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NYS Poverty Report
New York State Poverty Rate: 15.6%
Number of New Yorkers Living in Poverty: 2,978,521
NYS Child Poverty Rate: 22.1%
Number of New York’s Children Living in Poverty: 929,832
New York’s Median Income: $40,394
New York’s Median Earnings for Workers: $34,450
NYS Median Earnings for FT, year round, MALE workers: $52,310
NYS Median Earnings for FT, year round, FEMALE workers: $44,668
Percent of New Yorkers who have used SNAP benefits in past year: 15.1%
Percent of New Yorkers who had cash assistance income in past year: 3.4%
**WAGE GENDER GAP**

New York State Median Income


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<tr>
<th>Education Level</th>
<th>Male Median Income</th>
<th>Female Median Income</th>
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<tr>
<td>Bachelor's Degree</td>
<td>$63,478</td>
<td>$47,696</td>
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<td>Some College or Associate’s Degree</td>
<td>$43,825</td>
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<td>High School Diploma or Equivalency</td>
<td>$34,966</td>
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<td>Less than a High School Diploma</td>
<td>$22,981</td>
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CURRENT EVENTS

Empire State Poverty Reduction Initiative (ESPRI)
Minimum Wage – Living Wage
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