

Income and Poverty

	Red Lodge	Zip Code 59068	Carbon County	Montana	U.S.
median household income	\$46,354	\$49,297	\$46,194	\$45,324	\$52,762
mean household income	\$51,722	\$59,529	\$58,481	\$58,849	\$72,555
per capita income	\$25,478	\$28,021	\$25,943	\$24,640	\$27,915
median earnings for workers	\$25,427	\$25,431	\$25,842	\$24,644	\$30,259
median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers	\$41,406	\$40,974	\$41,087	\$41,632	\$47,549
median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers	\$26,528	\$26,493	\$28,839	\$30,570	\$37,160
families below the poverty level	7.3%	7.2%	7.8%	9.7%	10.5%
people below the poverty level	16.5%	14.0%	11.4%	14.6%	14.3%
under 18 years below the poverty level	16.7%	21.3%	16.2%	19.4%	20.0%
65 years and over below the poverty level	2.3%	3.4%	8.9%	8.7%	9.4%

source: U.S. Census Bureau
 DP03, Selected Economic Characteristics
 2007-2011 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

The Census Bureau uses a set of money income thresholds that vary by family size and composition to determine who is in poverty. If the total income for a family or unrelated individual falls below the relevant poverty threshold, then the family (and every individual in it) or unrelated individual is considered in poverty.