

Spotlight on Your County

MASON COUNTY

Population/Race/Health Insurance

TOTAL POPULATION: 28,755

- Under age 5: **1,508 (5.2%)**
- Age 65+: **6,064 (21.1%)**
- Median age: **46**

NO HEALTH INSURANCE

- Total: **2,823 (9.9%)**
- Children: **263 (4.4%)**

RACE/ETHNICITY

- White: **26,407 (91.8%)**
- African-American: **246 (0.9%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **1,257 (4.4%)**
- Asian: **160 (0.6%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **254 (0.9%)**

Median Wage by Gender



\$31,468



\$41,086

Female-to-Male
Earnings Ratio: **76.6%**

Poverty

Families with children



24.1%

Children under age 18



30%

Single parent (female) family



51.5%

POVERTY RATE: 16.2%



Educational Attainment Ages 25 and Older

Less than ninth grade	554	2.7%
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	1,189	5.8%
High school diploma or GED	7,011	34.1%
Some college, no degree	5,272	25.6%
Associate degree	2,278	11.1%
Bachelor's degree	2,731	13.3%
Graduate or professional degree	1,541	7.5%

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY (AGE 5+)

236

0.9%



Housing	Median household income	\$43,497	
	Median rent	\$681	
	Number of occupied rental units	2,623	
	Units in which rent is 35%+ of income	1,043	39.8%

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

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