

Female-headed Family Poverty Status for the U.S. and all States: 1990 and 2000
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	Total	Below poverty		With related children Under age 18			With related children Under age 5**			Total	Below poverty		With related children Under age 18			With related children Under age 5**		
		Number	Percent	Total	Number	Percent	Total	Number	Percent		Total	Number	Percent	Total	Number	Percent		
United States	12,500,761	3,315,916	26.5%	8,575,028	2,940,459	34.3%	3,020,412	1,401,493	46.4%	10,381,654	3,230,201	31.1%	6,783,155	2,866,941	42.3%	2,532,331	1,452,618	57.4%
Alabama	240,758	85,644	35.6%	165,605	73,882	44.6%	59,084	33,426	56.6%	195,207	79,510	40.7%	129,942	67,736	52.1%	47,537	31,185	65.6%
Alaska	23,457	4,686	20.0%	18,607	4,407	23.7%	6,777	2,428	35.8%	17,565	4,238	24.1%	14,441	4,050	28.0%	6,147	2,397	39.0%
Arizona	201,775	52,017	25.8%	143,678	46,150	32.1%	53,060	23,205	43.7%	138,233	43,657	31.6%	97,200	38,910	40.0%	37,618	21,203	56.4%
Arkansas	122,577	42,523	34.7%	86,959	38,037	43.7%	33,385	18,591	55.7%	95,435	39,345	41.2%	65,936	34,370	52.1%	23,818	15,937	66.9%
California	1,401,078	350,138	25.0%	954,733	310,533	32.5%	336,101	147,900	44.0%	1,161,674	304,579	26.2%	765,230	276,033	36.1%	297,511	149,729	50.3%
Colorado	152,138	31,283	20.6%	109,297	28,478	26.1%	36,524	14,217	38.9%	121,275	36,245	29.9%	86,184	33,445	38.8%	30,638	17,519	57.2%
Connecticut	152,331	29,897	19.6%	100,719	26,802	26.6%	35,176	13,097	37.2%	136,381	29,634	21.7%	80,651	27,396	34.0%	29,404	15,141	51.5%
Delaware	37,570	7,671	20.4%	26,419	6,950	26.3%	9,197	3,413	37.1%	28,022	6,250	22.3%	17,625	5,609	31.8%	6,357	2,878	45.3%
District of Columbia	47,558	14,272	30.0%	32,651	12,184	37.3%	12,982	6,186	47.7%	48,432	12,164	25.1%	31,785	10,495	33.0%	14,065	5,868	41.7%
Florida	739,159	187,257	25.3%	501,641	164,596	32.8%	169,759	75,752	44.6%	533,410	151,639	28.4%	344,652	133,078	38.6%	127,707	68,852	53.9%
Georgia	422,429	120,303	28.5%	299,426	105,840	35.3%	107,779	49,472	45.9%	322,845	110,893	34.3%	220,321	97,665	44.3%	84,235	48,318	57.4%
Hawaii	48,543	10,024	20.6%	29,615	8,737	29.5%	10,371	3,879	37.4%	35,368	6,937	19.6%	21,428	6,382	29.8%	8,220	3,426	41.7%
Idaho	39,697	10,982	27.7%	28,853	10,178	35.3%	9,880	4,865	49.2%	27,854	9,242	33.2%	20,152	8,528	42.3%	6,668	4,080	61.2%
Illinois	544,698	131,485	24.1%	363,650	116,851	32.1%	131,991	57,509	43.6%	491,319	150,913	30.7%	313,657	135,526	43.2%	120,161	70,427	58.6%
Indiana	249,224	58,402	23.4%	174,606	53,075	30.4%	64,465	28,086	43.6%	209,587	62,068	29.6%	140,655	55,810	39.7%	49,002	27,358	55.8%
Iowa	93,952	22,015	23.4%	66,461	20,292	30.5%	23,825	10,982	46.1%	81,914	27,404	33.5%	55,684	25,140	45.1%	20,000	12,828	64.1%
Kansas	92,796	21,793	23.5%	67,084	19,919	29.7%	22,931	10,209	44.5%	78,916	24,327	30.8%	54,944	21,963	40.0%	19,554	11,213	57.3%
Kentucky	183,085	60,657	33.1%	124,938	53,320	42.7%	44,098	24,661	55.9%	153,766	60,887	39.6%	99,403	51,519	51.8%	32,739	22,177	67.7%
Louisiana	270,072	109,526	40.6%	194,014	95,891	49.4%	73,920	44,883	60.7%	229,869	114,006	49.6%	163,969	98,525	60.1%	64,446	47,330	73.4%
Maine	47,413	13,327	28.1%	33,461	12,183	36.4%	10,131	5,544	54.7%	42,630	12,745	29.9%	28,600	11,896	41.6%	9,636	6,050	62.8%
Maryland	271,045	49,841	18.4%	186,912	43,754	23.4%	62,535	20,403	32.6%	228,559	47,808	20.9%	144,963	42,170	29.1%	54,801	21,948	40.1%
Massachusetts	280,387	61,880	22.1%	178,537	55,625	31.2%	58,477	26,564	45.4%	261,809	64,764	24.7%	151,390	59,636	39.4%	57,036	33,070	58.0%
Michigan	459,764	110,549	24.0%	317,104	99,905	31.5%	114,056	50,393	44.2%	433,466	155,142	35.8%	294,950	141,744	48.1%	117,917	76,198	64.6%
Minnesota	161,845	31,233	19.3%	115,389	28,878	25.0%	39,151	14,824	37.9%	135,152	39,519	29.2%	91,599	36,613	40.0%	33,458	19,778	59.1%
Mississippi	177,817	71,541	40.2%	129,085	62,113	48.1%	50,349	28,798	57.2%	141,775	71,668	50.6%	101,549	62,305	61.4%	40,096	29,066	72.5%
Missouri	247,883	64,805	26.1%	175,630	58,798	33.5%	60,953	28,393	46.6%	203,365	63,941	31.4%	135,494	56,922	42.0%	49,368	28,721	58.2%
Montana	31,166	10,343	33.2%	22,842	9,509	41.6%	7,858	4,596	58.5%	25,885	10,270	39.7%	19,072	9,407	49.3%	6,738	4,521	67.1%
Nebraska	58,762	14,126	24.0%	42,122	13,078	31.0%	14,947	6,718	44.9%	49,071	14,508	29.6%	33,611	13,292	39.5%	12,193	7,304	59.9%
Nevada	80,819	16,598	20.5%	57,254	15,085	26.3%	21,465	7,842	36.5%	46,004	10,683	23.2%	31,399	9,774	31.1%	12,023	5,370	44.7%
New Hampshire	41,019	7,237	17.6%	28,271	6,656	23.5%	8,149	3,342	41.0%	33,217	5,860	17.6%	20,922	5,307	25.4%	6,777	3,017	44.5%
New Jersey	372,959	72,261	19.4%	228,302	62,646	27.4%	74,598	27,787	37.2%	328,435	67,594	20.6%	184,405	60,563	32.8%	64,811	29,730	45.9%
New Mexico	87,624	29,891	34.1%	63,764	26,547	41.6%	23,649	12,844	54.3%	62,299	25,502	40.9%	44,999	22,567	50.2%	17,294	10,760	62.2%
New York	1,011,083	294,906	29.2%	663,399	257,263	38.8%	231,792	115,454	49.8%	903,490	271,681	30.1%	553,491	240,040	43.4%	216,808	124,058	57.2%
North Carolina	380,400	104,265	27.4%	263,914	90,584	34.3%	93,739	42,981	45.9%	302,590	93,929	31.0%	197,185	81,111	41.1%	70,730	39,565	55.9%
North Dakota	19,561	5,983	30.6%	13,971	5,402	38.7%	5,286	2,964	56.1%	17,193	6,527	38.0%	11,906	5,996	50.4%	4,285	3,008	70.2%
Ohio	521,404	137,052	26.3%	358,746	124,213	34.6%	130,249	64,025	49.2%	466,441	157,143	33.7%	305,674	141,748	46.4%	113,413	71,552	63.1%
Oklahoma	146,795	46,981	32.0%	105,226	41,899	39.8%	37,175	20,090	54.0%	120,772	46,243	38.3%	84,550	40,807	48.3%	29,399	19,109	65.0%
Oregon	124,787	32,276	25.9%	88,841	29,589	33.3%	31,070	14,730	47.4%	97,605	29,786	30.5%	68,380	27,346	40.0%	24,108	14,684	60.9%
Pennsylvania	539,748	134,560	24.9%	340,074	118,782	34.9%	116,446	55,163	47.4%	492,070	137,239	27.9%	281,384	119,205	42.4%	101,787	59,427	58.4%
Rhode Island	50,212	14,611	29.1%	33,683	13,515	40.1%	12,313	6,821	55.4%	41,685	11,061	26.5%	24,727	10,312	41.7%	9,286	5,773	62.2%
South Carolina	219,759	67,249	30.6%	154,988	58,503	37.7%	53,547	25,796	48.2%	171,778	61,878	36.0%	117,191	53,668	45.8%	44,330	25,889	58.4%
South Dakota	25,343	7,696	30.4%	18,945	7,174	37.9%	7,560	4,041	53.5%	19,983	7,739	38.7%	14,609	7,136	48.8%	5,716	3,785	66.2%
Tennessee	280,107	82,655	29.5%	192,065	72,272	37.6%	68,805	34,539	50.2%	227,322	78,055	34.3%	146,258	66,148	45.2%	52,090	30,920	59.4%
Texas	903,869	266,954	29.5%	650,433	235,353	36.2%	235,601	111,163	47.2%	682,743	241,700	35.4%	477,402	208,016	43.6%	175,451	99,997	57.0%
Utah	62,561	13,849	22.1%	43,360	12,557	29.0%	15,340	6,429	41.9%	46,839	14,210	30.3%	34,025	13,234	38.9%	13,100	7,485	57.1%
Vermont	21,231	5,107	24.1%	15,418	4,778	31.0%	4,377	2,163	49.4%	18,719	5,029	26.9%	13,071	4,762	36.4%	4,522	2,425	53.6%

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Virginia	310,716	71,397	23.0%	212,640	63,280	29.8%	70,200	28,548	40.7%	248,681	66,480	26.7%	157,843	57,485	36.4%	55,785	28,048	50.3%	
Washington	216,983	52,290	24.1%	157,053	48,358	30.8%	52,882	24,089	45.6%	169,988	51,193	30.1%	120,673	47,630	39.5%	43,474	25,006	57.5%	
West Virginia	76,563	27,193	35.5%	46,886	22,892	48.8%	14,903	9,355	62.8%	70,949	28,203	39.8%	42,238	23,222	55.0%	13,272	9,495	71.5%	
Wisconsin	191,830	41,608	21.7%	135,464	38,464	28.4%	47,353	20,118	42.5%	170,445	53,139	31.2%	115,227	49,932	43.3%	43,130	26,703	61.9%	
Wyoming	16,409	5,077	30.9%	12,293	4,682	38.1%	4,151	2,215	53.4%	13,622	5,024	36.9%	10,509	4,767	45.4%	3,670	2,290	62.4%	

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Decennial Censuses

2000 Census: SF3, American FactFinder, Table P90

1990 Census: STF3, American Fact Finder, Table P123

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