Map the Meal Gap 2011

North Carolina Child Food Insecurity by Congressional District, 2009 [1]

Congressional District	Food Insecurity Rate (full population)	Child Food Insecurity Rate	Estimated Number Food Insecure Children (rounded)	% food insecure children income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance (at or below 185% of poverty line)[2]	% food insecure children NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance (over 185% of poverty line)[2]
1	25.1%	31.7%	47,010	87%	13%
2	19.6%	28.3%	51,900	69%	31%
3	17.0%	26.2%	41,870	59%	41%
4	13.6%	20.7%	39,970	42%	58%
5	16.6%	28.0%	43,000	53%	47%
6	17.3%	28.9%	46,800	53%	47%
7	19.1%	30.0%	49,160	68%	32%
8	20.4%	29.2%	51,710	68%	32%
9	15.2%	24.0%	51,520	42%	58%
10	19.8%	32.2%	51,520	57%	43%
11	16.9%	30.0%	41,440	57%	43%
12	22.9%	29.7%	52,510	77%	23%
13	17.5%	24.8%	43,600	65%	35%

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap .

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[1]Map the Meal Gap's child food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2009 Current Population Survey on children under 18 years old in food insecure households; data from the 2009 American Community Survey on median family incomes for households with children, child poverty rates, and race and ethnic demographics among children; and 2009 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates. Because congressional district estimates use a three-year average of unemployment data (2007-2009) and county-level estimates use unemployment data from one-year (2009), congressional district estimates are not directly comparable with county estimates.

[2]Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure children living in households with incomes above or below 185% of the federal poverty guideline for 2009. Eligibility for federal child nutrition programs is determined in part by income thresholds which can vary by state.