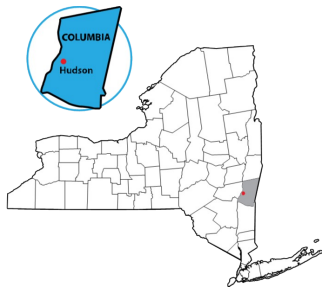
**29.5%**

**Live in Poverty**

## Race & Poverty

|                  |                      |
|------------------|----------------------|
| White            | <b>10.3% (5,389)</b> |
| African American | <b>17.8% (397)</b>   |
| Hispanic/Latino  | <b>22.8% (607)</b>   |

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# City of Hudson

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# 23.0%

## City of Hudson Poverty Rate

City Population:

**6,235**

Population for whom poverty status is determined:

Overall

**5,613**

Population Under 18

**1,099**

Population 25 & Over

**3,968**

Population over 65

**788**

### Living In Poverty

Individuals

**23.0% (1,292)**

Children (Under 18)

**31.6% (347)**

Adults 25+

**21.3% (845)**

Senior Citizens 65+

**21.2% (167)**

## Education & Poverty

Education Attainment for Adults 25+ (3,968)



### Total Population

|             |       |
|-------------|-------|
| No Degree   | 13.9% |
| High School | 31.7% |
| Associate   | 23.6% |
| Bachelors + | 30.9% |

### Living in Poverty

|             |       |
|-------------|-------|
| No Degree   | 46.9% |
| High School | 18.0% |
| Associate   | 21.5% |
| Bachelors + | 13.0% |

## Employment & Poverty

|                             |                 |
|-----------------------------|-----------------|
| Median Income               | <b>\$30,330</b> |
| Median Income w/ HS Diploma | <b>\$24,531</b> |
| Male Median Earnings        | <b>\$30,500</b> |
| Female Median Earnings      | <b>\$22,907</b> |



## Health & Poverty



|                     |              |
|---------------------|--------------|
| No Health Insurance |              |
| Employed            | <b>8.6%</b>  |
| Unemployed          | <b>20.7%</b> |

## Gender & Poverty

|        |                    |
|--------|--------------------|
| Male   | <b>20.1% (503)</b> |
| Female | <b>25.3% (789)</b> |

Of those families with Female Heads of Household and Children Present

**21.4%**

Live in Poverty

## Race & Poverty

|                  |                    |
|------------------|--------------------|
| White            | <b>21.4% (783)</b> |
| African American | <b>19.1% (217)</b> |
| Hispanic/Latino  | <b>27.6% (125)</b> |

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