

# 2019 Federal Poverty Guidelines

Household Size	100%	138%	150%	200%	400%
1	\$12,490	\$17,236	\$18,735	\$24,980	\$49,960
2	\$16,910	\$23,336	\$25,365	\$33,820	\$67,640
3	\$21,330	\$29,435	\$31,995	\$42,660	\$85,320
4	\$25,750	\$35,535	\$38,625	\$51,500	\$103,000
5	\$30,170	\$41,635	\$45,255	\$60,340	\$120,680
6	\$34,590	\$47,734	\$51,885	\$69,180	\$138,360
7	\$39,010	\$53,834	\$58,515	\$78,020	\$156,040
8	\$43,430	\$59,933	\$65,145	\$86,860	\$173,720

\*For households with more than 8 persons, add \$4,420 for each additional person

The Federal Poverty Guidelines are issued each year by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. They are used to determine the financial eligibility for certain federal programs. Federal Poverty Guidelines are also referred to as the federal poverty level (FPL). 200% FPL is commonly considered the level of income needed for self-sufficiency.

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6 of 10 most common Ohio jobs leave families still needing food aid, Medicaid or cash assistance with earnings under 130% FPL

Occupational Group	Number Employed	Median Hourly Wage	Medial Annual Pay	% of Poverty Level 2017
Food Prep & Service Workers including Fast Food	158,070	\$9.21	\$19,150	94%
Retail Salesperson	152,410	\$10.67	\$22,190	109%
Registered Nurses	124,620	\$30.43	\$63,300	310%
Cashiers	119,860	\$9.31	\$19,360	95%
Laborers, Freight/Material Movers	111,410	\$12.92	\$26,880	132%
Office Clerks	100,760	\$14.88	\$30,940	152%
Waiters and Waitresses	96,160	\$9.25	\$19,240	94%
Customer Service Reps.	90,090	\$15.50	\$32,240	158%
Janitors and Cleaners	83,560	\$11.50	\$23,920	117%
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	83,430	\$11.56	\$23,040	118%

Source: Occupational wage survey estimates statewide, poverty level family of three in 2017: \$20,420 from <https://www.bls.gov/oes/tables.htm>