



Map the Meal Gap 2011

Child Food Insecurity by County, 2009¹



State	District	Total Child Population	Estimated Number of Food Insecure Children (rounded)	Child food Insecurity rate	Rank Among Congressional Districts (high to low)	Food insecure children income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ²	Food insecure children NOT income-eligible for federal nutrition assistance ³
TX	1	175,491	47,040	27.1%	140	73%	22%
TX	2	197,485	45,540	23.1%	263	65%	35%
TX	3	232,289	53,440	23.0%	more-	52%	48%
TX	4	210,557	53,650	25.5%	197	63%	37%
TX	5	183,618	47,140	25.7%	191	71%	29%
TX	6	219,817	55,970	25.5%	197	65%	34%
TX	7	184,480	38,770	21.0%	340	57%	48%
TX	8	193,708	51,190	26.5%	190	63%	37%
TX	9	208,437	61,360	29.4%	85	92%	8%
TX	10	245,473	56,810	23.0%	269	56%	44%
TX	11	175,790	50,130	28.5%	104	65%	35%
TX	12	212,936	61,400	28.8%	99	62%	38%
TX	13	167,851	44,960	26.8%	160	69%	31%
TX	14	200,506	53,020	26.4%	171	53%	42%
TX	15	241,826	101,360	41.9%	1	67%	33%
TX	16	213,254	77,400	36.3%	12	67%	33%
TX	17	177,511	48,600	27.4%	139	71%	29%
TX	18	193,067	59,740	30.9%	77	91%	9%
TX	19	171,125	47,780	27.9%	121	69%	31%
TX	20	190,052	66,500	35.0%	14	70%	30%
TX	21	199,986	45,620	22.8%	273	50%	51%
TX	22	241,757	52,520	21.7%	305	52%	48%
TX	23	227,592	75,330	33.1%	19	64%	36%
TX	24	210,968	50,190	23.8%	245	53%	42%
TX	25	187,719	55,230	29.4%	85	64%	36%
TX	26	242,507	61,400	25.3%	203	50%	44%
TX	27	215,455	81,820	37.8%	7	67%	33%
TX	28	264,055	99,710	37.8%	7	67%	33%
TX	29	221,350	82,980	37.5%	9	73%	22%
TX	30	201,648	64,680	32.1%	33	93%	7%
TX	31	225,887	55,730	24.6%	227	63%	37%
TX	32	179,842	56,590	31.5%	38	70%	31%

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

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¹Map 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.

²Numbers 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.