

2021 Economic and Demographic Factsheet

House District 39 - Representative Neal Foster

Bering Straits/Yukon Delta

Income, Housing, and Employment	District	Rank*	Alaska
Median annual household income	\$50,780	40 of 40	\$77,640
Portion of income spent on housing	14%	38 of 40	21%
Poverty rate for all individuals	29%	1 of 40	11%
Poverty rate for children (under 18)	35%	2 of 40	15%
Percent aged 19-64 employed	58%	40 of 40	73%
Education and Internet	District	Rank	Alaska
Individuals age 25+ with high school diploma or higher	83%	39 of 40	93%
Individuals age 25+ with bachelor's degree or higher	12%	39 of 40	30%
Households with internet access	69%	40 of 40	86%
Population and Diversity	District	Rank	Alaska
Population	19,252	7 of 40	737,068
Individuals speaking a language other than English	32%	5 of 40	16%
Share of population that is non-white	89%	2 of 40	35%
Share of population that is Alaska Native (alone/in combination)	87%	1 of 40	20%
Health Care	District	Rank	Alaska

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Individuals without health insurance coverage	21%	3 of 40	14%
Individuals with public health insurance coverage alone	46%	1 of 40	19%
Under age 19 using Medicaid/means-tested public coverage	71%	3 of 40	36%

Safety Net	District	Rank	Alaska
Households receiving SNAP/food stamps	40%	1 of 40	11%
Households with children under 18 receiving SNAP/food stamps	49%	3 of 40	16%
Households with Social Security Income	25%	13 of 40	23%
Children under 18 in households receiving public assistance	58%	3 of 40	23%

*Rank: 1 indicates the largest value, not necessarily the most favorable Source: American Community Survey, 2015-2019

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