

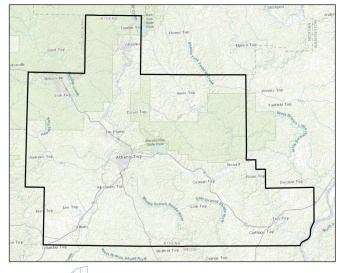
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Athens County Food Security Profile

Demographic Summary Population 2016 Population 66,186 2016 Age Distributions: Median Age 28.8 Under 18 9,829 18-64 48,548 65 and over 7,809 2016 Median Household Income \$34,221 **Employment** In Labor Force 30,004 Unemployment rate 9.4% **Poverty** Poverty rate: 31.2% Under 18 23.8% **Families** 30.0% Families with female head of house 46.1% Housing **Total Units** 26,370 **Percent Owner Occupied** 56.1% Percent of Owner Occ. with Mortgage 53.0%

\$726

Median Gross Rental Cost



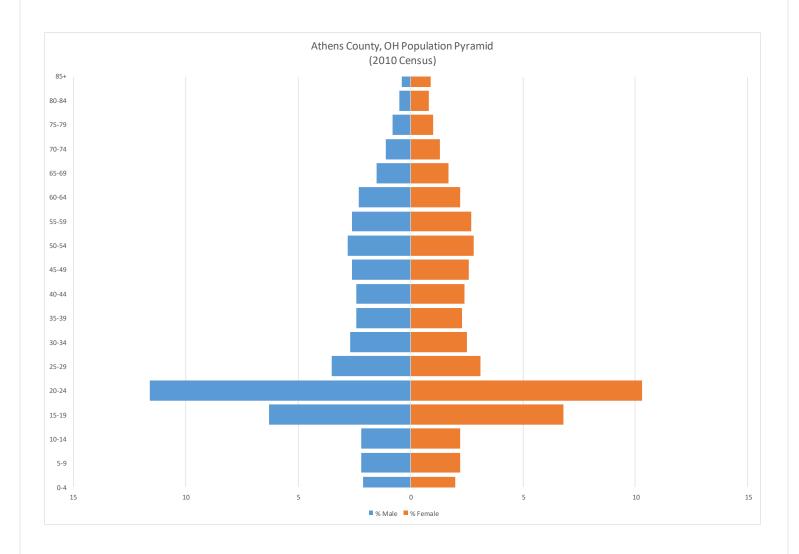


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Resource Summary	
Food Assistance Programming	
Total Agencies:	46
Food Pantries	17
Congregate Meals	9
Backpack Programs	2
Summer Feeding	18
SNAP	
Monthly Enrollment Average	835
Monthly Disbursements (average)	\$1,177,610
SNAP Retailers	56
Participation rate	15%
WIC	
Monthly Caseload Average	1,151
WIC Retailers	12
Free and Reduced School Meal Programs	
Eligible Students:	3,030
Eligible Student Percentage	36%
Schools Participating in CEP	6



Population





SNAP & WIC Enrollment

SNAP (2016)	Athens County 2016	SEO County Average	SEO County Rank
Cases Assisted	5,364	4,005	3rd
Individuals Enrolled	10,018	7,330	4th
Children Enrolled	3,482	2,803	2nd
Adults Enrolled	6,841	4,794	2nd
Percent of Population Enrolled	15%	18%	9th
Total Average Monthly Disbursed	\$1,177,610	\$1,075,871	3rd
Average Stamps Issued	\$118	\$116	2nd

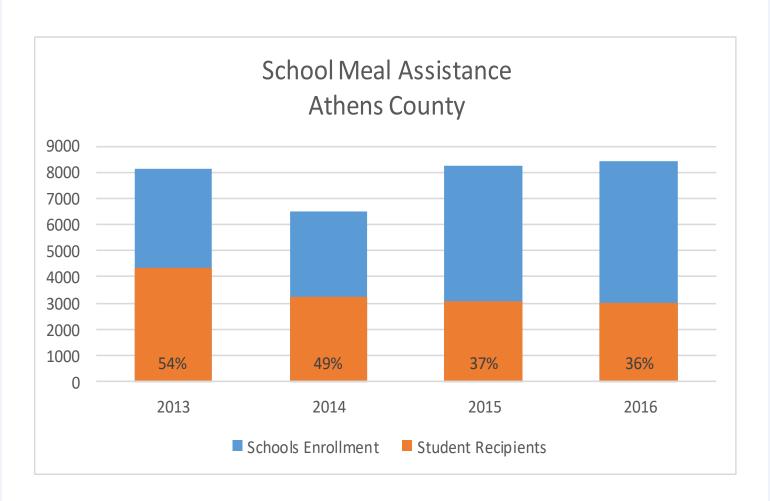
WIC (2016)	Athens County 2016	SEO County Average 2016	SEO County Rank
Average Monthly Cases*	1,151	816	2nd
Caseload as a Percentage of Residents	1.7%	2.4%	10th

^{*}Not all cases are county residents



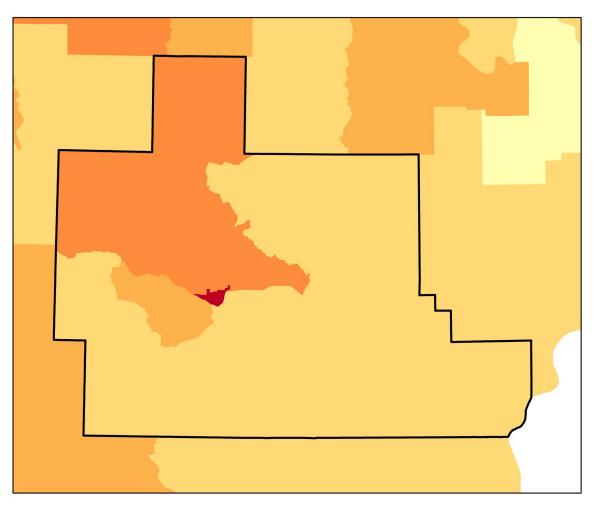
School Meal Programs

	Athens County 2016	SEO County Average 2016
Schools	19	14
Schools Participating in CEP	6	5
Percent of Schools Participating in CEP	32%	36%
Enrollment	8,452	5,724
Students Eligible for Meal Assistance	3,030	1,852
Percent Eligible for Assistance	36%	34%





Poverty



Estimated Percent of Population Experiencing Poverty 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 100%

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2016 Census ACS Annual Estimate

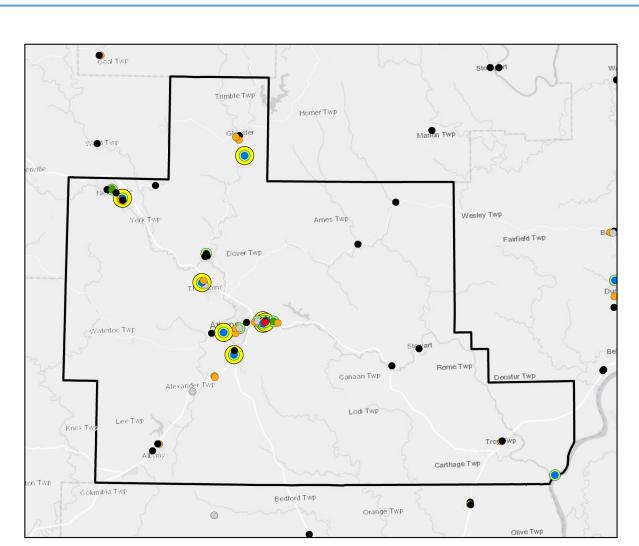
	Athens County	Ohio	United States
2016 Population Estimate	66,186	11,586,941	318,558,162
Percent in Poverty	31.2%	15.4%	15.1%
Unemployment Rate	9.4%	7.2%	7.4%
Median Household Income	\$34,221	\$50,674	\$55,322



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Retail Locations Accepting SNAP

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Big Box
 Grocery Store
 Small Box
 Convenience Store
 Specialty
 Fresh Produce
 Accepts WIC
 Farmer's Market

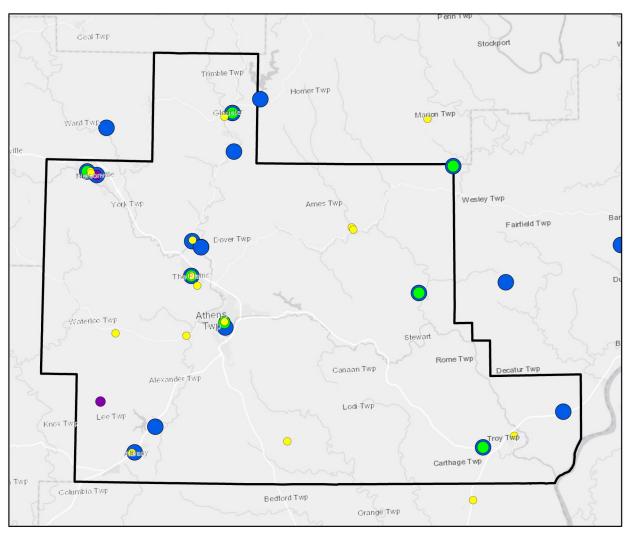
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Service Provider	Total in County	WIC	Fresh Produce
Big Box Retailers	1	1	1
Grocery Stores	9	7	9
Small Box Retailers	17	0	0
Convenience Store	20	0	0
Farmers Market	2	0	2
Specialty	4	0	2
Total	53	8	14



Agencies

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- Summer Feeding Program
- **Back Pack Program**
- Congregate Meals Services
- **Food Pantry**

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Charitable Assistance Agencies



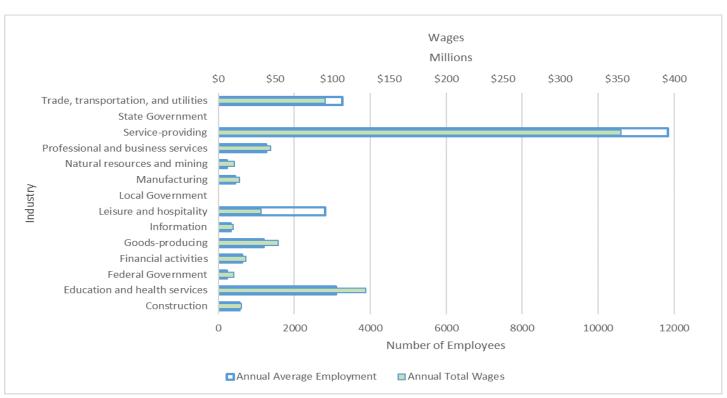
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Service Provider	Total in County	Monthly Points of Service
Food Pantries	17	785
Congregate Meals Services	9	1,200
Back Pack Program	2	1,612
Summer Feeding Program	18	609



Employment







Data Sources and References

This document was produced using data from the SEO Foodlink Database in combination with data from other sources. The SEO Foodlink data pertains to the location and services of Emergency Food Providers and Retailers that accept SNAP and WIC in West Virginia and is available at

http://foodlink.wvu.edu/

In addition to our own data, we have brought together and analyzed information obtained from a variety of federal and state agencies as listed below.

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