



# Hart County

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## Demographics

	<u>2010</u> <sup>1</sup>	<u>2018</u> <sup>2</sup>	<u>2025</u> <sup>3</sup> (Projection)	<u>Families with Own Children</u> <sup>4</sup>	<u>2013-2017</u>
<b>Population</b>					
Total population	18,199	18,906	18,836	... Married couple	1,588 (+/-178)
... Under 20 years old	5,032	5,040	4,886	... Female householder	408 (+/-117)
... Ages 65 and over	2,713	3,132	3,764	... Male householder	113 (+/-74)

## Youth

	<u>2013-2017</u>
# of grandparents who live with and are responsible for grandchildren <sup>4</sup>	197 (+/-89)
% of own children under 6 years old with all parents in the labor force <sup>4</sup>	41.7% (+/-10.1%)
<b>STARS certified and licensed child care:</b> <sup>5</sup>	<u>2018</u>
... Number of Providers	3
... Capacity	127

## Education

	<u>2013-2017</u>
% of population 25 and over with high school or higher <sup>4</sup>	74.9% (+/-2.1%)
% of population 25 and over with bachelor's degree or higher <sup>4</sup>	12.6% (+/-2.0%)
% of 3rd grade students scoring proficient or distinguished on math in the 2017-18 school year <sup>5</sup>	39.5%
# of children enrolled in Head Start during the 2017-18 school year <sup>5</sup>	44
<b>High school graduates in 2017:</b> <sup>7</sup>	
... average high school GPA	3.12
... % earning an industry certificate	59.4%
... % college/career ready	70.6%

## Income/Earnings

Median household income (2017) <sup>6</sup>	\$38,182 (\$34,339-\$42,025)
Median earnings in past 12 months <sup>4</sup>	<u>2013-2017</u>
... Women	\$20,368 (+/- \$1,716)
... Men	\$34,372 (+/- \$2,756)
... High school graduate	\$30,419 (+/- \$2,796)
... Bachelor's degree	\$37,222 (+/- \$11,364)

## Agriculture

# of farms	<u>2017</u> <sup>8</sup> 1,287	Farms with food sold directly to consumers	<u>2017</u> <sup>8</sup> 68
% of land in farms	64.3%	Value of food sold directly to consumers	\$439,000
% of farms operated by a family or an individual	92.6%	Processed or value-added agricultural products sold	
% of principal producers under age 35	11.5%	... Farms	9
% of principal producers who are female	29.3%	... Value	\$146,000
# of new and beginning principal producers	477	Food sold directly to retail markets, institutions, and food hubs for local or regionally branded products	
# of farms with income from agri-tourism and recreational services	23	... Farms	3
		... Value	\$9,000

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## Employment

	<b>2017</b>
Total employment (# of jobs) <sup>9</sup>	9,530
	<b>2016</b>
# of establishments w/ 1-9 employees <sup>10</sup>	234
% of establishments w/ 1-9 employees <sup>10</sup>	81.3%
Nonemployer establishments (w/o employees) <sup>11</sup>	1,670
% of workers ages 16 and over who: <sup>4</sup>	<b>2013-2017</b>
... work inside the county	54.5% (+/-3.0%)
... work outside the county	45.3% (+/-3.0%)
... work outside the state	0.2% (+/-0.2%)

## Coal Employment

	<b>2011<sup>12</sup></b>	<b>2016<sup>13</sup></b>
(-- = no data)		
Direct employment at coal mines	--	--
% of total employment	--	--

## Health

	<b>2015-2017</b>
% of adults with obesity <sup>14</sup>	28% (18.82-38.37%)
% of adults with diabetes <sup>14</sup>	8% (3.96-17.01%)
% of adults reporting a time in past year they needed to see a doctor but could not because of the cost <sup>14</sup>	17% (9.62-27.18%)

## Substance Abuse

### Drug-related inpatient hospitalizations and emergency department visits for overdose among county residents<sup>15</sup>

	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>
Heroin	0	1-4	0	Benzodiazepines (i.e. Valium, etc.)	1-4	5	6
Cocaine	0	1-4	0	Antidepressants	1-4	5	1-4
Opioids other than Heroin	1-4	6	1-4	Any Substance	41	49	38

### Drug overdose deaths among county residents<sup>16</sup>

	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>
All Drug Overdose Deaths	1-4	1-4	6	Involving Benzodiazepines	0	0	0
Involving Heroin	1-4	0	0	Involving Fentanyl	0	0	0

## Poverty/Insecurity

% of workers ages 16 and over who worked full-time year-round and were below poverty (2013-2017) <sup>4</sup>	7.7% (+/-2.5%)
Estimated food insecurity rate (2017) <sup>17</sup>	15.1%
Youth under age 18 who lived in households that received Supplemental Security Income (SSI), cash public assistance, or food stamps/SNAP in the past 12 months (2013-2017) <sup>4</sup>	1,152 (+/-218)
Children determined by the Dept. of Community Based Services to have been victims of child abuse or neglect (2018) <sup>18</sup>	163

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