County Facts: Lycoming County, PA
Population 114,000

The Local Economy

Unemployment rate: 5.6% (PA 4.9%, US 4.4%)
Poverty rate: 15.1% (PA 14.2%, US 13.3%)
Median family income (000s): $56 (PA $45, US $57)
Population growth 2000-2017: 5% (PA 14%, US 16%)
Manufacturing share of workforce: 16% (PA 12%, US 10%)
Farming share of workforce: 14% (PA 12%, US 10%)
Great Recession unemployment spike (pp): 1.7% (PA 3.8%, US 3.8%)

How Local Kids' Lives Turn Out

Percent graduating any college: 46% (PA 46%, US 53%)
Percent reaching upper-middle class: 25% (PA 20%, US 32%)
Percent achieving American Dream: 12% (PA 10%, US 16%)
Percent giving birth as a teen: 20% (PA 13%, US 13%)
Percent landing in jail: 1.5% (PA 1.3%, US 1.3%)
Local school expenditure per student (000s): $7.7 (PA $6.6, US $6.4)
Local Colleges and Upward Mobility

4-Year Colleges

- Low-income share of students: 8.4% (Pennsylvania College Of Tech (public)), 6.0% (Pennsylvania 4-year-college average), 9.3% (U.S. 4-year-college average)
- Low-income student success rate: 51.3% (Pennsylvania College Of Tech (public)), 56.7% (Pennsylvania 4-year-college average), 39.8% (U.S. 4-year-college average)

2-Year Colleges

- Low-income share of students: 13.2% (Pennsylvania College Of Tech (public)), 15.6% (Pennsylvania 2-year-college average), 31.3% (U.S. 2-year-college average)
- Low-income student success rate: 78% (Pennsylvania College Of Tech (public)), 75% (Pennsylvania 2-year-college average), 82.9% (U.S. 2-year-college average)

*: Data refers to the full college system, not just this campus. †: In nearby county

Local Demographics

- Percent Black: 5% (Lycoming County), 12% (PA), 14% (United States)
- Percent Hispanic: 2% (Lycoming County), 6% (PA), 17% (United States)
- Percent over age 65: 13.0% (Lycoming County), 15% (PA), 16.5% (United States)
- Percent college grad: 78 (Lycoming County), 75 (PA), 82.9 (United States)
- Crime rate (arrests per 10K residents): 76 (Lycoming County), 76 (PA), 83.0 (United States)
- Life expectancy (years): 83.2 (Lycoming County), 83.0 (PA), 82.9 (United States)
Definitions and Sources

The Local Economy
- Unemployment rate (August 2018, BLS)
- Poverty rate (2012-2016 ACS)
- Median family income (2016 ACS)
- Manufacturing share of workforce (2012-2016 ACS)
- Farming share of workforce (2012-2016 ACS)
- Great Recession unemployment spike (BLS LAUS)

How Local Kids’ Lives Turn Out
- Percent graduating any college (2-yr or 4-yr, Tax Data 2, N/A for some counties)
- Percent reaching upper middle-class (top 20% of the U.S. income distribution, Tax Data 1, N/A for some counties)
- Percent achieving American Dream (share of local low-income kids—i.e. those with 25th-income-percentile parents—who reach the top 20% of the U.S. income distribution as adults, Tax Data 1, N/A for some counties)
- Percent (of local female kids) giving birth as a teen (Tax Data 1, N/A for some counties)
- Percent landing in jail (percent of local kids in jail on 1 April 2010, Tax Data 1 and 2010 Census, N/A for some counties)
- Local school expenditure per student (in public schools, NCES, N/A for some counties)

Local Colleges and Upward Mobility
- Low-income share of students (share of age-18-22 students with bottom-20% parents, Tax Data 2)
- Low-income student success rate (share of low-income age-18-22 students who reach the top 40% of the U.S. income distribution as adults, Tax Data 2)

Local Demographics
- Percent Black (2012-2016 ACS)
- Percent Hispanic (2012-2016 ACS)
- Percent over age 65 (2010 Census)
- Percent college grad (4-yr college, 2012-2016 ACS)
- Crime rate (serious violent and property arrests per 10,000 residents, FBI Uniform Crime Reports, N/A for some counties)
- Life expectancy (at age 40, Tax Data 3, N/A for some counties)
- Opioid deaths (per 10,000 residents in 2017, CDC, N/A for some counties and some counties report population weighted commuting zone average)

Sources Legend
- ACS: U.S. Census Bureau American Community Surveys, 2012-2016
- CDC: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics. Multiple Cause of Death 1999-2017 on CDC WONDER Online Database.
- Census: U.S. Census Bureau