

HUNGER IN LEWIS COUNTY

Food Insecurity

In Lewis County 15,189 residents are food insecure. This means 1 in 5 of the county's population are unsure of where their next meal will come from.



Food Bank Participation

Lewis County food banks receiving funds from the WSDA Food Assistance Program served 15,961 people in need of food last year. These people visited food banks 75,583 times to get nutritious foods including meats, dairy, produce and grains.

Poverty Rate

In Lewis County it is estimated that over 13% of people are living under the poverty levels. An income at the poverty level is not enough for families and individuals in Washington to survive. According to the USDA Food and Nutrition Services Department the poverty level for a family of 2 is less than \$14,580 a year and \$22,056 for a family of 4.



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