

Individual Poverty Status in Iowa: 2004-2006

Subject	2006						2005						2004					
	Total	Margin of Error	Below poverty level	Margin of Error	Percent below poverty level	Margin of Error	Total	Margin of Error	Below poverty level	Margin of Error	Percent below poverty level	Margin of Error	Total	Margin of Error	Below poverty level	Margin of Error	Percent below poverty level	Margin of Error
<b>Population for whom poverty status is determined</b>	2,878,398	+/-1,906	316,122	+/-11,956	11.00%	+/-0.4	2,853,572	+/-1,685	310,230	+/-11,991	10.90%	+/-0.4	2,839,648	+/-3,388	281,828	+/-18,439	9.9	+/-0.6
<b>AGE</b>																		
Under 18 years	698,013	+/-2,381	95,696	+/-6,059	13.70%	+/-0.9	658,957	+/-2,051	92,227	+/-6,583	14.00%	+/-1.0	668,866	+/-5,812	83,160	+/-8,887	12.4	+/-1.3
Related children under 18 years	693,327	+/-2,531	91,310	+/-6,023	13.20%	+/-0.9	655,682	+/-2,268	89,166	+/-6,524	13.60%	+/-1.0	665,412	+/-6,050	80,198	+/-9,247	12.1	+/-1.4
18 to 64 years	1,773,567	+/-2,347	187,801	+/-7,026	10.60%	+/-0.4	1,792,448	+/-1,658	186,333	+/-6,894	10.40%	+/-0.4	1,773,632	+/-5,623	167,565	+/-11,872	9.4	+/-0.7
65 years and over	406,818	+/-1,542	32,625	+/-2,471	8.00%	+/-0.6	402,167	+/-1,534	31,670	+/-2,388	7.90%	+/-0.6	397,150	+/-2,277	31,103	+/-3,310	7.8	+/-0.8
<b>SEX</b>																		
Male	1,419,296	+/-3,232	138,826	+/-6,159	9.80%	+/-0.4	1,405,779	+/-2,471	131,492	+/-6,055	9.40%	+/-0.4	1,396,958	+/-6,443	116,416	+/-8,213	8.3	+/-0.6
Female	1,459,102	+/-2,852	177,296	+/-7,279	12.20%	+/-0.5	1,447,793	+/-2,427	178,738	+/-7,984	12.30%	+/-0.5	1,442,690	+/-5,792	165,412	+/-12,041	11.5	+/-0.8
<b>RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN</b>																		
One race	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
White	2,681,933	+/-4,405	267,302	+/-11,104	10.00%	+/-0.4	2,668,116	+/-5,812	259,877	+/-11,006	9.70%	+/-0.4	2,666,346	+/-9,413	244,357	+/-16,837	9.2	+/-0.6
Black or African American	61,368	+/-2,990	19,116	+/-3,128	31.10%	+/-4.9	62,272	+/-2,833	20,653	+/-2,510	33.20%	+/-3.8	62,712	+/-5,570	23,098	+/-6,421	36.8	+/-9.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Asian	43,643	+/-2,338	6,815	+/-1,905	15.60%	+/-4.4	41,510	+/-1,518	5,785	+/-1,437	13.90%	+/-3.5	34,238	+/-2,543	5,094	+/-2,559	14.9	+/-7.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Some other race	44,470	+/-4,308	10,981	+/-2,288	24.70%	+/-4.6	43,797	+/-4,871	11,704	+/-3,220	26.70%	+/-6.7	36,067	+/-6,864	3,673	+/-10,200	10.2	+/-3.6
Two or more races	38,409	+/-3,505	9,533	+/-2,162	24.80%	+/-4.9	30,868	+/-3,645	9,490	+/-2,034	30.70%	+/-5.5	26,933	+/-5,120	2,988	+/-1,349	11.1	+/-4.6
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	108,586	+/-1,676	26,617	+/-3,852	24.50%	+/-3.6	105,518	+/-902	27,197	+/-4,172	25.80%	+/-3.9	103,794	+/-4,798	15,974	+/-3,919	15.4	+/-3.8
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	2,625,820	+/-2,501	253,554	+/-10,825	9.70%	+/-0.4	2,612,338	+/-2,367	246,609	+/-10,309	9.40%	+/-0.4	2,604,772	+/-3,715	233,240	+/-17,914	9	+/-0.7
<b>EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT</b>																		
Population 25 years and over	1,910,252	+/-3,133	152,857	+/-6,424	8.00%	+/-0.3	1,927,018	+/-2,798	147,007	+/-5,681	7.60%	+/-0.3	1,898,918	+/-7,175	141,155	+/-11,458	7.4	+/-0.6
Less than high school graduate	204,300	+/-6,269	41,823	+/-3,184	20.50%	+/-1.4	201,245	+/-5,899	38,755	+/-3,489	19.30%	+/-1.5	199,426	+/-16,778	37,114	+/-4,376	18.6	+/-1.8
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	676,774	+/-7,765	56,697	+/-3,582	8.40%	+/-0.5	692,441	+/-9,614	59,854	+/-4,036	8.60%	+/-0.6	674,614	+/-20,788	57,861	+/-7,841	8.6	+/-1.0
Some college, associate's degree	563,598	+/-10,060	38,943	+/-3,113	6.90%	+/-0.5	574,625	+/-10,029	35,444	+/-2,692	6.20%	+/-0.4	570,763	+/-18,671	32,610	+/-4,676	5.7	+/-0.8
Bachelor's degree or higher	465,580	+/-9,421	15,394	+/-1,591	3.30%	+/-0.3	458,707	+/-8,167	12,954	+/-1,711	2.80%	+/-0.4	454,115	+/-22,581	13,570	+/-3,089	3	+/-0.7
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS</b>																		
Civilian labor force 16 years and over	1,600,163	+/-8,078	120,667	+/-6,237	7.50%	+/-0.4	1,588,632	+/-8,033	115,269	+/-5,266	7.30%	+/-0.3	1,570,138	+/-13,435	108,920	+/-9,777	6.9	+/-0.6
Employed	1,522,120	+/-9,468	96,573	+/-5,116	6.30%	+/-0.3	1,507,271	+/-9,646	90,132	+/-4,872	6.00%	+/-0.3	1,479,472	+/-15,985	79,915	+/-9,779	5.4	+/-0.7
Male	803,430	+/-5,606	44,216	+/-3,446	5.50%	+/-0.4	791,060	+/-6,690	37,015	+/-2,974	4.70%	+/-0.4	781,204	+/-11,116	27,965	+/-3,901	3.6	+/-0.5
Female	718,690	+/-7,177	52,357	+/-3,420	7.30%	+/-0.5	716,211	+/-5,884	53,117	+/-3,419	7.40%	+/-0.5	698,268	+/-10,090	51,950	+/-7,222	7.4	+/-1.0
Unemployed	78,043	+/-4,803	24,094	+/-2,711	30.90%	+/-2.8	81,361	+/-4,865	25,137	+/-2,453	30.90%	+/-2.4	90,666	+/-7,652	29,005	+/-4,648	32	+/-4.2
Male	40,556	+/-3,336	10,980	+/-2,055	27.10%	+/-4.2	45,904	+/-3,543	12,536	+/-1,826	27.30%	+/-3.3	46,081	+/-6,454	13,052	+/-2,913	28.3	+/-5.0
Female	37,487	+/-3,123	13,114	+/-1,781	35.00%	+/-3.7	35,457	+/-2,782	12,601	+/-1,554	35.50%	+/-3.2	44,585	+/-4,631	15,953	+/-4,005	35.8	+/-7.3
<b>WORK EXPERIENCE</b>																		
Population 16 years and over	2,262,932	+/-2,607	231,459	+/-8,592	10.20%	+/-0.4	2,274,774	+/-2,651	227,193	+/-7,952	10.00%	+/-0.3	2,254,330	+/-5,367	206,172	+/-12,150	9.1	+/-0.5
Worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	999,901	+/-7,964	18,485	+/-1,935	1.80%	+/-0.2	1,007,761	+/-10,139	17,990	+/-2,378	1.80%	+/-0.2	1,004,788	+/-23,031	17,325	+/-3,981	1.7	+/-0.4
Worked part-time or part-year in the past 12 months	711,692	+/-9,098	117,435	+/-6,710	16.50%	+/-0.9	708,041	+/-9,779	113,464	+/-4,900	16.00%	+/-0.7	686,199	+/-20,944	98,484	+/-8,879	14.4	+/-1.2
Did not work	551,339	+/-7,878	95,539	+/-5,028	17.30%	+/-0.8	558,972	+/-7,622	95,739	+/-4,973	17.10%	+/-0.8	563,343	+/-14,200	90,363	+/-6,922	16	+/-1.0
<b>All Individuals below:</b>																		
50 percent of poverty level	138,400	+/-8,336	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	136,392	+/-9,321	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	113,806	+/-14,588	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
125 percent of poverty level	433,478	+/-13,869	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	428,615	+/-13,614	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	422,551	+/-24,327	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
150 percent of poverty level	561,563	+/-15,722	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	548,086	+/-15,067	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	548,002	+/-33,362	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
185 percent of poverty level	742,201	+/-16,980	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	734,967	+/-15,989	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	737,007	+/-47,224	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
200 percent of poverty level	828,889	+/-16,526	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	814,355	+/-16,008	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	825,185	+/-53,288	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Note: Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

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