

## National Comparative Data — Percentage of Persons in Poverty Three-Year Average Rate by State

State	2017-2019	2018-2020	2019-2021	2020-2022	2021-2023	2022-2024	2024 Rank*
Alabama	14.7%	14.6%	14.6%	14.8%	14.6%	14.7%	47
Alaska	11.8	12.2	11.7	11.5	10.4	9.7	27
Arizona	12.1	11.2	11.2	12.1	12.4	11.6	34
Arkansas	15.0	14.7	15.1	15.9	15.8	14.5	46
California	11.4	11.0	11.0	11.4	11.7	11.2	33
Colorado	9.1	9.3	8.9	8.5	8.2	8.1	6
Connecticut	9.7	9.9	9.2	9.8	8.8	9.2	21
Delaware	7.6	8.1	9.6	10.5	9.6	8.5	12
District of Columbia	13.7	14.6	14.5	14.7	13.4	12.4	40
Florida	12.9	12.8	12.5	13.1	12.5	12.1	38
Georgia	13.3	13.4	13.1	13.0	12.9	12.4	40
Hawaii	9.4	9.5	10.1	10.2	9.3	8.6	14
Idaho	10.0	9.2	8.5	8.9	8.9	8.5	12
Illinois	10.4	9.2	9.3	9.4	10.0	10.3	31
Indiana	11.1	11.2	10.9	10.9	9.7	9.1	19
<b>IOWA</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>11</b>
Kansas	10.4	8.7	8.6	9.0	8.9	8.9	18
Kentucky	14.2	14.4	14.6	15.8	15.7	15.5	48
Louisiana	19.1	17.4	17.2	16.9	18.9	19.4	51
Maine	11.5	10.0	9.2	8.9	8.7	8.1	6
Maryland	7.5	8.1	8.0	8.6	8.5	8.3	9
Massachusetts	9.2	8.2	7.9	8.5	8.8	9.2	21
Michigan	10.7	10.6	11.0	11.7	11.9	11.9	36
Minnesota	7.4	7.3	7.0	7.7	7.2	7.2	3
Mississippi	19.1	18.8	18.1	17.8	17.3	17.4	50
Missouri	11.0	10.8	10.8	11.5	11.1	10.2	29
Montana	10.1	10.3	10.4	10.7	9.7	8.7	17
Nebraska	10.3	9.2	8.4	8.1	8.4	8.0	5
Nevada	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.6	12.9	12.6	42
New Hampshire	5.6	5.3	5.6	7.1	7.1	6.8	2
New Jersey	8.2	7.6	7.4	8.2	8.4	9.1	19
New Mexico	17.2	16.2	16.7	18.2	18.5	17.2	49
New York	12.1	11.8	12.3	12.4	12.1	11.6	34
North Carolina	13.6	13.2	12.8	13.3	13.2	14.0	45
North Dakota	10.1	9.5	9.1	9.6	9.3	9.3	24
Ohio	12.4	12.3	12.3	11.5	10.9	10.5	32
Oklahoma	12.4	13.2	13.8	15.8	14.9	13.7	43
Oregon	9.8	9.1	9.0	9.5	9.8	9.6	26
Pennsylvania	10.5	10.4	10.0	10.8	10.7	10.2	29
Rhode Island	9.8	8.8	9.0	8.8	8.9	9.3	24
South Carolina	14.4	13.7	14.1	13.3	12.7	11.9	36
South Dakota	10.6	10.9	10.2	9.7	8.3	8.6	14
Tennessee	12.1	12.8	12.2	11.4	10.6	10.1	28
Texas	12.7	12.9	12.9	13.7	13.1	12.3	39
Utah	7.6	7.2	7.5	7.1	6.7	6.6	1
Vermont	9.0	9.0	8.2	8.4	7.7	7.6	4
Virginia	9.7	8.8	8.8	8.6	9.2	8.6	14
Washington	8.8	7.9	7.6	8.3	8.5	9.2	21
West Virginia	15.6	14.6	15.0	15.6	15.3	13.9	44
Wisconsin	8.7	8.3	8.6	8.0	8.4	8.3	9
Wyoming	10.5	9.5	9.4	8.7	8.6	8.1	6
United States	11.5	11.2	11.2	11.5	11.4	11.1	

\*A ranking of "1" indicates the state has the lowest percentage of persons in poverty.