

Poverty Rates by State for 2010¹

	Women	Black Women	Hispanic Women	Asian Women	Native American Women	Elderly Women	Female-Headed Families	Children
National	14.5%	25.6%	25.0%	12.2%	26.4%	10.7%	40.7%	22.0%
AK	10.4%	3.8%	8.4%	7.9%	24.0%	6.6%	29.0%	12.9%
AL	18.7%	30.4%	31.5%	14.9%	28.0%	13.0%	49.3%	27.7%
AR	18.1%	30.3%	31.3%	13.2%	14.5%	12.6%	47.1%	27.6%
AZ	16.2%	22.9%	24.9%	11.6%	34.3%	8.9%	38.0%	24.4%
CA	15.0%	21.2%	21.7%	12.1%	24.4%	11.2%	35.4%	22.0%
CO	13.1%	25.4%	24.0%	11.3%	22.8%	9.0%	37.1%	17.4%
CT	10.4%	21.3%	24.1%	11.3%	-	8.1%	29.8%	12.8%
DC	19.3%	25.4%	14.7%	21.0%	-	15.9%	42.3%	30.4%
DE	11.3%	17.9%	21.7%	12.6%	-	9.6%	30.4%	18.1%
FL	15.8%	26.1%	20.9%	13.1%	20.0%	11.6%	37.6%	23.5%
GA	17.3%	25.1%	30.6%	13.3%	27.7%	13.0%	41.4%	24.8%
HI	11.4%	19.2%	19.5%	7.3%	-	8.7%	29.5%	13.9%
IA	12.8%	43.9%	27.2%	13.9%	22.8%	8.0%	39.4%	16.3%
ID	16.0%	20.6%	27.4%	18.5%	35.2%	9.7%	39.4%	19.0%
IL	13.5%	27.7%	19.5%	13.1%	23.0%	10.0%	38.2%	19.4%
IN	14.8%	26.4%	25.7%	18.6%	22.8%	8.4%	41.1%	21.7%
KS	13.8%	29.5%	25.3%	14.4%	27.0%	9.2%	41.3%	18.4%
KY	18.5%	29.6%	30.3%	16.8%	18.1%	13.1%	48.5%	26.3%
LA	18.7%	30.3%	23.1%	17.4%	30.3%	14.0%	46.5%	27.3%
MA	12.0%	23.3%	31.9%	16.1%	32.6%	10.3%	34.9%	14.3%
MD	10.1%	14.2%	16.2%	9.7%	20.1%	9.7%	25.5%	13.0%
ME	12.8%	50.9%	19.0%	12.9%	40.5%	11.2%	39.2%	17.8%
MI	16.2%	30.6%	26.5%	15.0%	28.6%	9.6%	44.5%	23.5%
MN	11.7%	36.4%	24.4%	16.9%	35.1%	10.3%	35.6%	15.2%
MO	14.8%	27.1%	26.6%	15.5%	19.4%	11.2%	40.4%	20.9%
MS	21.6%	33.8%	28.5%	12.1%	12.1%	14.5%	51.2%	32.5%
MT	14.1%	-	18.9%	9.2%	28.4%	9.0%	39.8%	20.1%
NC	16.8%	25.2%	33.3%	14.5%	29.3%	11.8%	44.4%	24.9%
ND	14.3%	29.1%	19.9%	17.3%	42.7%	15.2%	43.8%	16.2%

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NH	9.2%	35.5%	17.5%	11.8%	-	7.4%	31.9%	10.0%
NJ	10.3%	18.1%	21.2%	8.8%	24.0%	8.5%	34.2%	14.5%
NM	18.4%	19.4%	24.0%	15.5%	30.1%	13.1%	44.2%	30.0%
NV	14.3%	22.3%	20.2%	12.4%	25.8%	8.3%	35.2%	22.0%
NY	14.8%	21.5%	25.9%	17.3%	25.3%	12.8%	37.7%	21.2%
OH	15.2%	29.8%	32.4%	13.0%	30.8%	9.2%	45.1%	23.3%
OK	16.1%	26.4%	29.2%	16.3%	24.0%	11.5%	45.5%	24.7%
OR	15.2%	37.2%	26.1%	14.4%	21.3%	8.9%	42.0%	21.6%
PA	13.3%	27.5%	34.0%	14.4%	27.6%	9.6%	39.4%	19.1%
RI	13.6%	32.8%	31.2%	15.5%	-	9.5%	34.6%	19.0%
SC	17.6%	28.2%	35.3%	8.3%	32.8%	11.8%	45.1%	26.1%
SD	15.0%	26.2%	14.3%	-	45.4%	14.0%	40.7%	18.2%
TN	16.8%	26.8%	33.2%	11.8%	28.3%	11.4%	43.8%	25.7%
TX	16.9%	23.4%	25.3%	12.6%	24.0%	12.3%	42.0%	25.7%
UT	13.1%	32.3%	24.9%	20.1%	33.6%	7.6%	37.6%	15.7%
VA	11.5%	17.6%	14.5%	9.6%	8.3%	8.9%	31.5%	14.5%
VT	12.7%	16.8%	18.7%	29.7%	-	7.8%	40.5%	16.7%
WA	13.4%	27.2%	28.0%	11.2%	26.3%	8.4%	36.6%	18.2%
WI	12.8%	32.6%	26.3%	21.6%	22.7%	8.8%	40.0%	19.1%
WV	17.8%	26.7%	32.6%	28.1%	-	11.2%	48.7%	25.5%
WY	12.4%	-	16.6%	-	25.5%	8.4%	35.8%	14.3%

ⁱ National rates NWLC calculations from 2011 Current Population Survey (<http://www.nwlc.org/sites/default/files/povertyamongwomenandfamilies2010final.pdf>). State-level rates NWLC calculations from 2010 American Community Survey (<http://www.census.gov/acs/www/>). Dashes indicate unavailable data. Female-headed families are families with female householders, no husband present and related children under 18.