

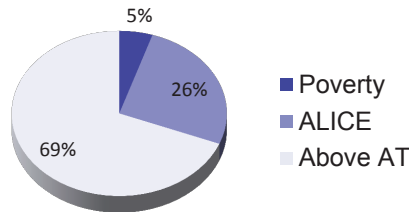
ALICE IN WASHINGTON COUNTY

2014 Point-in-Time Data

Population: 133,251 | **Number of Households:** 53,983
Median Household Income: \$68,424 (state average: \$52,622)
Unemployment Rate: 3.7% (state average: 5.3%)
Gini Coefficient (zero = equality; one = inequality): 0.4 (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 U.S. 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
fair (53)

Job Opportunities
good (68)

Community Resources
good (77)

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 U.S. poverty level of \$11,670 for a single adult and \$23,850 for a family of four.

Household Survival Budget, Washington County		
	SINGLE ADULT	2 ADULTS, 1 INFANT, 1 PRESCHOOLER
Housing	\$524	\$812
Child Care	\$-	\$1,297
Food	\$176	\$533
Transportation	\$351	\$702
Health Care	\$147	\$587
Miscellaneous	\$192	\$458
Taxes	\$726	\$652
Monthly Total	\$2,116	\$5,041
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$25,392	\$60,492
Hourly Wage	\$12.70	\$30.25

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.

Washington County, 2014		
Town	Total HH	% ALICE & Poverty
Addison	1,272	25%
Barton	1,089	31%
Erin	1,470	21%
Farmington	1,457	25%
Germantown	7,833	28%
Hartford	5,849	41%
Hartford Town	1,338	22%
Jackson	2,840	45%
Jackson Town	1,573	15%
Kewaskum	1,564	41%
Kewaskum Town	392	23%
Newburg	471	42%
Polk	1,409	24%
Richfield	4,224	19%
Slinger	2,094	36%
Trenton	1,744	24%
Wayne	867	20%
West Bend	13,009	40%
West Bend Town	1,982	33%

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.