County Facts: Umatilla County, OR
Population 77,000

The Local Economy

- Unemployment rate: 4.8% (Umatilla), 4.1% (OR), 4.7% (United States)
- Poverty rate: 16.7% (Umatilla), 15.6% (OR), 15.1% (United States)
- Median family income (000s): $56 (Umatilla), $57 (OR), $57 (United States)
- Population growth 2000-2017: 21% (Umatilla), 4% (OR), 15% (United States)
- Manufacturing share of workforce: 11% (Umatilla), 10% (OR), 11% (United States)
- Farming share of workforce: 9.4% (Umatilla), 3.9% (OR), 2.2% (United States)
- Great Recession unemployment spike (pp): 9.4% (Umatilla), 3.9% (OR), 2.2% (United States)

How Local Kids' Lives Turn Out

- Percent graduating any college: 38% (Umatilla), 45% (OR), 46% (United States)
- Percent reaching upper-middle class: 20% (Umatilla), 20% (OR), 20% (United States)
- Percent achieving American Dream: 9% (Umatilla), 10% (OR), 10% (United States)
- Percent giving birth as a teen: 11% (Umatilla), 1.1% (OR), 1.5% (United States)
- Percent landing in jail: 10% (Umatilla), 1.0% (OR), 1.5% (United States)
- Local school expenditure per student (000s): $7.4 (Umatilla), $6.3 (OR), $6.4 (United States)
Local Colleges and Upward Mobility

**4-Year Colleges**

- **Low-income share of students**:
  - Columbia Basin College (public): 10.5%
  - Oregon 4-year-college average: 6.2%
  - U.S. 4-year-college average: 9.3%

- **Low-income student success rate**:
  - Columbia Basin College (public): 51.9%
  - Oregon 4-year-college average: 35.9%
  - U.S. 4-year-college average: 51.3%

**2-Year Colleges**

- **Low-income share of students**:
  - Blue Mountain CC (public): 15.6%
  - Oregon 2-year-college average: 11.9%
  - U.S. 2-year-college average: 12.4%

- **Low-income student success rate**:
  - Blue Mountain CC (public): 33.7%
  - Oregon 2-year-college average: 28.6%
  - U.S. 2-year-college average: 32.9%

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

Local Demographics

- **Percent Black**: Umatilla County: 1%, OR: 3%, United States: 1%
- **Percent Hispanic**: Umatilla County: 13%, OR: 12.7%, United States: 13%
- **Percent over age 65**: Umatilla County: 17%, OR: 13%, United States: 17%
- **Percent college grad**: Umatilla County: 22%, OR: 21%, United States: 21%
- **Crime rate (arrests per 10K residents)**: Umatilla County: 99, OR: 76, United States: 83
- **Life expectancy (years)**: Umatilla County: 83.7, OR: 82.7, United States: 83.2
- **Opioid deaths (deaths per 10K residents)**: Umatilla County: 12, OR: 8, United States: 15

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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