

HUNGER IN MASON COUNTY

Food Insecurity

In Mason County 11,039 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

Mason County food banks receiving funds from the WSDA Food Assistance Program served 10,352 people in need of food last year. These people visited food banks 93,284 times to get nutritious foods including meats, dairy, produce and grains.

Poverty Rate

In Mason County it is estimated that over 15% of people are living under the poverty levels. An income at the poverty level is not enough for families and individuals to in Washington 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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