

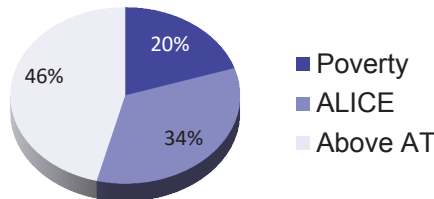
ALICE IN MILWAUKEE COUNTY

2014 Point-in-Time Data

Population: 956,406 | **Number of Households:** 382,382
Median Household Income: \$42,765 (state average: \$52,622)
Unemployment Rate: 8.5% (state average: 5.3%)
Gini Coefficient (zero = equality; one = inequality): 0.48 (state average: 0.44)

How many households are struggling?

ALICE, an acronym for **A**sset **L**imited, **I**ncome **C**onstrained, **E**mloyed, are households that earn more than the Federal Poverty Level, but less than the basic cost of living for the county (the ALICE Threshold). Combined, the number of poverty and ALICE households equals the total population struggling to afford basic needs.



What are the economic conditions?

The **Economic Viability Dashboard** evaluates community conditions for ALICE in three core areas. Each is an index with a scale of 1 (worst) to 100 (best).

Housing Affordability
poor (18)

Job Opportunities
poor (42)

Community Resources
fair (53)

What does it cost to afford the basic necessities?

This bare-minimum budget does not allow for any savings, leaving a household vulnerable to unexpected expenses. Affording only a very modest living in each community, this budget is still significantly more than the Federal Poverty Level of \$11,670 for a single adult and \$23,850 for a family of four.

Household Survival Budget, Milwaukee County		
	SINGLE ADULT	2 ADULTS, 1 INFANT, 1 PRESCHOOLER
Housing	\$524	\$812
Child Care	\$-	\$1,648
Food	\$176	\$533
Transportation	\$351	\$702
Health Care	\$147	\$587
Miscellaneous	\$192	\$508
Taxes	\$726	\$796
Monthly Total	\$2,116	\$5,586
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$25,392	\$67,032
Hourly Wage	\$12.70	\$33.52

Source: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA), Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Wisconsin Department of Revenue, and Wisconsin Department of Children and Families, 2014; American Community Survey, 2014.

Milwaukee County, 2014		
Town	Total HH	% ALICE & Poverty
Bayside	1,805	19%
Brown Deer	5,449	44%
Cudahy	7,566	50%
Fox Point	2,725	19%
Franklin	13,126	30%
Glendale	5,698	39%
Greendale	5,856	39%
Greenfield	16,661	46%
Hales Corners	3,245	38%
Milwaukee	230,181	63%
Oak Creek	14,140	35%
River Hills	542	9%
Shorewood	6,221	38%
South Milwaukee	8,451	45%
St. Francis	4,590	52%
Wauwatosa	20,515	33%
West Allis	27,294	54%
West Milwaukee	2,014	62%
Whitefish Bay	5,367	22%

NOTE: Municipal-level data on this page is for Census county subdivisions. Totals will not match county-level data; municipal-level data often relies on 5-year averages and is not available for the smallest towns that do not report income.