



# Map the Meal Gap 2014:

## Overall Food Insecurity in Virginia by County in 2012 <sup>1</sup>



County	Population	Food insecurity rate	Estimated number food insecure individuals (rounded)	Likely Income Eligibility for Federal Nutrition Assistance <sup>2</sup>		
				% below 130% poverty <i>SNAP, WIC, free school meals, CSFP, TEAP</i>	% between 130% and 185% poverty <i>WIC, reduced price school meals</i>	% above 185% poverty <i>Charitable Response</i>
Accomack	33,454	14.6%	4,890	68%	18%	14%
Albemarle	99,484	9.8%	9,760	43%	13%	44%
Alleghany	16,297	10.0%	1,620	54%	22%	24%
Amelia	12,674	10.9%	1,380	57%	27%	16%
Amherst	32,301	11.9%	3,860	48%	22%	30%
Appomattox	14,952	13.2%	1,970	52%	15%	33%
Arlington	209,077	9.4%	19,550	37%	11%	52%
Augusta	73,662	8.6%	6,320	52%	23%	25%
Bath	4,713	9.3%	440	100%	0%	0%
Bedford	68,750	8.3%	5,730	53%	17%	30%
Bland	6,827	9.8%	670	52%	26%	22%
Botetourt	33,074	7.1%	2,340	43%	18%	39%
Brunswick	17,372	20.9%	3,630	51%	20%	29%
Buchanan	24,071	13.4%	3,220	82%	13%	5%
Buckingham	17,071	16.7%	2,850	46%	13%	41%
Campbell	54,797	11.3%	6,190	60%	21%	19%
Caroline	28,510	11.6%	3,300	40%	25%	35%
Carroll	29,989	12.2%	3,670	82%	17%	1%
Charles City	7,226	14.4%	1,040	39%	27%	34%
Charlotte	12,546	15.0%	1,880	57%	34%	9%
Chesterfield	316,895	9.4%	29,930	34%	18%	48%
Clarke	14,143	7.8%	1,110	39%	8%	54%
Craig	5,186	8.5%	440	48%	35%	17%
Culpeper	46,894	10.1%	4,730	44%	20%	36%
Cumberland	9,951	13.7%	1,360	63%	30%	8%
Dickenson	15,877	13.0%	2,060	75%	18%	7%
Dinwiddie	27,926	13.0%	3,640	46%	18%	36%
Essex	11,130	14.3%	1,600	48%	39%	13%
Fairfax	1,083,770	6.7%	72,970	40%	12%	48%
Fauquier	65,495	7.0%	4,580	38%	21%	41%
Floyd	15,268	9.8%	1,500	64%	20%	17%
Fluvanna	25,749	7.7%	1,980	39%	8%	53%
Franklin	56,012	10.6%	5,960	65%	21%	15%
Frederick	78,397	7.7%	6,000	50%	18%	31%
Giles	17,149	10.6%	1,810	61%	18%	20%
Gloucester	36,821	8.5%	3,110	43%	21%	37%
Goochland	21,496	7.2%	1,560	27%	12%	62%
Grayson	15,535	12.8%	1,990	79%	14%	8%
Greene	18,453	8.4%	1,550	54%	24%	22%
Greensville	12,127	19.4%	2,360	37%	16%	48%
Halifax	36,140	16.9%	6,100	61%	31%	9%
Hanover	99,964	7.5%	7,460	30%	16%	54%
Henrico	307,576	12.5%	38,480	41%	17%	42%
Henry	53,971	14.8%	8,000	63%	27%	10%
Highland	2,317	8.6%	200	55%	16%	29%
Isle of Wight	35,240	10.8%	3,810	42%	21%	37%
James City	66,939	8.9%	5,990	41%	11%	48%
King and Queen	6,968	11.9%	830	42%	27%	31%
King George	23,739	9.9%	2,360	26%	16%	58%
King William	15,861	9.7%	1,540	37%	21%	43%
Lancaster	11,371	12.6%	1,430	43%	18%	39%
Lee	25,528	13.8%	3,530	73%	16%	11%
Loudoun	314,980	5.2%	16,510	29%	11%	60%
Louisa	33,083	10.5%	3,480	50%	19%	31%
Lunenburg	12,838	16.4%	2,100	55%	27%	18%
Madison	13,270	9.8%	1,300	57%	20%	23%
Mathews	8,965	9.1%	820	52%	19%	30%

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Mecklenburg	32,548	17.3%	5,620	57%	25%	18%
Middlesex	10,855	10.0%	1,080	41%	17%	42%
Montgomery	94,179	14.7%	13,810	68%	5%	27%
Nelson	15,000	10.6%	1,590	56%	19%	25%
New Kent	18,460	7.8%	1,450	36%	18%	47%
Northampton	12,408	17.1%	2,130	62%	24%	14%
Northumberland	12,389	12.1%	1,500	40%	32%	28%
Nottoway	15,875	15.7%	2,500	51%	29%	20%
Orange	33,625	10.5%	3,530	50%	15%	35%
Page	24,038	12.6%	3,040	62%	25%	13%
Patrick	18,513	12.2%	2,250	66%	20%	15%
Pittsylvania	63,318	12.6%	8,000	55%	21%	24%
Powhatan	28,003	7.2%	2,010	25%	13%	62%
Prince Edward	23,017	16.6%	3,820	44%	22%	34%
Prince George	36,013	11.3%	4,080	26%	18%	56%
Prince William	404,011	7.9%	32,110	37%	16%	47%
Pulaski	34,869	11.5%	4,000	63%	19%	18%
Rappahannock	7,440	8.9%	660	56%	15%	29%
Richmond	9,234	14.3%	1,320	40%	17%	42%
Roanoke	92,432	8.3%	7,650	39%	17%	44%
Rockbridge	22,357	10.3%	2,300	60%	25%	15%
Rockingham	76,353	8.8%	6,690	57%	25%	18%
Russell	28,773	13.0%	3,750	74%	17%	9%
Scott	23,061	12.3%	2,830	71%	17%	12%
Shenandoah	42,076	10.3%	4,350	60%	16%	24%
Smyth	32,103	13.6%	4,370	73%	17%	10%
Southampton	18,576	15.1%	2,810	48%	17%	35%
Spotsylvania	122,854	8.5%	10,470	43%	15%	42%
Stafford	129,446	7.6%	9,780	28%	15%	57%
Surry	6,988	13.9%	970	46%	30%	25%
Sussex	12,095	18.1%	2,190	37%	27%	37%
Tazewell	44,846	12.3%	5,500	72%	20%	8%
Warren	37,567	9.7%	3,630	46%	23%	32%
Washington	54,691	10.6%	5,780	61%	18%	21%
Westmoreland	17,468	13.1%	2,290	61%	21%	18%
Wise	41,361	14.2%	5,890	73%	13%	14%
Wythe	29,203	11.3%	3,300	67%	19%	14%
York	65,503	8.3%	5,440	30%	17%	53%
Alexandria city	140,337	11.9%	16,660	39%	12%	49%
Bedford city	6,103	16.7%	1,020	55%	16%	29%
Bristol city	17,747	15.5%	2,750	72%	21%	7%
Buena Vista city	6,679	13.8%	920	60%	31%	9%
Charlottesville city	43,223	17.9%	7,740	67%	11%	22%
Chesapeake city	223,233	11.4%	25,510	35%	16%	49%
Colonial Heights city	17,426	11.2%	1,950	32%	23%	44%
Covington city	5,903	15.4%	910	63%	20%	18%
Danville city	43,185	21.7%	9,390	63%	26%	11%
Emporia city	5,825	26.0%	1,520	70%	28%	2%
Fairfax city	22,712	7.6%	1,730	37%	7%	56%
Falls Church city	12,300	8.2%	1,010	27%	6%	67%
Franklin city	8,531	23.1%	1,970	54%	28%	18%
Fredericksburg city	24,932	17.6%	4,390	46%	18%	36%
Galax city	6,942	15.2%	1,060	88%	9%	3%
Hampton city	137,471	17.2%	23,660	41%	22%	37%
Harrisonburg city	49,043	18.5%	9,060	77%	6%	18%
Hopewell city	22,501	18.8%	4,220	58%	27%	15%
Lexington city	6,990	17.7%	1,240	38%	1%	61%
Lynchburg city	75,657	18.0%	13,600	58%	15%	27%
Manassas city	37,943	9.8%	3,730	57%	13%	30%
Manassas Park city	14,409	7.5%	1,090	40%	16%	43%
Martinsville city	13,854	24.3%	3,370	63%	21%	16%
Newport News city	180,831	16.8%	30,330	44%	22%	35%
Norfolk city	243,056	18.8%	45,770	50%	23%	27%

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Norton city	3,971	15.0%	590	72%	14%	14%
Petersburg city	32,226	25.4%	8,180	54%	27%	19%
Poquoson city	12,110	6.1%	740	30%	21%	49%
Portsmouth city	95,786	18.6%	17,840	45%	24%	31%
Radford city	16,511	18.9%	3,120	73%	6%	21%
Richmond city	205,348	21.7%	44,510	60%	21%	20%
Roanoke city	96,742	16.9%	16,330	62%	21%	17%
Salem city	24,792	11.2%	2,790	52%	17%	32%
Staunton city	23,906	13.6%	3,260	54%	18%	29%
Suffolk city	84,216	13.7%	11,510	40%	18%	42%
Virginia Beach city	439,528	10.9%	48,120	34%	19%	46%
Waynesboro city	21,030	14.0%	2,930	63%	10%	27%
Williamsburg city	14,207	19.0%	2,700	33%	8%	59%
Winchester city	26,330	14.6%	3,840	67%	14%	19%
<b>State Total<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>8,185,867</b>	<b>12.1%</b>	<b>993,530</b>	<b>47.8%</b>	<b>18.3%</b>	<b>33.9%</b>

For additional data and maps by county, state, and congressional district, please visit [www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap](http://www.feedingamerica.org/mapthegap).

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<sup>1</sup>Map the Meal Gap's food insecurity rates are determined using data from the 2001-2012 Current Population Survey on individuals in food insecure households; data from the 2012 American Community Survey on median household incomes, poverty rates, homeownership, and race and ethnic demographics; and 2012 data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics on unemployment rates.

<sup>2</sup>Numbers reflect percentage of food insecure individuals living in households with incomes within the income bands indicated. Eligibility for federal nutrition programs is determined in part by these income thresholds which can vary by state.