

Spotlight on Your County

HOUGHTON COUNTY

Population/Race/Health Insurance

TOTAL POPULATION: 36,565

- Under age 5: **1,929 (5.3%)**
- Age 65+: **5,884 (16.1%)**
- Median age: **33**

NO HEALTH INSURANCE

- Total: **3,207 (8.9%)**
- Children: **285 (3.8%)**

RACE/ETHNICITY

- White: **33,820 (92.5%)**
- African-American: **271 (0.7%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **529 (1.4%)**
- Asian: **1,074 (2.9%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **136 (0.4%)**

Median Wage by Gender



\$34,601



\$42,788

Female-to-Male
Earnings Ratio: **80.9%**

Poverty

Families with children



18.2%

Children under age 18



19.6%

Single parent (female) family



43.6%

POVERTY RATE: **22.8%**



Educational Attainment Ages 25 and Older

Less than ninth grade	518	2.4%
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	1,193	5.6%
High school diploma or GED	7,375	34.4%
Some college, no degree	4,042	18.9%
Associate degree	1,667	7.8%
Bachelor's degree	4,016	18.7%
Graduate or professional degree	2,619	12.2%

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY (AGE 5+)

866

2.5%



Housing	Median household income	\$39,080	
	Median rent	\$644	
	Number of occupied rental units	3,644	
	Units in which rent is 35%+ of income	1,819	49.9%

Source: American Community Survey Data Profiles (2012-2016 5-Year Estimates)

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