

# Community and Health Needs Assessment Report

**2021-2024**

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# Audubon Area Community Services, Inc.

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## 2021-2022 Community Needs Assessment

### I. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

#### A. Introduction

Audubon Area Community Services, Inc., headquartered in Owensboro, Kentucky, is a 1975 consolidation of two agencies – one based in Henderson, the other in Owensboro – both founded in 1966. In 1975, the agency served the seven-county Green River area and had approximately \$1 million in funding and sixty-five staff members. Currently the agency serves the primary, seven county Green River District, however, Audubon has some program operations in forty-two counties throughout the Commonwealth, including the services areas of Barren River, Cumberland, Pennyrile, Purchase, Lincoln Trail, and Salt River, with over \$50 million in funding and 685 employees.

Audubon Area Community Services is the largest of twenty-three community action agencies serving the residents of Kentucky. Community action agencies are federally designated entities originating from President Johnson’s “War on Poverty.” As a community action agency, Audubon Area is a private, nonprofit 501(c)(3) corporation governed by a tri-partite, twenty-four-member board of directors consisting of the consumers of agency services, elected public officials, and the private sector - business people, educators or representatives of local organizations.

In addition to its designation as a community action agency under federal law, Audubon Area Community Services, Inc. is also a Special District of the Commonwealth of Kentucky under KRS 65.005, meaning it is organized for the purpose of performing governmental or other prescribed functions within limited boundaries. In order to also enhance this assessment of needs, as well as meet the requirements set forth by Section 330(k)(2) and Section 330(k)(3)(J) of the PHS Act, staff and board members of with Audubon Area Community Services, Inc. established and jointly enacted a needs assessment in conjunction with the Audubon Area Community Care Clinic, Inc., its staff, and its 13-

member independent board of directors to fully assess the social, economic, and health care determinates impacting needs of the service area landscape, as well as fully present the information for public consumption.

A Comprehensive Community Needs Assessment was conducted from July 1, 2020, through March 5, 2021, by staff of the organization in conjunction with the Community Services Block (CSBG) requirements and as a resource for AACS, and other collaborative partners, to ascertain critical needs in the AACS service area, as identified by community members, consumers, stakeholders, and service providers, to enable AACS to continue adapting programs and services to best meet community needs.

A community assessment is a systematic process for creating a profile of the needs and resources of a given community or target population” (Richmond & Mooney, 2012, p. 21). In addition, our funder, the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services, requires the agency to complete a community needs assessment annually.

Section 676(b)(11), of the CSBG Act states “...an assurance that the State will secure from each eligible entity in the State...a community action plan...that includes a community needs assessment for the community served, which may be coordinated with community needs assessments conducted for other programs...” A community needs assessment establishes a profile of a community, noting both needs as well as community resources available. In addition, Section 330(k)(2) and Section 330(k)(3)(J) of the PHS Act; and 42 CFR 51c.104(b)(2-3), 42 CFR 51c.303(k), 42 CFR 56.104(b)(2), 42 CFR 56.104(b)(4), and 42 CFR 56.303(k), requires health centers to annually review its service area of the current or proposed population at least once every three years, for the purposes of informing and improving the delivery of health center services. These factors include access to care and health care utilization; significant causes of morbidity and mortality as well as any associated health disparities; and other unique health care needs or characteristics that impact health status of health care services.

Findings from this assessment will be used to assist Audubon Area Community Services and Care Clinic to continue to deliver high quality services and promote the National Community Action Network Theory of Change Goals:

- Individuals and families with low incomes are stable and achieve economic security.
- Communities where people with low incomes live are healthy and offer economic opportunity.
- People with low incomes are engaged and active in building opportunities in communities.

The current service area has a span of seven counties which include:

Daviess County	Hancock County
Henderson County	McLean County
Ohio County	Union County
Webster County	

Audubon Area Community Services offers programming in the larger areas of Social Support Services, Early Childhood Education, Housing, Transportation, and Employment Services. Note that for purposes of services for Audubon Area Community Care Clinic, the service area includes Daviess, Hancock, Henderson, McLean, Ohio, and Union Counties specifically.

As of March 1, 2021, Audubon Area Community Services has a total of 91 worksite locations across a 46-county service area, employing 685 staff members and impacting the lives of over 47,000 Kentuckians across the Commonwealth as we uphold our mission of:

“Helping people in poverty and beyond to reach self-sufficiency by changing lives through providing services, advocacy, and partnering to strengthen communities throughout Kentucky.”

Audubon Area Community Services, Inc.’s, central office is in Owensboro, Daviess County, Kentucky at:

**Audubon Area Community Services, Inc.  
1700 West Fifth Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301**

Audubon Area Community Care Clinic, Inc.’s, central office is in Owensboro, Daviess County, Kentucky at:

**Audubon Area Community Services, Inc.  
750 Salem Drive, Suite 2  
Owensboro, KY 42303**

## Map of Current Service Area



### B. Methodology

Multiple sources of quantitative and qualitative data sources were utilized to develop as clear a picture as possible regarding the health, wellbeing, and self-sufficiency of our area. Quantitative data was primarily mined through the CARES Engagement Network platform, an online depository for demographic information from available standardize data resources located at <https://cap.engagementnetwork.org>. The Community Action Partnership/CARES Engagement Network utilizes sources such as the US Census Bureau (Decennial 2000 and 2010 Census and the American Community Survey 2015-2019 five year estimates), the US Department of Education, National Education Center for Educational Statistics; the US Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families; the Department of Health and Human Services Bureau of Primary Health Care; the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention; US Department of Transportation, US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; the Federal Reserve; and the US Department of Housing and Urban Development. In addition, numerous state, local and agency databases were referenced to gather a clear picture of the demographics of the service area.

Collection of qualitative data for this assessment unlike others in years past, was impacted by the SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) worldwide pandemic. Therefore, qualitative data was primarily gathered exclusively in the form of surveys found online that captured responses from consumers,

stakeholders, employees, community leaders, faith-based representatives, elected officials, and board members of the Audubon Area Community Services in the CSBG service area. Surveys were collected between July 1, 2020 and March 5, 2021 in both written and online formats, resulting in 302 reported survey results from the service region being submitted. The survey was accessible online via Survey Monkey via the Audubon Area Community Services, Inc. website, <https://www.audubon-area.com/>, under the Community Needs Assessment link located at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HFGDCZM-CNA>, and requested feedback regarding needs of the community, contributing factors to poverty, health care needs, health care access, and areas of focus for growth in programming. Actual results as broke down by county are provided later in this document.

To capture more data of needs, and to replace the scope of information obtained normally through focus groups throughout the region, Audubon Area Community Services reviewed information from its data management and service application system, CASTiNET, between July 1, 2020 and March 5, 2021, to review the scope of client calls and requests for services. Each time an applicant contacts Audubon Area Community Services to request assist from the agency, an application for assistance is logged by the Community Services Coordinator from each county to notate the specific need of services requested and begin processing the request. The results of service requested provides data regarding the real-time needs of the citizens of our service area in the last fiscal year.

The research, analysis, and writing of this Community Needs Assessment were performed under the direction of Brandon Harley, Deputy Chief Executive Officer of Audubon Area Community Services. Community Forum Group meetings were coordinated and conducted under the direction of Angela Ditch, Community Services Manager. Finally, survey data was gathered via a survey located at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HFGDCZM-CNA>, and maintained by Community Action Kentucky (CAK), a statewide association representing and assisting the 23 community action agencies throughout the Commonwealth. A summary of the assessment area findings will begin on the next page.

## Summary of Findings

Quantitative Data Summary findings from sources for aggregate service area:

- **216,083** people live in the **2,597.32** square mile report area defined for this assessment according to the US Census 2015-2019 5-year estimates, **a decrease of 69 persons** from the service region in the last year (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- US Census Bureau, ACS (2015-19) indicates that gender breakdown for the area is **48.89%** male, and **51.11% female**.
- The racial breakdown of our service area is comprised as such **white population 90.56% of the report area, black population represented 4.91%, and other races combined were 2.09%. Persons identifying themselves as mixed race made up 2.45% of the population** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- There are an estimated **85,391** households in the service area (**an increase of 468 households** from last estimates), **67.84% were family households, while 32.16% were non-family households** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- **23.68% or 51,179** of our total population in the service area is under the age of 18, **6.29% or 13,583** is under the age of 5 years of age; and **16.46% or 35,568** is over the age of 65 years of age (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- **17.68% or 37,170 persons in the service area population live at or below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL), and 24.77% or 12,408 of all children in the service area live at or below the FPL, and 10.79% or 3,821 persons over age 65, live at or below FPL** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- Population in Poverty by Gender: **16.29% Male and 19.00% Female** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- Population in Poverty by Race: **16.03% White/Caucasian, 31.66% Black or African American, 36.52% Asian, 12.58% Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, 32.38% "Some Other Race", and 40.01% Multiple Races** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- Population in Poverty by Ethnicity Alone: **45.62% Hispanic/Latino, and 16.84% Not Hispanic/Latino** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- Family Poverty Rate by Family Type: **12.9% of all households** were living in poverty within the report area, **female headed households represented 50.3% of all households in poverty**, compared to **36.7% and 13.1% of households headed by males and married couples, respectively** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- **58.4% or 21,122** of the students in our services area qualify for free or reduced lunch (National Center for Education Statistics, NCES - Common Core of Data. 2018-19).
- **11.53%** of the population live in an area of the service region with low food access, more than ½ mile from a supermarket, grocery store or other food center (US Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, USDA - Food Access Research Atlas. 2015).
- **14.38%** of the population in the service area experiences Food Insecurity in 2017 (Feeding America. 2017).
- **12.7% or 10,847 households** of the service area population receive SNAP Benefits in 2019, while another **7,550 households with income levels below FPL were not receiving benefits** (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).



- **23.37% or 19,958 households** in the service area experience a high household cost burden (housing costs exceed 30% of total household income) (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- **0.28% or 242 units** of occupied housing in the service area are without plumbing (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2015-19).
- Median household income in service area counties, excluding Hancock County at \$56,769, Daviess County at \$51,441, and Henderson at \$51,161 are below the state median income level of \$50,189 (US Census Bureau, Small Area Income & Poverty Estimates.2018.).
- **7.44%** of all households in the services area have no operational motor vehicle (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- The unemployment rate in the area is at **4.8%**, an increase of 1.1% last year (US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2020 - November).
- **12.2%** of the population do not have a high school diploma (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- **10.9%** of the population have obtained a bachelor's level degree or higher (US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19).
- **5.07% or 510,958** individuals in the service area are uninsured (US Census Bureau, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates. 2018).
- In February 2021, **32.61% or 70,470 individuals are currently qualified for Kentucky Medicaid** in the service region (Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Division of Administration and Financial Management, Medicaid Statistics, February 2021 Monthly Membership Counts by County, <https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/dafm/Pages/statistics.aspx>).
- **48,187 persons** were received Medicare benefits in the report area, including **9,940 disabled persons** in the report area received Medicare benefits in 2019 (Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, CMS Geographic Variation Public Use File. 2019).
- **Forego Care Due to Cost (percent adults) – 12% of service area population** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Access to Care – the next subheadings provide a snapshot of provider access in the service area**
  - **42.1 primary care physicians per 100,000 residents in the service area** compared to the KY statewide average of 65.7 physicians per 100,00 residents (US Department of Health & Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Area Health Resource File. 2014).
  - **48.1 dentists per 100,00 residents in the service area** compared to KY statewide average of 61.8 per 100,000 residents (US Department of Health & Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration, Area Health Resource File. 2015).
  - **157.7 mental health care provider rate per 100,000 residents of the service area** compared to a KY statewide average of 203.2 per 100,000 residents (University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute, County Health Rankings. 2018).
- Health Care Indicator Data – the next subheadings provide a snapshot of health indicators for preventative issues and disease prevalence within the service area.

- **Prevalence of Overweight (percent adults) – 69% of service area population** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Prevalence of Obesity (percent adults) – 34% of service area population** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Physically Unhealthy Days – 5 days per month** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Mentally Unhealthy Days– 5 days per month** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2015-17).
- **Prevalence of Asthma (percent adults) - 16% of service area population** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Prevalence of Diabetes (percent adults) – 16% of service area population** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Prevalence of Hypertension (percent adults) – 40% of service area population** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).
- **Flu Vaccination in the Past Year** (percent adults) – **39%** of individuals in the service area (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2017-19).
- **Premature Deaths** (years lost per 100,000 of population) – **8,298 years** (Kentucky Data Center. Vital Statistics, <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2014-18).
- **Cancer Deaths per 100,000 of population by county (all types):**
  - + *Daviess – 186.8*
  - + *Hancock – 202.6*
  - + *Henderson – 193.5*
  - + *McLean – 219.6*
  - + *Ohio – 205.8*
  - + *Union – 216.1*
  - + *Webster – 189.7*

(Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18).

➤ Health Related Social Behaviors

- **Binge Drinking for Adults** (having five or more drinks on one occasion for males and having four or more drinks on one occasion for females – **16% of service area population area** (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2017-19).
- **Drug Arrests** (per 100,000 of populations) – **2,838 arrests in service area** (Kentucky State Police Annual Reports & FBI Uniform Crime Reports. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2018).

The Audubon Area Community Services, online survey collected a total of **302** responses during the period of July 1, 2020 through March 5, 2021, from the online and paper responses of the assessment tool located at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HFGDCZM-CNA>.

Listed below are the responses from the Audubon Area Community Services service counties:

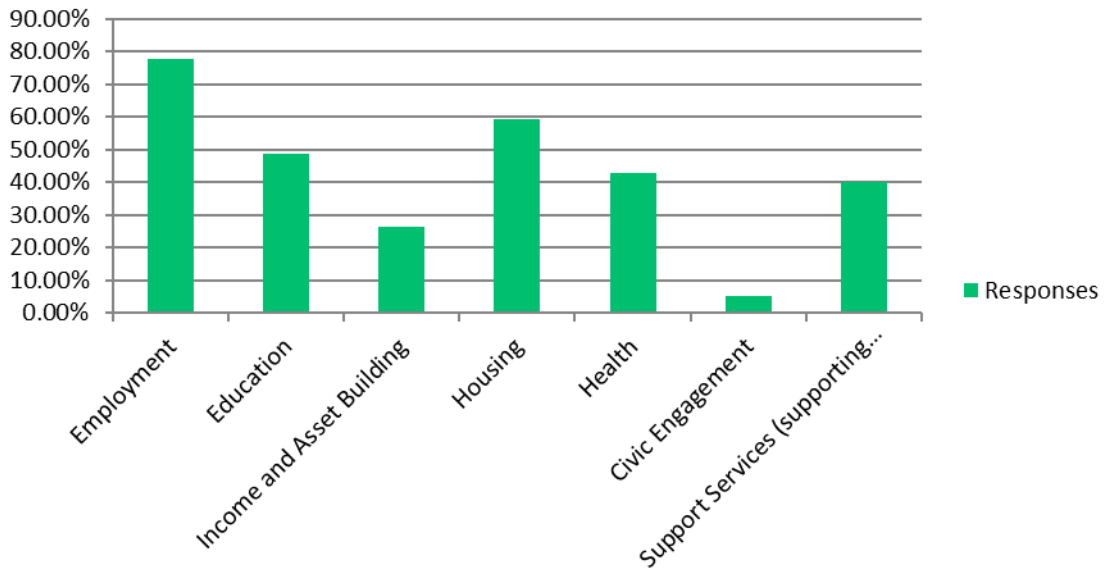
<b>In which county do you live or represent (for the agency)?</b>		
<b>Answer Choices</b>	<b>Percentage</b>	
<b>Daviess</b>	65.89%	199
<b>Hancock</b>	6.29%	19
<b>Henderson</b>	9.93%	30
<b>McLean</b>	2.32%	7
<b>Ohio</b>	5.30%	16
<b>Union</b>	7.62%	23
<b>Webster</b>	2.65%	8
	<b>Total</b>	<b>302</b>

Listed below are the primary concerns that emerged from survey responses, which will be analyzed more thoroughly later in this report:

<b>Answer Choices</b>	<b>Responses</b>	
Employment	77.81%	235
Education	48.68%	147
Income and Asset Building	26.49%	80
Housing	59.27%	179
Health	42.72%	129
Civic Engagement	4.97%	15
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	40.07%	121

*Responses from several survey questions combine to form an aggregate category of need. In addition, Support Services support many multiple domains including family services, case management, and emergency services (emergency food, clothing, utility assistance, and other areas of basic needs).*

## OVERALL NEED

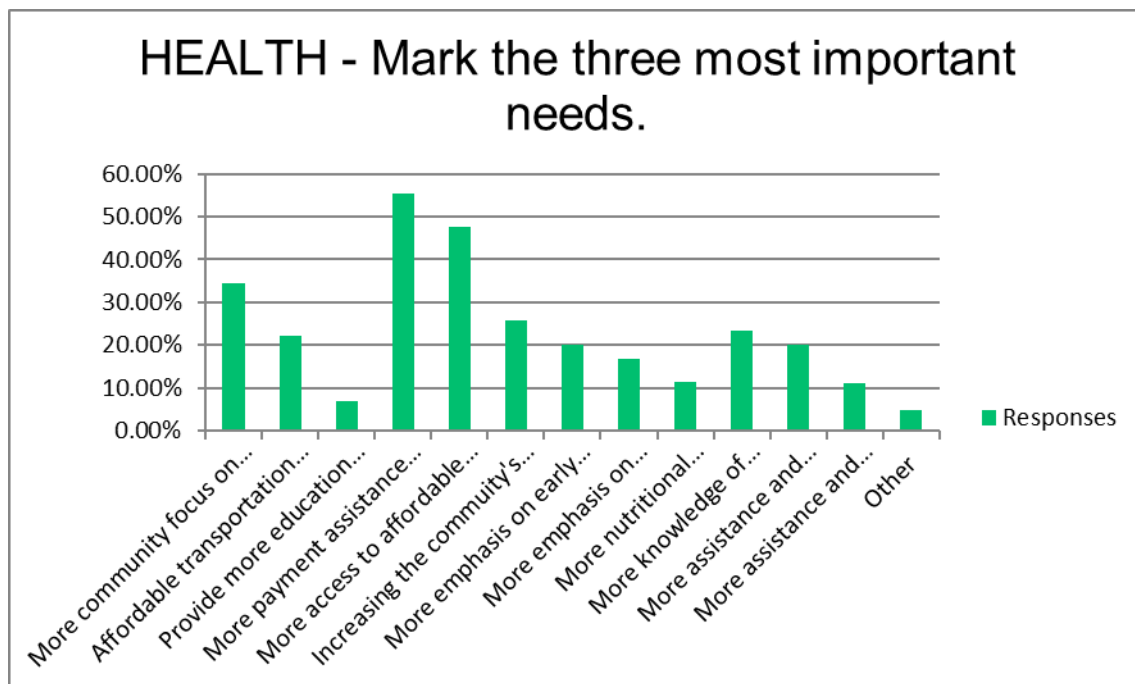


## Community Health Needs Focus – Qualitative Survey Results

During the 2020-2021 Community Needs Survey regarding the most important Health Needs of the Service Area according to community survey respondents were:

- Payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and/or vision services
- Access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care services
- Community focus on preventative healthcare

Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	34.44%	104
Affordable transportation for health care services	22.19%	67
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	6.95%	21
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	55.30%	167
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care	47.68%	144
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resources	25.83%	78
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	20.20%	61
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	16.89%	51
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	11.26%	34
More knowledge of available food resources	23.51%	71
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	20.20%	61
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	10.93%	33
Other	4.64%	14
Other (please specify)		18
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>302</b>



## **Audubon Area Community Service Requests FY 2021**

Due to the restrictions associated with COVID-19, the ability to conduct community forums in each county to gain insight into focused community needs for individual counties was not allowable. To gain more data regarding the opinions and needs of the service are to review need and direct future focus of services, Audubon Area Community Services conducted a review of service requests as documented in our data and case management system, CASTiNET, as well as reviewed service requests from programs such as GRITS Transportation, and various call logs from intake across the organization. Through this data review, qualitative interpretation of needs can be quantified to show present and emerging needs for the upcoming years. A summary of these associated program requests for FY 2021 is notated below as well as summary numbers from the Universal Data Services Report to HRSA SFY 2021:

### **Organizational Service Requests for SFY 2021 by Service Category and Need:**

**Emergency Needs for Utilities** (includes electrical, natural gas, bulk fuel, wastewater, Home Energy Assistance (HEA), and Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)): 17,501

**Emergency Food Assistance** (includes food boxes delivered/provided): 786

**Income Assistance** (includes financial planning/case management requests): 21

**Housing/Rental Assistance** (includes mortgage and lease assistance): 374

**Employment Services** (includes job assistance, resume work, skill training, and referral): 87

**Transportation Services** (includes overview of all GRITS Transportation calls for service area Region 3): 85,625

**Health Care Assistance – Payment/Insurance** (includes presumptive Medicaid application requests completed/requested): 13,115

**Health Care Assistance – Total Patients Served** (includes new unique patients for Audubon Area Community Care Clinic): 801

**Health Care Assistance for COVID-19** (includes COVID-19 tests administered April 2020-March 2021): 3,319 (positivity rate of 6.2%)

**Health Care Assistance for Primary/Universal Health Care Services** (includes family practice, laboratory and X-ray services): 786

**Health Care Assistance for Behavioral Health Services:** 107

**Health Care Assistance for Substance Abuse Services:** 34

**Health Care Assistance Total Clinic Visits:** 2,180 (133 Virtual/Telehealth Visits)

## Themes and Findings

The results of the CNA were categorized into themes which identify needs and issues throughout the community. The key themes are:

- **Collaboration, Communication, and Awareness:** Each county of the Audubon Area Community Services and Audubon Area Community Care Clinic service area, survey feedback indicated that the pervasive nature of our environment highlighted the need for community action agencies, nonprofit partners, health entities, and governmental programs to coordinated in ways to ensure all citizens benefit and receive impact as these issues are too large for any one program or agency to solve. This theme is not original, as it echoes themes identified in past assessments, but it is amplified in this year's assessment. The other portion noted with this is that the pandemic forced many new individuals and families to seek services which they were unfamiliar and lacked information on how or where to access to maximize efficiency and benefit.
- **Child Care:** A significant issue identified in each county was the need for affordable and stable childcare providers as in the area. The SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) pandemic exposed significant gaps in community childcare deficits as schools and social outlets closed, forcing child rearing families to make excruciating choices concerning how to balance childcare along with workforce issues daily. In addition, the entire service area continued to note the significant deficits in safe and affordable housing options, which were more exacerbated with significant issues associated with social mitigation measures like social distancing and disease management steps that forced services like emergency shelters and supportive housing services either closed or at a much-reduced capacity.
- **Lack of Employment Opportunities:** Local economies and the job market also suffered significantly due to continued issues with a lack of adequate living wage employment opportunities,<sup>1</sup> coupled with the impact of COVID-19 closures throughout the last year. Prior to the pandemic, unemployment rates were gaining in the service region, but through social distancing and other mitigation efforts, small businesses in the service industry, a large employment sector in the area, suffered significant loses that may take many months or years to recover.
- **Lack of Basic Needs:** Associated with growing unemployment and job losses, other social related impacts such as lack of educational opportunities grew as well as a higher dependence of social safety net service including a heightened need for utility, rental, and emergency assistance for food and other priority needs increased exponentially in the area. Many comments associated throughout the survey indicated many families were struggling to meet essential needs like food, clothing, shelter, and in many comments, respondents noted that they were days or weeks away from homelessness and hunger.

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<sup>1</sup> <http://livingwage.mit.edu/states/21> Kentucky living wage for a full-time working adult with two children is \$30.28 per hour.

- **Housing:** The topic of most importance as noted across the data and surveys was the lack of affordable and safe housing options in the service area. Multiple respondents of the survey as noted earlier, indicated that there was a dire housing need, and many were within days or weeks of being homeless. Through the data and research, homelessness and substandard housing issues are both growing at a time that increased stresses from COVID-19 exposure, job loss, and slowing economic recovery could cause this issue to cascade out of control.
- **Health Care Payment Assistance:** With specific regard to community health needs of the service area significant gaps grew once again in the area locating affordable options for specialty care issues, particularly in terms of vision and dental care options for the low income of the area.
- **Access to Primary and Preventative Care:** Although the Affordable Care Act (ACA) showed a positive impact in access to care issues survey results yielded a concern in locating a primary health care provider for chronic care management, and more specifically, affordable ongoing primary care providers. Many respondents appear to be turning to urgent care for ongoing health needs and emergent issues. This is a significant issue as it is noted the service area has significant issues with Diabetes, stroke prevalence rates, and lack of coordinated and impactful chronic health care management issues.
- **Overweight and Obesity Prevalence:** Inactivity and poor eating habits was a noticeable outcome in review of the demographic data of the service area. Overall, the region was higher than statewide averages, and in combination with high prevalence of Diabetes prevalence and other health related outcomes like stroke prevalence and hypertension, continued focus on adult weight should continue. The GRDHD needs assessments have highlighted this concern in years past.
- **Community Focus on Preventative Care:** Focus on community health issues and programming to educate and coordinate health care initiatives emerged as a significant issue of concern. Although respondents noted entities with singular focus, larger coordinated efforts to impact community health was found as a need. Educational collaborations and community coordinated efforts may help to curtail negative health impacts in the community.
- **COVID-19 Recovery:** As this CHNA is being completed, the area is one-year to the day from the declaration of SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) as a worldwide pandemic. The United States has a death toll of 543,755; Kentucky has noted 4,921 deaths, and the Green River Area, same footprint for services, has logged 339 deaths in the same period. COVID-19 has been a multifaceted tragedy that has impacted physical health, economic growth, and exacerbated social ills such as poverty level, homelessness, and hunger like no factor before. Strategic focus on assisting health interventions, vaccinations and testing to stabilize health outcomes, coupled with social programming with targeted programming around housing, emergency food and other necessary assistance will be vital to assist the entire area, but particularly the marginalized of the service area in the coming months and years.



## Conclusion

The emerging themes of this assessment were not unknown. However, this collaboration of the Audubon Area Community Services and the Audubon Area Community Care Clinic, highlighted the impact and connectivity between social issues and health concerns. Better defined as social determinants of health, we come to see how the impacts of income, home, background, employment, housing, and other needs acutely define health and access to health services. This is a cascading issue that without a network of support can lead to and is associated with poor overall health, increased risk of substance abuse, and is a generational cycle that often continues without education, support, and intervention. With this joint information, these agencies will continue to shape strategic and operational plans over the next three period, directing funding and program development to impact the identified issues. Some of the key findings and resulting recommendations extend beyond the mandate and services provided by community action and community health centers and may be of value for other local organizations who share a vision of improving the health and well-being of the community.

## II. CONSOLIDATED DATA OF SERVICE REGION

### DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

#### a) POPULATION DESCRIPTION AND PROJECTED GROWTH

##### Total Population

A total of 216,152 people live in the 2,597.32 square mile report area defined for this assessment according to the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2014-18 5-year estimates. The population density for this area, estimated at 83.22 persons per square mile, is less than the national average population density of 91.42 persons per square mile.

Report Area	Total Population	Total Land Area	Population Density (Per Square Mile)
Report Location	216,152	2,597.32	83.22
Daviess County, KY	99,937	458.39	218.02
Hancock County, KY	8,719	187.67	46.46
Henderson County, KY	46,137	436.49	105.70
McLean County, KY	9,331	252.53	36.95
Ohio County, KY	24,071	587.28	40.99
Union County, KY	14,802	342.86	43.17
Webster County, KY	13,155	332.10	39.61
Kentucky	4,440,204	39,485.23	112.45
United States	322,903,030	3,532,068.58	91.42

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey (<http://www.census.gov/acs/www/>). 2014-18. Source geography: Tract

## Total Population by Gender

Report Area	Male	Female	Percent	Percent
Report Location	105,042	109,800	48.89%	51.11%
Daviess County, KY	48,439	51,393	48.52%	51.48%
Hancock County, KY	4,481	4,197	51.64%	48.36%
Henderson County, KY	21,853	23,696	47.98%	52.02%
McLean County, KY	4,529	4,703	49.06%	50.94%
Ohio County, KY	11,743	12,228	48.99%	51.01%
Union County, KY	7,562	6,994	51.95%	48.05%
Webster County, KY	6,435	6,589	49.41%	50.59%
Kentucky	2,165,642	2,258,130	48.95%	51.05%
United States	157,688,667	164,810,876	48.90%	51.10%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](https://www.census.gov/acs) (https://www.census.gov/acs) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Total Population by Age Groups

Report Area	Age 0-4	Age 5-17	Age 18-24	Age 25-34	Age 35-44	Age 45-54	Age 55-64	Age 65+
<b>Report Location</b>	7,052	6,531	19,024	18,572	63,928	64,167	15,038	<b>20,530</b>
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	3,546	3,227	9,048	8,674	29,231	29,969	6,614	<b>9,523</b>
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	320	254	899	728	2,595	2,453	667	<b>762</b>
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	1,451	1,285	3,826	3,925	13,389	14,064	3,187	<b>4,422</b>
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	276	237	883	807	2,607	2,688	763	<b>971</b>
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	719	686	2,155	2,401	7,015	6,849	1,854	<b>2,292</b>
<b>Union County, KY</b>	380	418	1,111	895	5,101	4,363	970	<b>1,318</b>
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	360	424	1,102	1,142	3,990	3,781	983	<b>1,242</b>
<b>Kentucky</b>	140,962	133,630	377,214	357,500	1,359,502	1,370,106	287,964	<b>396,894</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>10,112,614</b>	<b>9,655,056</b>	<b>27,413,920</b>	<b>26,247,802</b>	<b>99,841,782</b>	<b>100,642,825</b>	<b>20,320,351</b>	<b>28,265,193</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](https://www.census.gov/acs). (https://www.census.gov/acs) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Total Population by Race Alone, Total

Report Area	White	Black	Asian	American Indian	Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander	Some Other Race	Mixed Race
Report Location	195,682	10,602	2,174	339	274	1,719	5,293
Daviess County, KY	90,657	4,372	1,767	169	253	612	2,644
Hancock County, KY	8,380	137	50	8	0	0	145
Henderson County, KY	40,333	3,345	194	93	12	510	1,342
McLean County, KY	8,990	116	21	48	0	8	100
Ohio County, KY	23,253	208	67	9	0	271	263
Union County, KY	12,178	1,950	68	0	0	75	367
Webster County, KY	11,891	474	7	12	9	243	432
Kentucky	3,868,479	358,928	65,191	9,386	3,182	43,601	100,285
United States	235,377,662	41,234,642	17,924,209	2,750,143	599,868	16,047,369	10,763,902

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](https://www.census.gov/acs). (https://www.census.gov/acs) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Hispanic/Non-Hispanic Population by Race Alone, Total

Report Area	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino Population	Percent Population Hispanic or Latino	Non-Hispanic Population	Percent Population Non-Hispanic
<b>Report Location</b>	216,083	6,368	2.95%	209,715	<b>97.05%</b>
Daviess County, KY	100,474	3,146	3.13%	97,328	<b>96.87%</b>
Hancock County, KY	8,720	134	1.54%	8,586	<b>98.46%</b>
Henderson County, KY	45,829	1,170	2.55%	44,659	<b>97.45%</b>
McLean County, KY	9,283	80	0.86%	9,203	<b>99.14%</b>
Ohio County, KY	24,071	835	3.47%	23,236	<b>96.53%</b>
Union County KY	14,638	288	1.97%	14,350	<b>98.03%</b>
Webster County, KY	13,068	715	5.47%	12,353	<b>94.53%</b>
Kentucky	4,449,052	162,994	3.66%	4,286,058	<b>96.34%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>324,697,795</b>	<b>58,479,370</b>	<b>18.01%</b>	<b>266,218,425</b>	<b>81.99%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, *American Community Survey*. (<https://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Non-Hispanic Population by Race Alone, Total

Report Area	White	Black	Asian	Native American/ Alaska Native	Native Hawaiian/ Pacific	Some Other Race	Multiple Races
Report Location	195,682	10,602	2,174	339	274	1,719	5,293
Daviess County, KY	90,657	4,372	1,767	169	253	612	2,644
Hancock County, KY	8,380	137	50	8	0	0	145
Henderson County, KY	40,333	3,345	194	93	12	510	1,342
McLean County, KY	8,990	116	21	48	0	8	100
Ohio County, KY	23,253	208	67	9	0	271	263
Union County, KY	12,178	1,950	68	0	0	75	367
Webster County, KY	11,891	474	7	12	9	243	432
Kentucky	3,868,479	358,928	65,191	9,386	3,182	43,601	100,285
United States	235,377,662	41,234,642	17,924,209	2,750,143	599,868	16,047,369	10,763,902

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](https://www.census.gov/acs). (https://www.census.gov/acs) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Change in Total Population

According to the United States Census Bureau Decennial Census, between 2000 and 2018 the population in the report area grew by 8,775 persons, a change of 4.23%. A significant positive or negative shift in total population over time impacts healthcare providers and the utilization of community resources.

Report Area	Total Population, 2000 Census	Total Population, 2018 ACS	Total Population Change, 2000-2018 Census/ACS	Percent Population Change, 2000-2018 Census/ACS
<b>Report</b>	<b>207,377</b>	<b>216,152</b>	<b>8,775</b>	<b>4.23%</b>
Daviess County, KY	91,545	99,937	8,392	9.17%
Hancock County, KY	8,392	8,719	327	3.90%
Henderson County, KY	44,829	46,137	1,308	2.92%
McLean County, KY	9,938	9,331	-607	-6.11%
Ohio County	22,916	24,071	1,155	5.04%
Union County	15,637	14,802	-835	-5.34%
Webster County	14,120	13,155	-965	-6.83%
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>4,041,768</b>	<b>4,440,204</b>	<b>398,435</b>	<b>9.86%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>280,405,781</b>	<b>322,903,030</b>	<b>41,481,124</b>	<b>14.74%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](#). US Census Bureau, [Decennial Census](#). 2014-18. Source geography: County



## Population Projections through 2040

Total Population						
	Census	Projections				
	2,010	2020	2025	2030	2035	2040
<b>Kentucky</b>	4,339,367	4,533,464	4,634,415	4,726,382	4,808,682	4,886,381
<b>ADDs</b>						
Green River	213,472	218,192	219,091	219,083	218,332	217,056
<b>Counties</b>						
Daviess	96,656	102,033	104,517	106,676	108,502	110,129
Hancock	8,565	8,786	8,842	8,839	8,752	8,629
Henderson	46,250	46,358	46,057	45,516	44,844	43,987
McLean	9,531	9,274	8,980	8,642	8,289	7,942
Ohio	23,842	24,235	24,083	23,832	23,534	23,181
Union	15,007	14,906	14,654	14,290	13,811	13,278
Webster	13,621	12,600	11,958	11,288	10,600	9,910

Kentucky State Data Center, University of Louisville, 2015.

[http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download\\_data.html](http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download_data.html)

## Migration Patterns

This indicator reports the net migration rate of the total population between 2000 and 2018.

Report Area	Starting Population (2000)	Ending Population (2018 ACS)	Natural Change	Net Migration	Migration Rate
Report	196,939	216,152	19,213	196	0.09%
Daviess	86,872	99,937	13,065	2,130	2.14%
Hancock	7,875	8,719	844	-92	-1.06%
Henderson County	42,614	46,137	3,523	-1,434	-3.11%
McLean	9,443	9,331	-112	-217	-2.33%
Ohio County	21,764	24,071	2,307	71	0.30%
Union County	14,837	14,802	-35	-864	-5.84%
Webster	13,534	13,155	-379	-602	-4.58%
Kentucky	3,831,062	4,440,204	609,142	31,408	0.71%
United States	267,981,052	322,903,030	54,921,978	7,685,444	2.38%

*Note: This indicator is compared to the state average.*

*Data Source: University of Wisconsin Net Migration Patterns for US Counties. 2000 to 2010. Source geography: County <https://www.prb.org/usdata/indicator/migration/table/Kentucky/counties>*

## Population Under Age 18

An estimated 23.68% of the population in the report area is under the age of 18 according to the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2015-19 5-year estimates. An estimated total of 51,179 youths resided in the area during this time period. The number of persons under age 18 is relevant because this population has unique health needs which should be considered separately from other age groups.

Report Area	Total Population 2018 ACS	Population Age 0-17	Percent Population Age 0-17
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>216,152</b>	51,179	<b>23.68%</b>
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	<b>99,937</b>	24,495	<b>24.51%</b>
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	<b>8,719</b>	2,201	<b>25.24%</b>
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	<b>46,137</b>	10,487	<b>22.73%</b>
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	<b>9,331</b>	2,203	<b>23.61%</b>
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	<b>24,071</b>	5,961	<b>24.76%</b>
<b>Union County, KY</b>	<b>14,802</b>	2,804	<b>18.94%</b>
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	<b>13,155</b>	3,028	<b>23.02%</b>
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>4,440,204</b>	1,009,306	<b>22.73%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>322,903,030</b>	<b>73,429,392</b>	<b>22.74%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey.(<http://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Median Age

This indicator reports population median age based on the 5-year American Community Survey estimate.

Report Area	Total Population	Median Age
Report Location	216,152	No data
Daviess County	99,937	38.70
Hancock County	8,719	39.40
Henderson County	46,137	40.80
McLean County	9,331	41.30
Ohio County	24,071	40.60
Union County	14,802	37.60
Webster County	13,155	41.10
Kentucky	4,440,204	38.70
United States	322,903,030	37.90

*Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2014-18. Source geography: Tract*

## Population Age 18-64

This indicator reports the percentage of population age 18-64 in the designated geographic area. This indicator is relevant because it is important to understand the percentage of adults in the community, as this population has unique health needs which should be considered separately from other age groups.

Report Area	Total Population	Population Age 18-64	Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>216,152</b>	128,095	<b>59.26%</b>
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	<b>99,937</b>	59,200	<b>59.24%</b>
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	<b>8,719</b>	5,048	<b>57.90%</b>
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	<b>46,137</b>	27,453	<b>59.50%</b>
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	<b>9,331</b>	5,295	<b>56.75%</b>
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	<b>24,071</b>	13,864	<b>57.60%</b>
<b>Union County, KY</b>	<b>14,802</b>	9,464	<b>63.94%</b>
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	<b>13,155</b>	7,771	<b>59.07%</b>
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>4,440,204</b>	2,729,608	<b>61.47%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>322,903,030</b>	<b>200,484,607</b>	<b>62.09%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. (<https://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Population Age 65+

An estimated 17.03% of the population in the report area is age 65 or older according to the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2015-19 5-year estimates. An estimated total of 36,809 older adults resided in the area during this time period. The number of persons age 65 or older is relevant because this population has unique health needs which should be considered separately from other age groups.

Report Area	Total Population	Population Age 65+	Percent Population Age 65+
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>216,152</b>	<b>36,809</b>	<b>17.03%</b>
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	<b>99,937</b>	<b>16,779</b>	<b>16.70%</b>
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	<b>8,719</b>	<b>1,471</b>	<b>16.87%</b>
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	<b>46,137</b>	<b>7,889</b>	<b>17.21%</b>
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	<b>9,331</b>	<b>1,785</b>	<b>19.23%</b>
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	<b>24,071</b>	<b>4,246</b>	<b>17.64%</b>
<b>Union County, KY</b>	<b>14,802</b>	<b>2,370</b>	<b>16.19%</b>
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	<b>13,155</b>	<b>2,269</b>	<b>17.36%</b>
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>4,440,204</b>	<b>710,138</b>	<b>15.96%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>322,903,030</b>	<b>50,783,796</b>	<b>15.64%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. (<https://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## b) HOUSEHOLDS AND FAMILIES

### Population in Limited English Households

This indicator reports the percentage of the population aged 5 and older living in Limited English speaking households. A “Limited English speaking household” is one in which no member 14 years old and over (1) speaks only English at home or (2) speaks a language other than English at home and speaks English “Very well.” This indicator is significant as it identifies households and populations that may need English-language assistance.

Report Area	Total Population Age 5+	Linguistically Isolated Population	Percent Linguistically Isolated Population
<b>Report Location</b>	202,500	3,374	<b>1.6%</b>
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	93,701	2,076	<b>2.2%</b>
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	8,146	69	<b>0.8%</b>
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	43,093	455	<b>1.1%</b>
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	8,770	18	<b>0.2%</b>
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	22,666	319	<b>1.4%</b>
<b>Union County, KY</b>	13,840	157	<b>1.1%</b>
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	12,284	280	<b>2.3%</b>
<b>Kentucky</b>	4,174,460	95,983	<b>2.3%</b>
<b>United States</b>	304,930,125	25,615,365	<b>8.4%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19. Source geography: Tract

## Household Composition

This indicator reports the total number and percentage of households by composition (married couple family, nonfamily, etc.). According to the American Community Survey subject definitions, a family household is any housing unit in which the householder is living with one or more individuals related to him or her by birth, marriage, or adoption\*. A non-family household is any household occupied by the householder alone, or by the householder and one or more unrelated individuals.

*\*Family households and married-couple families do not include same-sex married couples even if the marriage was performed in a state issuing marriage certificates for same-sex couples. Same sex couple households are included in the family households category if there is at least one additional person related to the householder by birth or adoption.*

Report Area	Total Households	Family Households	Family Households, Percent	Non-Family Households	Non-Family Households, Percent
Report Location	85,391	57,926	67.84%	27,465	32.16%
Daviess County, KY	40,179	26,743	66.56%	13,436	33.44%
Hancock County, KY	3,311	2,498	75.45%	813	24.55%
Henderson County, KY	18,643	12,292	65.93%	6,351	34.07%
McLean County, KY	3,809	2,753	72.28%	1,056	27.72%
Ohio County, KY	9,122	6,523	71.51%	2,599	28.49%
Union County, KY	5,374	3,803	70.77%	1,571	29.23%
Webster County, KY	4,953	3,314	66.91%	1,639	33.09%
<b>United States</b>	<b>120,756,048</b>	<b>79,114,031</b>	<b>65.62%</b>	<b>41,642,017</b>	<b>34.54%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey.(<http://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County



## Households by Composition and Relationship to Householder

Report Area	Total Households	Married Family Households	Single Male Family Households	Single Female Family Households	Non-Family Households
Report Location	85,391	42,922	4,785	10,219	27,465
Daviess County, KY	40,179	19,386	2,219	5,138	13,436
Hancock County, KY	3,311	2,055	138	305	813
Henderson County, KY	18,643	8,854	960	2,478	6,351
McLean County, KY	3,809	2,254	193	306	1,056
Ohio County, KY	9,122	4,872	597	1,054	2,599
Union County, KY	5,374	2,940	320	543	1,571
Webster County, KY	4,953	2,561	358	395	1,639
<b>United States</b>	<b>120,756,048</b>	<b>58,198,771</b>	<b>5,898,296</b>	<b>15,016,964</b>	<b>41,642,017</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. (<https://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Households with Children by Composition and Relationship to Householder, Total

Report Area	All Household Types	Married Family Households	Single-Male Family Households	Single-Female Family Households	Non-Family Households
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>27,418</b>	<b>16,989</b>	<b>2,923</b>	<b>7,057</b>	471
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	<b>13,018</b>	<b>7,909</b>	<b>1,398</b>	<b>3,550</b>	175
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>904</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>227</b>	10
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	<b>5,612</b>	<b>3,267</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>1,697</b>	95
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	<b>1,272</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>222</b>	10
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	<b>3,111</b>	<b>1,963</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>680</b>	138
<b>Union County KY</b>	<b>1,752</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>375</b>	27
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	<b>1,431</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>306</b>	16
<b>Kentucky</b>					
<b>United States</b>	<b>37,434,375</b>	<b>24,443,484</b>	<b>3,255,859</b>	<b>9,430,653</b>	<b>333,136</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey.(<http://www.census.gov/acs>) 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Household Population Projections to 2040

Population in Households						
	Census 2010	Projections				
		2020	2025	2030	2035	2040
<b>Kentucky</b>	4,213,497	4,402,331	4,500,930	4,590,504	4,670,372	4,745,599
<b>ADDs</b>						
Green River	207,483	211,773	212,557	212,432	211,562	210,164
<b>Counties</b>						
Daviess	94,075	99,372	101,803	103,907	105,676	107,245
Hancock	8,475	8,696	8,752	8,749	8,662	8,539
Henderson	45,085	45,172	44,850	44,288	43,595	42,717
McLean	9,449	9,191	8,896	8,557	8,203	7,855
Ohio	23,535	23,926	23,772	23,519	23,219	22,864
Union	13,636	13,215	12,931	12,535	12,024	11,457
Webster	13,228	12,201	11,553	10,877	10,183	9,487

Kentucky State Data Center, University of Louisville, 2015. [http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download\\_data.html](http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download_data.html)

## Total Household Projections to 2040

Total Households						
	Census 2010	Projections				
		2020	2025	2030	2035	2040
<b>Kentucky</b>	1,719,965	1,850,203	1,911,228	1,967,242	2,016,732	2,061,430
<b>ADDs</b>						
Green River	84,439	88,339	89,653	90,590	91,185	91,274
<b>Counties</b>						
Daviess	38,619	41,523	42,871	44,106	45,242	46,176
Hancock	3,285	3,475	3,514	3,544	3,527	3,525
Henderson	18,705	19,141	19,261	19,211	19,129	18,867
McLean	3,833	3,783	3,691	3,602	3,481	3,374
Ohio	9,176	9,620	9,710	9,768	9,783	9,725
Union	5,549	5,749	5,726	5,671	5,539	5,370
Webster	5,272	5,048	4,880	4,688	4,484	4,237

Kentucky State Data Center, University of Louisville, 2015. [http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download\\_data.html](http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download_data.html)

## Average Household Size Projections to 2040

Average Household Size (Population per Household)						
	Census 2010	Projections				
		2020	2025	2030	2035	2040
<b>Kentucky</b>	2.45	2.38	2.35	2.33	2.32	2.30
<b>ADDs</b>						
Green River	2.46	2.40	2.37	2.34	2.32	2.30
<b>Counties</b>						
Daviess	2.44	2.39	2.37	2.36	2.34	2.32
Hancock	2.58	2.50	2.49	2.47	2.46	2.42
Henderson	2.41	2.36	2.33	2.31	2.28	2.26
McLean	2.47	2.43	2.41	2.38	2.36	2.33
Ohio	2.56	2.49	2.45	2.41	2.37	2.35
Union	2.46	2.30	2.26	2.21	2.17	2.13
Webster	2.51	2.42	2.37	2.32	2.27	2.24

Kentucky State Data Center, University of Louisville, 2015. [http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download\\_data.html](http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download_data.html)

### c) SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC STATUS OF THE SERVICE AREA

Economic and social insecurity often are associated with poor health. Poverty, unemployment, and lack of educational achievement affect access to care and a community's ability to engage in healthy behaviors. Without a network of support and a safe community, families cannot thrive. Ensuring access to social and economic resources provides a foundation for a healthy community.

#### Children Eligible for Free/Reduced Price Lunch

Report Area	Total Students	Number Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligible	Percent Free/Reduced Price Lunch Eligible
Report Location	36,153	21,122	58.4%
Daviess County, KY	16,737	9,715	58.0%
Hancock County, KY	1,679	806	48.0%
Henderson County, KY	7,437	4,372	58.8%
McLean County, KY	1,565	897	57.3%
Ohio County, KY	4,261	2,798	65.7%
Union County, KY	2,221	1,306	58.8%
Webster County, KY	2,253	1,228	54.5%
Kentucky	677,821	385,261	56.8%
United States	50,744,629	25,124,175	49.5%

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (58.8%).

Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, [NCES – Common Core of Data](#). 2018-19. Source geography: Address

## Children Eligible for Free Lunch (Alone) by Year, 2012-13 through 2018-19

Report Area	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
<b>Report Location</b>	56.3%	54.7%	56.8%	59.2%	59.3%	59.3%	58.4%
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	56.4%	53.5%	57%	58.5%	58.6%	58.6%	58%
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	46.4%	42.2%	42.4%	51%	49.8%	49.8%	48%
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	55.5%	59.1%	57.9%	60.3%	58.7%	58.7%	58.8%
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	47.7%	51.5%	53.8%	56%	56.3%	56.3%	57.3%
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	63.7%	60.1%	62.6%	63.6%	65.2%	65.2%	65.7%
<b>Union County, KY</b>	56%	52.6%	57%	60.1%	61.4%	61.4%	58.8%
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	57.7%	52.1%	52.8%	59.1%	61.8%	61.8%	54.5%
<b>Kentucky</b>	55.4%	54.9%	56.9%	59.5%	58.7%	58.7%	56.8%
<b>United States</b>	<b>51.8%</b>	<b>52.4%</b>	<b>52.3%</b>	<b>52.7%</b>	<b>52.1%</b>	<b>52.1%</b>	<b>52.4%</b>

Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, NCES - Common Core of Data. 2018-19. Source geography: Address

## Educational Attainment

Report Area	No High School Diploma	High School Only	Some College	Associates Degree	Bachelors Degree	Graduate or Professional Degree
Report Location	12.2%	37.9%	22.0%	9.5%	10.9%	7.6%
Daviess County, KY	10.00%	34.1%	22.7%	10.3%	14.0%	9.0%
Hancock County, KY	14.57%	43.4%	20.7%	10.0%	7.4%	4.1%
Henderson County, KY	13.10%	36.0%	23.1%	9.7%	9.8%	8.4%
McLean County, KY	125.67%	41.3%	23.3%	9.3%	8.5%	4.9%
Ohio County, KY	16.71%	43.0%	20.1%	6.6%	7.1%	6.5%
Union County, KY	9.96%	47.8%	22.4%	8.8%	6.3%	4.8%
Webster County, KY	17.55%	47.1%	16.2%	9.2%	6.9%	3.2%
Kentucky	13.74%	32.9%	20.8%	8.3%	14.2%	10.0%
United States	<b>12.00%</b>	<b>27.0%</b>	<b>20.4%</b>	<b>8.5%</b>	<b>19.8%</b>	<b>12.4%</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (13.74%).

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](#). 2015-19. Source geography: County



## Education - Head Start

Report Area	Total Children Under Age 5	Total Head Start Programs	Head Start Programs, Rate (Per 10,000 Children)
Report Location	14,456	47	32.51
Daviess County	6,689	17	25.41
Hancock County	556	3	53.96
Henderson County	3,114	3	9.63
McLean County	553	4	72.33
Ohio County	1,703	9	52.85
Union County	920	5	54.35
Webster County	921	6	65.15
Kentucky	282,367	484	17.14
United States	<b>20,426,118</b>	<b>21,511</b>	<b>10.53</b>

This indicator reports the number and rate of Head Start program facilities per 10,000 children under age 5. Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (17.14%).

Data Source: US Department of Health & Human Services, [Administration for Children and Families](#). 2019. Source geography: Address

## Education - High School Graduation Rate

Report Area	Cohort Graduation Rate
Daviess County, KY	95%
Hancock County, KY	95%
Henderson County,	96%
McLean County, KY	92%
Ohio County, KY	94%
Union County, KY	96%
Webster County, KY	88%
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>90.00%</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (90.00%).

Data Source: <https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/app/kentucky/2020/compare/snapshot?counties>

## Adult Literacy

Report Area	Estimated Population over 16	Percent Lacking Literacy Skills
<b>Report Location</b>	162,604	11.53%
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	71,168	9%
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	6,551	14%
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	35,686	12%
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	7,903	14%
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	18,501	16%
<b>Union County, KY</b>	11,646	14%
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	11,149	15%
<b>Kentucky</b>	3,202,516	12%
<b>United States</b>	<b>219,016,209</b>	<b>14.64%</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (12%).

Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, [NCES – Estimates of Low Literacy](#). 2003. Source geography: County

## Households with No Motor Vehicle

Report Area	Total Occupied Households	Households with No Motor Vehicle	Percentage of Households with No Motor
Report	85,391	5,622	6.59%
Daviess	40,179	2,751	6.85%
Hancock County, KY	3,311	100	3.02%
Henderson County, KY	18,643	1,579	8.47%
McLean	3,809	214	5.62%
Ohio County,	9,122	376	4.13%
Union County,	5,374	298	5.55%
Webster	4,953	304	6.14%
Kentucky	1,728,681	128,588	7.44%
<b>United States</b>	<b>119,730,128</b>	<b>10,424,934</b>	<b>8.71%</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (7.44%).

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. <https://api.census.gov/data/201/acs> Source geography

## Income - Median Household Income

Report Area	Estimated Population	Median Household Income
Report Location		
Daviess County, KY	99,937	\$51,441
Hancock County, KY	8,719	\$56,769
Henderson County, KY	46,137	\$51,161
McLean County, KY	9,331	\$48,080
Ohio County, KY	24,071	\$44,751
Union County, KY	14,802	\$47,067
Webster County, KY	13,155	\$47,132
Kentucky	4,440,204	\$50,189
<b>United States</b>	<b>322,903,030</b>	<b>\$61,937</b>

Note: Since this reports a median amount, a "Report Location" value is not calculated.

Data Source: US Census Bureau, Small Area Income & Poverty Estimates. 2018. Source geography: County

## Insurance - Uninsured Population

The uninsured population of 2019 is calculated by estimating the number of persons eligible for insurance (generally those under 65) minus the estimated number of insured persons.

Report Area	Total Population (For Whom Insurance Status is Determined)	Total Insured	Total Uninsured	Percent Uninsured
<b>Report Location</b>	216,083	164,505	10,958	5.07%
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	100,474	77,233	4,793	4.77%
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	8,720	6,851	383	4.39%
<b>Henderson County, KY</b>	45,829	34,854	2,190	4.78%
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	9,283	6,897	508	5.47%
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	24,071	18,245	1,265	5.26%
<b>Union County, KY</b>	14,638	11,165	868	5.93%
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	13,068	9,530	951	7.28%
<b>Kentucky</b>	4,449,052	3,381,093	241,947	5.44%
<b>United States</b>	<b>324,697,795</b>	<b>240,092,386</b>	<b>27,954,329</b>	<b>8.61%</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (5.44%).

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. [Small Area Health Insurance Estimates](#). 2019. Source geography: County

## Households Receiving SNAP Benefits (SAIPE)

Report Area	Total Households Receiving SNAP	Total Households Receiving SNAP Percent	Households Below Income Poverty Level Receiving SNAP	Households Above Income Poverty Level Receiving SNAP
Report Location	10,847	12.70%	6,363	4,484
Daviess Co.	4,434	11.04%	2,600	1,834
Hancock Co.	418	12.62%	194	224
Henderson Co.	2,673	14.34%	1,605	1,068
McLean Co.	591	15.52%	347	244
Ohio Co.	1,208	13.24%	789	419
Union Co.	744	13.84%	397	347
Webster Co.	779	15.73%	431	348
Kentucky	243,177	14.02%	145,477	97,700
United States	<b>14,171,567</b>	<b>11.74%</b>	<b>6,707,025</b>	<b>7,464,542</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (14.02%).

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](#).2015-19. Source geography: County

## Poverty - Children Below 100% FPL

Report Area	Total Population	Total Population Ages 0-17	Population in Poverty Ages 0-17	Poverty Rate Ages 0-17
Report Location	210,297	50,097	12,408	24.8%
Daviess County, KY	97,565	24,115	5,616	23.3%
Hancock County, KY	8,637	2,186	360	16.5%
Henderson County, KY	44,606	10,384	2,653	25.5%
McLean County, KY	9,154	2,156	523	24.3%
Ohio County, KY	23,494	5,690	1,814	31.9%
Union County, KY	14,218	2,653	474	17.9%
Webster County, KY	12,623	2,913	968	33.2%
Kentucky	4,309,501	985,238	231,275	23.5%
United States	<b>316,715,051</b>	<b>72,235,700</b>	<b>13,377,778</b>	<b>18.5%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19. Source geography: County



## Poverty - Population Below 100% FPL

Report Area	Total Population	Population in Poverty	Percent Population in Poverty
Report Location	210,297	37,170	17.68%
Daviess County, KY	97,565	16,174	16.58%
Hancock County, KY	8,637	1,015	11.75%
Henderson County, KY	44,606	8,273	18.55%
McLean County, KY	9,154	1,471	16.07%
Ohio County, KY	23,494	4,435	18.88%
Union County, KY	14,218	2,905	20.43%
Webster County, KY	12,623	2,897	22.95%
Kentucky	4,309,501	747,010	17.33%
United States	<b>316,715,051</b>	<b>42,510,843</b>	<b>13.42%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19. Source geography: Tract

## Unemployment Rate

Report Area	Labor Force	Number	Number	Unemploym
<b>Report Location</b>	96,77	92,166	4,610	<b>4.8%</b>
<b>Daviess County, KY</b>	45,78	43,611	2,178	<b>4.8%</b>
<b>Hancock County, KY</b>	3,868	3,663	205	<b>5.3%</b>
<b>Henderson County,</b>	22,31	21,233	1,077	<b>4.8%</b>
<b>McLean County, KY</b>	4,091	3,917	174	<b>4.3%</b>
<b>Ohio County, KY</b>	9,558	9,072	486	<b>5.1%</b>
<b>Union County, KY</b>	5,681	5,440	241	<b>4.2%</b>
<b>Webster County, KY</b>	5,479	5,230	249	<b>4.5%</b>
<b>Kentucky</b>	1,995,58	1,893	102,101	<b>5.1%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>161,489,6</b>	<b>151,129,451</b>	<b>10,360,151</b>	<b>6.4%</b>

*This indicator is compared to the state average. (5.1%)*

*Data Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2020 - November. Source geography: County*

## Thirteen Month Unemployment Rate, November 2019 – November 2020

Report Area	Nov. 2019	Dec. 2019	Jan. 2020	Feb. 2020	Mar. 2020	Apr. 2020	May 2020	Jun. 2020	Jul. 2020	Aug. 2020	Sep. 2020	Oct. 2020	Nov 2020
Report Location	3.6%	3.8%	4.6%	4.2%	5.2%	15.2%	10.3%	4.3%	4.3%	6.4%	4.5%	6.1%	4.8%
Daviess County, KY	3.3%	3.6%	4.4%	4.0%	4.8%	14.9%	10.2%	4.3%	4.4%	6.6%	4.7%	6.2%	4.8%
Hancock County, KY	3.3%	3.3%	3.9%	3.3%	4.6%	17.4%	13.6%	3.8%	3.7%	5.8%	4.2%	5.7%	5.3%
Henders on County, KY	3.6%	3.7%	4.1%	3.8%	4.8%	15.3%	10.4%	4.0%	3.9%	5.6%	4.0%	5.8%	4.8%
McLean County, KY	3.9%	3.9%	4.9%	4.4%	5.4%	12.4%	8.1%	3.9%	3.9%	6.3%	4.6%	5.5%	4.3%
Ohio County, KY	4.5%	4.6%	6.2%	6.0%	6.9%	14.5%	10.1%	4.8%	5.1%	7.6%	5.4%	6.9%	5.1%
Union County, KY	4.2%	4.1%	4.9%	4.6%	5.7%	18.8%	11.3%	4.8%	4.0%	6.0%	4.2%	5.7%	4.2%
Webster County, KY	3.8%	3.8%	4.9%	4.7%	6.1%	15.8%	9.7%	4.7%	4.4%	6.4%	4.5%	6.1%	4.5%
Kentucky	3.8%	3.9%	4.8%	4.4%	5.3%	16.2%	10.7%	5.0%	5.0%	7.3%	5.2%	6.8%	5.1%
United States	3.3%	3.4%	4.0%	3.8%	4.5%	14.4%	13.0%	11.2%	10.4%	8.5%	7.7%	6.6%	6.4%

*Data Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2020 - November. Source geography: County*

## Unemployment Change

Unemployment change within the report area from November 2019 to November 2020 is shown in the chart below. According to the U.S. Department of Labor, unemployment for this thirteen month period grew from 3.6% to 4.8%.

Report Area	Unemployment November 2019	Unemployment November 2020	Unemployment Rate November 2019	Unemployment Rate November 2020	Rate Change
Report Location	3,599	4,610	3.6%	4.8%	<b>1.1%</b>
Daviess County, KY	1,580	2,178	3.3%	4.8%	1.4%
Hancock County, KY	133	205	3.3%	5.3%	2.0%
Henderson County, KY	801	1,077	3.6%	4.8%	1.2%
McLean County, KY	166	174	3.9%	4.3%	0.3%
Ohio County, KY	444	486	4.5%	5.1%	0.5%
Union County, KY	260	241	4.2%	4.2%	0.1%
Webster County, KY	215	249	3.8%	4.5%	0.8%
Kentucky	78,739	102,101	3.8%	5.1%	1.3%
<b>United States</b>	<b>5,513,750</b>	<b>10,360,151</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>6.4%</b>	<b>3.1%</b>

*This indicator is compared to the state average. (1.3%)*

*Data Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2020 - November. Source geography: County*

## Average Annual Unemployment Rate, 2007-2018

Report Area	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Report Location	5.1%	6.0%	9.9%	9.8%	8.7%	7.4%	7.4%	6.0%	5.0%	5.1%	4.8%	4.2%
Daviess County, KY	4.80%	5.70%	9.30%	9.30%	8.40%	7.00%	6.90%	5.70%	4.60%	4.50%	4.40%	4.00%
Hancock County, KY	5.10%	5.80%	11.70%	10.30%	8.40%	7.20%	7.20%	6.00%	5.00%	5.40%	5.10%	4.20%
Henderson County, KY	5.00%	6.10%	10.60%	10.30%	9.00%	7.50%	7.50%	6.10%	4.80%	4.80%	4.60%	3.80%
McLean County, KY	5.80%	7.10%	10.50%	10.20%	8.90%	7.60%	7.70%	6.40%	4.90%	4.90%	5.40%	4.90%
Ohio County, KY	5.20%	6.40%	9.70%	11.20%	9.90%	8.70%	9.30%	7.70%	6.40%	6.70%	6.40%	5.70%
Union County, KY	5.50%	6.50%	11.40%	9.70%	9.00%	7.80%	7.70%	6.40%	6.80%	6.90%	6.00%	5.00%
Webster County, KY	5.80%	6.30%	9.60%	9.50%	8.00%	7.10%	7.10%	5.50%	5.20%	6.10%	5.20%	4.20%
Kentucky	5.40%	6.40%	10.30%	10.20%	9.40%	8.20%	8.00%	6.50%	5.30%	5.10%	4.90%	4.30%
United States	4.7%	5.8%	9.3%	9.7%	9.0%	8.1%	7.4%	6.2%	5.3%	4.9%	4.4%	3.9%

Data Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2007-2019. Source geography: County

## Travel Time to Work

Travel times for workers who travel (do not work at home) to work is shown for the report area. The median commute time, according to the American Community Survey (ACS), for the report area is 13.45 minutes shorter than the national median commute time of 26.94 minutes.

Report Area	Workers that Commute Age 16 and Up	Travel Time in Minutes (Percent of Workers) Less than 10	Travel Time in Minutes (Percent of Workers) 10 to 30	Travel Time in Minutes (Percent of Workers) 30 to 60	Travel Time in Minutes (Percent of Workers) More than 60	Average Commute Time (mins)
Report Location	90,641	20.03	53.36	20.63	5.99	<b>13.45</b>
Daviess County, KY	44,131.00	20.64	59.42	14.40	5.53	20.20
Hancock County, KY	3,586.00	14.95	51.12	30.15	3.79	No data
Henderson County, KY	19,400.00	18.60	54.40	21.86	5.14	No data
McLean County, KY	3,581.00	20.08	36.00	36.64	7.29	No data
Ohio County, KY	9,234.00	18.35	44.47	29.65	7.54	25.20
Union County, KY	5,972.00	26.94	41.91	22.15	8.99	22.64
Webster County, KY	4,737.00	18.47	39.16	34.79	7.58	No data
Kentucky	1,874,500.00	14.90	54.53	24.69	5.88	23.61
United States	144,837,205.00	12.25	49.22	29.18	9.35	26.94

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average. (23.61)

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](#). 2015-19. Source geography: County

## Built Environment - Broadband Access

Report Area	Total Population (2010)	Access to DL Speeds > 25MBPS (2019)
<b>Report Location</b>	213,472	80.03%
Daviess County, KY	96,656	90.99%
Hancock County, KY	8,565	18.33%
Henderson County, KY	46,250	89.58%
McLean County, KY	9,531	55.23%
Ohio County, KY	23,842	56.25%
Union County, KY	15,007	82.10%
Webster County, KY	13,621	65.28%
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>4,339,367</b>	<b>94.75%</b>
<b>United States</b>	<b>312,846,570</b>	<b>96.07%</b>

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (94.75%).

Data Source: National Broadband Map. Dec. 2019. Source geography: Tract

## Food Environment - Food Insecure Population

Report Area	Food Insecure Population	Food Insecure Population Ineligible for Assistance, Percent	Food Insecure Children	Food Insecure Children Ineligible for Assistance, Percent
Report Location	31,090	29%	9,850	25%
Daviess County, KY	13,450	30%	4,280	21%
Hancock County, KY	1,120	34%	420	27%
Henderson County,	7,170	33%	2,100	31%
McLean County, KY	1,260	30%	470	23%
Ohio County, KY	3,570	27%	1,300	29%
Union County, KY	2,580	23%	610	25%
Webster County, KY	1,940	21%	670	20%
Kentucky	662,360	33%	186,660	30%
United States	<b>41,133,950</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>13,411,620</b>	<b>35%</b>

Data Source: US Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, USDA - Food Access Research Atlas. 2017.



## Food Environment - Low Food Access

Report Area	Total Population	Population with Low Food Access	Percent Population with Low Food Access
Report Location	213,47	9,568	11.53%
Daviess County, KY	96,65	4,695	12.53%
Hancock County, KY	8,565	765	23.95%
Henderson County,	46,25	444	2.35%
McLean County, KY	9,531	20	0.63%
Ohio County, KY	23,84	889	8.56%
Union County, KY	15,00	2,643	49.53%
Webster County, KY	13,62	112	2.44%
Kentucky	4,339,36	255,599	14.84%
<b>United States</b>	<b>308,745,5</b>	<b>20,221,368</b>	<b>18.94%</b>

Note: Low food access is defined as living more than ½ from supermarket, grocery store, or food center.

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (14.84%).

Data Source: US Department of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, [USDA - Food Access Research Atlas](#). 2015. Source geography: Tract

## Housing - Housing Cost Burden (30%)

Report Area	Total Households	Cost Burdened Households	Percentage of Cost Burdened Households
Report Location	85,391	19,991	23.42%
Daviess County, KY	40,179	10,245	25.50%
Hancock County, KY	3,311	467	14.10%
Henderson County, KY	18,643	4,838	25.90%
McLean County, KY	3,809	710	18.60%
Ohio County, KY	9,122	1,747	19.20%
Union County, KY	5,374	868	16.20%
Webster County, KY	<b>4,953</b>	<b>1,116</b>	22.60%

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average (25.48%).

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19. Source geography: Tract

## Cost Burdened Households by Tenure, Percent

Report Area	Rental Households	Percentage of Rental Households that are Cost Burdened	Owner Occupied Households	Percentage of Owner Occupied Households that are Cost Burdened
Report Location	26,753	34.83%	58,638	15.11%
Daviess County, KY	12,882	42.3%	27,297	<b>17.40%</b>
Hancock County, KY	689	32.2%	2,622	<b>9.50%</b>
Henderson County, KY	7,212	39.6%	11,431	<b>17.40%</b>
McLean County, KY	822	32.2%	2,987	<b>14.8%</b>
Ohio County, KY	2,182	31.40%	6,940	<b>15.20%</b>
Union County, KY	1,570	28.20%	3,804	<b>11.2%</b>
Webster County, KY	<b>1,396</b>	<b>27.90%</b>	<b>3,557</b>	<b>20.30%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19. Source geography: Tract

## Substandard Housing - Housing Units Lacking Plumbing Facilities.

The number and percentage of occupied housing units without plumbing are shown for the report area. U.S. Census data shows 544 housing units in the report area were without plumbing in 2000 and ACS 5 year estimates show 242 housing units in the report area were without plumbing in 2019.

Report Area	Occupied Housing Units 2000	Occupied Housing Units without Plumbing 2000	Percent Occupied Housing Units without Plumbing 2000	Occupied Housing Units 2019	Occupied Housing Units without Plumbing 2019	Percent Occupied Housing Units without Plumbing 2019
Report Location	81,496	544	0.67%	85,391	242	0.28%
Daviess County, KY	36,033	121	0.31%	40,179	88	0.22%
Hancock County, KY	3,215	47	1.31%	3,311	35	1.06%
Henderson County, KY	18,095	102	0.52%	18,643	12	0.06%
McLean County, KY	3,984	39	0.89%	3,809	37	0.97%
Ohio County, KY	8,899	167	1.69%	9,122	65	0.71%
Union County, KY	5,710	30	0.48%	5,374	0	0.00%
Webster County, KY	5,560	38	0.61%	4,953	5	0.10%
Kentucky	1,590,647	14,947	0.85%	1,734,618	7,853	0.45%
United States	106,741,426	736,626	0.69%	121,948,702	486,413	0.40%

Note: This indicator is compared to the state average.

Data Source: US Census Bureau. [American Community Survey](#). US Census Bureau, [Decennial Census](#). 2015-2019. Source geography: County

## Substandard Housing: Households Lacking Complete Kitchen Facilities

Report Area	Total Occupied Housing Units	Housing Units Lacking Complete Kitchen Facilities	Housing Units Lacking Complete Kitchen Facilities, Percent
Report Location	85,391	361	0.4%
Daviess County, KY	40,179	135	0.3%
Hancock County, KY	3,311	13	0.4%
Henderson County, KY	18,643	110	0.6%
McLean County, KY	3,809	11	0.3%
Ohio County, KY	9,122	45	0.5%
Union County, KY	5,374	8	0.1%
Webster County, KY	4,953	39	0.8%
Kentucky	1,734,618	13,258	0.8%
United States	<b>120,756,048</b>	<b>1,003,980</b>	<b>0.8%</b>

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2015-19. Source geography: Tract

## d) HEALTH CARE DETERMINATES OF AREA

### Life Expectancy by Census Tract

This indicator reports the average life expectancy at birth.

Report Area	Total Population (2011-2015)	Life Expectancy at Birth (2010-15)
Report Location	215,298	76.34
Daviess County, KY	98,173	76.63
Hancock County, KY	8,669	77.49
Henderson County, KY	46,396	76.11
McLean County, KY	9,500	79.49
Ohio County, KY	24,065	75.01
Union County, KY	15,138	75.73
Webster County, KY	13,357	75.04
Kentucky	4,397,353	75.99
United States	320,098,094	78.69

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the National Center for Health Statistics, *U.S. Small-Area Life Expectancy Estimates Project*. 2010-15. Source geography: Tract

## Access to Primary Care

Report Area	Total Population (ACS 2018)	Primary Care Physicians, 2017	Ratio of Mental Health Providers to Population (1 Provider per x Persons)
Report Location	216,152	91	42.12
Daviess County, KY	99,937	53	1,890:1
Hancock County, KY	8,719	0	0.00
Henderson County, KY	46,137	25	1,840:1
McLean County, KY	9,331	0	0.00
Ohio County, KY	24,071	7	3,450:1
Union County, KY	14,802	3	4,890:1
Webster County, KY	13,155	3	4,340:1
Kentucky	4,440,204	15,750	1,520:1
United States	<b>322,903,030</b>	<b>249,103</b>	<b>1,296:1</b>

Data Source: Kentucky Health Rankings. [www.countyhealthrankings.org](http://www.countyhealthrankings.org). 2017

## Access to Dentists

Report Area	# Dentists	Dentists Ratio
Report Location	104	2,078:1
Daviess County, KY	61	1,660:1
Hancock County, KY	6	1,460:1
Henderson County, KY	22	2,070:1
McLean County, KY	1	9,250:1
Ohio County, KY	5	4,820:1
Union County, KY	6	2,420:1
Webster County, KY	3	4,370:1
Kentucky	2,140	1,540:1

Data Source: Kentucky Health Rankings. [www.countyhealthrankings.org](http://www.countyhealthrankings.org). 2018.



## Access to Mental Health Providers

Report Area	Number of Mental Health Providers	Ratio of Mental Health Providers to Population (1 Provider per x Persons)
Report Location	367	589:1
Daviess County, KY	282	360:1
Hancock County, KY	6	1,460: 1
Henderson County, KY	57	800:1
McLean County, KY	3	3,080:1
Ohio County, KY	9	2,680:1
Union County, KY	5	2,620:1
Webster County, KY	5	2,620:1
Kentucky	9,014	440: 1
United States	643,219.00	493

Data Source: Kentucky Health Rankings. [www.countyhealthrankings.org](http://www.countyhealthrankings.org). 2018

## Forego HealthCare & Unhealthy Days

Health Care Indicator	Green River	Kentucky
Forego Care Due to Cost between 2016-2018	12% (9.98-14.67)	12%(11.7-13.0)
Physically Unhealthy Days	5 days (4.53 - 5.67)	5 days (4.9 - 5.3)
Mentally Unhealthy Days	5 days (4.42 - 5.4)	5 days (4.4 - 4.8)

Forego Care - The percent of adults who report that there was a time in the past year when they needed to see a doctor but could not because of the cost.

Physically Unhealthy Days - Average number of days in the past 30 days when physical health, including physical illness and injury, was not good.

Mentally Unhealthy Days - Average number of days in the past 30 days when mental health, including stress, depression, and problems with emotions, was not good.

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. [Http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data](http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data). 2016-18.

## Federally Qualified Health Centers

Report Area	Total Population	Number of Federally Qualified Health Centers	Rate of Federally Qualified Health Centers per 100,000 Population
Report Location	213,472	6	2.81
Daviess County	96,656	2	2.08
Hancock County	8,565	0	0
Henderson County	46,250	1	2.17
McLean County	9,531	1	1.04
Ohio County	23,842	0	0
Union County	15,007	0	0
Webster County	13,621	2	14.70
Kentucky	4,339,367	290	6.68
<b>United States</b>	<b>312,383,875</b>	<b>9,192</b>	<b>2.94</b>

Data Source: US Department of Health & Human Services, Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Provider of Services File. September 2020. Source geography: County

## Prevalence of Certain Health Care Indicators

Health Care Indicator Percentage of Adult population	Green River	Kentucky
Prevalence of Overweight	69%	68%
Prevalence of Obesity	34%	35%
Prevalence of Diabetes	16%	13%
Prevalence of Hypertension	40%	39%
Prevalence of Asthma	16%	16%

Obesity - defined as having a Body Mass Index (BMI) of 30.0 or higher. BMI is equal to weight in pounds divided by height in inches squared and then multiplied by 703.

Diabetes/Hypertension/Asthma - defined as percent of adults who report they have been told they have Diabetes/Hypertension/High Blood Pressure or Asthma by a health care professional.

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. [Http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data](http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data). 2016-18.

## Health Related Indicators

Health Care Indicator	Green River	Kentucky
Flu Vaccination in the Past Year	39%	38%
Access to Exercise opportunities	42%	71%
Lack of Physical Activity (2016-2018)	32%	32%
Recommended Fruit & Vegetable Intake (2015-17)	14%	9%
Lack of Cholesterol Awareness (2015-2017)	10%	24%
HIV Testing (2016-2018)	34%	34%

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. [Http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data](http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data). 2016-18.

## Social & Behavioral Health Indicators

<b>Social &amp; Behavioral Health Indicator</b>	<b>Green River</b>	<b>Kentucky</b>
<b>Binge Drinking for Adults</b>	<b>16%</b>	<b>15%</b>
<b>Drug Arrests (per 100,000 of population)</b>	<b>2,838</b>	<b>2,407</b>
<b>Prevalence of Smoking (percentage of adults)</b>	<b>21%</b>	<b>24%</b>
<b>Violent Crime (per 100,000 population)(2018)</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>216</b>

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. [Http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data](http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data). 2016-18.

## Death Related Data

Mortality Related Data	Green River	Kentucky
Total Mortality (per 100,000 population)(2014-2018)	900	919
Years of Potential Life Lost (years lost per 100,000 population) 2014-2018	8,298	9,034
Deaths (0-19 years)	174	3,401
Deaths (20-49 years)	842	19,499
Deaths (50-74 years)	4,671	92,291
Deaths (75-84 years)	2,939	55,137
Deaths (85 years and older)	3,314	57,797
Motor Vehicle Deaths	34	724
Heart Disease Deaths (per 100,000 population)	185	195
Stroke Deaths (per 100,000 population)	41	39

Years of Potential Life Lost prior to age 75 is a measure of premature mortality that is calculated over the age range from birth to 75 years of age. Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. [Http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data](http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data). 2016-18. Kentucky State Data Center/Vital Statistics/Deaths by Age Group.

## Cancer Deaths per 100,000 population by county

Cancer Deaths - per 100,000 population between 2013-2017					
	Lung & Bronchus	Colorectal	Breast	Prostate	All Cancers
Daviess Co.	60.8	14.8	16.8	14.5	186.8
Hancock Co.	66	0	0	0	202.6
Henderson Co.	53.6	14.4	23.5	24.4	193.5
McLean Co.	69.3	25.4	0	0	219.6
Ohio Co.	76.3	18.6	26.8	0	205.8
Union Co.	70.3	16.7	0	0	216.1
Webster Co.	60.5	0	0	0	189.7

Source Data: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-2018.



## **III. COUNTY SPECIFIC INFORMATION**

### **DAVIESS COUNTY**

#### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

Daviess County, the 58<sup>th</sup> county in order of formation, was formed from a part of Ohio County in 1815. It was named in honor of Colonel Joseph Hamilton Daviess, an area landowner and lawyer killed at the Battle of Tippecanoe. The enrolling clerk misspelled the county's name, a mistake later corrected by the General Assembly, but the error continues. The residents were Confederates, and before the Civil War, more than 20 percent of the county's population was slaves. Woodworking industries thrived in heavily timbered areas until the draining of the Panther Creek bottoms in the 1920's.

Nearly half of the population lives in or near Owensboro, the county seat. Today the county is part of the Corn Belt area, where most of the country's corn is grown.

#### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

Located completely within the Western Kentucky Coal Field, Daviess County is bordered to the north by the Ohio River, and adjoins Hancock, Ohio, McLean, and Henderson Counties. Its 463 square miles are mostly land used agriculturally.

#### **3. LOCATION OF OFFICES**

Audubon Area Community Services Central Office  
1700 West 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Daviess County Community Services Office  
1800 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Learning Villa  
2225 East 18<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY. 42303

West End Family Development Center  
800 West 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Leola Hayden Family Development Center  
1306 East 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42303

Hager Preschool  
1701 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Dar-Nek Family Development Center  
4800 New Hartford Road  
Owensboro, KY 42303

Killian Center Migrant  
900 Walnut Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Eastview Elementary School  
6104 Highway 405  
Owensboro, KY 42303

Seven Hills Preschool/Head Start  
2401 McConnell Avenue  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Tamarack Elementary School 1733  
Tamarack Rd.  
Owensboro, KY 42301

GRITS Transportation Services  
222 St. Elizabeth Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Housing and Weatherization Services  
1416 West 9<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Independence Heights  
2400 Strawbridge Place  
Owensboro, KY 42303

Horizon Place  
2220 East 18<sup>th</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42303

President's Place/Logsdon Community Center  
2400 Friendship Drive  
Owensboro, KY 42303

Lincolnshire Apartments  
1001 Pennbrooke Drive  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Senior Corps Services  
Senior Community Center of Owensboro-Daviess County  
1650 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Owensboro, KY 42301

Owensboro Regional Recovery  
4301 Veach Rd.  
Owensboro, KY 42303

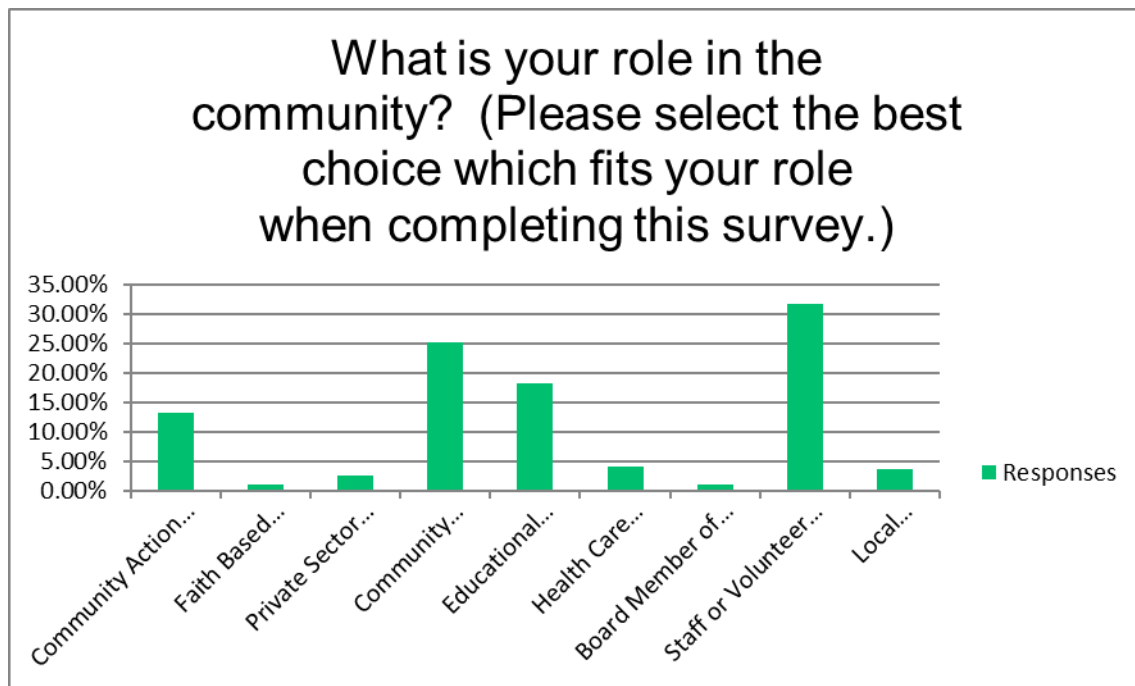
Audubon Area Community Care Clinic, Inc.  
750 Salem Drive, Suite 2  
Owensboro, KY 42303

#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - DAVIESS COUNTY

Question 1 (Daviness):

**What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits your role when completing this survey.)**

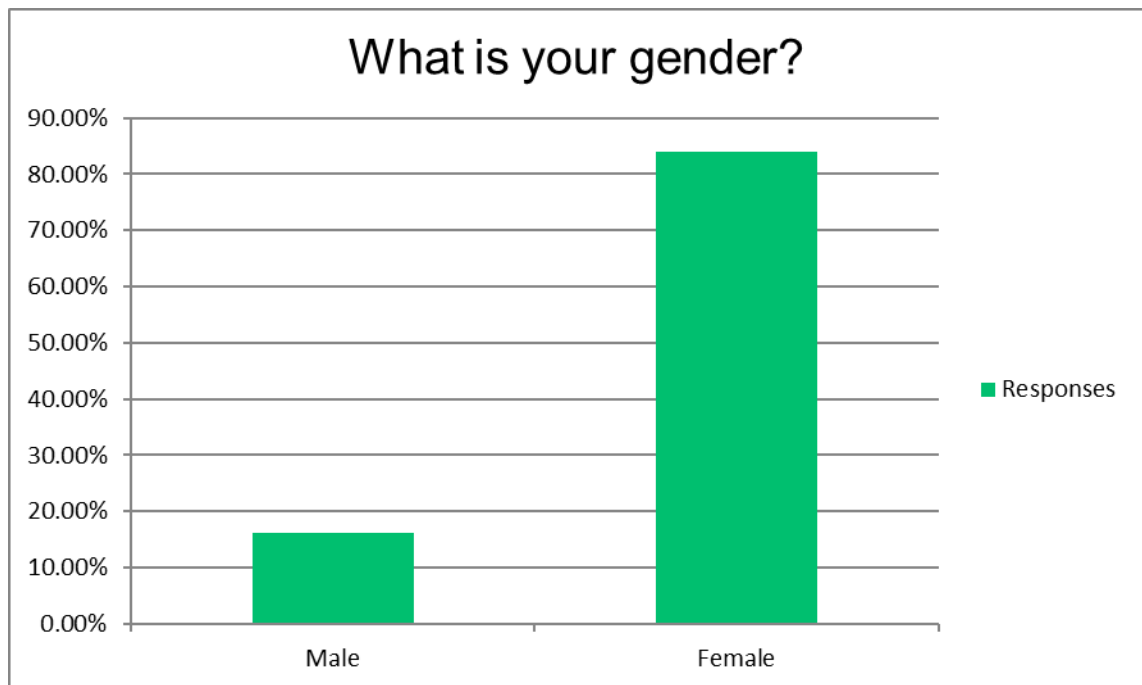
Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	13.07%	26
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based groups, clubs, councils, association, etc.)	1.01%	2
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, small business, private citizen, etc.)	2.51%	5
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non-profits)	25.13%	50
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, college and universities)	18.09%	36
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	4.02%	8
Board Member of Community Action Agency	1.01%	2
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	31.66%	63
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-profit, government regulated, funding sources, etc.)	3.52%	7
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 2 (Davies):

### What is your gender?

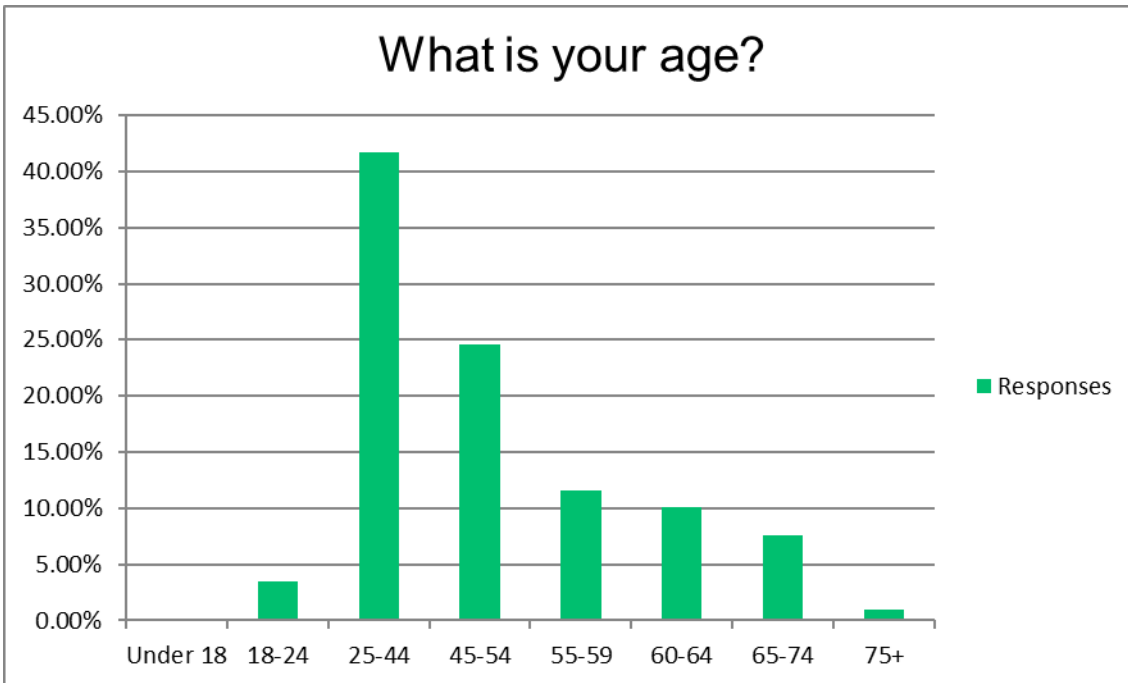
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	16.08%	32
Female	83.92%	167
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 3 (Davies):

### What is your age?

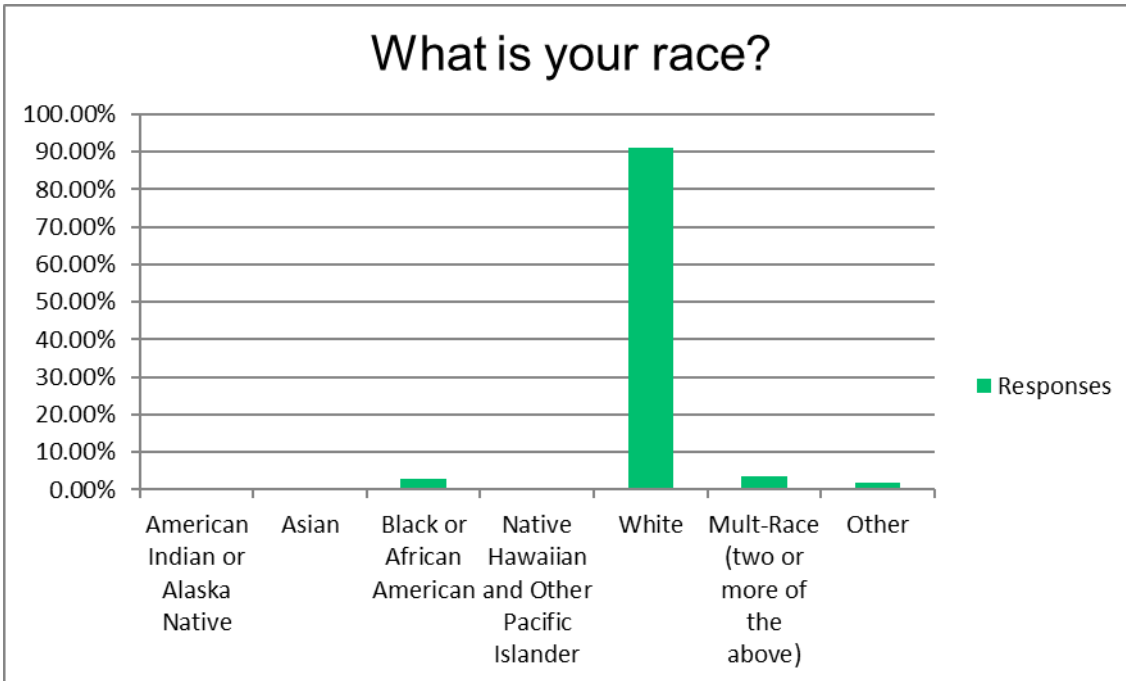
Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	3.52%	7
25-44	41.71%	83
45-54	24.62%	49
55-59	11.56%	23
60-64	10.05%	20
65-74	7.54%	15
75+	1.01%	2
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 4 (Davies):

**What is your race?**

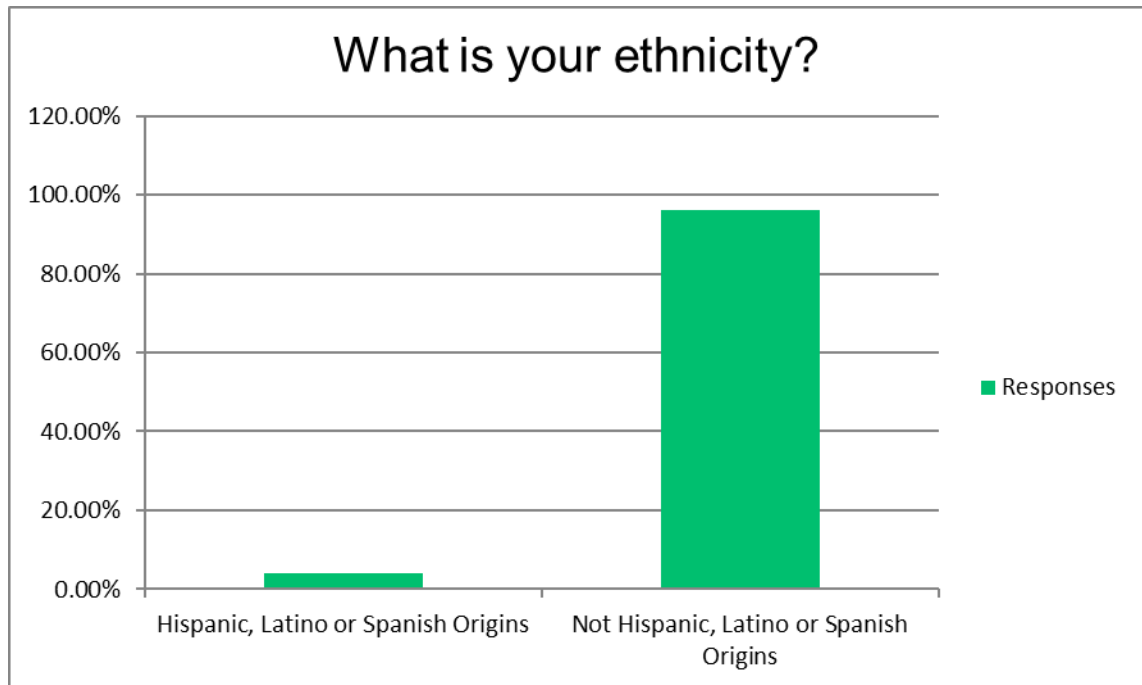
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.50%	1
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	3.02%	6
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	90.95%	181
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	3.52%	7
Other	2.01	4
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 5 (Davies):

**What is your ethnicity?**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	4.02%	8
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	95.98	191
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>

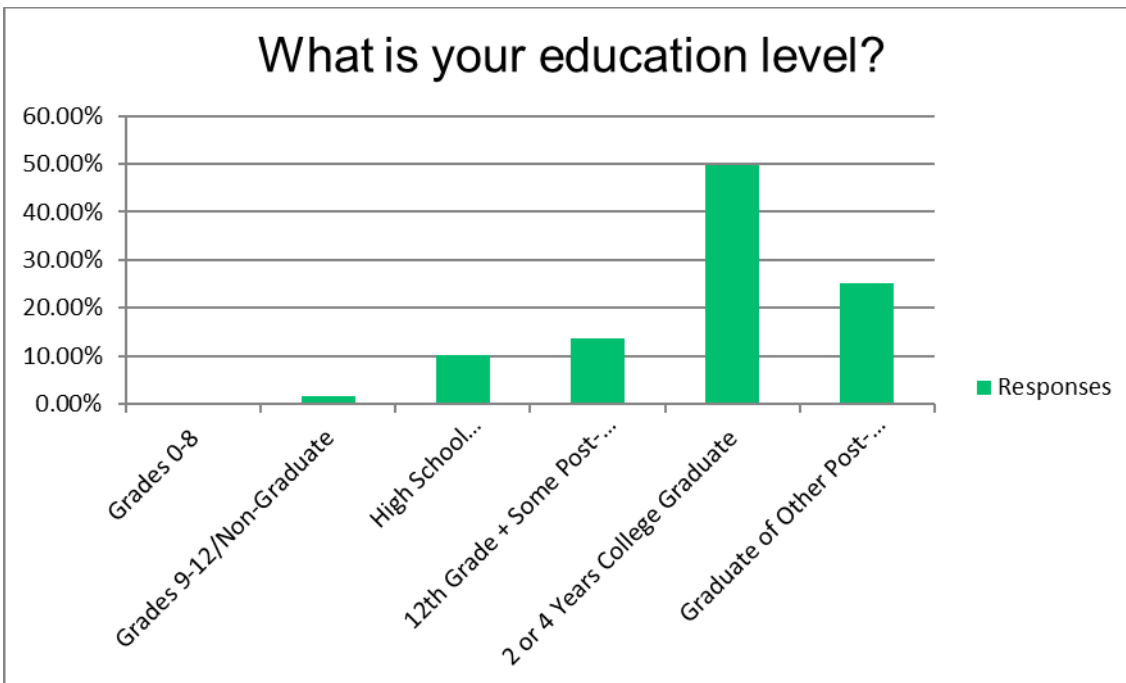




Question 6 (Davies):

**What is your education level?**

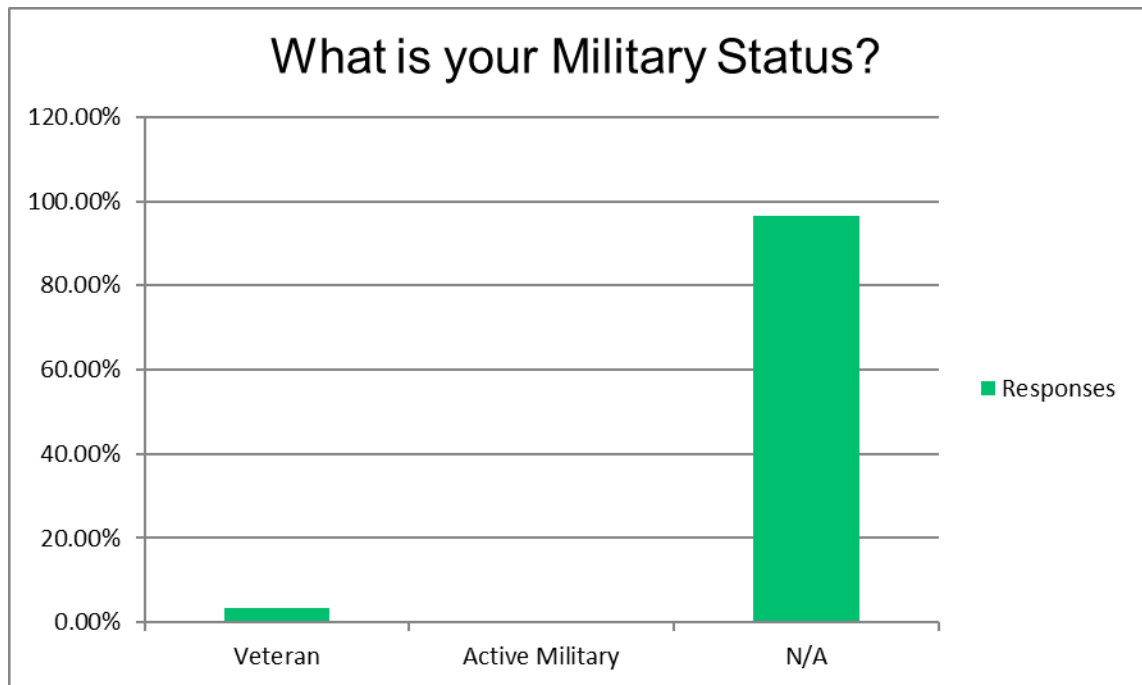
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	0.00%	0
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	1.51%	3
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	10.05%	20
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	13.57%	27
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	49.75%	99
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	25.13%	50
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 7 (Davies):

### What is your Military Status?

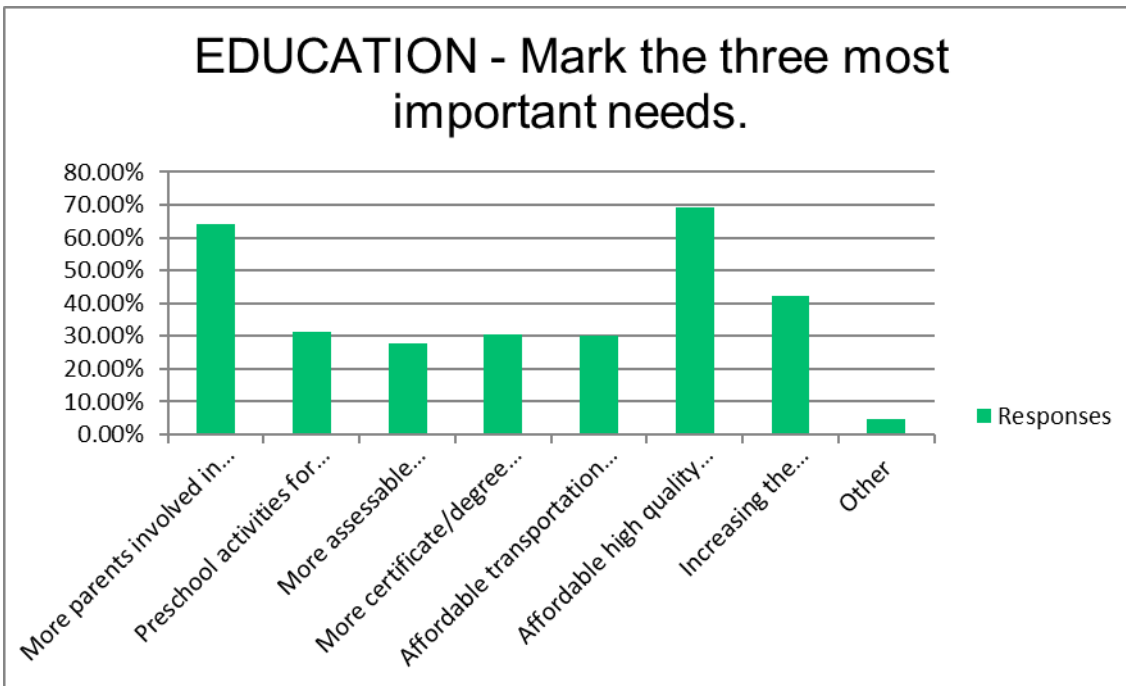
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	4.07%	7
Active Military	0.00%	0
N/A	96.48%	192
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 8 (Davies):

**EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.**

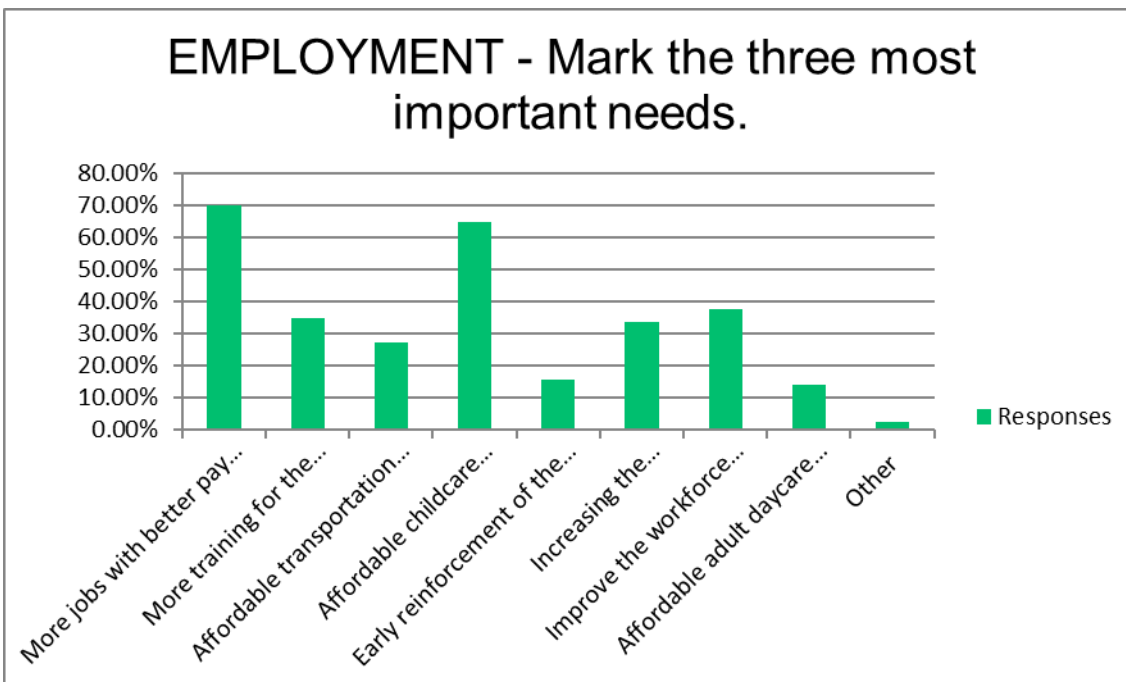
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	64.32%	128
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness skills	31.16%	62
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or college	27.64%	55
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	30.65%	61
Affordable transportation options to and from school	30.15%	60
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like to further their education	69.35%	138
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education resources	42.21%	84
Other	4.52%	9
Other (please specify)		9
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 9 (Davies):

**EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.**

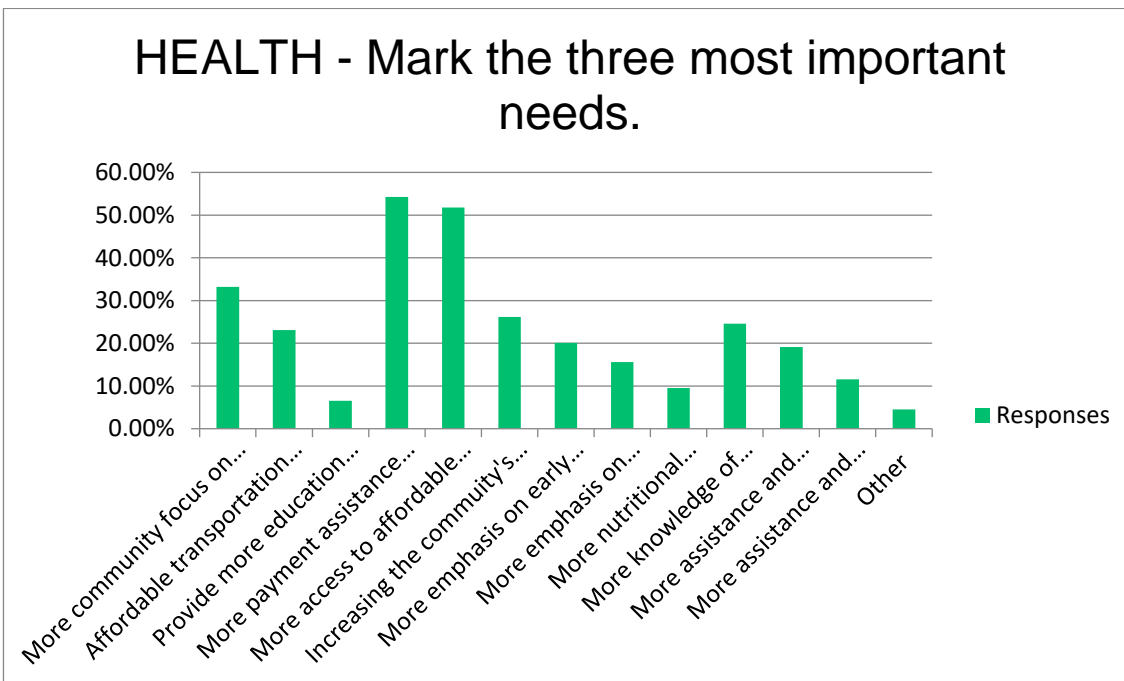
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	69.85%	139
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	34.67%	69
Affordable transportation to and from job	27.14%	54
Affordable childcare during work hours	64.82%	1290
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	15.58%	31
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment resources	33.67%	67
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to work	37.69%	75
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	14.07%	28
Other	2.51%	5
Other (please specify)		9
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 10 (Davies):

**HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.**

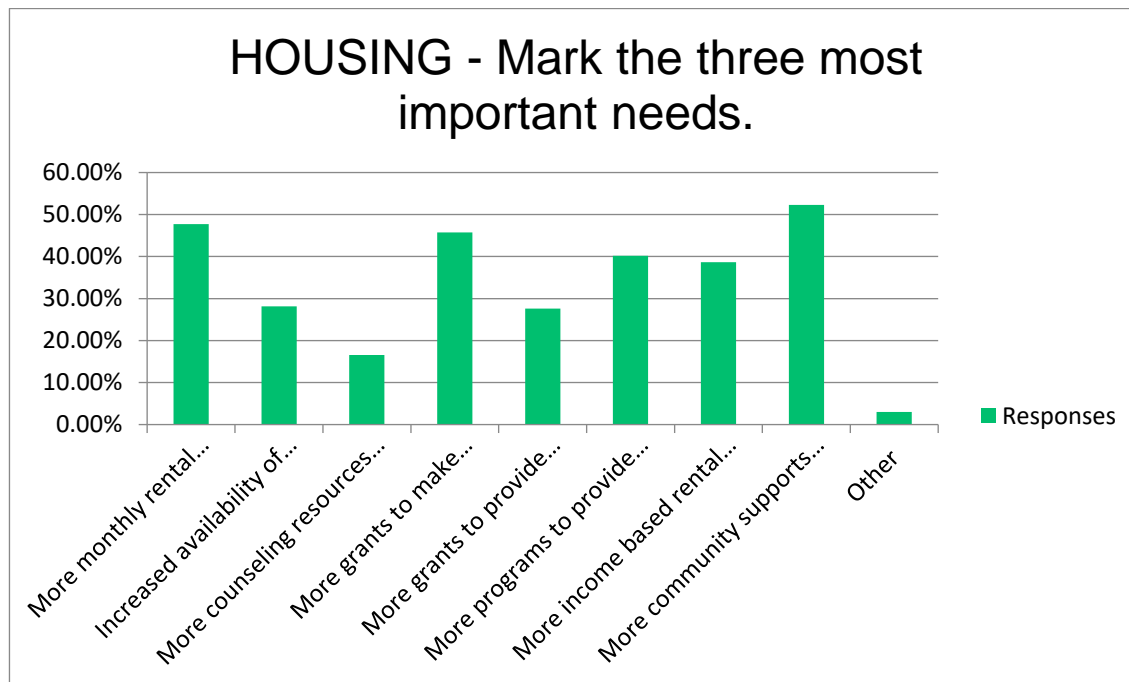
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	33.17%	66
Affordable transportation for health care services	23.12%	46
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	6.53%	13
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and/or vision services	54.27%	108
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care services	51.76%	103
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resources	26.13%	52
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	20.10%	40
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	15.58%	31
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	9.55%	19
More knowledge of available food resources	24.62%	49
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	19.10%	38
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	11.56%	23
Other	4.52%	23
Other (please specify)		12
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 11 (Davies):

**HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.**

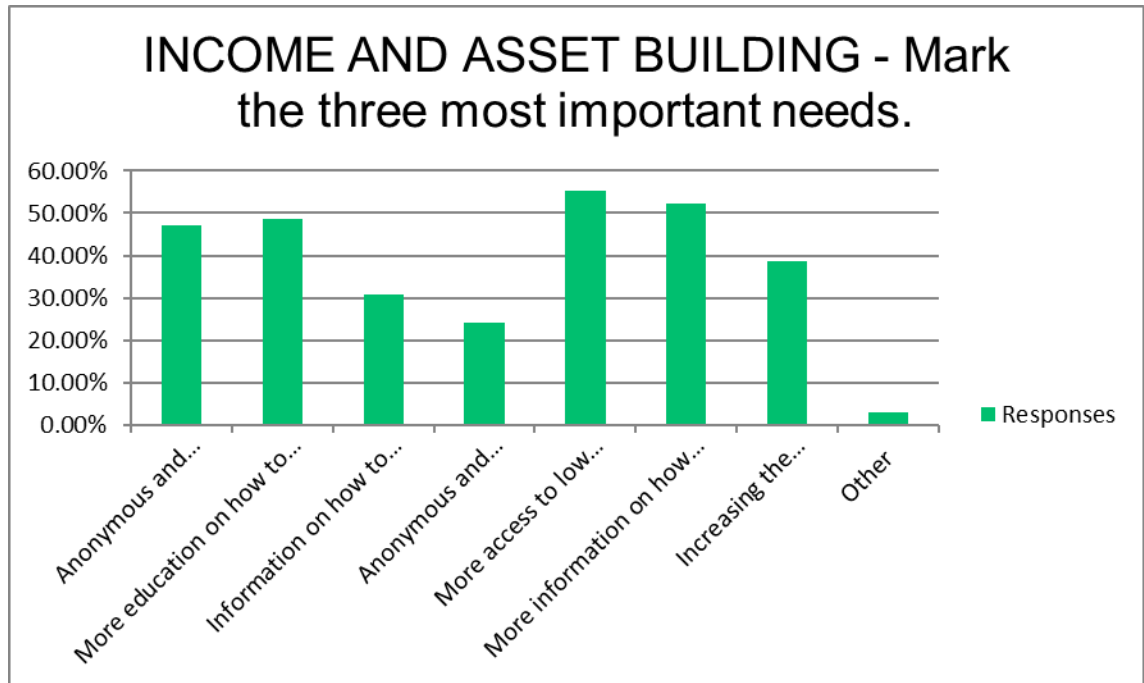
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	47.74%	95
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	28.14%	56
More counseling resources for homeowners	16.58%	33
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	45.73%	91
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	27.64%	55
More programs to provide free home repair	40.20%	80
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	38.69%	77
More community supports for homeless families	52.26%	104
Other	3.02%	6
Other (please specify)		7
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



Question 12 (Davies):

**INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.**

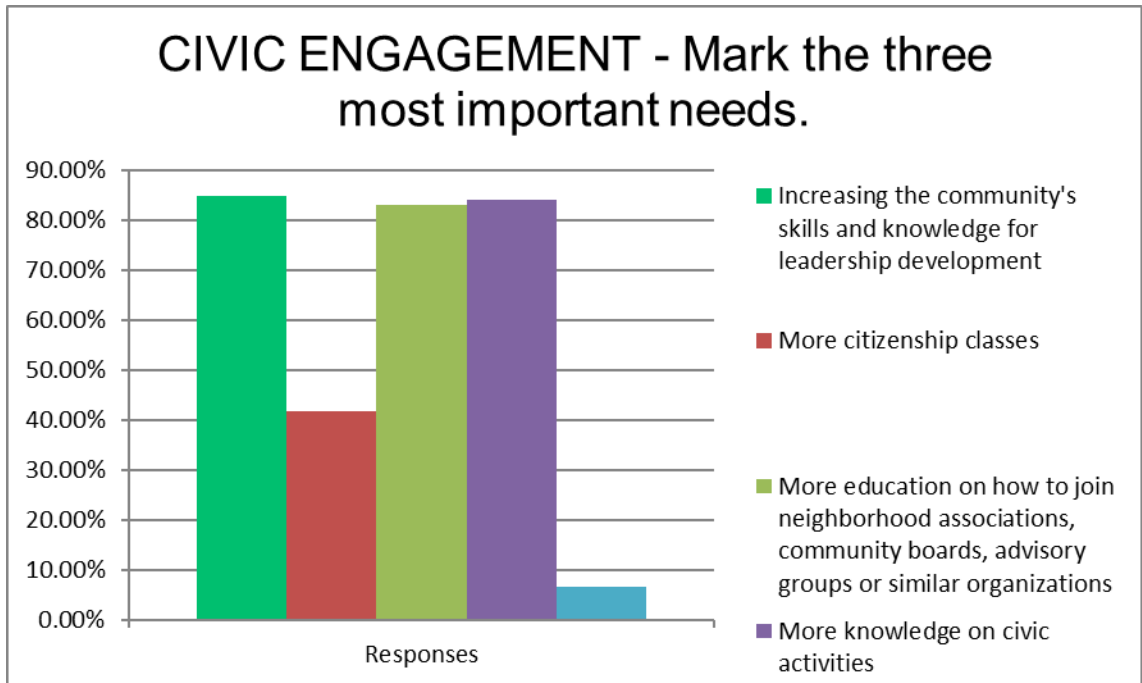
Answer Choices	Responses
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	47.24% 94
More education on how to build assets	48.74% 97
Information on how to access free credit counseling	30.65% 61
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	24.12% 48
More access to low interest loans	55.28% 110
More information on how to access financial resources	52.26% 104
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream financial resources	38.69% 77
Other	3.02% 6
Other (please specify)	6
<b>Answered 199</b>	



Question 13 (Davies):

**CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	84.92%	169
More citizenship classes	41.71%	83
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	82.91%	165
More knowledge on civic activities	83.92%	167
Other	6.53%	13
Other (please specify)		16
		<b>Answered 199</b>

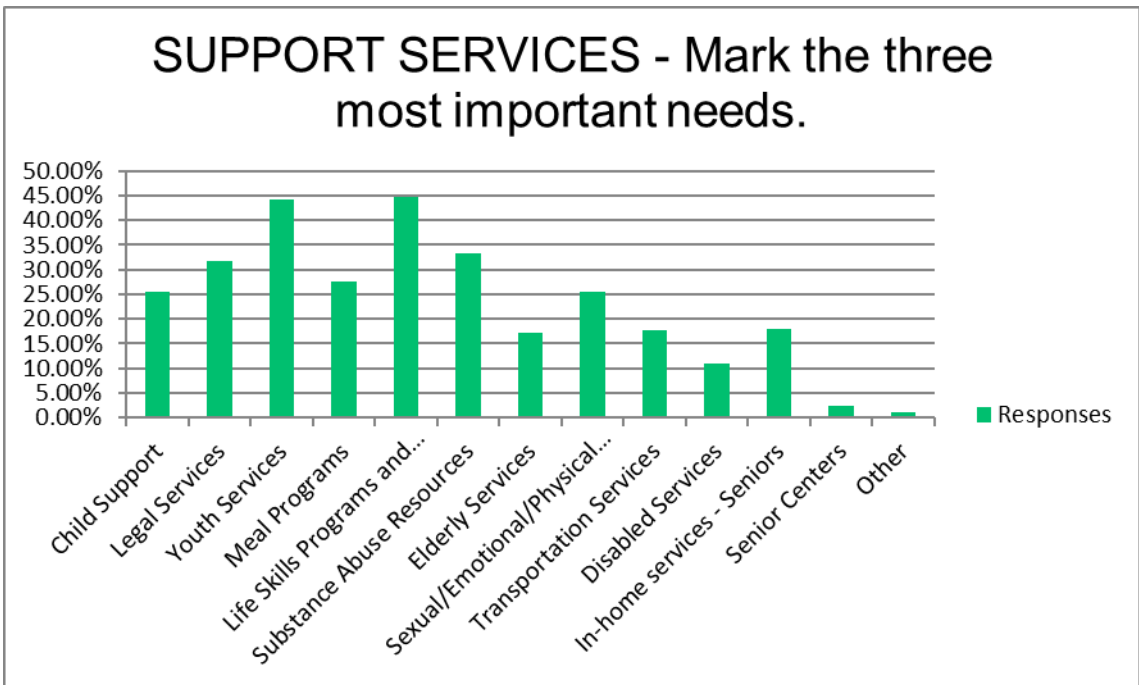




Question 14 (Davies):

**SUPPORT SERVICES - Mark the three most important needs.**

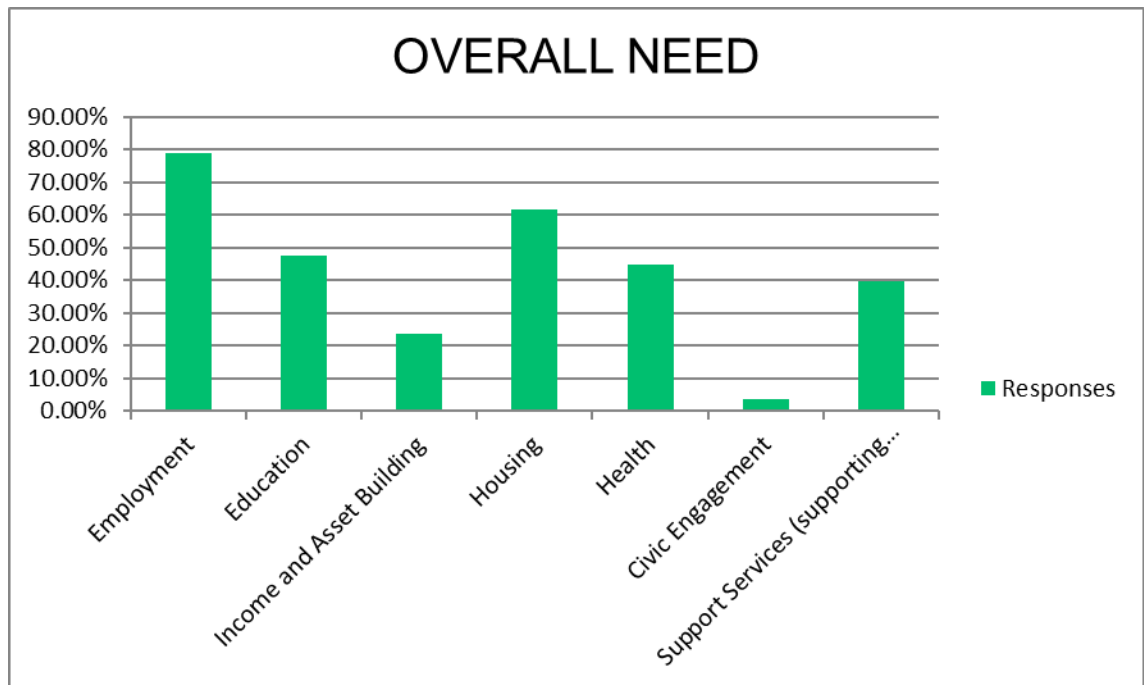
Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	25.63%	51
Legal Services	31.66%	63
Youth Services	44.22%	88
Meal Programs	27.64%	55
Life Skills Programs and Services	44.72%	89
Substance Abuse Resources	33.17%	66
Elderly Services	17.09%	34
Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	25.63%	51
Transportation Services	17.59%	35
Disabled Services	11.06%	22
In-home services - Seniors	18.09%	36
Senior Centers	2.51%	5
Other	1.01%	2
Other (please specify)		4
<b>Answered</b>		<b>199</b>



Question 15 (Davies):

**OVERALL NEED**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Employment	78.89%	157
Education	47.74%	95
Income and Asset Building	23.62%	47
Housing	61.81%	123
Health	44.72%	89
Civic Engagement	3.52%	7
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	39.70%	79
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>199</b>



## 5. COMMUNITY RESOURCES - DAVIESS

### Emergency and Transitional Shelters

Boulware Mission, Inc.

609 Wing Avenue, Owensboro, KY 42303

(270) 683-8267

Website: [www.boulwaremission.org](http://www.boulwaremission.org)

Homeless men and women without children (62 men, 16 women beds). Screening assessment required prior to admission. Call for bed availability. Outpatient substance abuse treatment available.

CrossRoads Women's Shelter

1631 Breckenridge Street, Owensboro, KY 42303

(270) 240-2773

Website: <https://crossroadsowensboro.org/hope/>

A walk-in emergency overnight shelter for homeless women and children in Owensboro/Daviess County.

Daniel Pitino Shelter, Inc.

501 Walnut Street, Owensboro, KY 42301

(270) 688-9000

Website: [www.pitinoshelter.org](http://www.pitinoshelter.org)

Families and Single Women (15 emergency and 50 transitional beds, length of stay up to two years). Emergency/transitional housing, soup kitchen, and medical clinic.

O.A.S.I.S., Inc.

P.O. Box 315, Owensboro, KY 42302

(270) 685-0260

Website: [www.oasisshelter.org](http://www.oasisshelter.org)

Victims of domestic violence and their children, and homeless chemically-dependent women; individual and group counseling services; prevention and advocacy services (60 beds, length of stay up to two years)

St. Benedicts Homeless Shelter for Men

1001 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Owensboro, KY 42031

(270) 541-1003

Website: <https://stbenedictsowensboro.org/>

A temporary refuge for the homeless men in our community. Our mission is to provide a safe, non-judgmental environment where residents can have a warm place to sleep, shower, eat, and wash their laundry in a Christian atmosphere.

St. Benedicts Women and Children's Day Shelter

905 Hickman Ave., Owensboro, KY 42301

(270) 216-5910

Website: <https://stbenedictsowensboro.org/women-and-family-services/>

This location serves as a day shelter for women, children, and families. This facility provides women, children, and families a place to rest during the day, while having access to our expanding services, resources, and programs.

**Emergency Assistance**

Audubon Area Community Action Agency  
1800 W. Fourth St. Owensboro, KY 42302  
(270) 686-1600

Email: [info@audubon-area.com](mailto:info@audubon-area.com) Website: <https://www.audubon-area.com>

Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, Family Preservation/Family Reunification/FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System (GRITS); Head Start; HUD-subsidized Lincolnshire apartments; Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

**Centro Latino**

91 Church St., Owensboro, KY 42301  
(270) 764-1484

Hispanic migrant workers; food; clothing and furniture; transportation assistance and translation

**Daniel Pitino Shelter, Inc.**

501 Walnut Street, Owensboro, KY 42301  
(270) 688-9000

Website: [www.pitinoshelter.org](http://www.pitinoshelter.org)

Emergency/Transitional housing, Cathedral Soup kitchen, and case management services.

**HELP Office**

1316 W. 4th St., Owensboro, KY 42301  
(270) 685-4971

Food bank; clothing; utility and rental assistance; Christian Dental and healthcare program, when available.

**Owensboro Christian Church**

2818 New Hartford Rd., Owensboro, KY 42303 (270)  
683-2706

Emergency assistance.

**Salvation Army of Owensboro**

215 Ewing Road, Owensboro, KY 42301  
(270) 685-5576

Emergency assistance; after school/day camp program, Community Center; food pantry, clothing vouchers, rent assistance, utility assistance, prescription assistance and help with KY vision applications. Also serves Hancock, McClean and Ohio counties.

**St. Vincent De Paul**

1001 West Seventh St., Owensboro, KY 42301

(270) 683-1747

1848 Triplett St., Owensboro, KY 42301

(270)683-1060

Food and clothing assistance; household items; rental and utility assistance; medical assistance.

St. Vincent DePaul

10016 Walnut St., Whitesville, KY 42378

(270)274-5118 or (270) 233-1802

Food and clothing assistance; household items; rental and utility assistance; medical assistance.

Tenth Street Baptist Church Pantry

P.O. Box 953, Owensboro, KY 42302

(270) 684-8116

Food pantry

### **Educational Assistance**

Adult Education for the Homeless Project

Owensboro Community College & KCTCS

Owensboro, KY 42301

(270) 686-1150

Educational outreach and services.

### **Mental Health Assistance**

River Valley Behavioral Health Services

P.O. Box 1637, Owensboro, KY 42302-1637

(270) 689-6500

(270) 684-9466 Crisis Line in Daviess County

(800) 433-7291 - Crisis Line outside Daviess County

Community Mental Health Center; mental health services and referrals; 48 permanent housing beds. The 24/7 crisis intervention, information, and referral service is provided free of charge to individuals seeking help. This service is also equipped with TDD (Device for the Deaf). Callers may remain anonymous and receive help from trained telephone counselors. The guiding principle is that crisis intervention will prevent the development of more serious problems.

### **Health Services**

Audubon Area Community Care Clinic, Inc.

750 Salem Drive, Suite 2, Owensboro, KY 42303

(270) 686-6040

Website: <https://www.audubon-area.com/clinic.html>

Audubon Area Community Care Clinic (AACCC) is a Federally Qualified Health Center funded through Health Resources and Services Administration 330(h) Healthcare for the Homeless grant. AACCC provides health services, referral services and supportive services to uninsured, underinsured, refugee and medically underserved populations within the seven county region of Northwestern Kentucky.

Matthew 25 AIDS Services

411 Letcher Street, Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 826-0200 or (877) 428-1231

Provides Comprehensive Care for persons with HIV/AIDS. Medical care, case management, support services, and housing programs. Also has many HIV prevention programs for the community including rapid testing. Clinical Satellite twice monthly in Owensboro Health Department at 1600 Breckinridge, Owensboro, KY

**Substance Abuse Services**

Friends of Sinners

320 Clay Street, Owensboro, KY 42303

(270) 689-9174

Website: <https://friendofsinner.org/>

Christ-centered residential substance recovery program focusing on the restoration and reconciliation of men and women to Christ through biblical truths, accountability, and life skills.

Owensboro Regional Recovery

4301 Veach Road, Owensboro, KY 42303

(270)689-0905

Fax (270)689-0903

Web site: [www.owensbororegionalrecovery.com](http://www.owensbororegionalrecovery.com)

Serve homeless adult men with substance abuse issues. Must call for a phone screening prior to admission.

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## **HANCOCK COUNTY**

### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

Hancock County is the 83<sup>rd</sup> county in order of formation. It was formed on January 3, 1829, from parts of Ohio, Breckinridge, and Daviess counties and named in honor of John Hancock, president of the Continental Congress and signer of the Declaration of Independence. Early settlers farmed the land and mined coal.

The population peaked in the 1890's, when the coal and timber industries were stimulated by the crossing of the railroad through the county. Soon residents started leaving due to soil erosion, the lure of city jobs, and new coal developments elsewhere. Hancock County was transformed in the 1950's with the opening of several plants, making it one of the most industrialized rural counties in the state.

Hawesville, in the northern part of the county along the Ohio River, has been the county seat since 1829.

### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

Hancock County is located in the Western Coal Field region of the state along the Ohio River. It is bordered by Daviess, Ohio, and Breckinridge counties and has an area of 189 square miles.

### **3. LOCATION OF OFFICES**

Hancock County Community Services Office  
225 Main Cross Street  
Hawesville, KY 42348

North Hancock Elementary School  
330 Frank Luttrell Road  
Lewisport, KY 42351

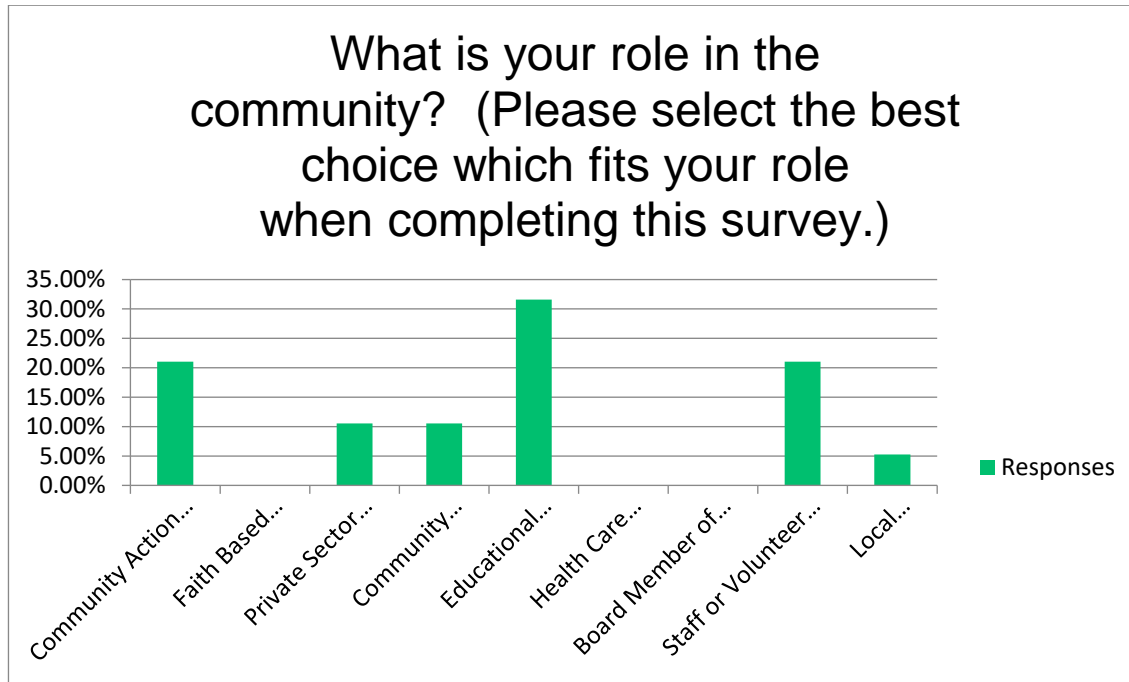
South Hancock Elementary School  
8631 State Route 69  
Hawesville, KY 42348

#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - HANCOCK

Question 1 (Hancock):

**What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits your role when completing this survey.)**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	21.05%	4
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based groups, clubs, councils, association, etc.)	0.00%	0
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, small business, private citizen, etc.)	10.53%	2
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non-profits)	10.53%	2
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, college and universities)	31.58%	6
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	0.00%	0
Board Member of Community Action Agency	0.00%	0
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	21.05%	4
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-profit, government regulated, funding sources, etc.)	5.26%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>

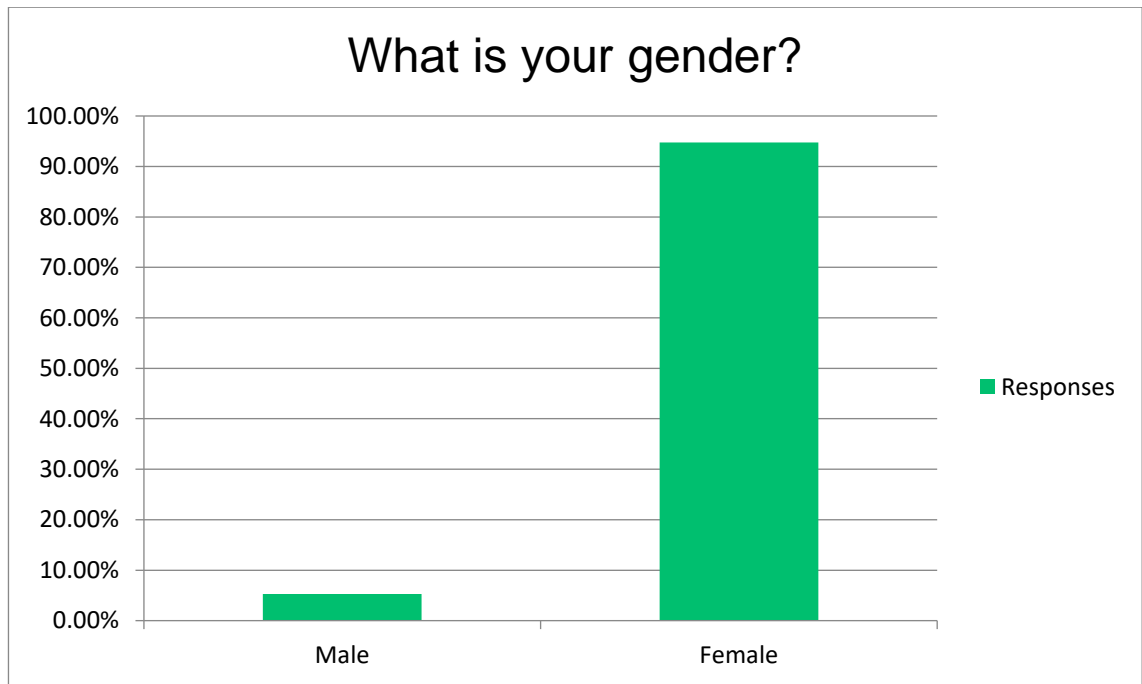




Question 2 (Hancock):

### What is your gender?

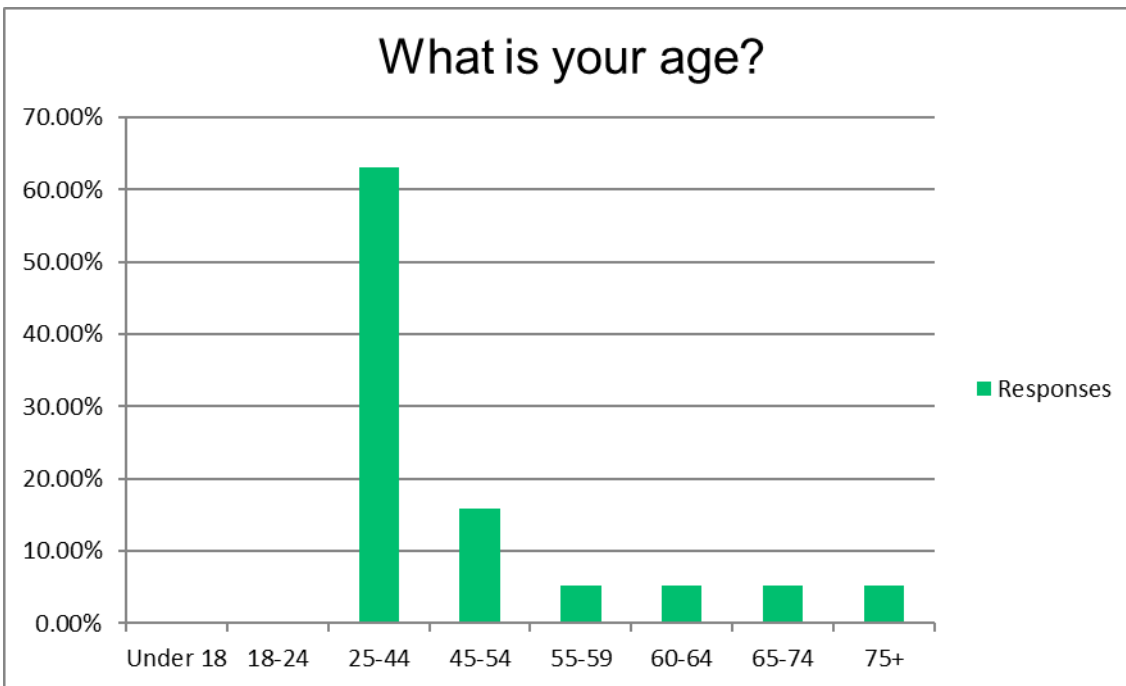
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	5.26%	1
Female	94.74%	18
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



Question 3 (Hancock):

**What is your age?**

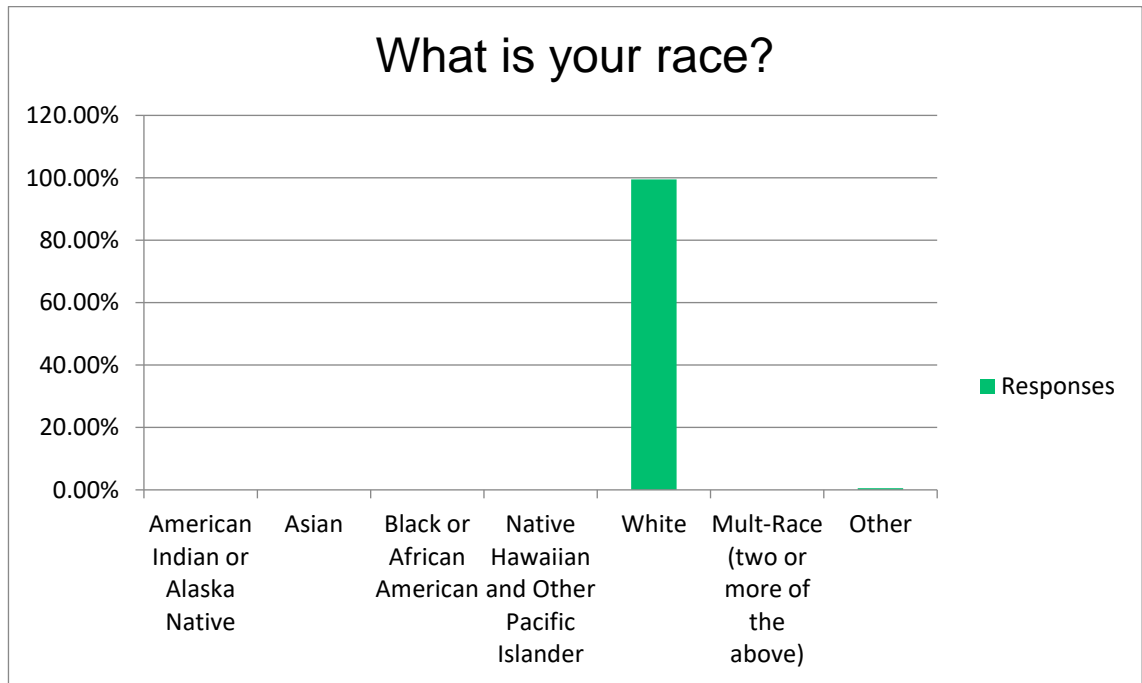
Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	0.00%	0
25-44	63.16%	12
45-54	15.79%	3
55-59	5.26%	1
60-64	5.26%	1
65-74	5.26%	1
75+	5.26%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



Question 4 (Hancock):

**What is your race?**

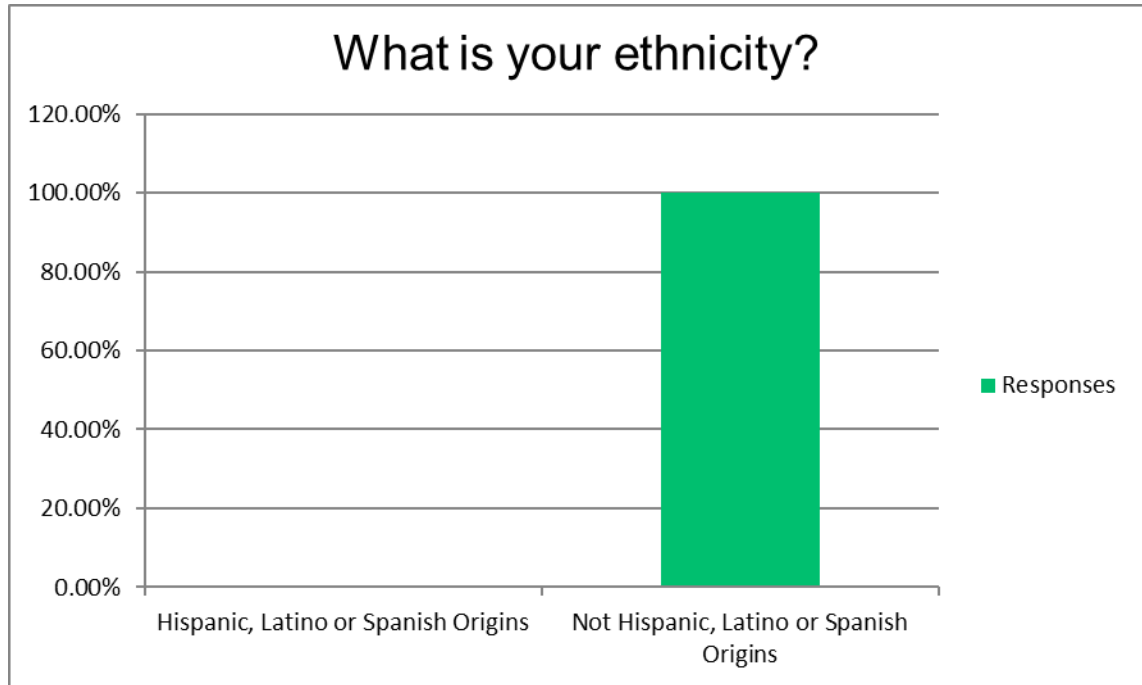
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	0.00%	0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	100.0%	19
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



Question 5 (Hancock):

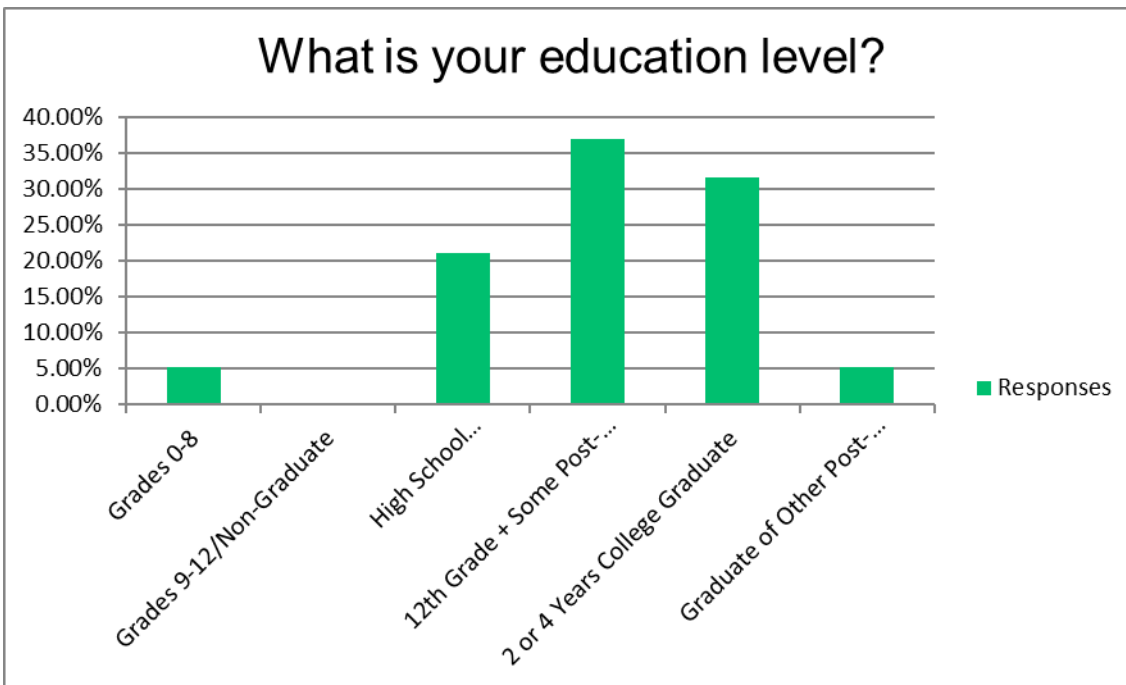
**What is your ethnicity?**

Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	0.00%	0
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	100.00%	19
<b>Answered</b>		<b>19</b>



Question 6 (Hancock):

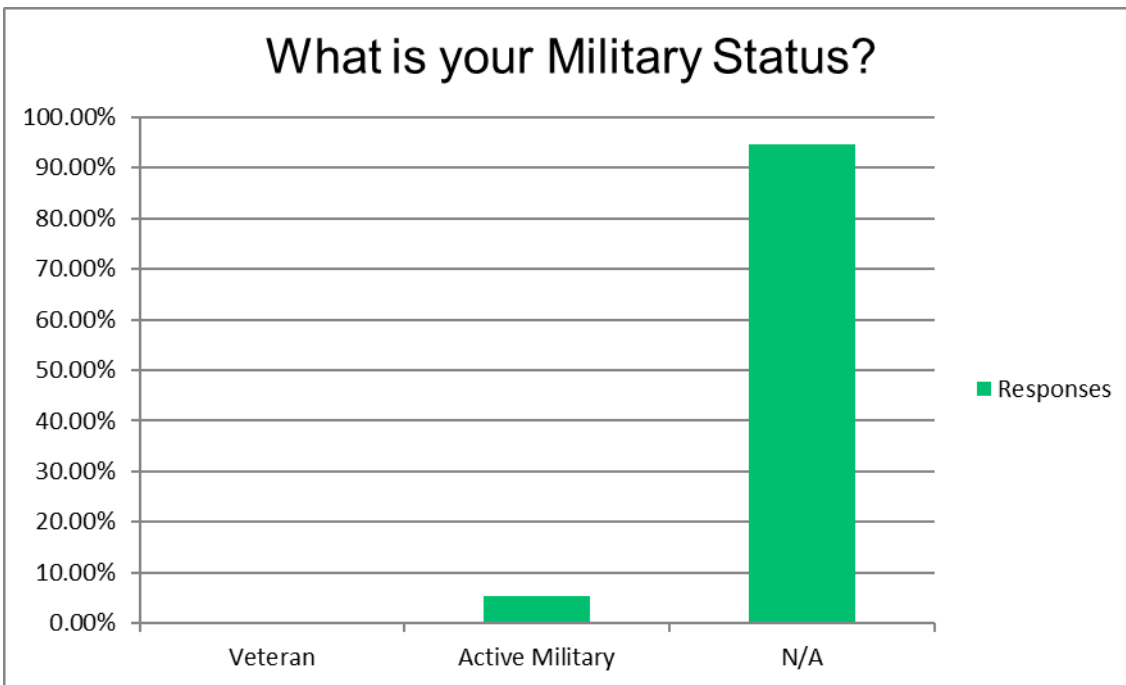
What is your education level?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	5.26%	1
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	0.00%	0
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	21.05%	4
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	36.84%	7
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	31.58%	6
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	5.26%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



Question 7 (Hancock):

### What is your Military Status?

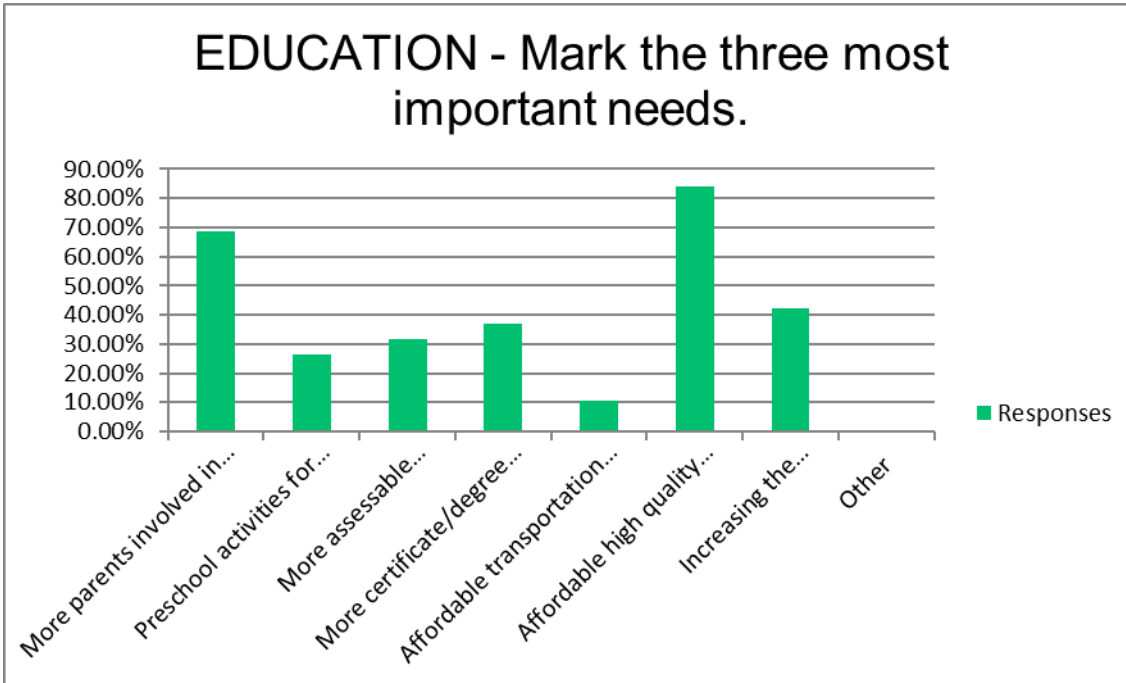
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	0.00%	0
Active Military	5.26%	1
N/A	94.74%	18
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



Question 8 (Hancock):

**EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.**

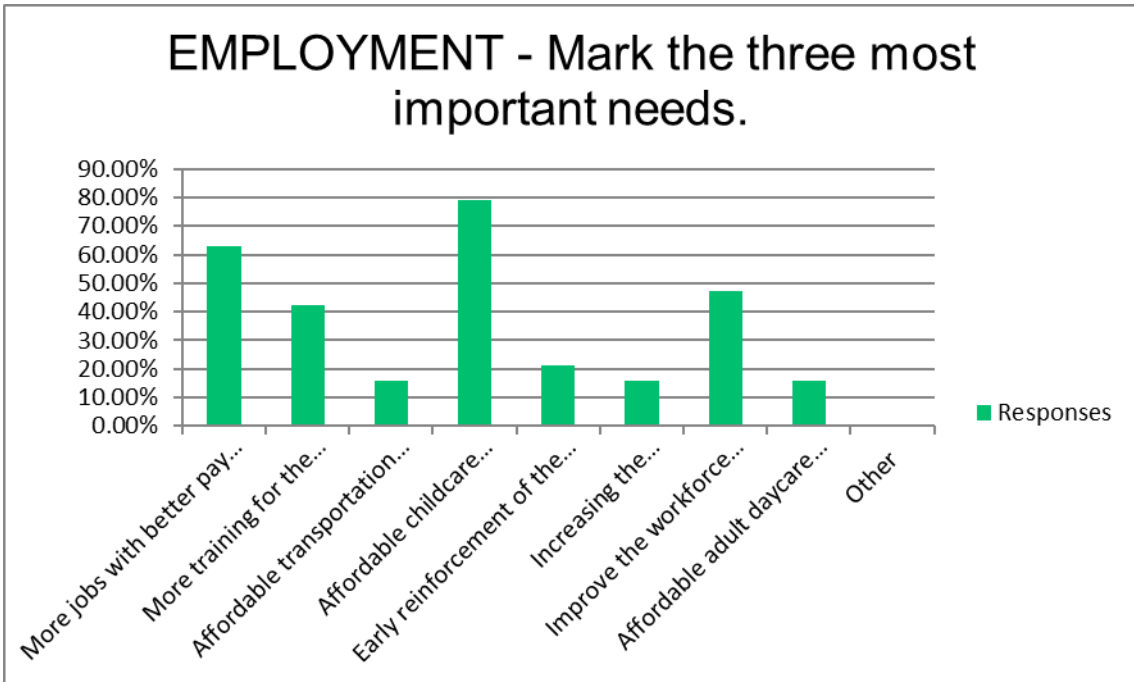
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	68.42%	13
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness skills	26.32%	5
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or college	31.58%	6
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	36.84%	7
Affordable transportation options to and from school	10.53%	2
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like to further their education	84.21%	16
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education resources	42.11%	8
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



Question 9 (Hancock):

**EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.**

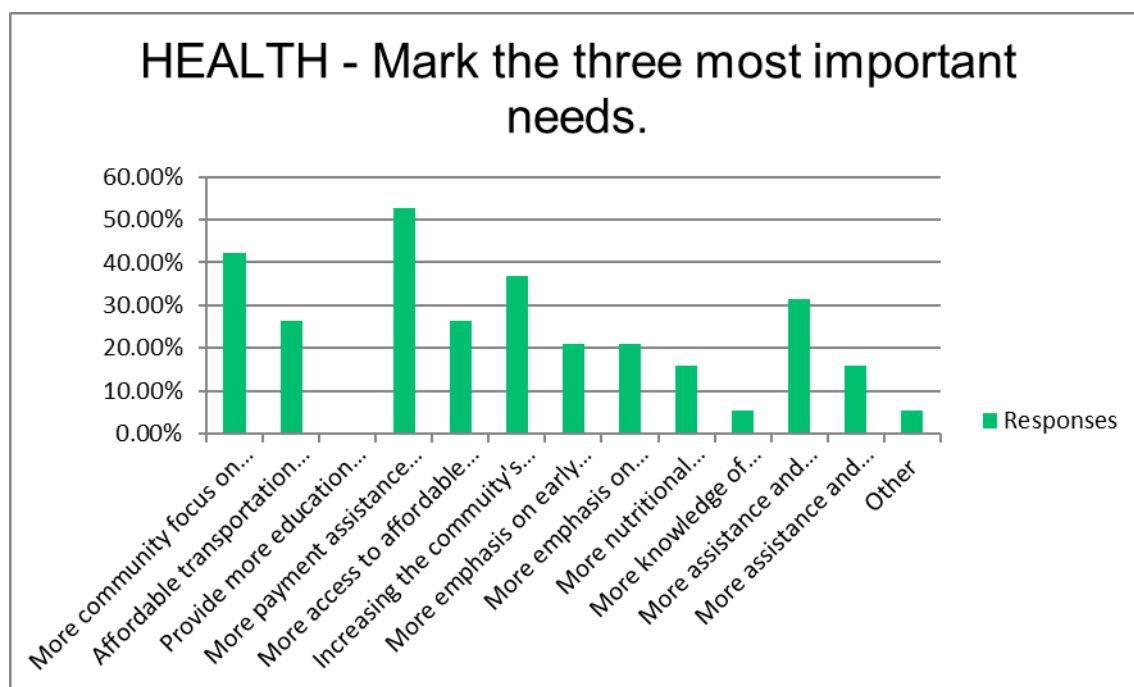
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	63.16%	12
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	42.11%	8
Affordable transportation to and from job	15.79%	3
Affordable childcare during work hours	78.95%	15
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	21.05%	4
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment resources	15.79%	3
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to work	47.37%	9
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	15.79%	3
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>





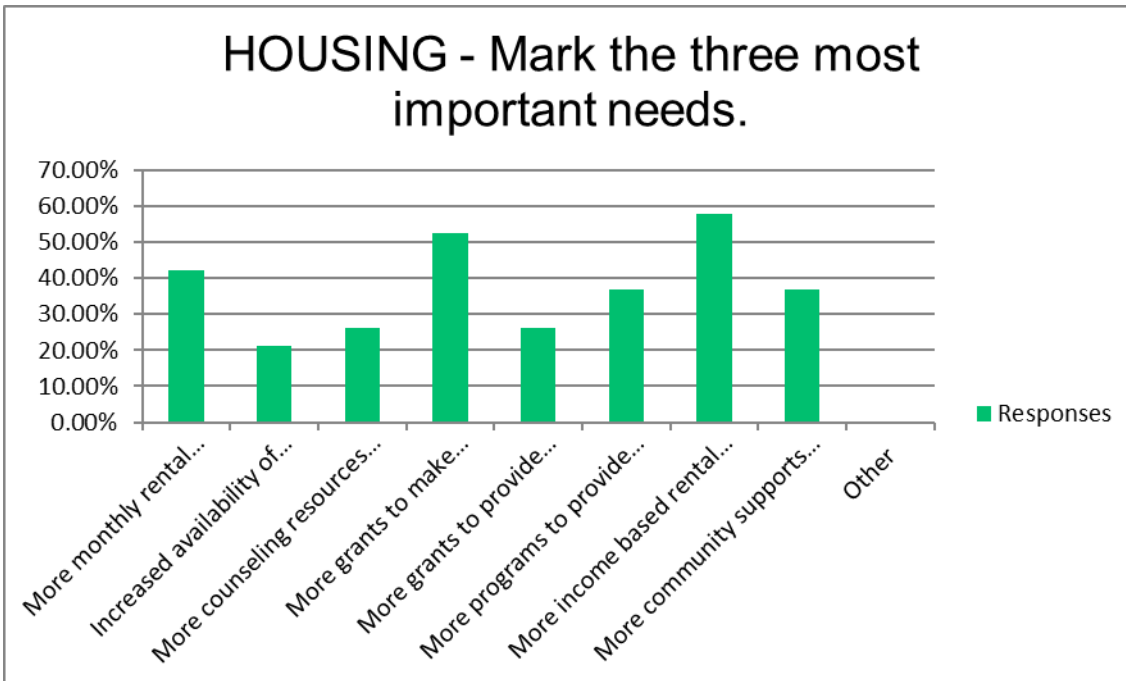
Question 10 (Hancock):

<b>HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	42.11%	8
Affordable transportation for health care services	26.32%	5
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	0.00%	0
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	52.63%	10
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health ca	26.32%	5
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resourc	36.84%	7
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	21.05%	4
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	21.05%	4
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	15.79%	3
More knowledge of available food resources	5.26%	1
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	31.58%	6
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	15.79%	3
Other	5.26%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



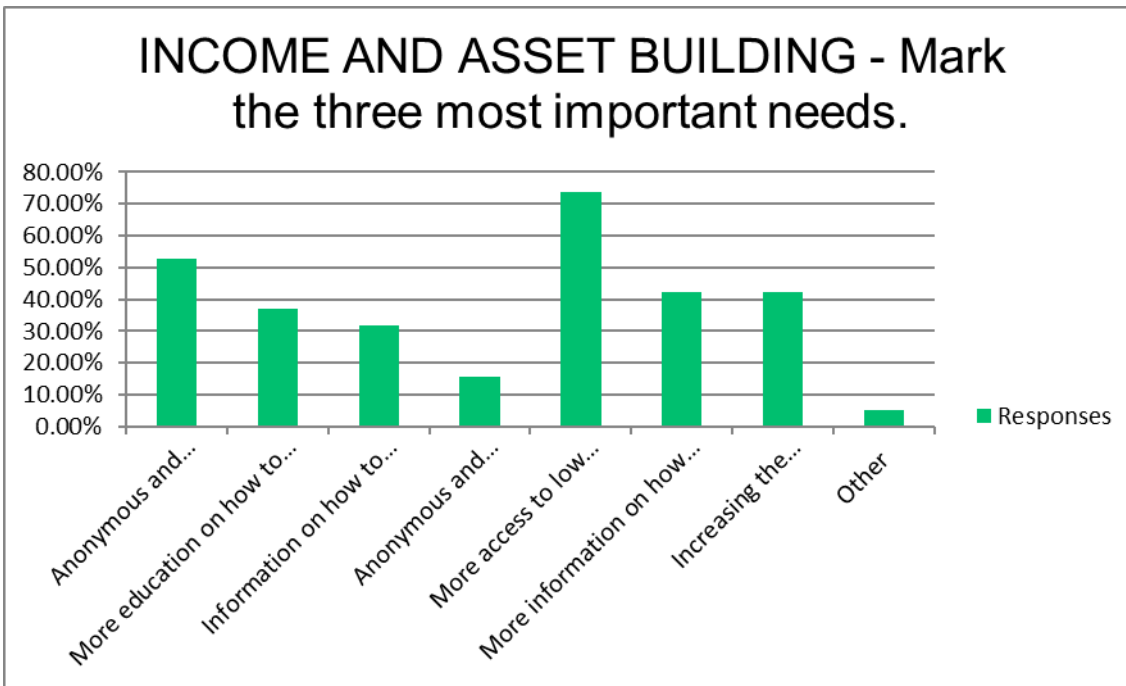
Question 11 (Hancock):

<b>HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	42.11%	8
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	21.05%	4
More counseling resources for homeowners	26.32%	5
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	52.63%	10
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	26.32%	5
More programs to provide free home repair	36.84%	7
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	57.89%	11
More community supports for homeless families	36.84%	7
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



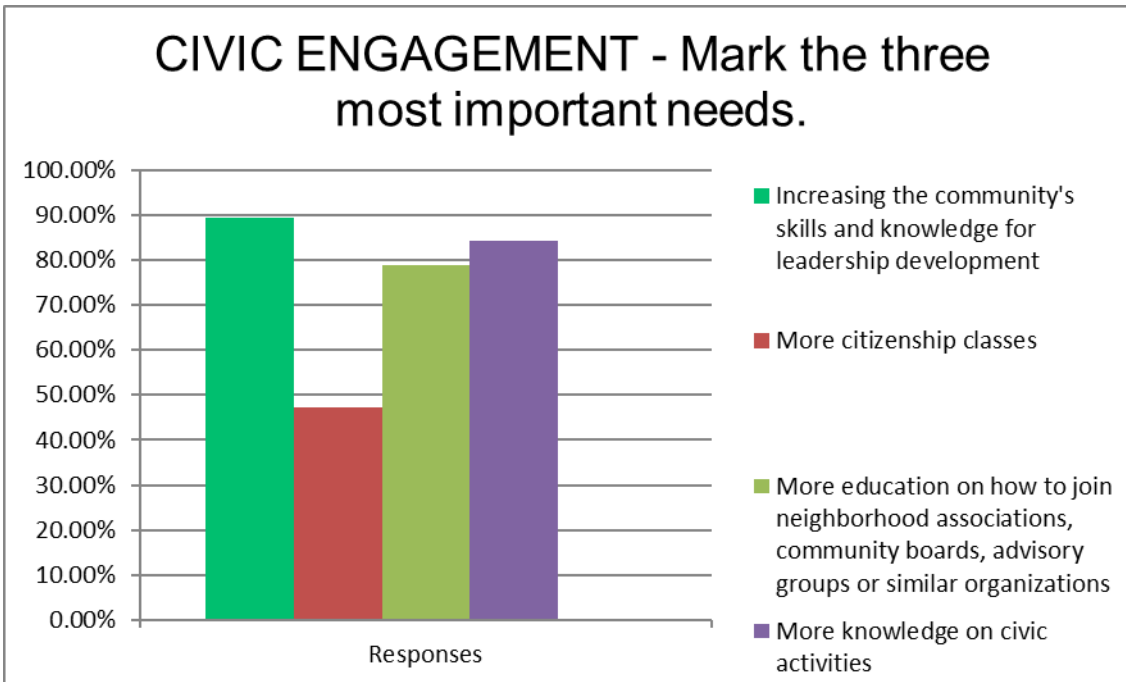
Question 12 (Hancock):

<b>INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	52.63%	10
More education on how to build assets	36.84%	7
Information on how to access free credit counseling	31.58%	6
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	15.79%	3
More access to low interest loans	73.68%	14
More information on how to access financial resources	42.11%	8
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream financial resources	42.11%	8
Other	5.26%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



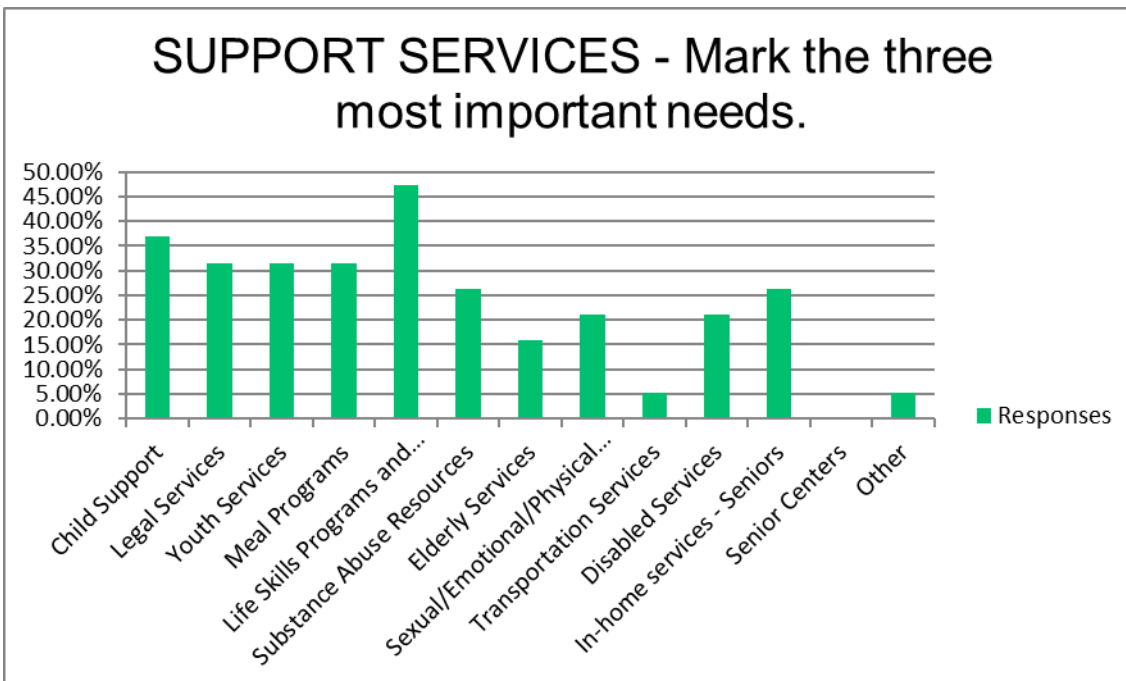
Question 13 (Hancock):

<b>CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	89.47%	17
More citizenship classes	47.37%	9
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	78.95%	15
More knowledge on civic activities	84.21%	16
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



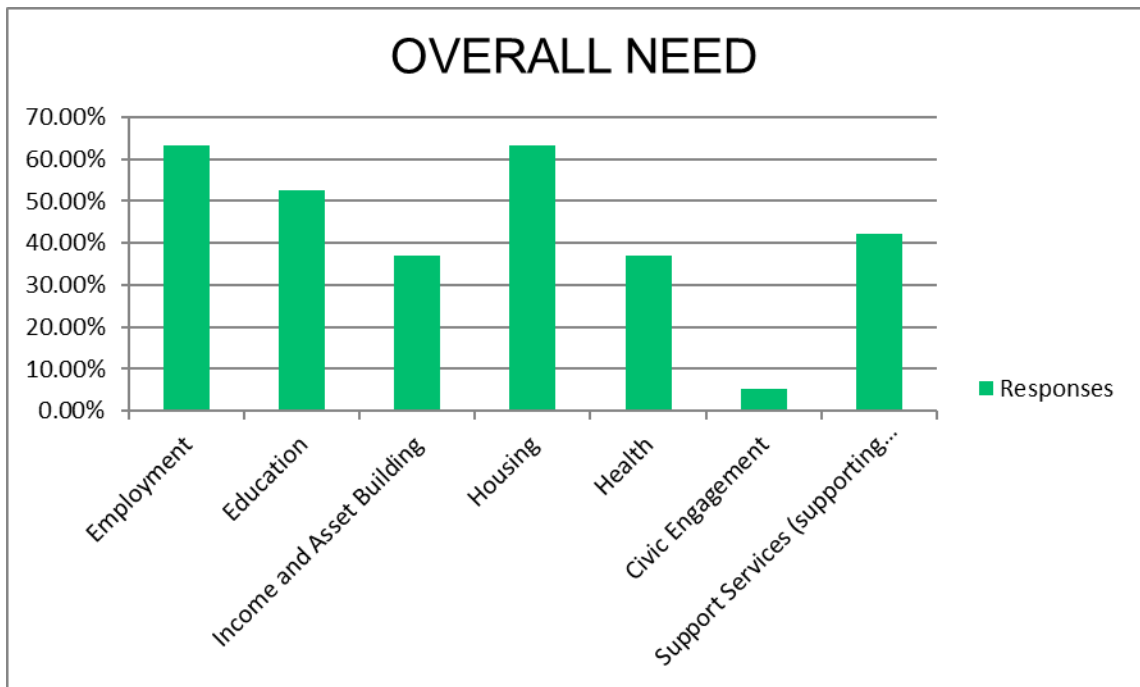
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	36.84%	7
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Substance Abuse Resources	26.32%	5
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Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	21.05%	4
Transportation Services	5.26%	1
Disabled Services	21.05%	4
In-home services - Seniors	26.32%	5
Senior Centers	0.00%	0
Other	5.26%	1
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	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



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Employment	63.16%	12
Education	52.63%	10
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Housing	63.16%	12
Health	36.84%	7
Civic Engagement	5.26%	1
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	42.11%	8
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>19</b>



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Email: [info@audubon-area.com](mailto:info@audubon-area.com) Website: <https://www.audubon-area.com>

Services offered include Case management, Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, Family Preservation; Family Reunification; FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System (GRITS); Head Start; HUD-subsidized Lincolnshire apartments (Owensboro); Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

HELP Office 180 415  
Main Cross St. P.O.  
Box 327  
Hawesville, KY 42348  
(270)927-6664

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## **HENDERSON COUNTY**

### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

Henderson County is the 38<sup>th</sup> county in order of formation. It was first settled around 1791. Settlers were initially deterred by Indians and outlaws but were eventually drawn to the area's rich farming land. In the early 1800's, the county seat, Henderson, was made an inspection point for tobacco and other products that shipped out of the region on the neighboring Ohio River. During the Civil War, the county was subjected to Confederate raids and occasional Union occupation.

In the 1930's, before the advent of interstate highways, Henderson County was a stopping point on one of the most heavily-traveled north-south roads. As a result of the tourist traffic, the John James Audubon State Park was established. The namesake county seat of Henderson sits on along the Ohio River on the northern portion of the county.

### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

Henderson County is located just south of the Ohio River, and also shares borders with Daviess, McLean, Webster, and Union counties. The county covers 438 square miles which range from level floodplains to gently rolling hills.

### **3. LOCATION OF OFFICES**

Henderson County – Community Services Office  
324 1st Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

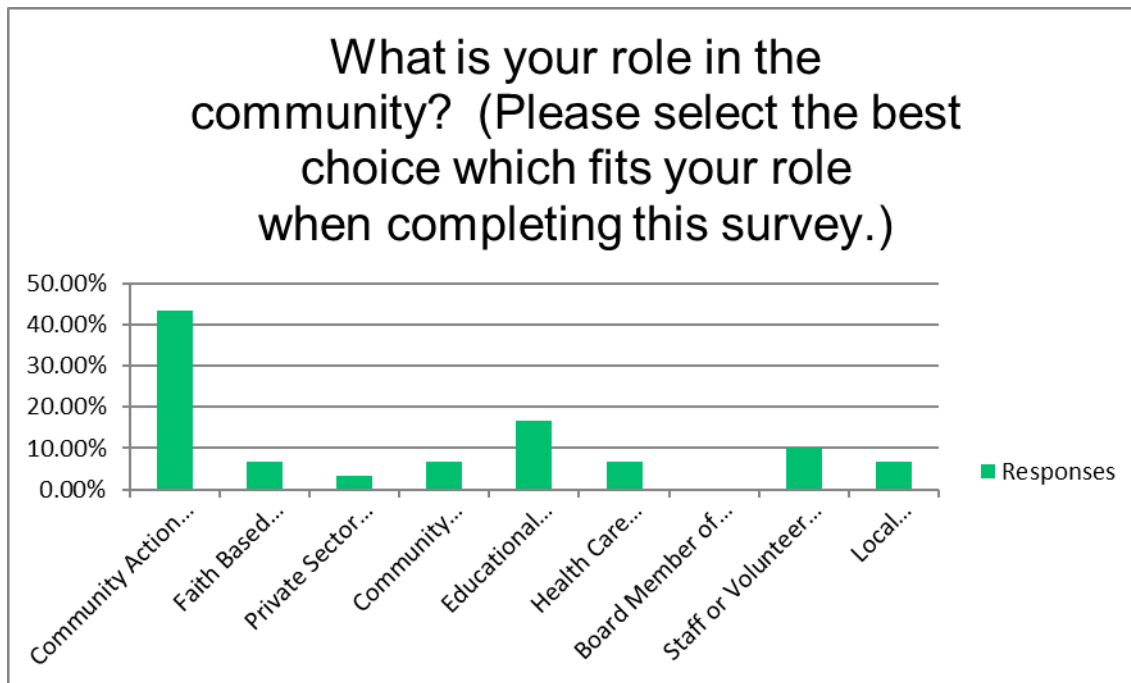
Henderson Community College CDC  
2660 South Green Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

Thelma B Early Learning Center  
631 North Green Street  
Henderson, KY 42420

#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - HENDERSON

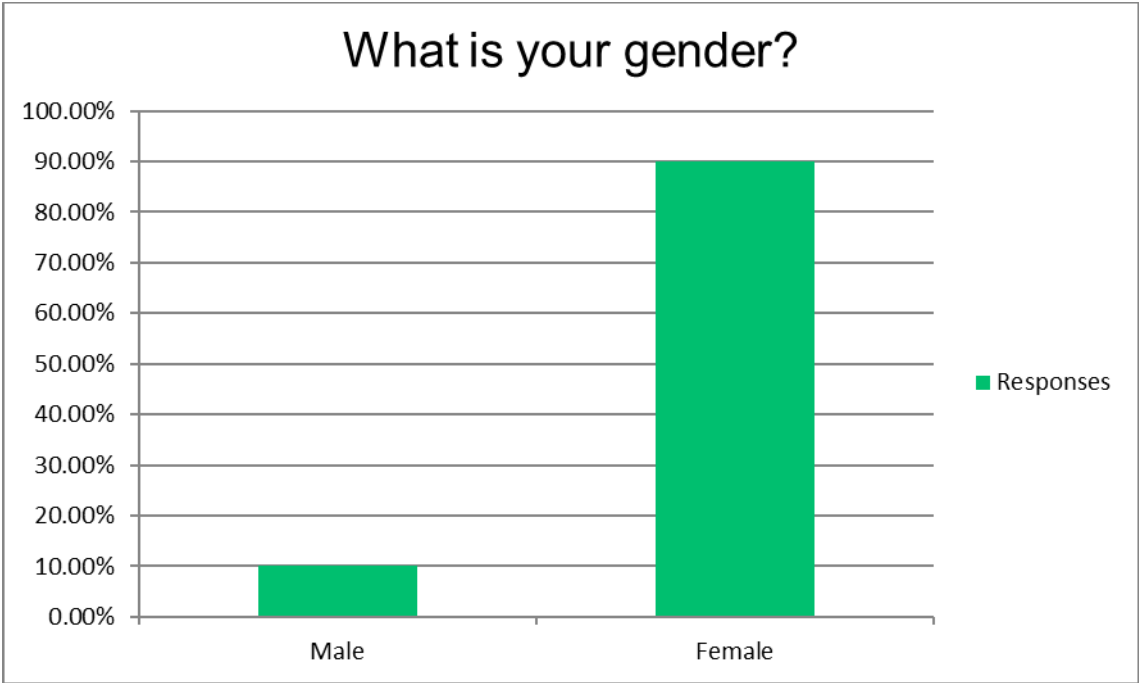
Question 1 (Henderson):

<b>What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits your role when completing this survey.)</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	43.33%	13
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based groups, clubs, councils, association, etc.)	6.67%	2
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, small business, private citizen, etc.)	3.33%	1
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non-profits)	6.67%	2
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, college and universities)	16.67%	5
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	6.67%	2
Board Member of Community Action Agency	0.00%	0
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	10.00%	3
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-profit, government regulated, funding sources, etc.)	6.67%	2
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



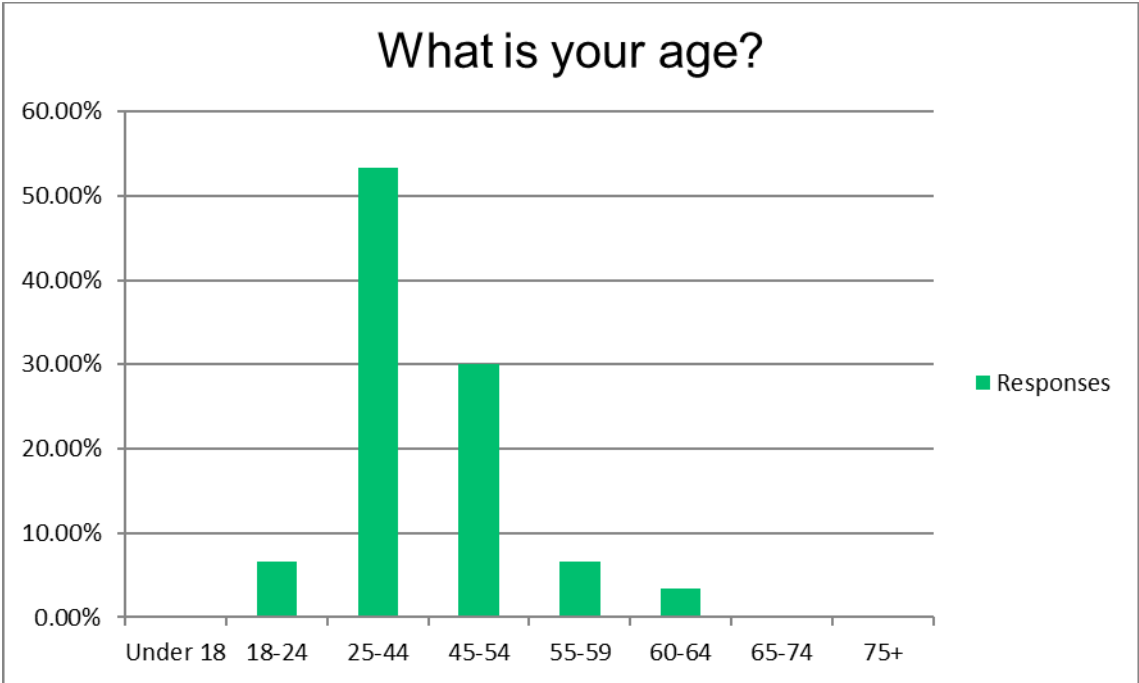
Question 2 (Henderson):

What is your gender?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	10.00%	3
Female	90.00%	27
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



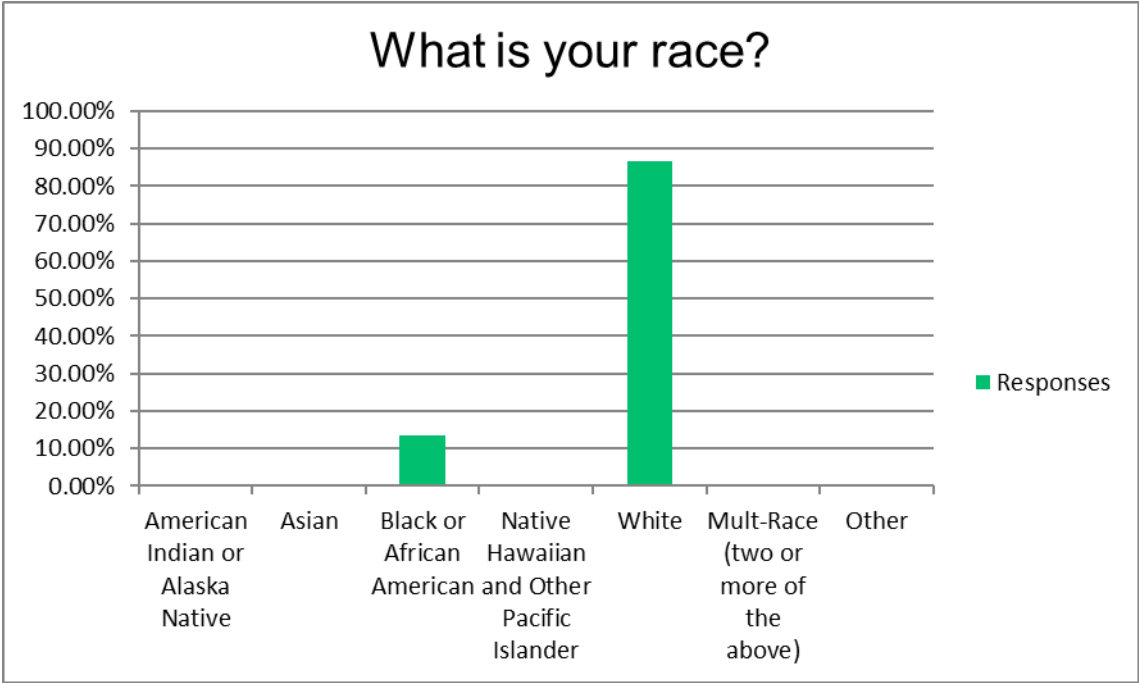
Question 3 (Henderson):

Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	6.67%	2
25-44	53.33%	16
45-54	30.00%	9
55-59	6.67%	2
60-64	3.33%	1
65-74	0.00%	0
75+	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



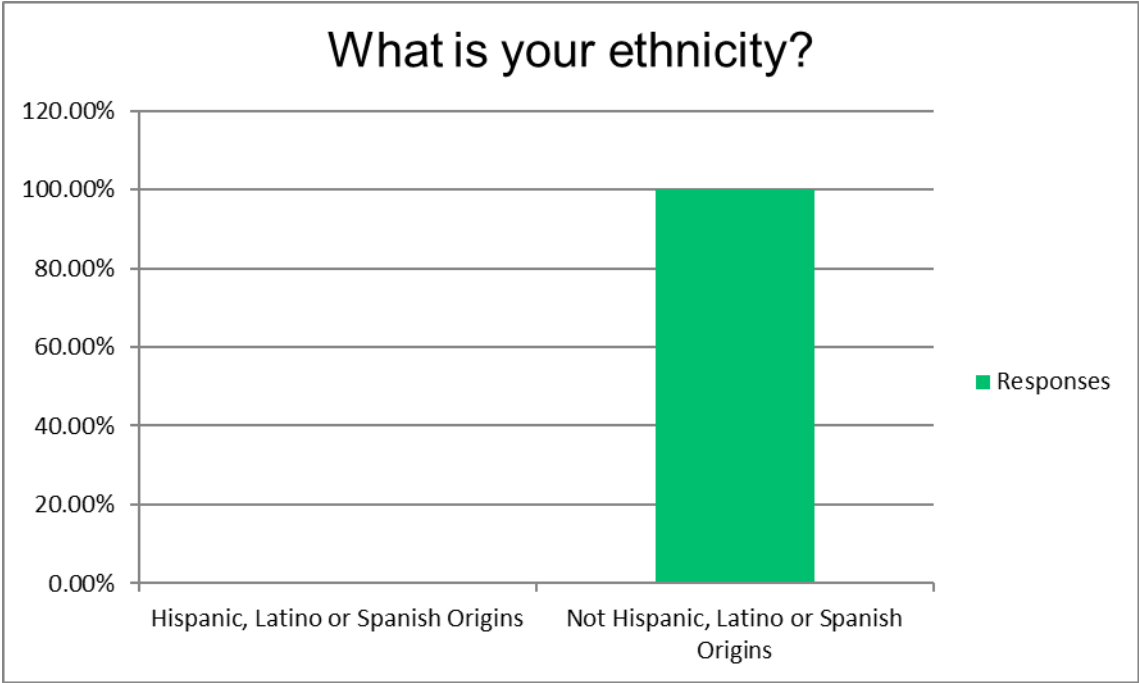
Question 4 (Henderson):

What is your race?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	13.33%	4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	86.67%	26
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



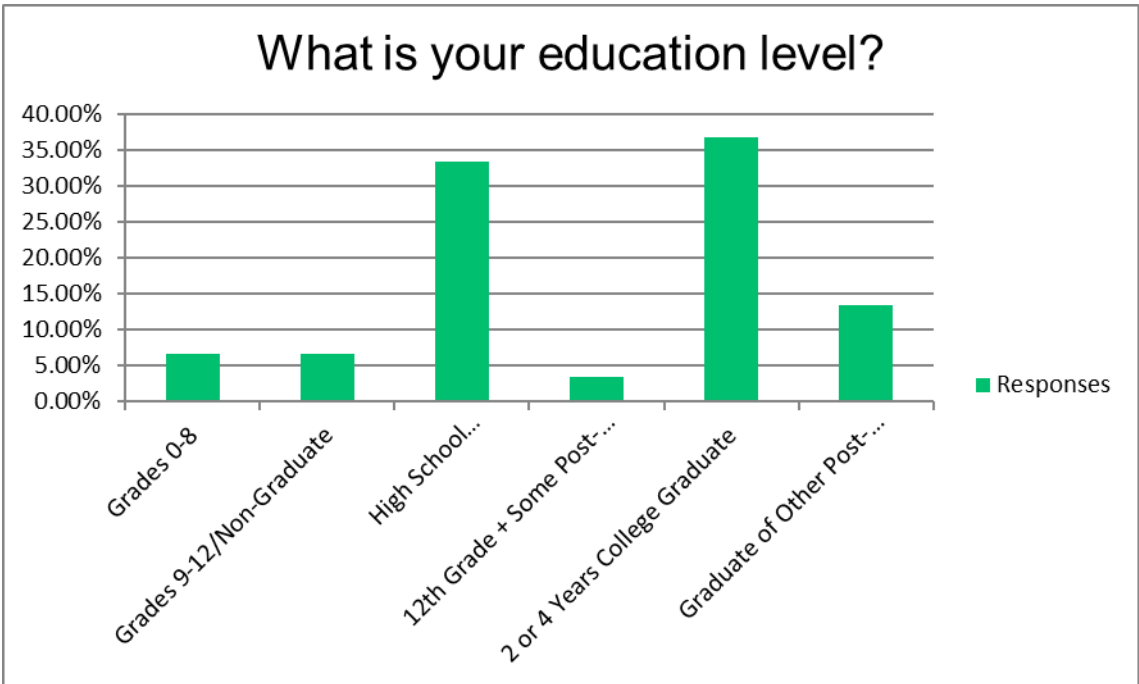
Question 5 (Henderson):

<b>What is your ethnicity?</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	0.00%	0
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	100.00%	30
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



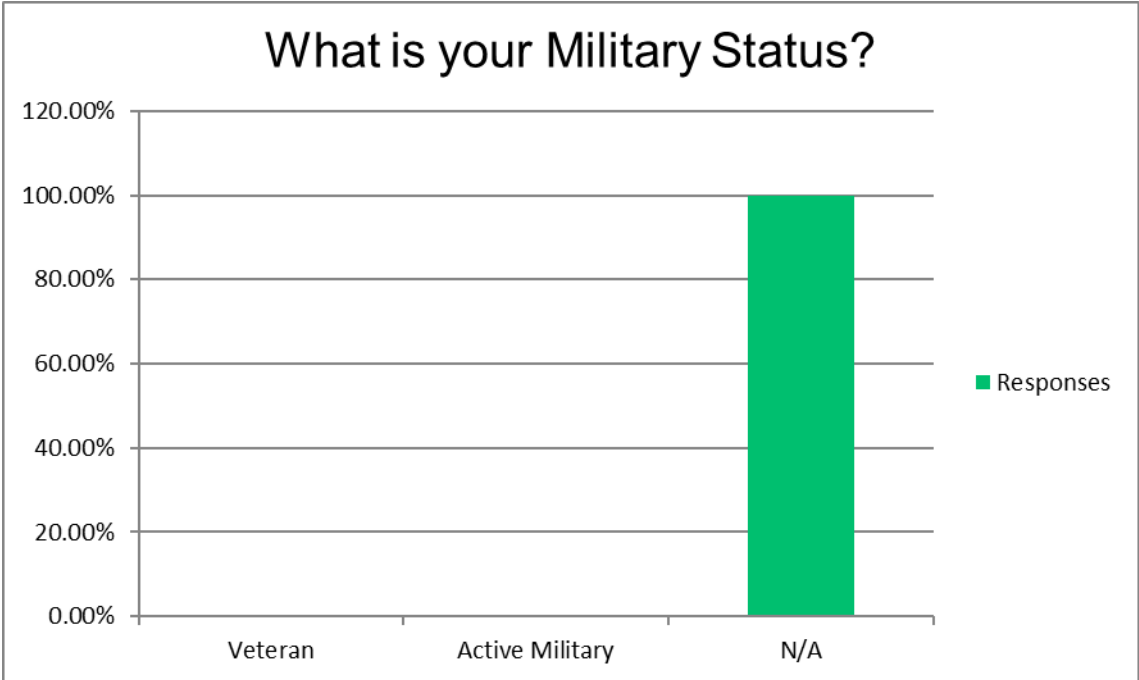
Question 6 (Henderson):

What is your education level?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	6.67%	2
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	6.67%	2
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	33.33%	10
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	3.33%	1
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	36.67%	11
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	13.33%	4
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



Question 7 (Henderson):

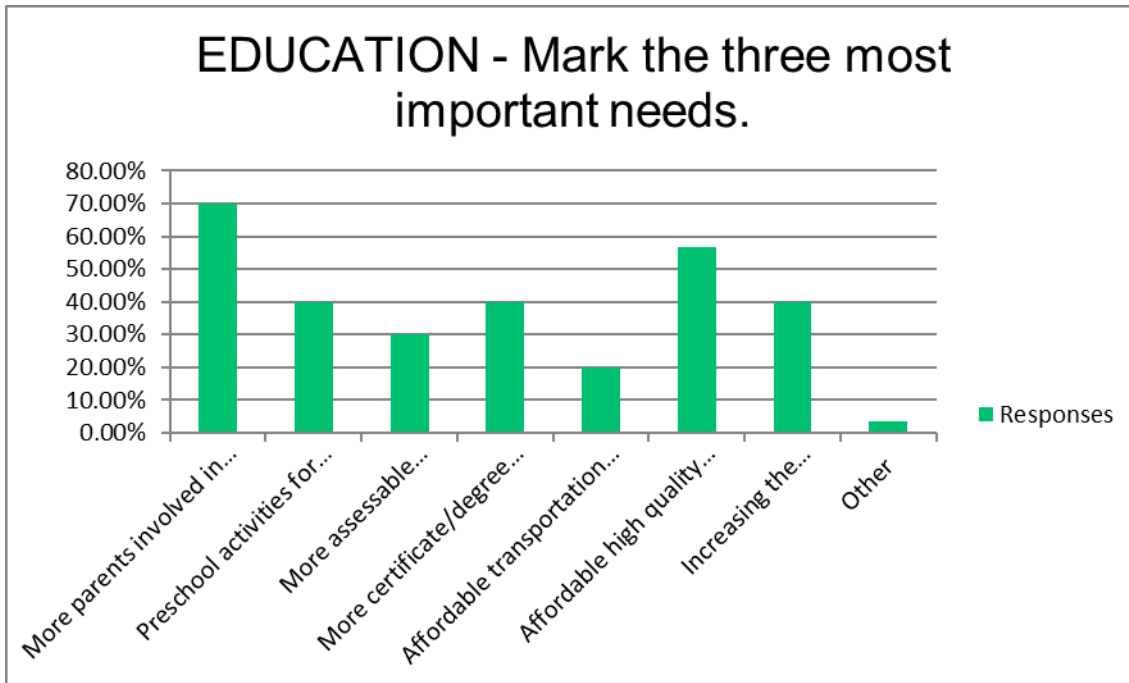
What is your Military Status?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	0.00%	0
Active Military	0.00%	0
N/A	100.00%	30
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>





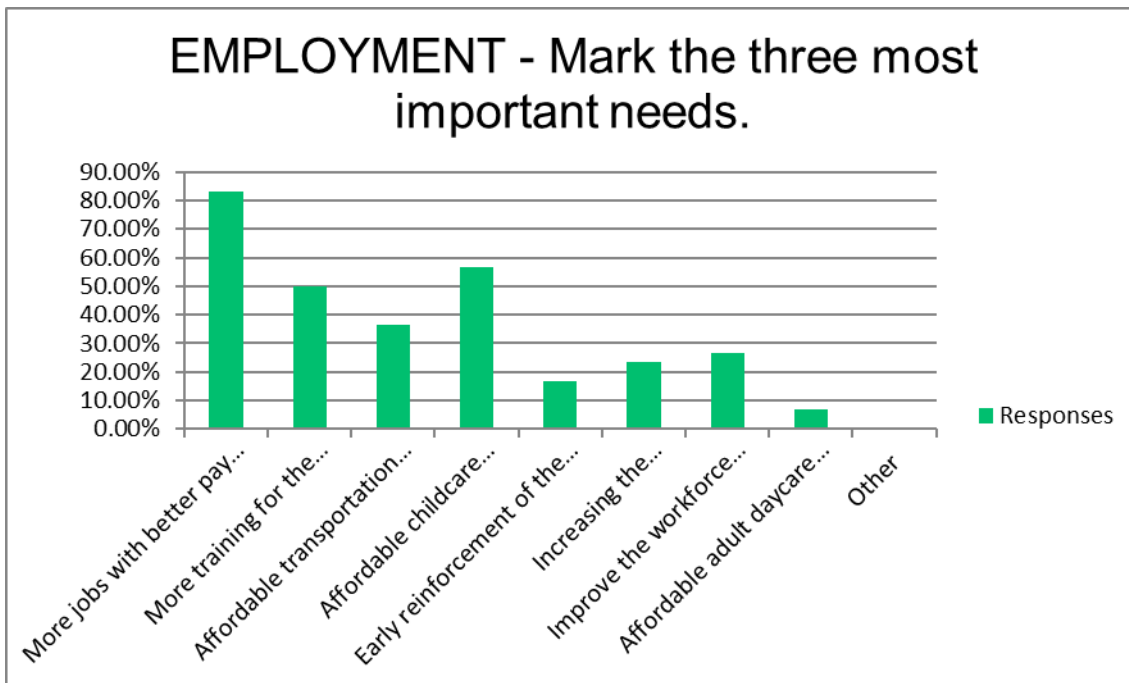
Question 8 (Henderson):

<b>EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	70.00%	21
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness ski	40.00%	12
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or colle	30.00%	9
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	40.00%	12
Affordable transportation options to and from school	20.00%	6
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like	56.67%	17
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education res	40.00%	12
Other	3.33%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



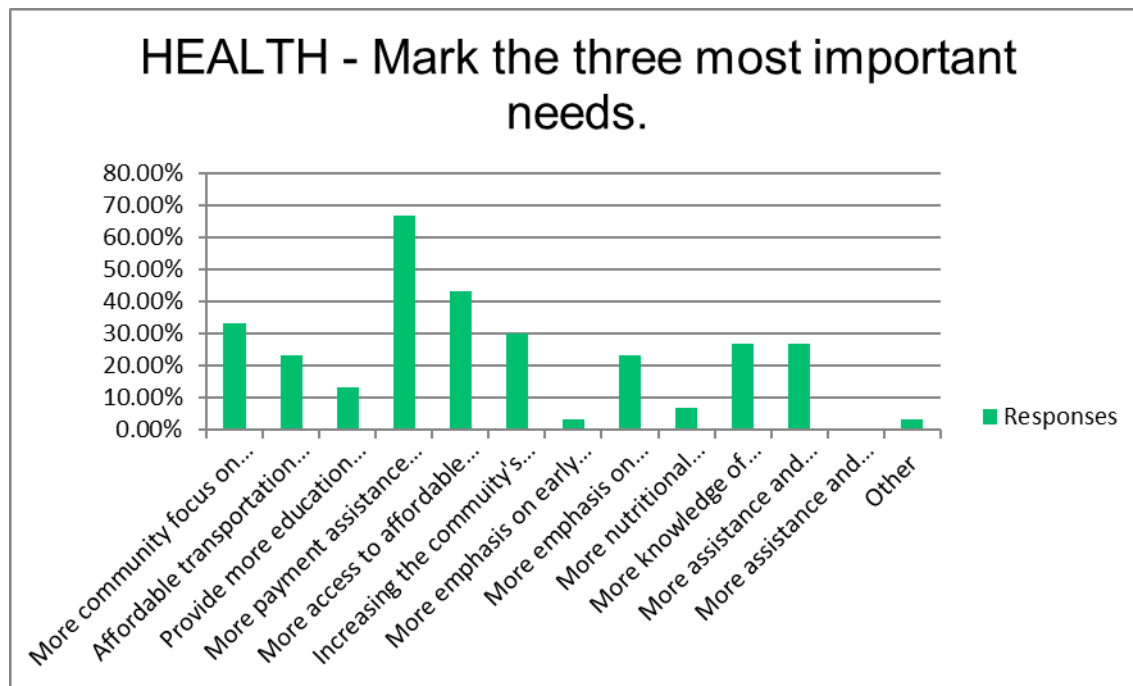
Question 9 (Henderson):

<b>EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	83.33%	25
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	50.00%	15
Affordable transportation to and from job	36.67%	11
Affordable childcare during work hours	56.67%	17
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	16.67%	5
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment	23.33%	7
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to	26.67%	8
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	6.67%	2
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



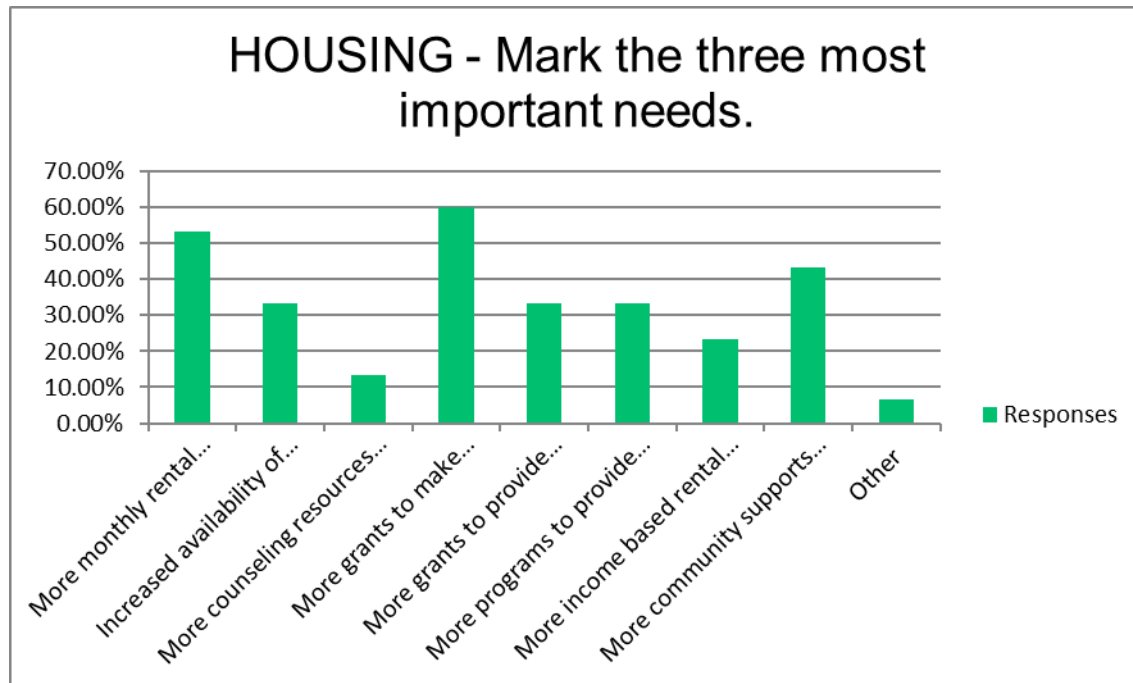
Question 10 (Henderson):

<b>HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	33.33%	10
Affordable transportation for health care services	23.33%	7
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	13.33%	4
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	66.67%	20
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care	43.33%	13
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resources	30.00%	9
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	3.33%	1
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	23.33%	7
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	6.67%	2
More knowledge of available food resources	26.67%	8
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	26.67%	8
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	0.00%	0
Other	3.33%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



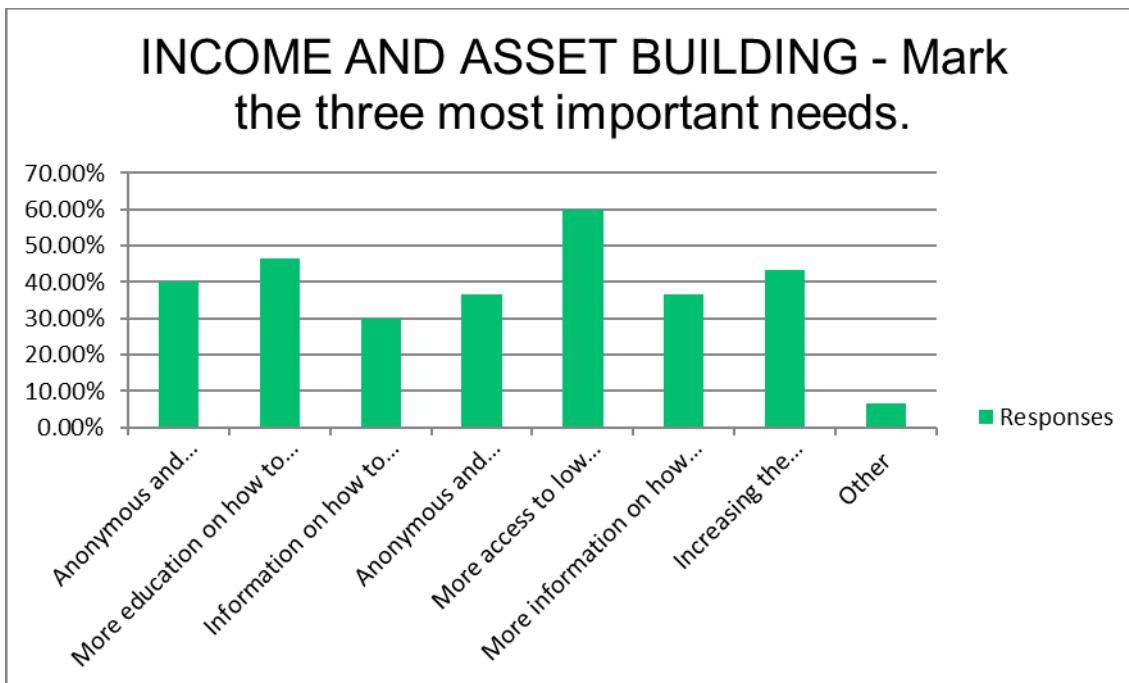
Question 11 (Henderson):

<b>HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	53.33%	16
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	33.33%	10
More counseling resources for homeowners	13.33%	4
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	60.00%	18
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	33.33%	10
More programs to provide free home repair	33.33%	10
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	23.33%	7
More community supports for homeless families	43.33%	13
Other	6.67%	2
Other (please specify)		2
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



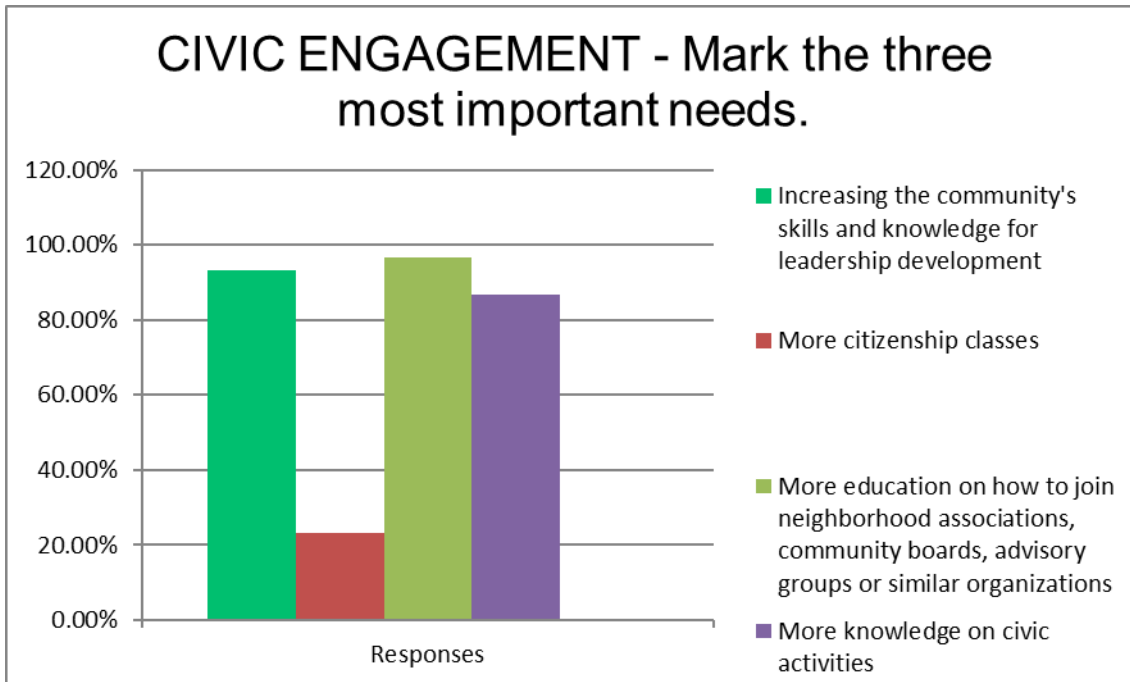
Question 12 (Henderson):

<b>INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	40.00%	12
More education on how to build assets	46.67%	14
Information on how to access free credit counseling	30.00%	9
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	36.67%	11
More access to low interest loans	60.00%	18
More information on how to access financial resources	36.67%	11
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream f	43.33%	13
Other	6.67%	2
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



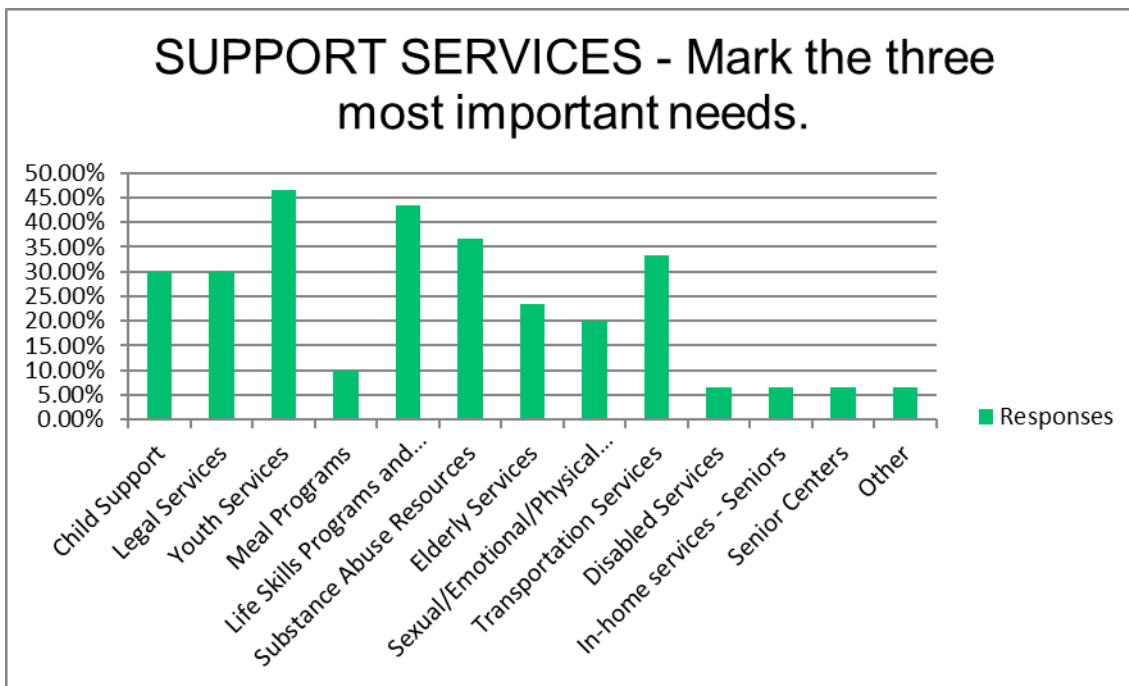
Question 13 (Henderson):

<b>CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	93.33%	28
More citizenship classes	23.33%	7
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	96.67%	29
More knowledge on civic activities	86.67%	26
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



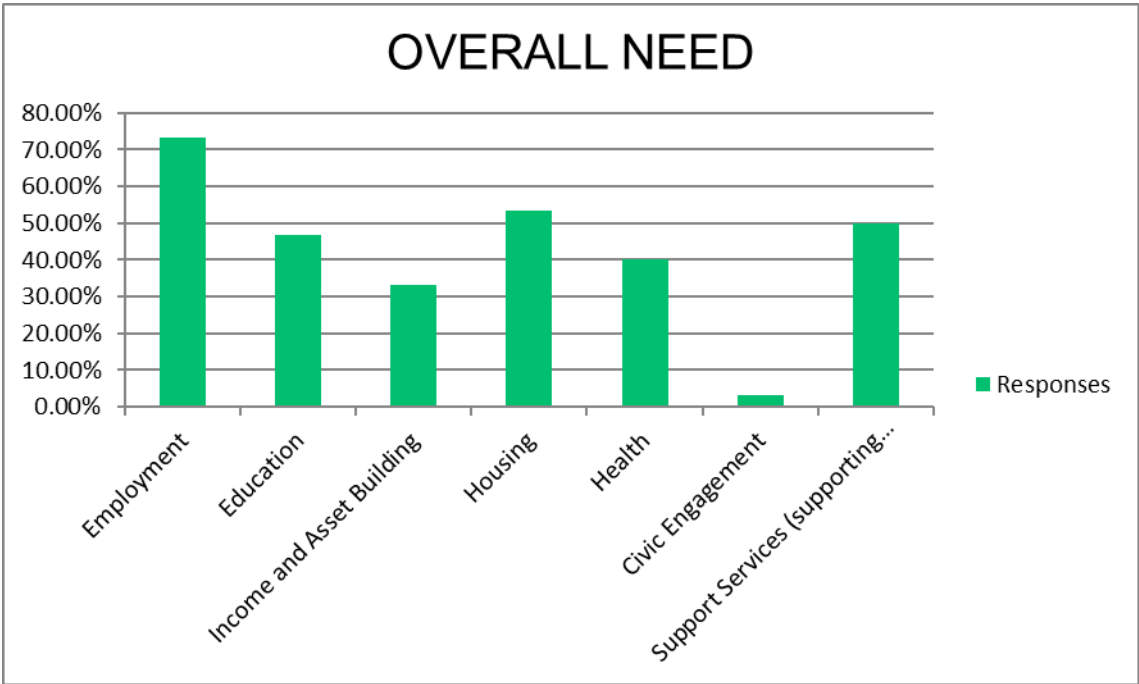
Question 14 (Henderson):

<b>SUPPORT SERVICES - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	30.00%	9
Legal Services	30.00%	9
Youth Services	46.67%	14
Meal Programs	10.00%	3
Life Skills Programs and Services	43.33%	13
Substance Abuse Resources	36.67%	11
Elderly Services	23.33%	7
Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	20.00%	6
Transportation Services	33.33%	10
Disabled Services	6.67%	2
In-home services - Seniors	6.67%	2
Senior Centers	6.67%	2
Other	6.67%	2
Other (please specify)		2
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>



Question 15 (Henderson):

<b>OVERALL NEED</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Employment	73.33%	22
Education	46.67%	14
Income and Asset Building	33.33%	10
Housing	53.33%	16
Health	40.00%	12
Civic Engagement	3.33%	1
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	50.00%	15
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>30</b>





## 5. COMMUNITY RESOURCES – HENDERSON

### **Emergency and Transitional Shelters**

Harbor House

804 Clay St., Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 827-5010

Men (22 congregate bed, 10 week stay maximum; religious practice is required by this facility.)

Henderson Christian Community Outreach

422 Seventh St., Henderson, KY 42420

270-826-5532

Assist with urgent need for food, housing, medicine, utilities, advocacy, rent, dental and referral services.

Shelter for Women and Children, Inc.

530 Klutey Park Plaza

P.O. Box 1617, Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 830-8063

Website: [www.shelterforwomenandchildren.org](http://www.shelterforwomenandchildren.org)

Provides a safe haven, food, shelter and guidance for homeless women and children (22 beds). Provides temporary assistance while helping women find permanent housing, clothing, child care and more to become self-sufficient.

### **Emergency Assistance**

Audubon Area Community Action Agency

324 1st Street, Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 826-6071

Email: [mail@audubon-area.com](mailto:mail@audubon-area.com) Website: [www.audubon-area.com](http://www.audubon-area.com)

Services offered include Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, Family Preservation; Family Reunification; FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System (GRITS); Head Start; HUD-subsidized Lincolnshire apartments (Owensboro); Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

Henderson Outreach Office (OASIS)

100 S. Main St., Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 826-6212

Referral services for victims of domestic violence. Group meetings and court advocacy services.

Salvation Army

1213 Washington St., Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 826-4472

Provides pantry service, a feeding program at the center of Hope during lunch, utility and rental assistance due to a crisis situation, financial assistance for certain physician prescribed medications and a thrift store (clothing provided to families based on need; furniture and household items provided to victims of fire or natural disasters).

St. Vincent DePaul

116 N. Alvasia St., Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 827-4138

Assists with low-cost or free clothing once per month to those in need, basic house wares, books and school supplies for children once per child, peer ministry, and adult literacy tutoring sessions.

**Health Services**

Health First CHC - Cabell Platt Medical Center

700 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 826-4800

Matthew 25 AIDS Services

452 Old Corydon Rd, Henderson KY 42420

(270) 826-0200 or (866)607-6590

Provides Comprehensive Care for persons with HIV/AIDS. Medical care, case management, support services, and housing programs. Also has many HIV prevention programs for the community including rapid testing. Clinical Satellite twice monthly in Owensboro Health Department at 1600 Breckinridge, Owensboro, KY

**Mental Health Assistance**

River Valley Behavioral Health Services

P.O. Box 1637, Owensboro, KY 42302-1637

(270) 689-6500

(800) 433-7291 - Crisis Line outside Daviess County

Community Mental Health Center; mental health services and referrals; 48 permanent housing beds. The 24/7 crisis intervention, information, and referral service is provided free of charge to individuals seeking help. This service is also equipped with TDD (Device for the Deaf). Callers may remain anonymous and receive help from trained telephone counselors. The guiding principle is that crisis intervention will prevent the development of more serious problems.

## **MCLEAN COUNTY**

### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

McLean County is the 103<sup>rd</sup> county in order of formation. It was named after Alney McLean, a veteran of the War of 1812, state representative and congressman. The county's varied history includes Indian attacks on the first settlers, who retreated to caves they dug in the hillside near present-day Calhoun; riverboat traffic on the Green River; several Civil War conflicts; and the dubious honor of being the home of the first United States casualty during World War I. The county seat is Calhoun.

### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

McLean County's 256 square miles are at the heart of the Western Coal Field Region. The county is bordered by Daviess, Ohio, Muhlenberg, Hopkins, Webster, and Henderson Counties. The Green River forms a portion of the eastern border and dissects the county.

### **3. LOCATION OF OFFICES**

Community Services Office  
200 Hwy 81  
Calhoun, KY 42327

Calhoun Elementary School  
755 Main Street  
Calhoun, KY 42327

Livermore Elementary School  
110 8th Street  
Livermore, KY 42352

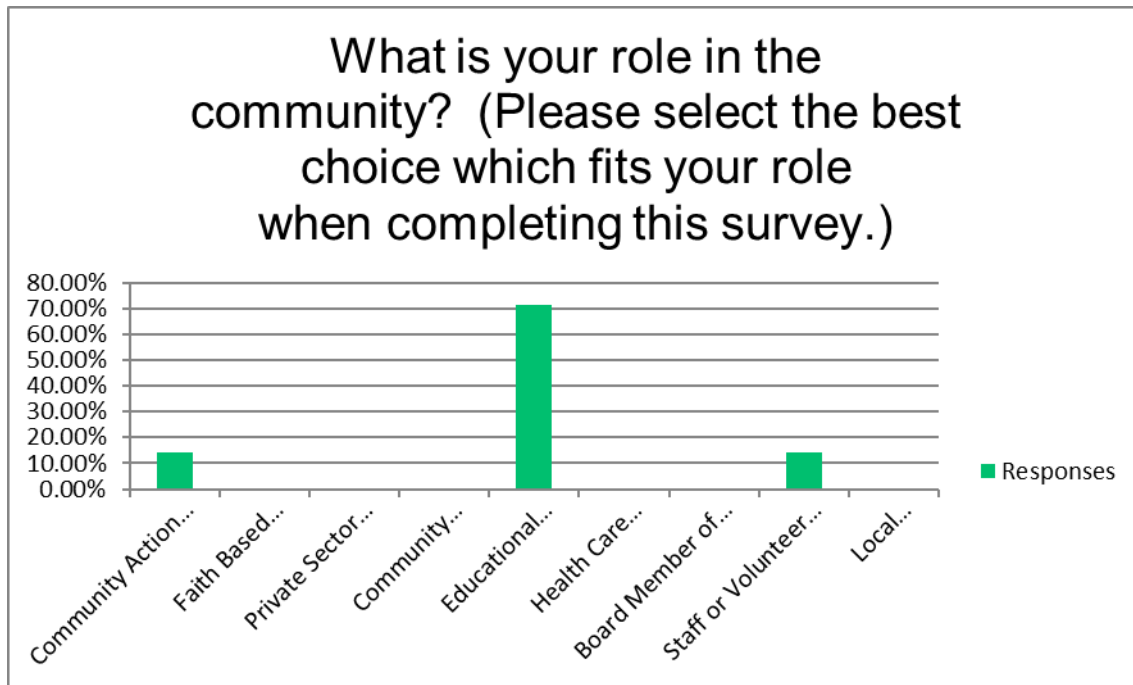
Sacramento Elementary School  
640 Main Street  
PO Box 288  
Sacramento, KY 42372

McLean County EHS Socialization  
200 Hwy 81  
Calhoun, KY 42327

#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - MCLEAN

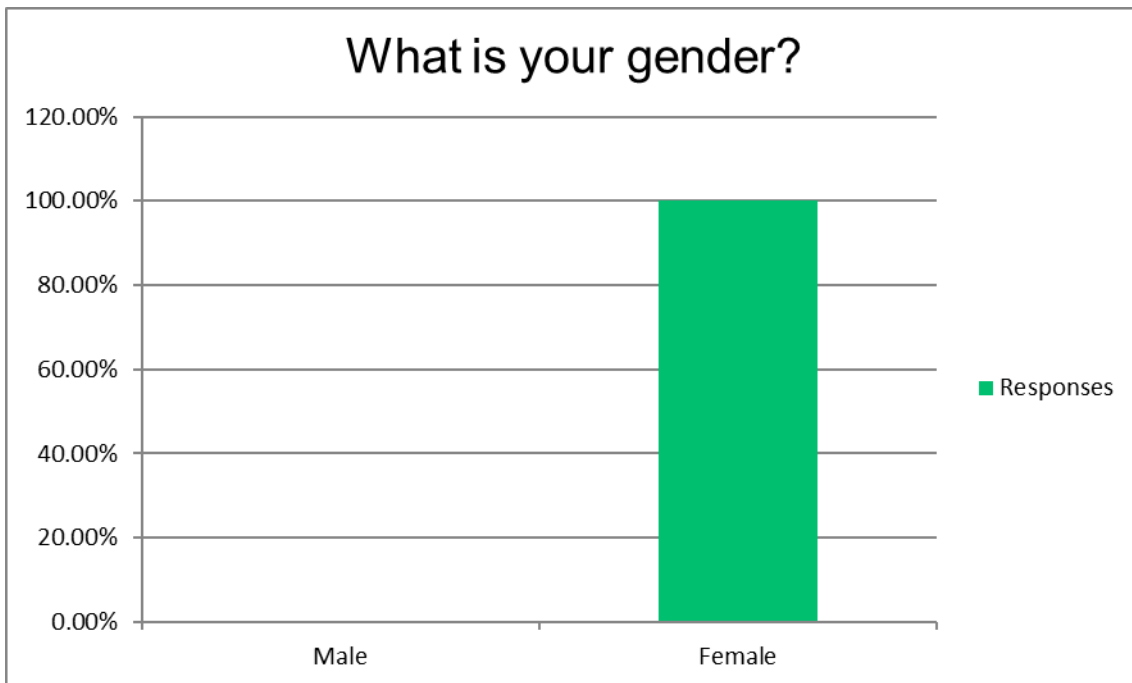
Question 1 (McLean):

What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	14.29%	1
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based g	0.00%	0
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, sm	0.00%	0
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non	0.00%	0
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, coll	71.43%	5
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	0.00%	0
Board Member of Community Action Agency	0.00%	0
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	14.29%	1
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-p	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



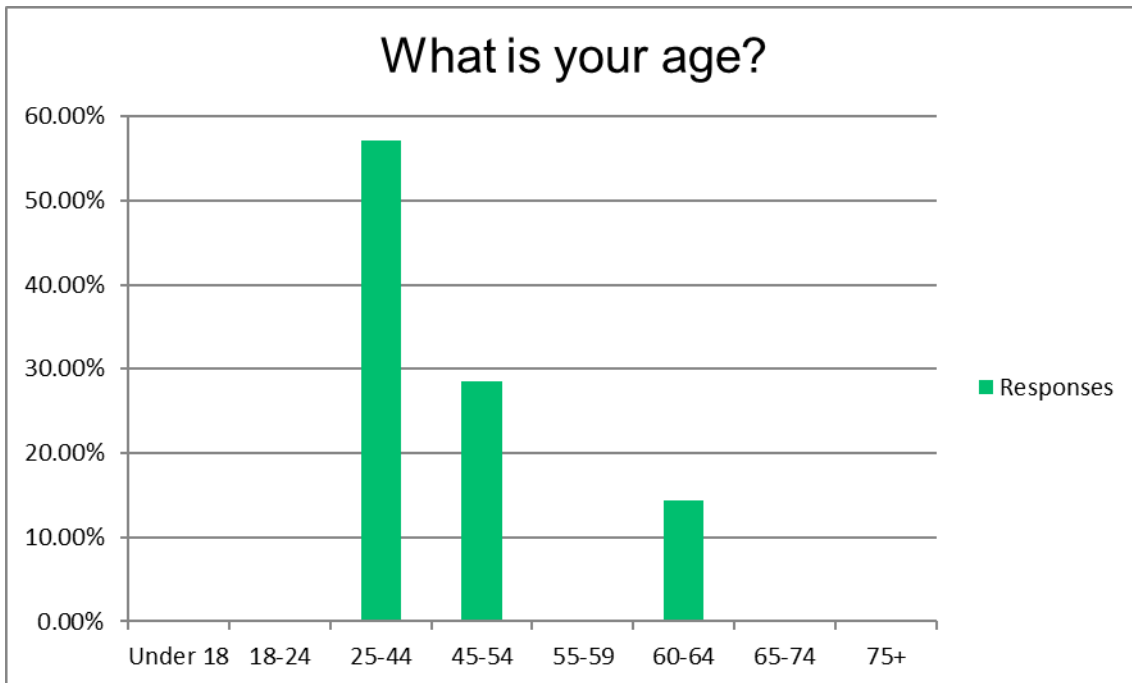
Question 2 (McLean):

What is your gender?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	0.00%	0
Female	100.00%	7
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



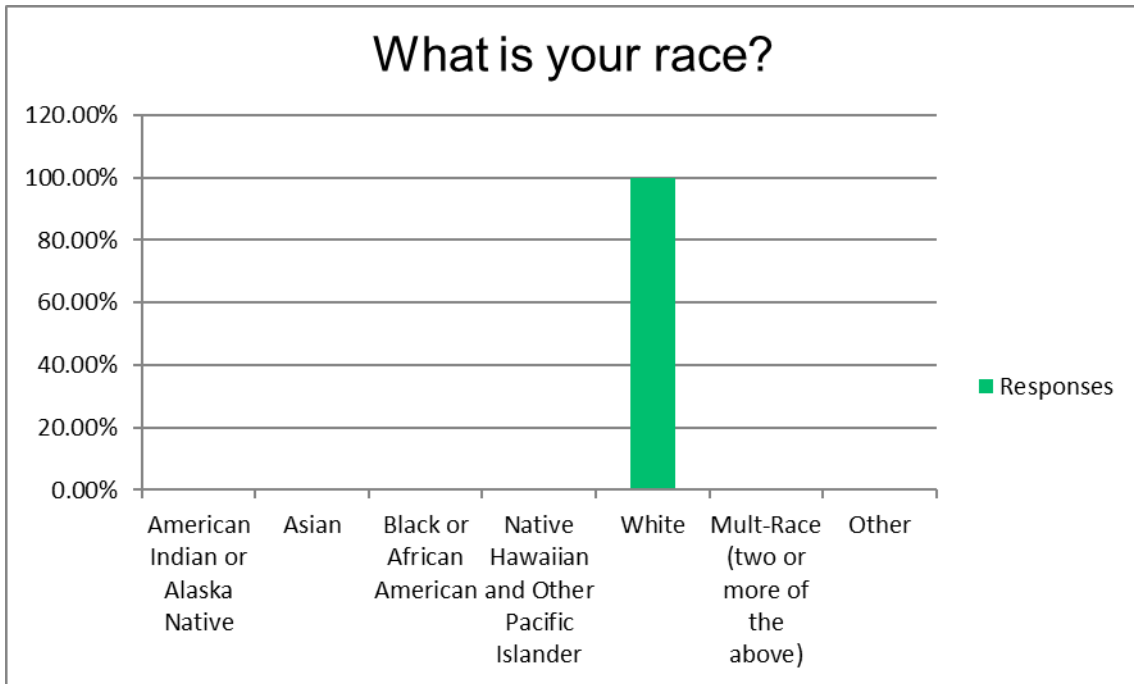
Question 3 (McLean):

What is your age?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	0.00%	0
25-44	57.14%	4
45-54	28.57%	2
55-59	0.00%	0
60-64	14.29%	1
65-74	0.00%	0
75+	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



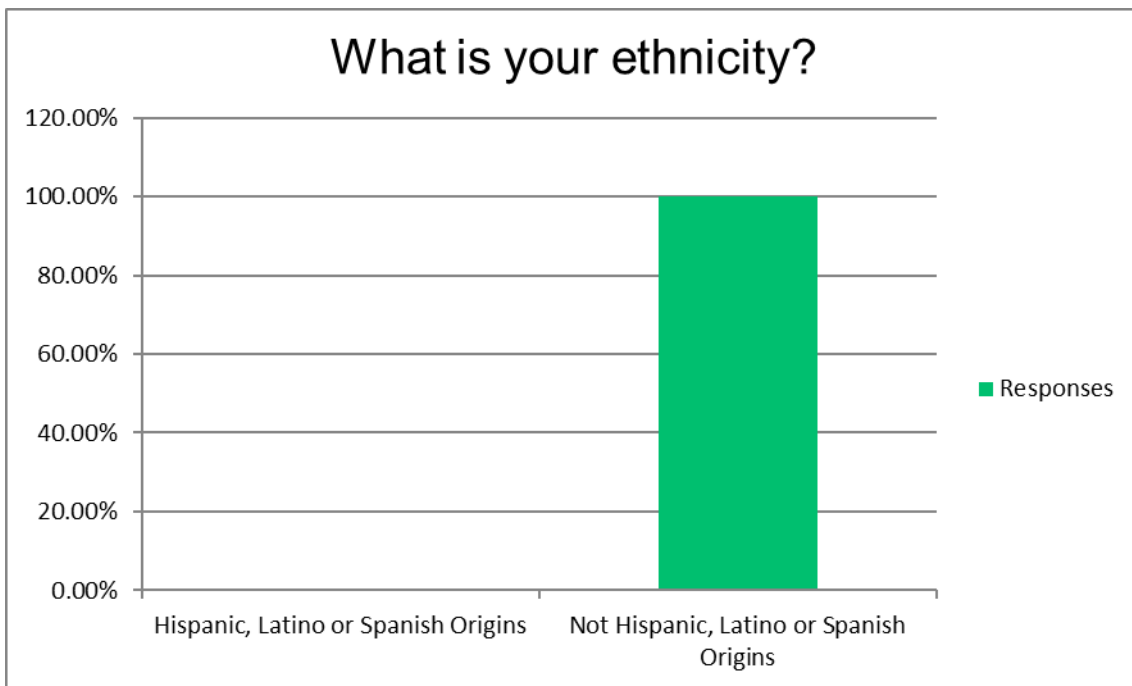
Question 4 (McLean):

<b>What is your race?</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	0.00%	0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	100.00%	7
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



Question 5 (McLean):

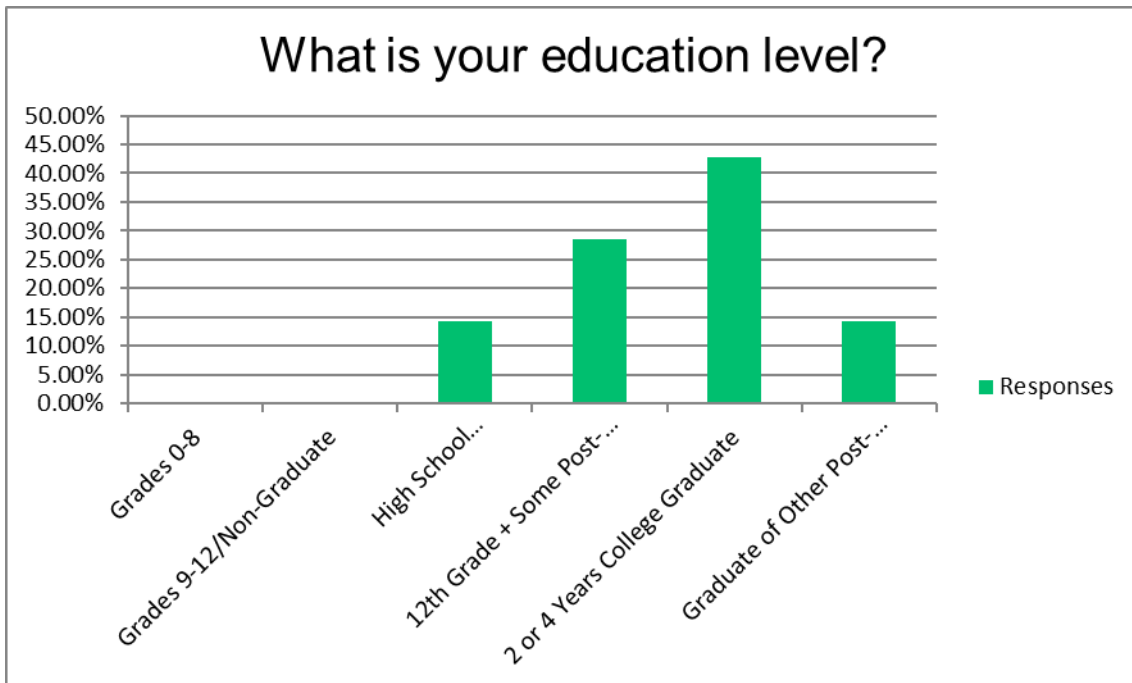
What is your ethnicity?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	0.00%	0
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	100.00%	7
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>





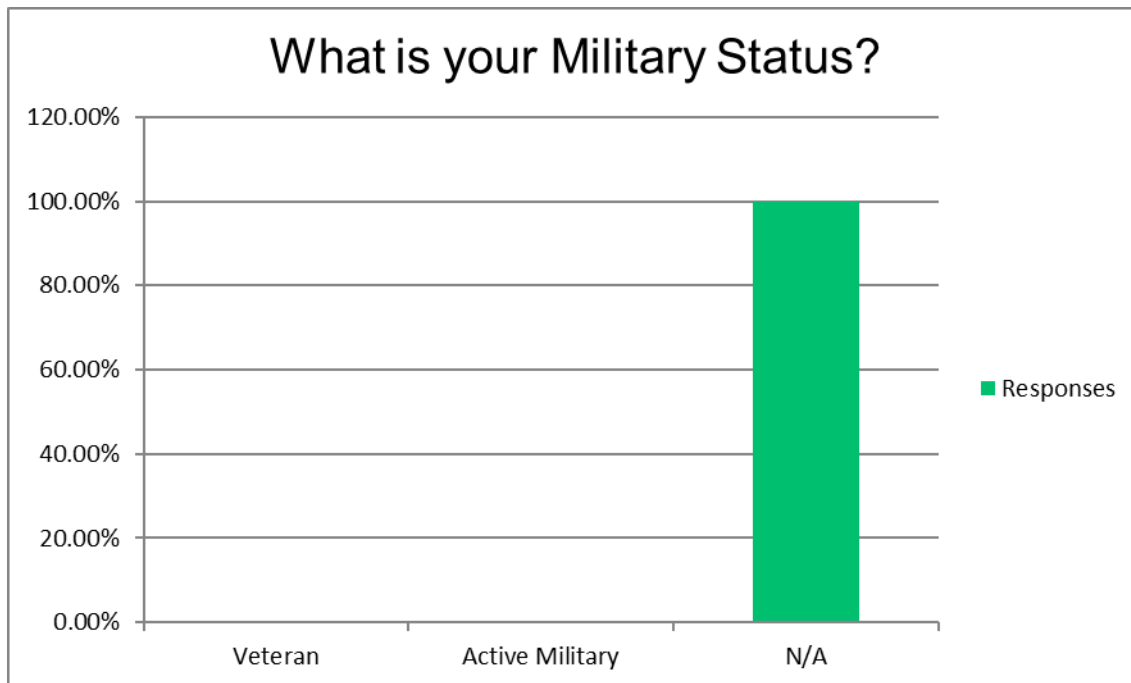
Question 6 (McLean):

What is your education level?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	0.00%	0
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	0.00%	0
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	14.29%	1
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	28.57%	2
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	42.86%	3
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	14.29%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



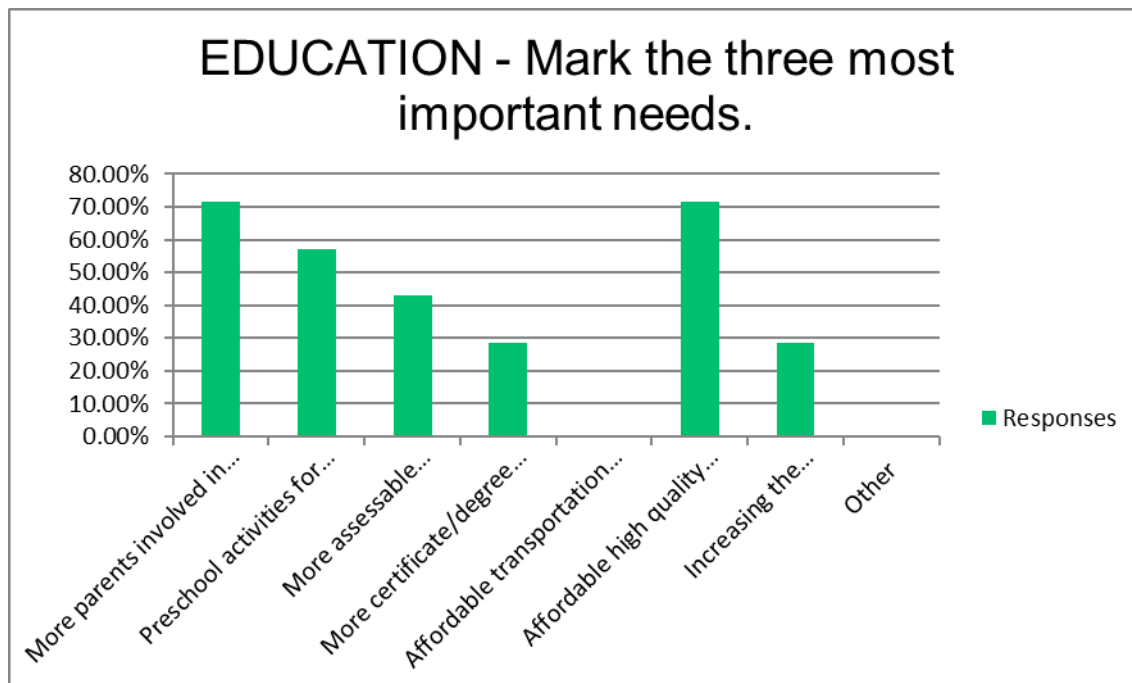
Question 7 (McLean):

What is your Military Status?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	0.00%	0
Active Military	0.00%	0
N/A	100.00%	7
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



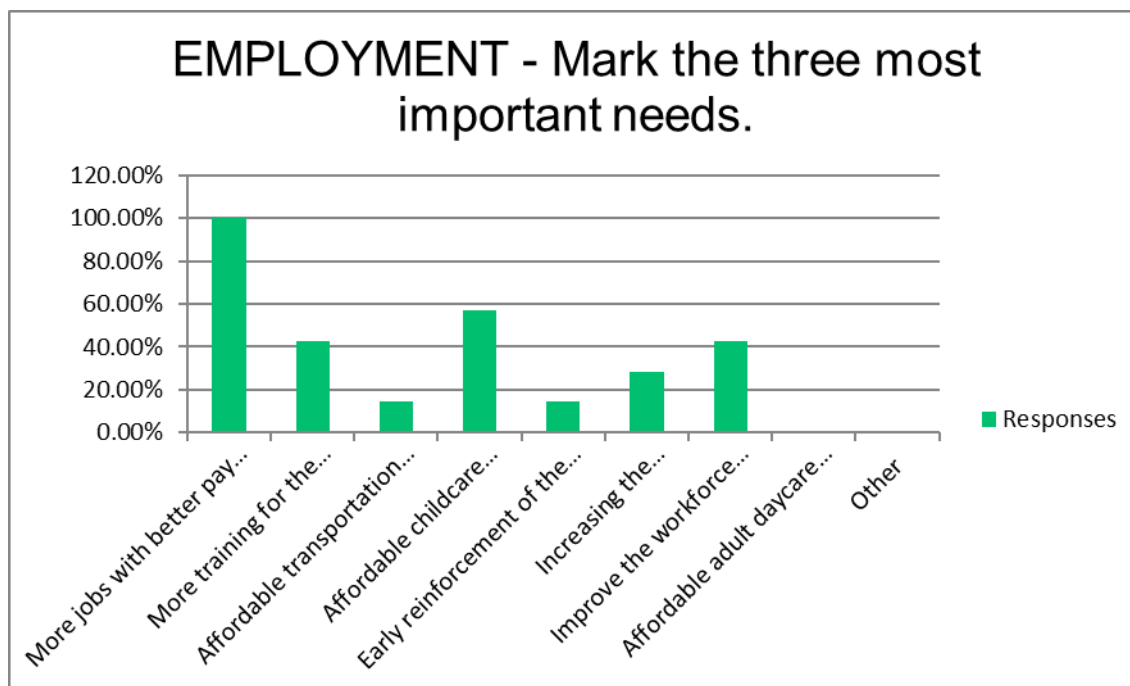
Question 8 (McLean):

EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	71.43%	5
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness ski	57.14%	4
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or colle	42.86%	3
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	28.57%	2
Affordable transportation options to and from school	0.00%	0
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like	71.43%	5
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education res	28.57%	2
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



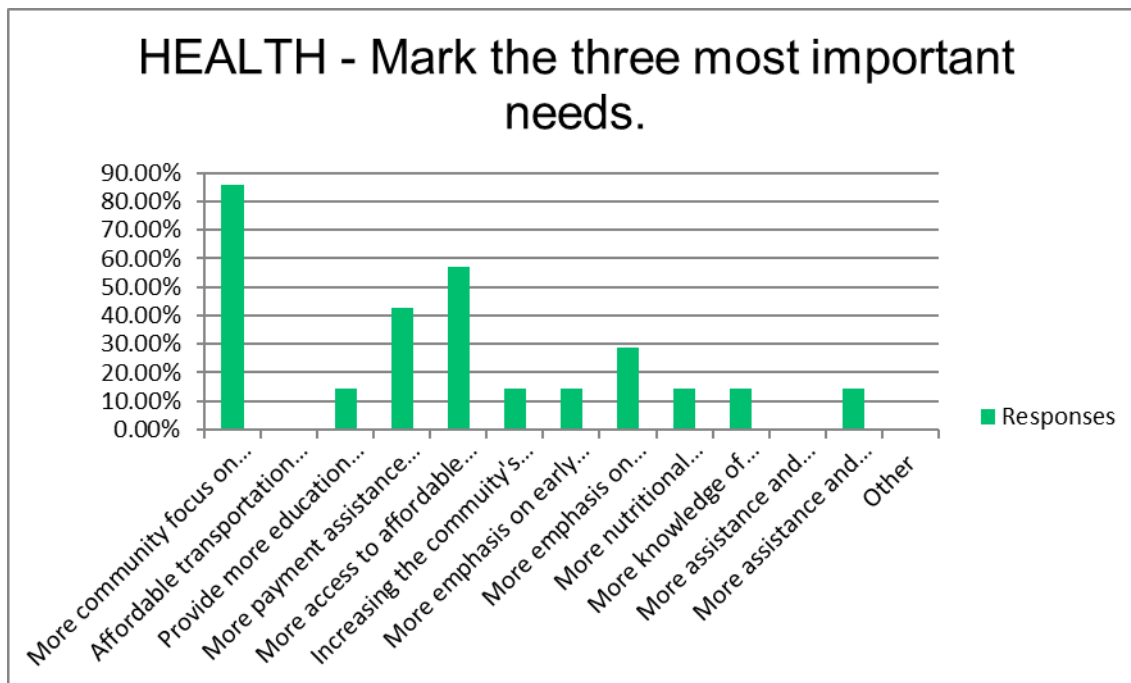
Question 9 (McLean):

<b>EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	100.00%	7
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	42.86%	3
Affordable transportation to and from job	14.29%	1
Affordable childcare during work hours	57.14%	4
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	14.29%	1
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment	28.57%	2
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to	42.86%	3
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



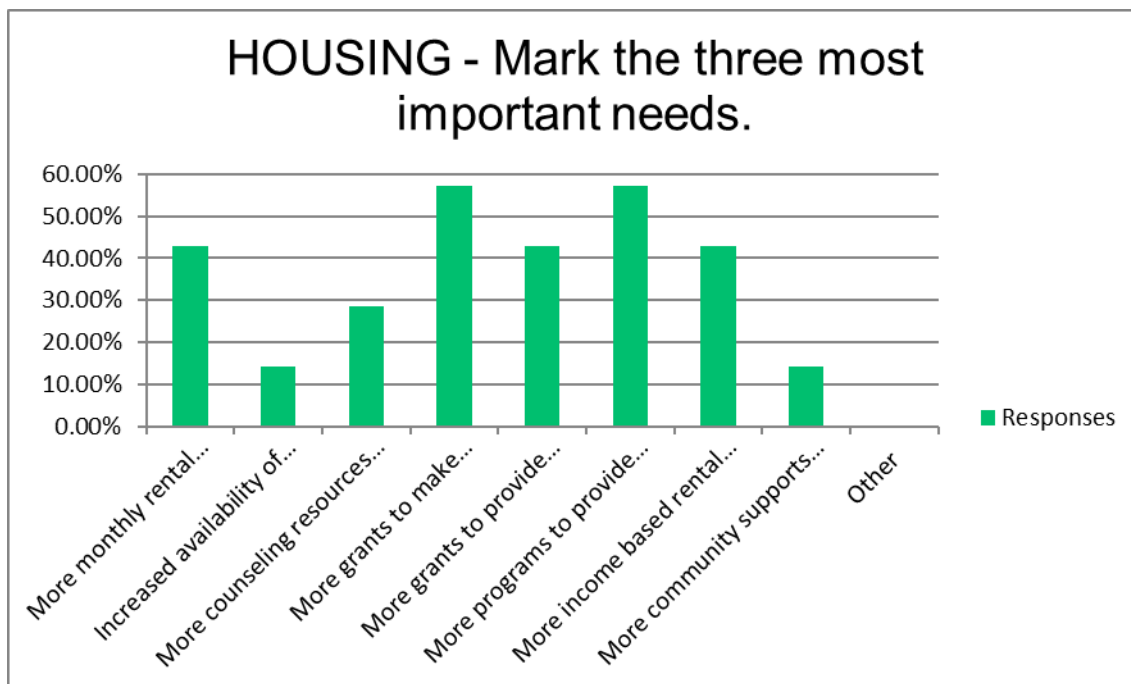
Question 10 (McLean):

<b>HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	85.71%	6
Affordable transportation for health care services	0.00%	0
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	14.29%	1
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	42.86%	3
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health ca	57.14%	4
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resourc	14.29%	1
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	14.29%	1
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	28.57%	2
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	14.29%	1
More knowledge of available food resources	14.29%	1
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	0.00%	0
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	14.29%	1
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



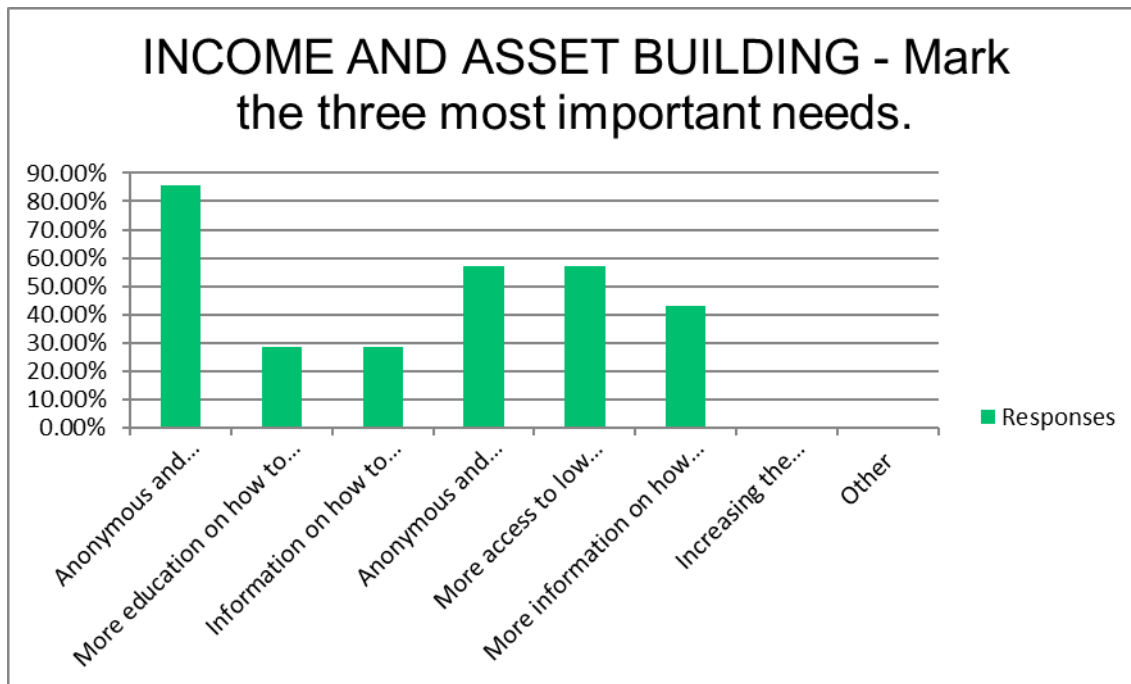
Question 11 (McLean):

<b>HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	42.86%	3
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	14.29%	1
More counseling resources for homeowners	28.57%	2
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	57.14%	4
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	42.86%	3
More programs to provide free home repair	57.14%	4
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	42.86%	3
More community supports for homeless families	14.29%	1
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



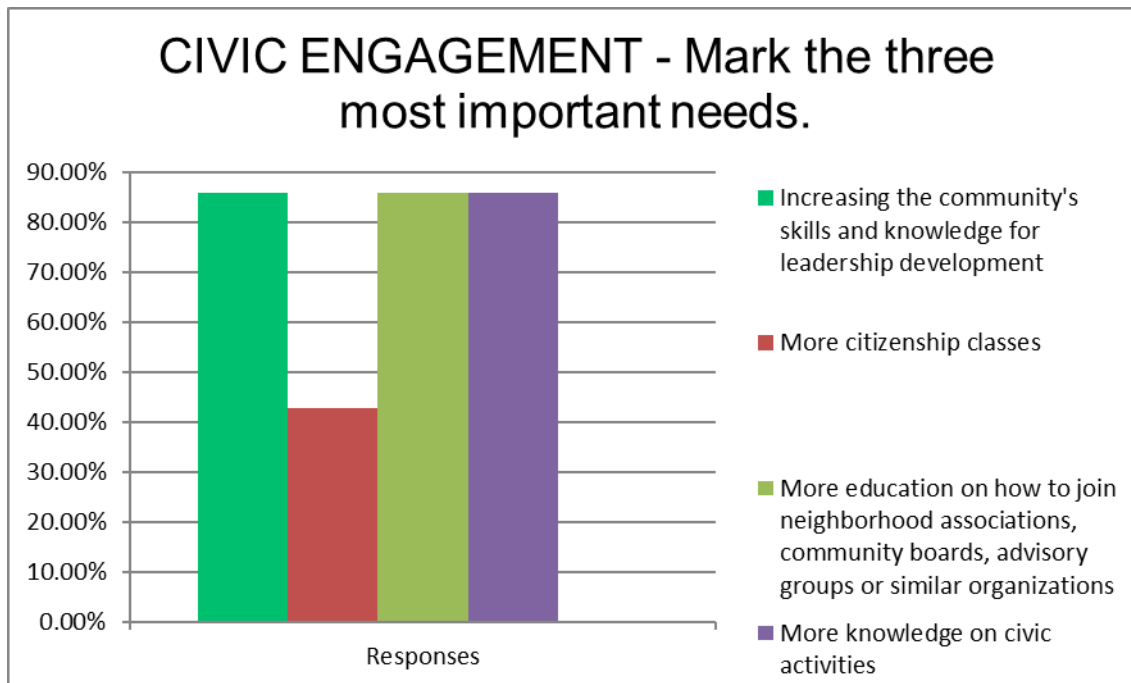
Question 12 (McLean):

<b>INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	85.71%	6
More education on how to build assets	28.57%	2
Information on how to access free credit counseling	28.57%	2
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	57.14%	4
More access to low interest loans	57.14%	4
More information on how to access financial resources	42.86%	3
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream f	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
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Question 13 (McLean):

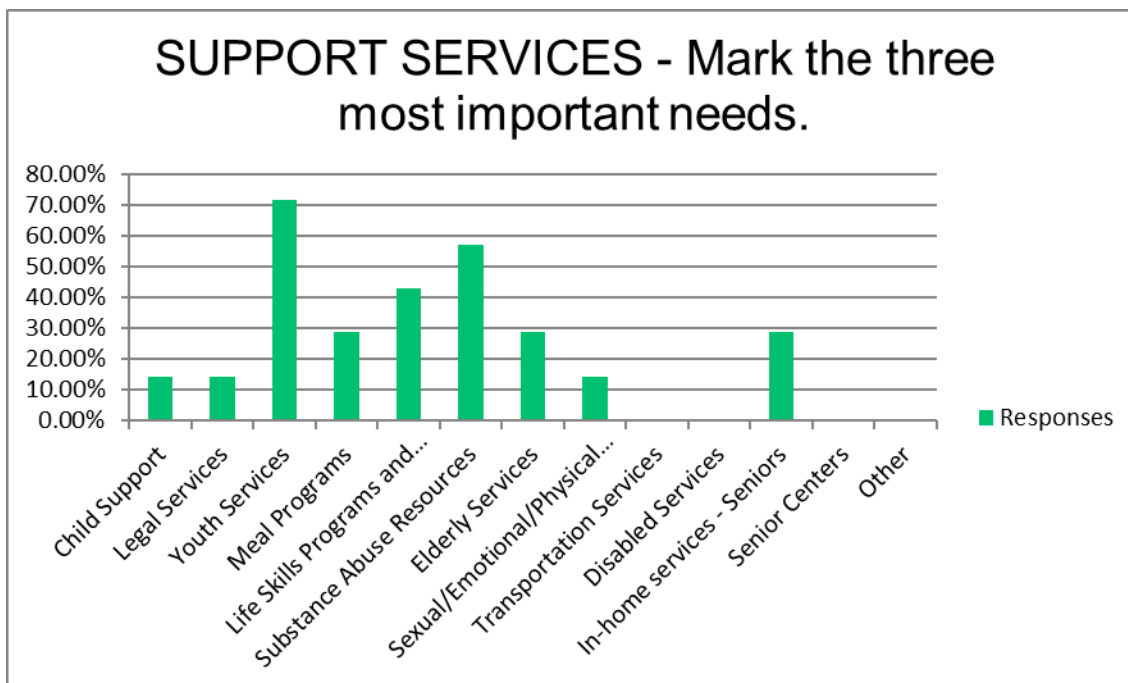
<b>CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	85.71%	6
More citizenship classes	42.86%	3
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	85.71%	6
More knowledge on civic activities	85.71%	6
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>





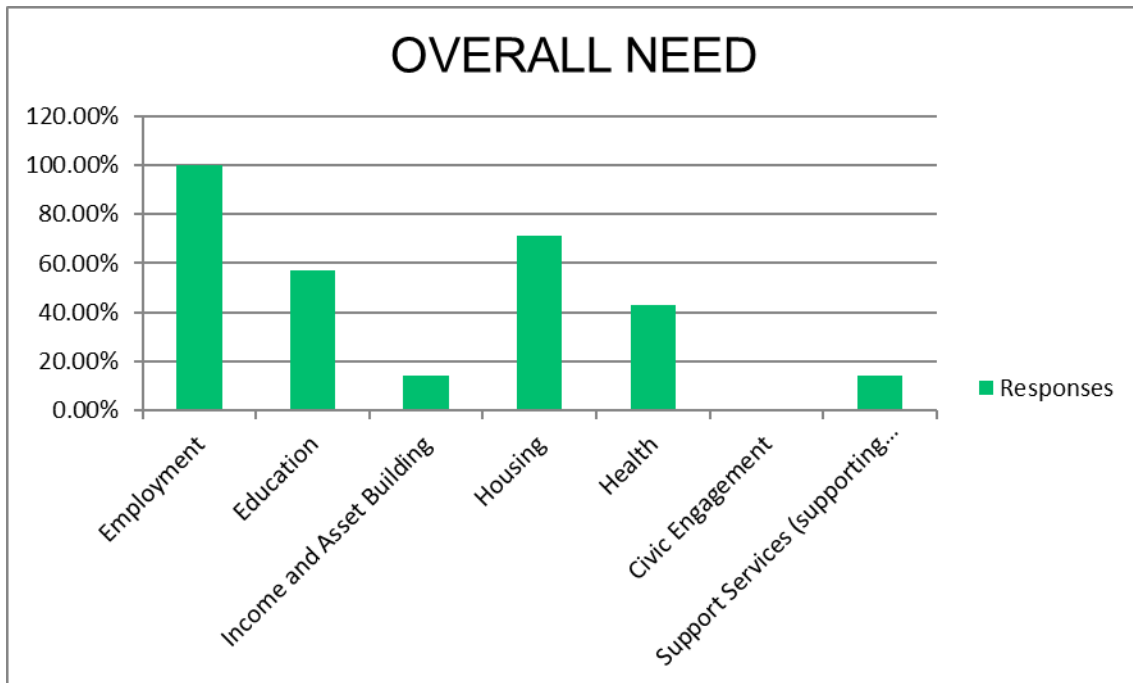
Question 14 (McLean):

SUPPORT SERVICES - Mark the three most important need		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	14.29%	1
Legal Services	14.29%	1
Youth Services	71.43%	5
Meal Programs	28.57%	2
Life Skills Programs and Services	42.86%	3
Substance Abuse Resources	57.14%	4
Elderly Services	28.57%	2
Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	14.29%	1
Transportation Services	0.00%	0
Disabled Services	0.00%	0
In-home services - Seniors	28.57%	2
Senior Centers	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



Question 15 (McLean):

OVERALL NEED		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Employment	100.00%	7
Education	57.14%	4
Income and Asset Building	14.29%	1
Housing	71.43%	5
Health	42.86%	3
Civic Engagement	0.00%	0
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	14.29%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>7</b>



## 5. COMMUNITY RESOURCES - MCLEAN

Audubon Area Community Action Agency

200 Hwy 81

Calhoun, KY 42327

(270) 273-3355

Email: [info@audubon-area.com](mailto:info@audubon-area.com) Website: [www.audubon-area.com](http://www.audubon-area.com)

Services offered include Child Care Assistance; child care resource and referral

Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, Family Preservation;

Family

Reunification; FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System

(GRITS); Head Start; HUD-subsidized Lincolnshire apartments (Owensboro);

Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior

Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance

programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

HELP Office

P.O. Box 215, Livermore, KY

42352 (270) 278-5500

Salvation Army

215 Ewing Road, Owensboro, KY 42301

(270) 685-5576

Serves Daviess, Hancock, McClean and Ohio counties. Emergency assistance; after school/day camp program, Community Center; food pantry, clothing vouchers, rent assistance, utility assistance, prescription assistance and help with KY vision applications.

### **Health Services**

Health First CHC- Calhoun

295 Main Street, Calhoun, KY 42327

(270) 273-9310

Matthew 25 AIDS Services

411 Letcher Street, Henderson, KY 42420

(270) 826-0200 or (877) 428-1231

Comprehensive Care for persons with HIV/AIDS. Medical care, case management, support services, and housing programs. Also has many HIV prevention programs for the community including rapid testing. Clinical Satellite twice monthly in Owensboro Health Department at 1600 Breckinridge, Owensboro, KY

### **Mental Health Assistance**

River Valley Behavioral Health Services

P.O. Box 1637, Owensboro, KY 42302-1637

(270) 689-6500

(800) 433-7291 - Crisis Line outside Daviess County

Community Mental Health Center; mental health services and referrals; 48 permanent housing beds. The 24/7 crisis intervention, information, and referral service is provided free of charge to individuals seeking help. This service is also equipped with TDD (Device for the Deaf). Callers may remain anonymous and receive help from trained telephone counselors. The guiding principle is that crisis intervention will prevent the development of more serious problems.

Annie Gray-Dalton, LCSW

Address: 180 Main St, Calhoun, KY 42327

Phone: (270) 273-3050

## **OHIO COUNTY**

### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

Ohio County is the 35<sup>th</sup> county in order of formation. The county was established from part of Hardin County on December 17, 1798, and was named for the Ohio River, which formed its northern boundary until Daviess County (1815) and Hancock County (1829) were created from it. Daniel Boone was one of the first explorers in the area. Early pioneers had to contend with attacking Indians, anxious to protect their long-held land. In the 1930's excavations at the Indian Knoll burial mounds yielded over 1,200 skeletons.

River traffic on the Green and Rough rivers is credited with the county's early growth. This was disrupted by the Civil War and virtually ended with the arrival of the railroad in the 1870's.

The economy is a mixture of coal mining, agriculture, and oil. The county seat is Hartford.

### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

Ohio County is in the Western Coal Field Region of Kentucky, surrounded by Breckinridge, Hancock, Grayson, Butler, Muhlenberg, McLean, and Daviess counties. Its square miles total 596. The county's topography is undulating and well suited for agriculture.

### **3. LOCATION OF OFFICES**

Community Services  
130 East Washington Street  
Hartford, KY 42347

Beaver Dam Village/Mya Manor  
215 Rochester Road  
Beaver Dam, KY 42320

Beaver Dam Elementary  
183 US 62 East  
Beaver Dam, KY 42320

Fordsville Elementary School  
359 West Main Street  
Fordsville, KY 42343

Horsebranch Elementary School  
11980 US 62 East  
Horsebranch, KY 42349

Little Friends CCP  
321 Simmerman Street  
Hartford, KY 42347

Southern Elementary School  
3836 Hwy 231 South  
Beaver Dam, KY 42320

Ohio County Home Based  
100 West Render Street Suite 108  
Hartford, KY 42347

Wayland CDC  
111 West Frederica Street  
Hartford, KY 42347

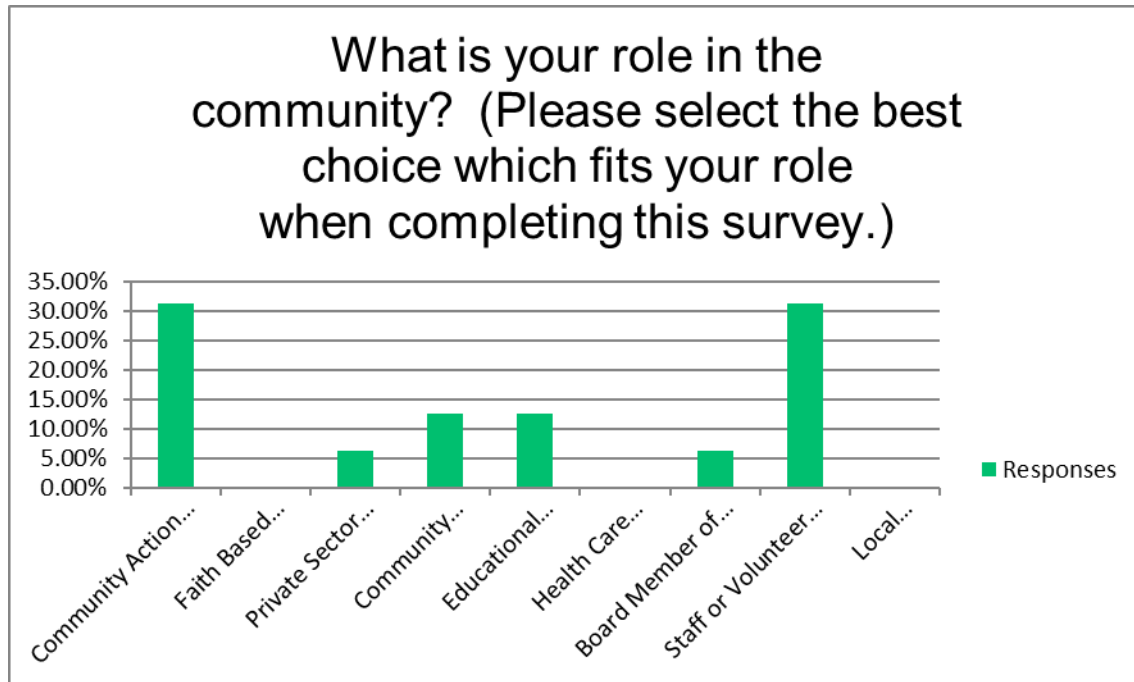
Wayland Elementary Preschool  
111 West Frederica Street  
Hartford, KY 42347

Western Elementary School  
4008 State Route 85 East  
Centertown, KY 42328

#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - OHIO

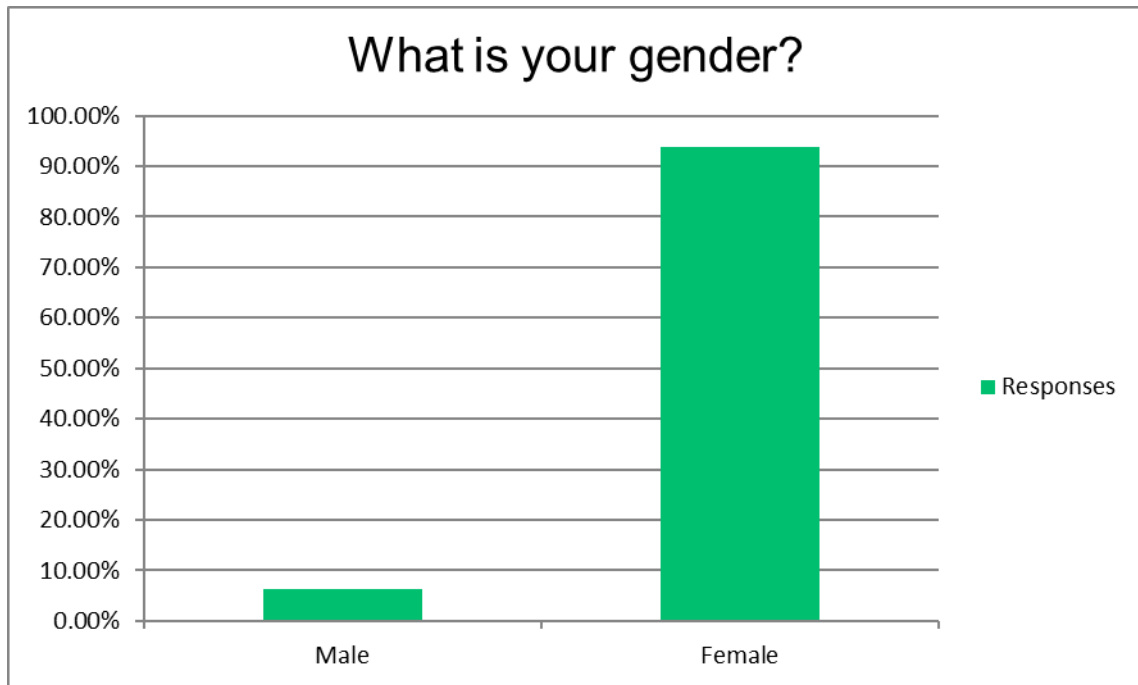
Question 1 (Ohio):

What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	31.25%	5
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based g	0.00%	0
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, sm	6.25%	1
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non	12.50%	2
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, coll	12.50%	2
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	0.00%	0
Board Member of Community Action Agency	6.25%	1
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	31.25%	5
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-p	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



Question 2 (Ohio):

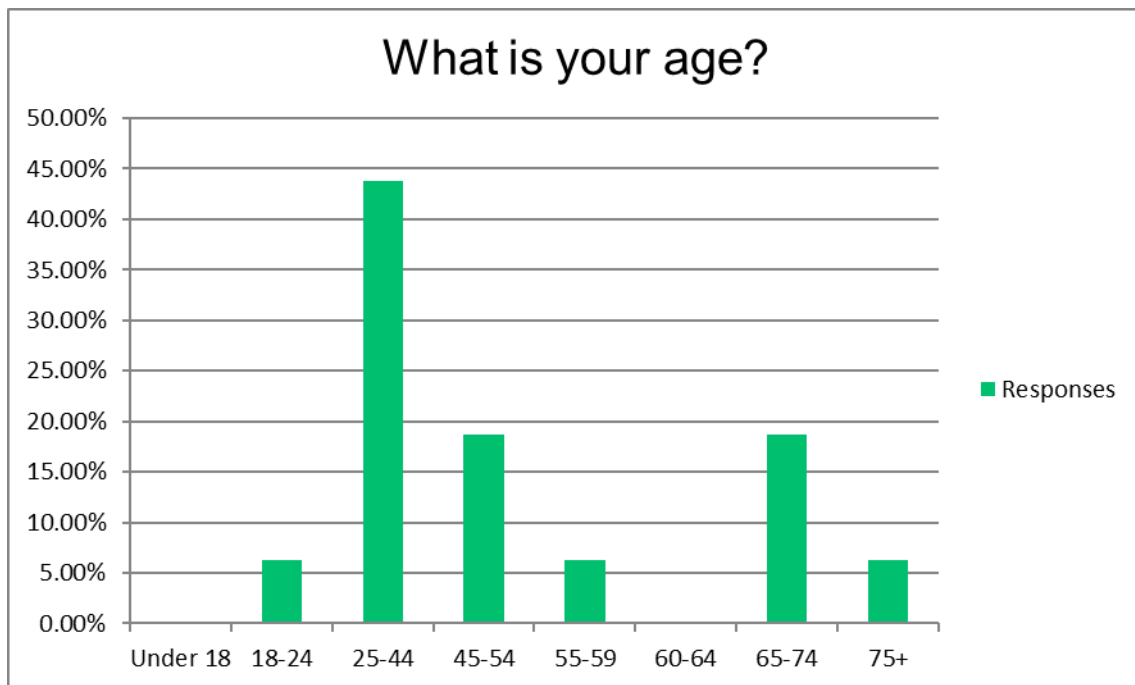
What is your gender?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	6.25%	1
Female	93.75%	15
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>





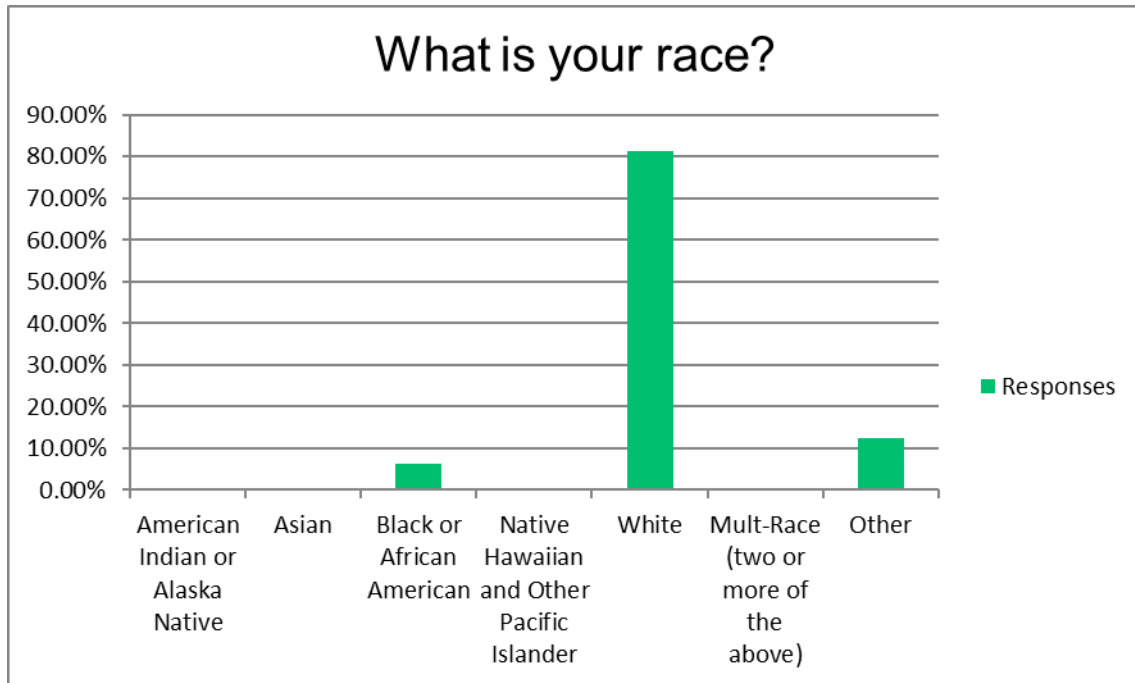
Question 3 (Ohio):

What is your age?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	6.25%	1
25-44	43.75%	7
45-54	18.75%	3
55-59	6.25%	1
60-64	0.00%	0
65-74	18.75%	3
75+	6.25%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



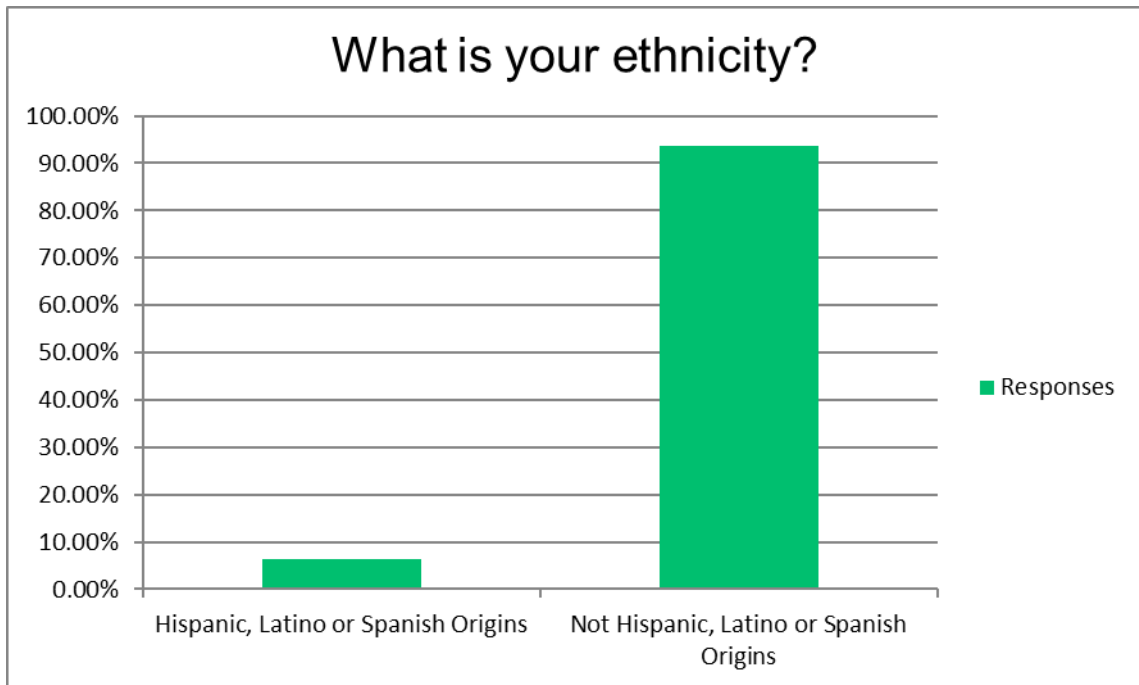
Question 4 (Ohio):

What is your race?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	6.25%	1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	81.25%	13
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	0.00%	0
Other	12.50%	2
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



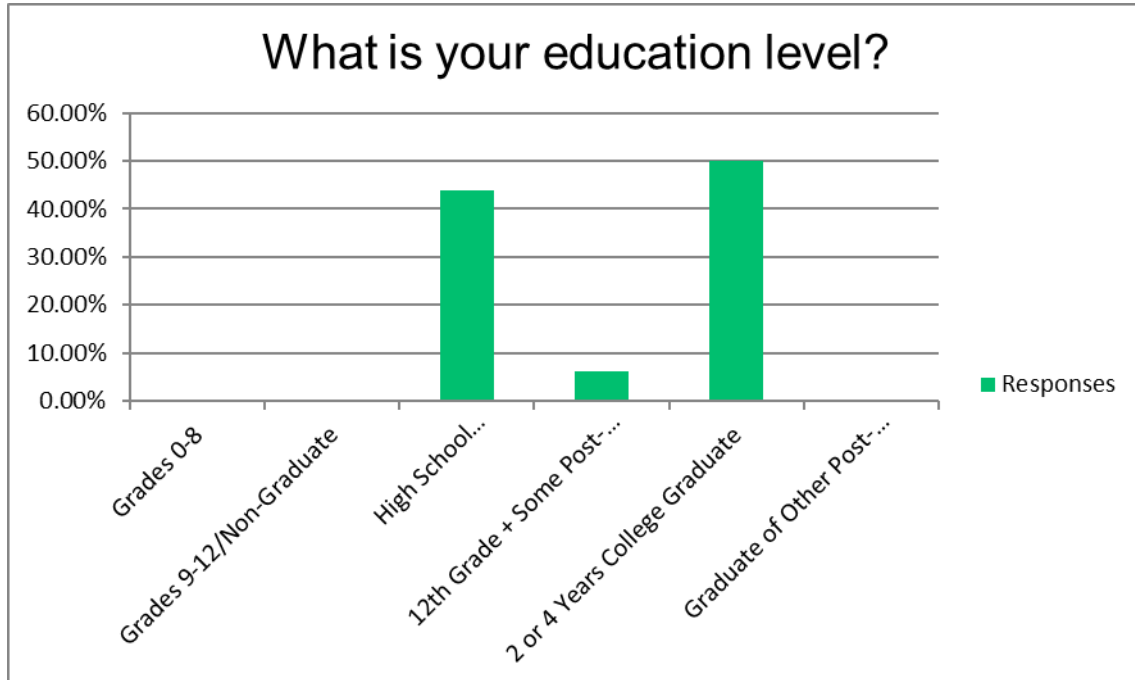
Question 5 (Ohio):

What is your ethnicity?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	6.25%	1
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	93.75%	15
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



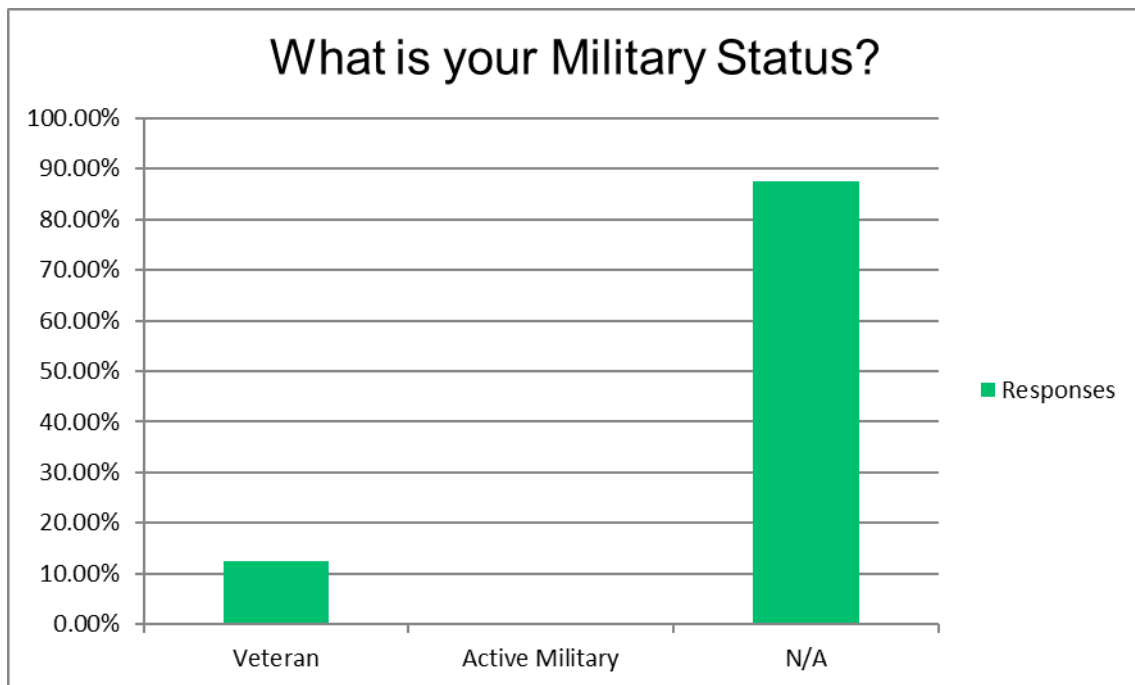
Question 6 (Ohio):

What is your education level?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	0.00%	0
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	0.00%	0
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	43.75%	7
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	6.25%	1
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	50.00%	8
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



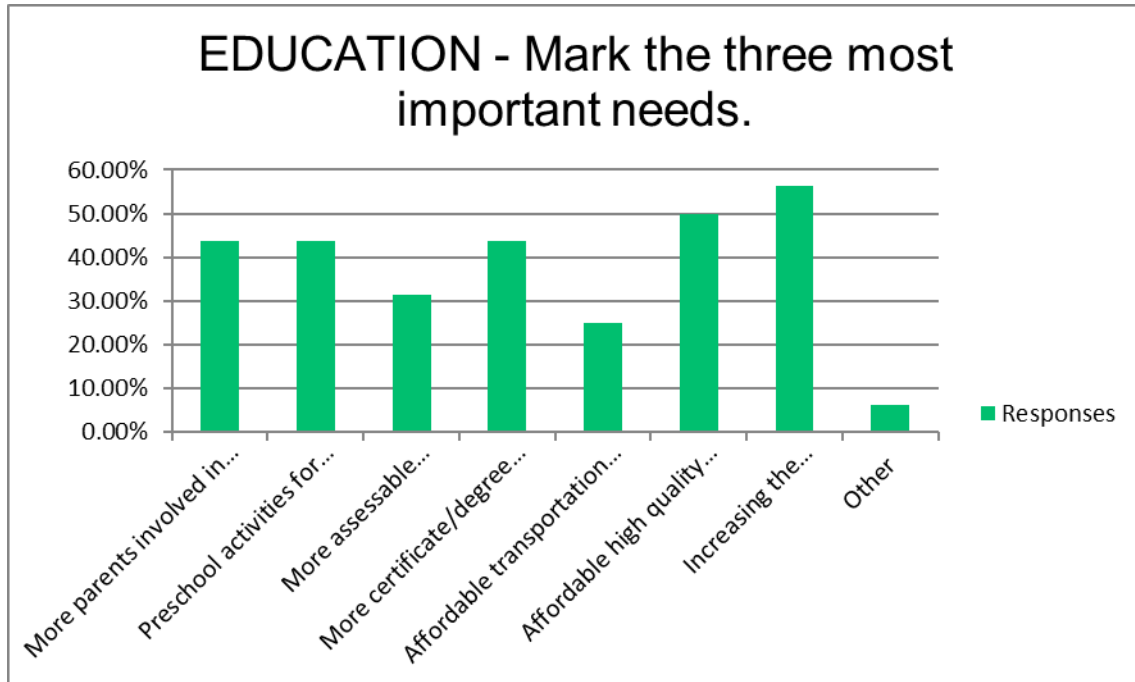
Question 7 (Ohio):

What is your Military Status?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	12.50%	2
Active Military	0.00%	0
N/A	87.50%	14
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



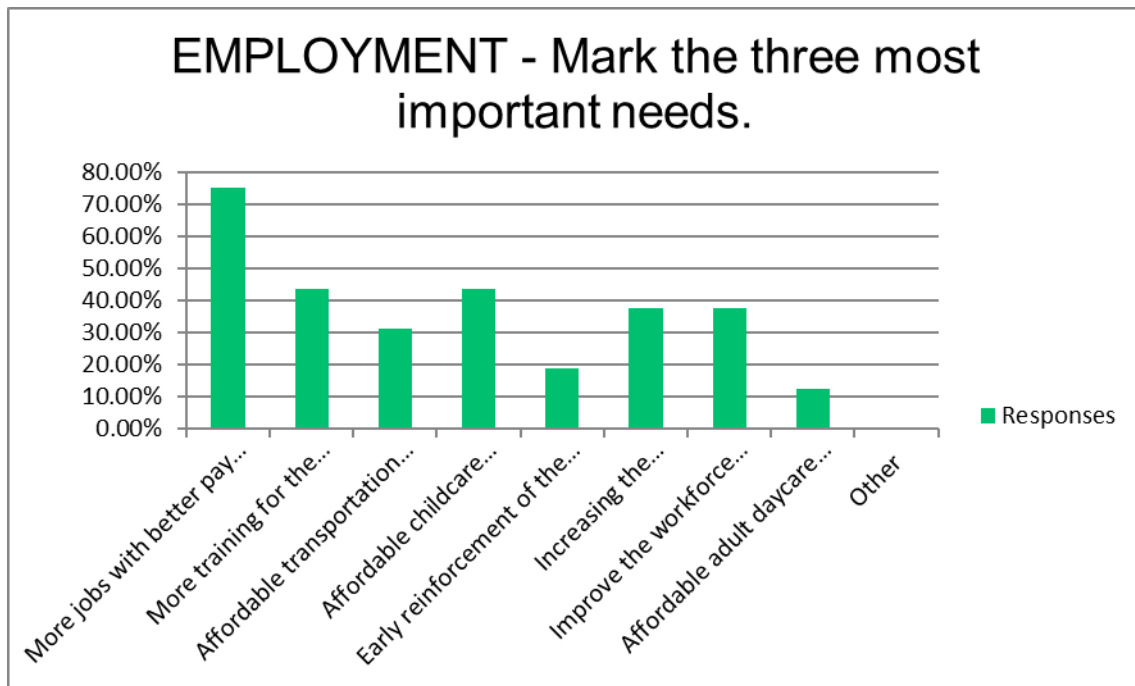
Question 8 (Ohio):

<b>EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	43.75%	7
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness ski	43.75%	7
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or colle	31.25%	5
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	43.75%	7
Affordable transportation options to and from school	25.00%	4
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like	50.00%	8
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education res	56.25%	9
Other	6.25%	1
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



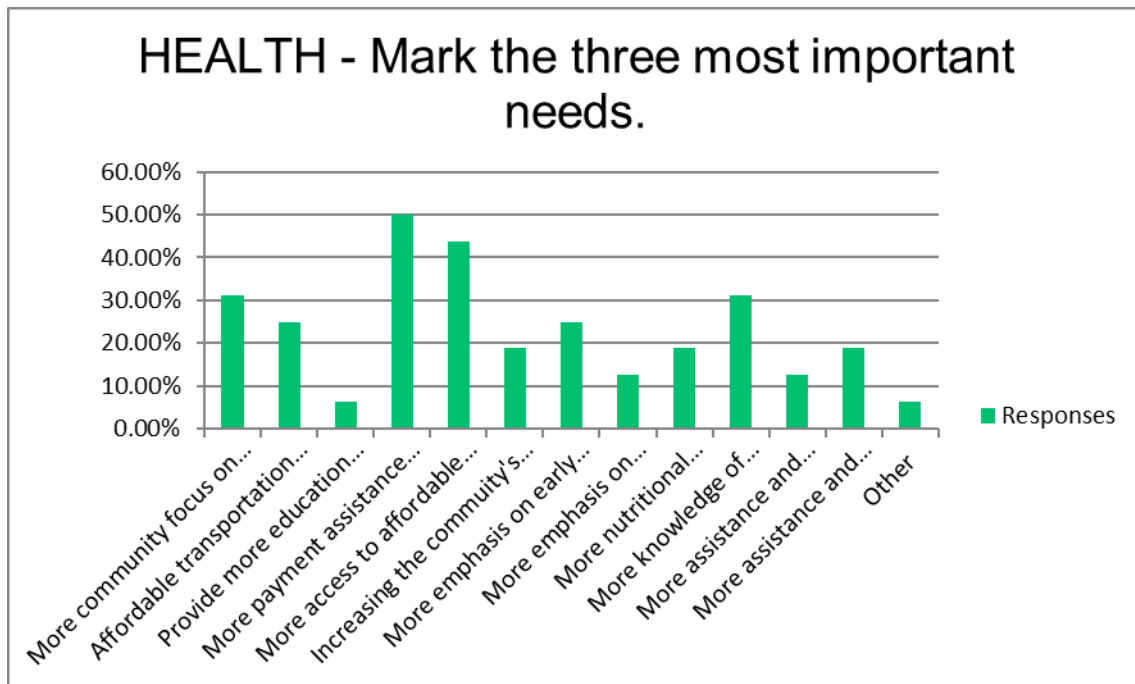
Question 9 (Ohio):

<b>EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	75.00%	12
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	43.75%	7
Affordable transportation to and from job	31.25%	5
Affordable childcare during work hours	43.75%	7
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	18.75%	3
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment	37.50%	6
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to	37.50%	6
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	12.50%	2
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



Question 10 (Ohio):

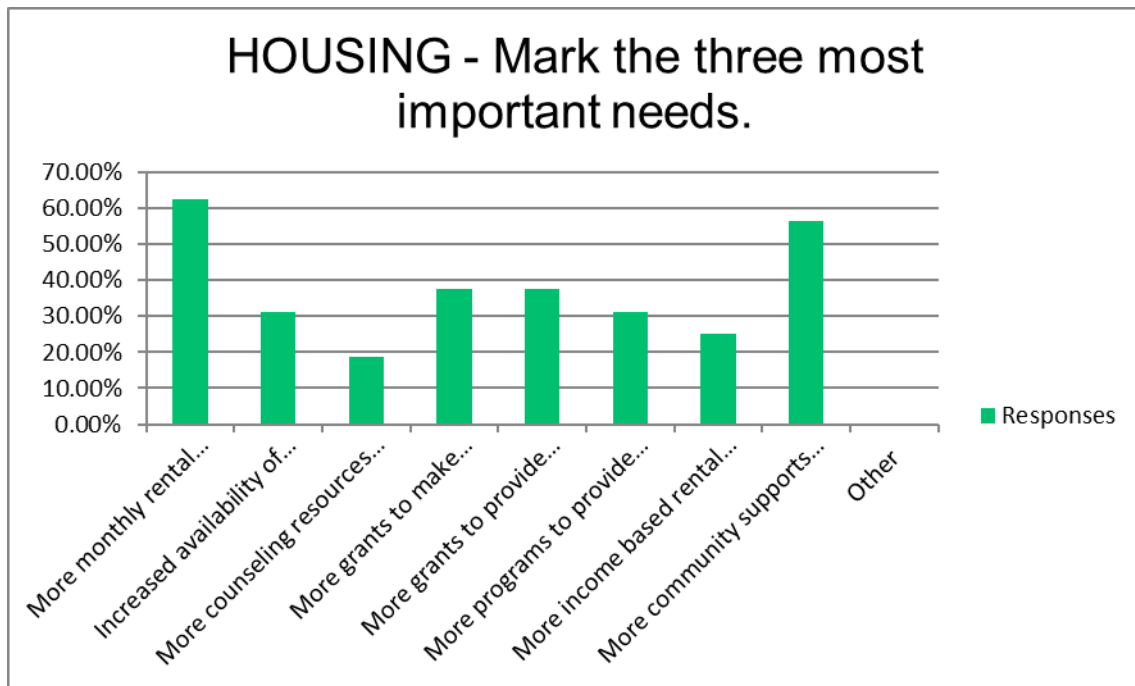
<b>HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	31.25%	5
Affordable transportation for health care services	25.00%	4
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	6.25%	1
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	50.00%	8
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care	43.75%	7
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resources	18.75%	3
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	25.00%	4
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	12.50%	2
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	18.75%	3
More knowledge of available food resources	31.25%	5
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	12.50%	2
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	18.75%	3
Other	6.25%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>





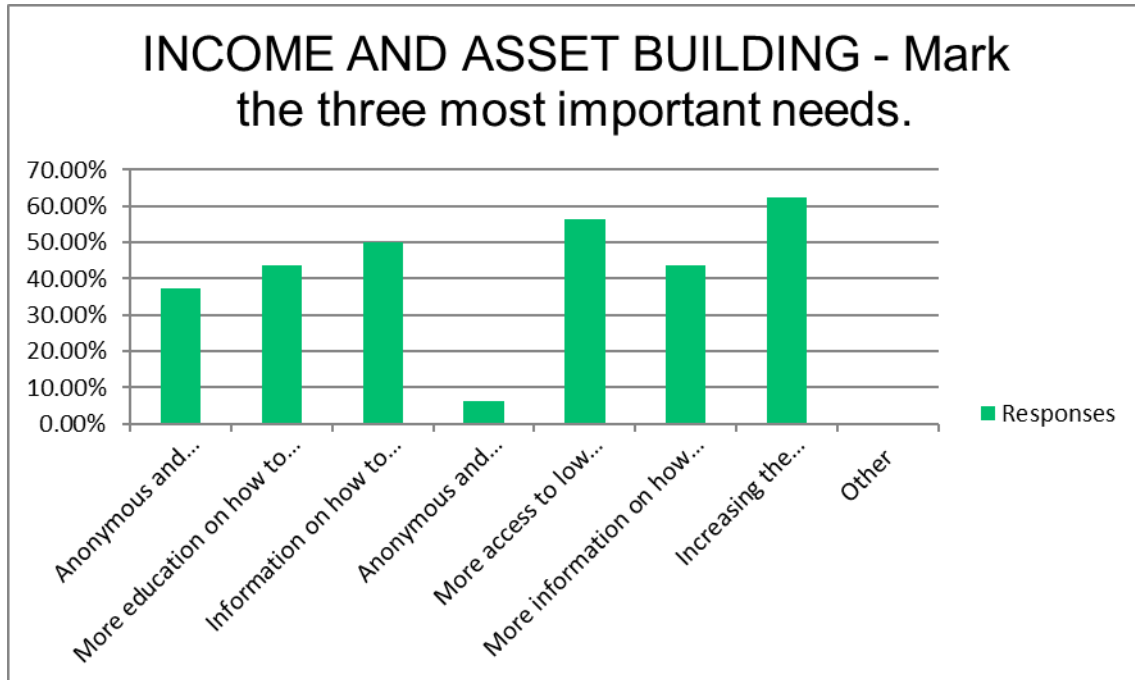
Question 11 (Ohio):

<b>HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	62.50%	10
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	31.25%	5
More counseling resources for homeowners	18.75%	3
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	37.50%	6
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	37.50%	6
More programs to provide free home repair	31.25%	5
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	25.00%	4
More community supports for homeless families	56.25%	9
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



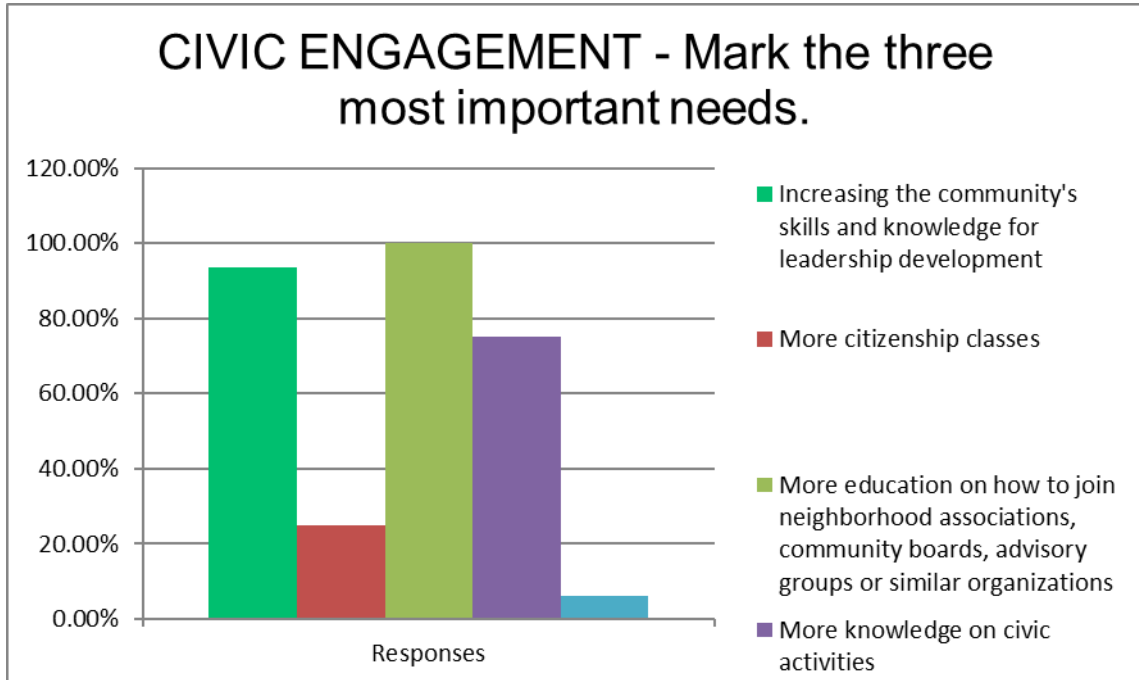
Question 12 (Ohio):

<b>INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	37.50%	6
More education on how to build assets	43.75%	7
Information on how to access free credit counseling	50.00%	8
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	6.25%	1
More access to low interest loans	56.25%	9
More information on how to access financial resources	43.75%	7
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream f	62.50%	10
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



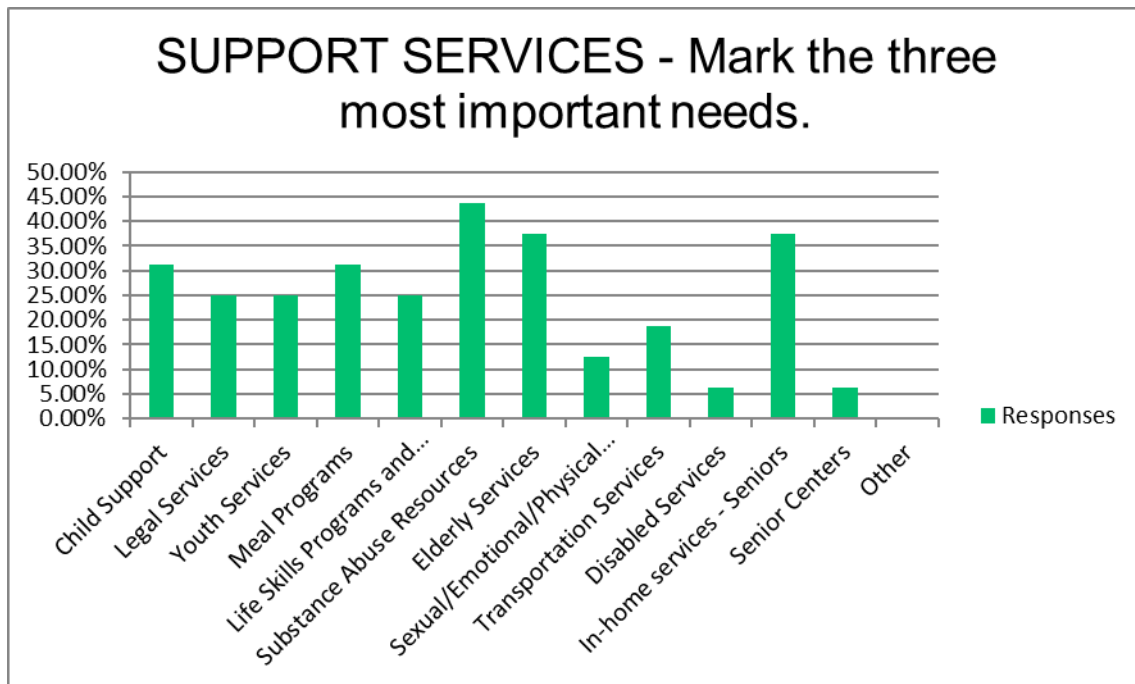
Question 13 (Ohio):

<b>CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	93.75%	15
More citizenship classes	25.00%	4
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	100.00%	16
More knowledge on civic activities	75.00%	12
Other	6.25%	1
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



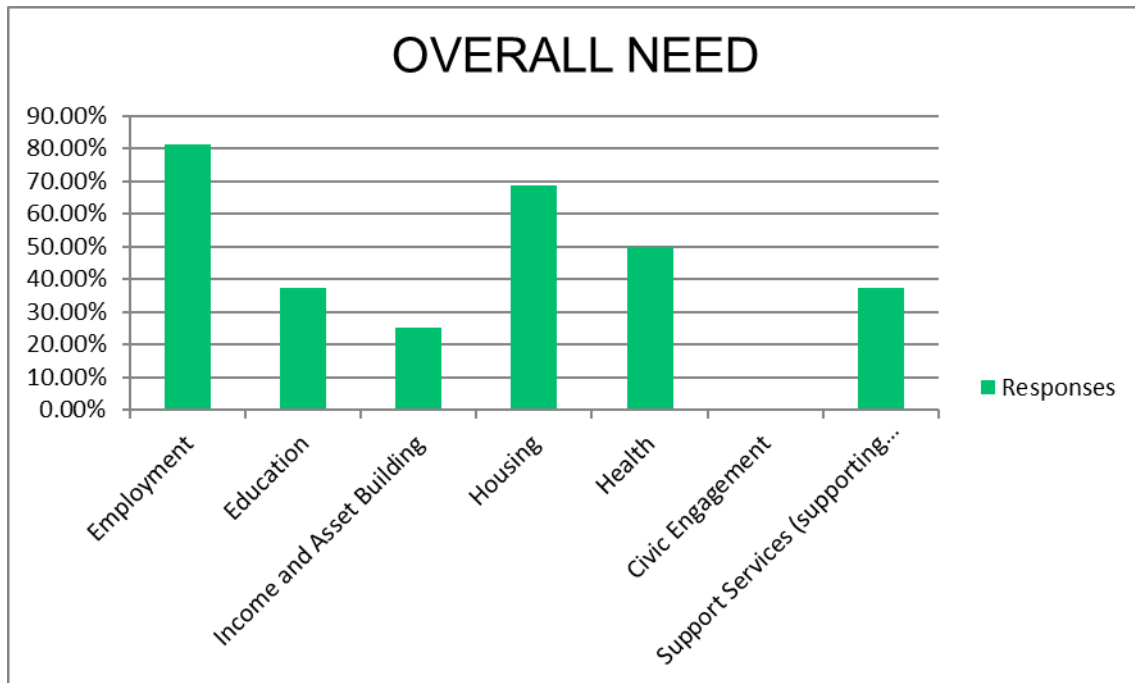
Question 14 (Ohio):

<b>SUPPORT SERVICES - Mark the three most important need</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	31.25%	5
Legal Services	25.00%	4
Youth Services	25.00%	4
Meal Programs	31.25%	5
Life Skills Programs and Services	25.00%	4
Substance Abuse Resources	43.75%	7
Elderly Services	37.50%	6
Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	12.50%	2
Transportation Services	18.75%	3
Disabled Services	6.25%	1
In-home services - Seniors	37.50%	6
Senior Centers	6.25%	1
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



Question 15 (Ohio):

OVERALL NEED		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Employment	81.25%	13
Education	37.50%	6
Income and Asset Building	25.00%	4
Housing	68.75%	11
Health	50.00%	8
Civic Engagement	0.00%	0
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	37.50%	6
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>16</b>



## 5. COMMUNITY RESOURCES - OHIO

### **Emergency Assistance**

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(270) 298-4481

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Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, Family Preservation; Family Reunification; FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System (GRITS); Head Start; HUD subsidized Lincolnshire apartments (Owensboro); Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

### HELP Office

Hartford Christian Church  
122 W Walnut St, Hartford, KY 42347 (270)298-7222

### Ohio County Outreach Offices (OASIS)

Hartford Community Center, First Floor, Suite 103, Hartford, KY 42320  
(270) 298-4485

Referral services for victims of domestic violence. Group meetings and court advocacy services.

### Salvation Army

215 Ewing Road, Owensboro, KY 42301  
(270) 685-5576

Serves Daviess, Hancock, McClean and Ohio counties. Emergency assistance; after school/day camp program, Community Center; food pantry, clothing vouchers, rent assistance, utility assistance, prescription assistance and help with KY vision applications.

### St. Vincent DePaul

213 Midtown Plaza, Beaver Dam, KY 42320  
(270) 274-5118

Food and clothing assistance; household items; rental and utility assistance; medical assistance.

### **Health Services**

Fordsville Area Medical Clinic  
44 W Main St, Fordsville, KY 42343  
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## **UNION COUNTY**

### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

Union County is the 56<sup>th</sup> county in order of formation. It was formed from part of Henderson County on January 15, 1811, and was probably named for the unanimous agreement of its citizens to create a new county. Morganfield is the county seat. Union County was settled during the westward migration following the Revolutionary War. The county had a considerable slave population prior to the Civil War, and in 1862, Union troops took all residents of Caseyville prisoners on charges of treason. During World War II, more than 1,300 prisoners of war were interned at the Camp Breckinridge Training Center.

The county is the site of numerous Indian burial and ceremonial mounds. After the desecration of more than 1,000 graves in 1987, which prompted the Kentucky General Assembly to make such looting a class D felony, several hundred Indians conducted a reburial service.

### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

Union County is bordered by Henderson, Webster, and Crittenden counties, and to the west by the Ohio River. Union County covers an area of 343 square miles, ranging from level to hilly. Most of the land is used for agricultural purposes, to which it is well suited.

### **3. LOCATION OF CENTERS**

Community Services  
227 Richards Lane  
Morganfield, KY 42437

Union County CDC Morganfield  
515 South Mart Street  
Morganfield, KY 42437

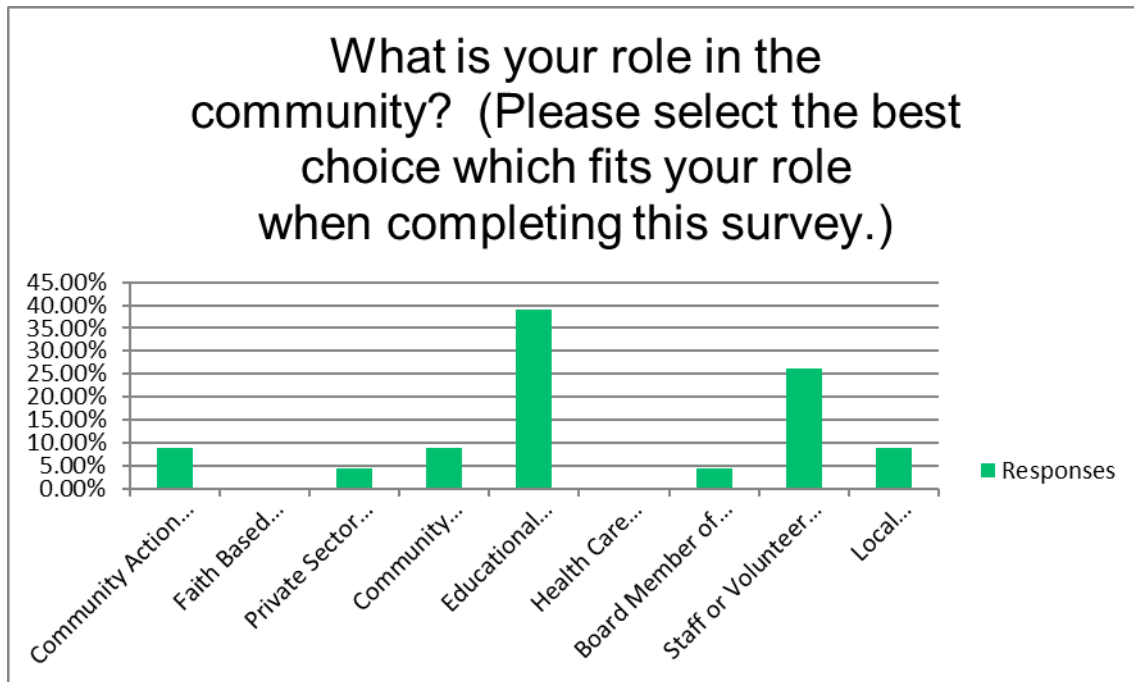
Union County Pre-School/Head Start  
4464 US Hwy 60  
Morganfield, KY 42437



#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - UNION

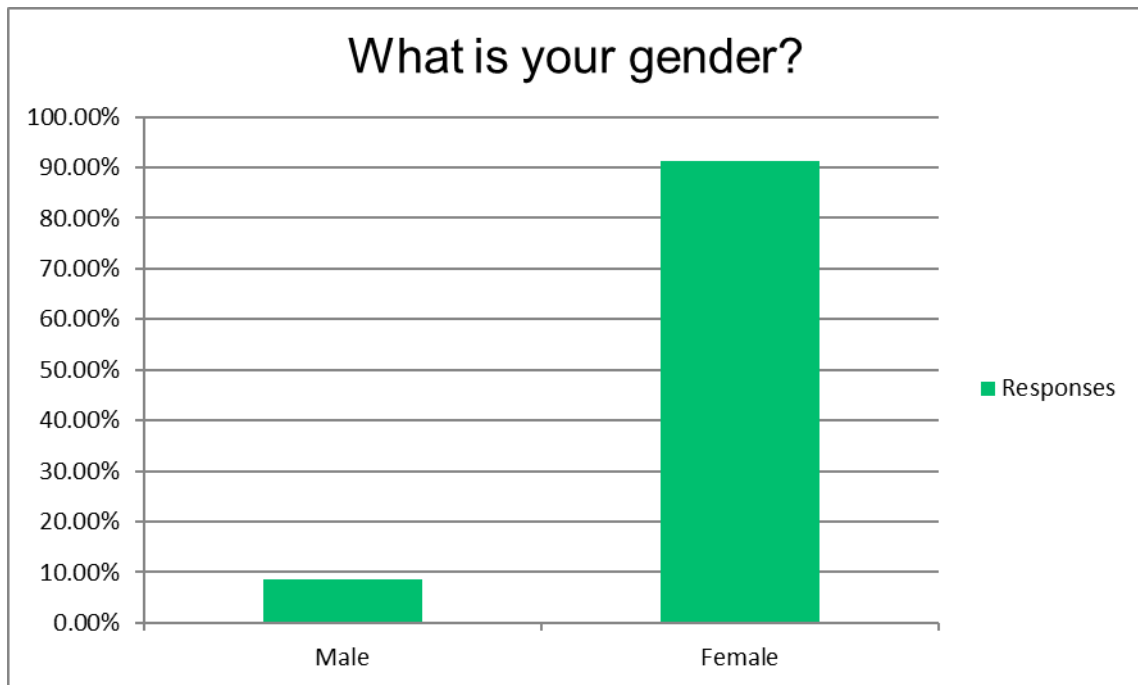
Question 1 (Union):

What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	8.70%	2
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based g	0.00%	0
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, sm	4.35%	1
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non	8.70%	2
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, coll	39.13%	9
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	0.00%	0
Board Member of Community Action Agency	4.35%	1
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	26.09%	6
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-p	8.70%	2
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



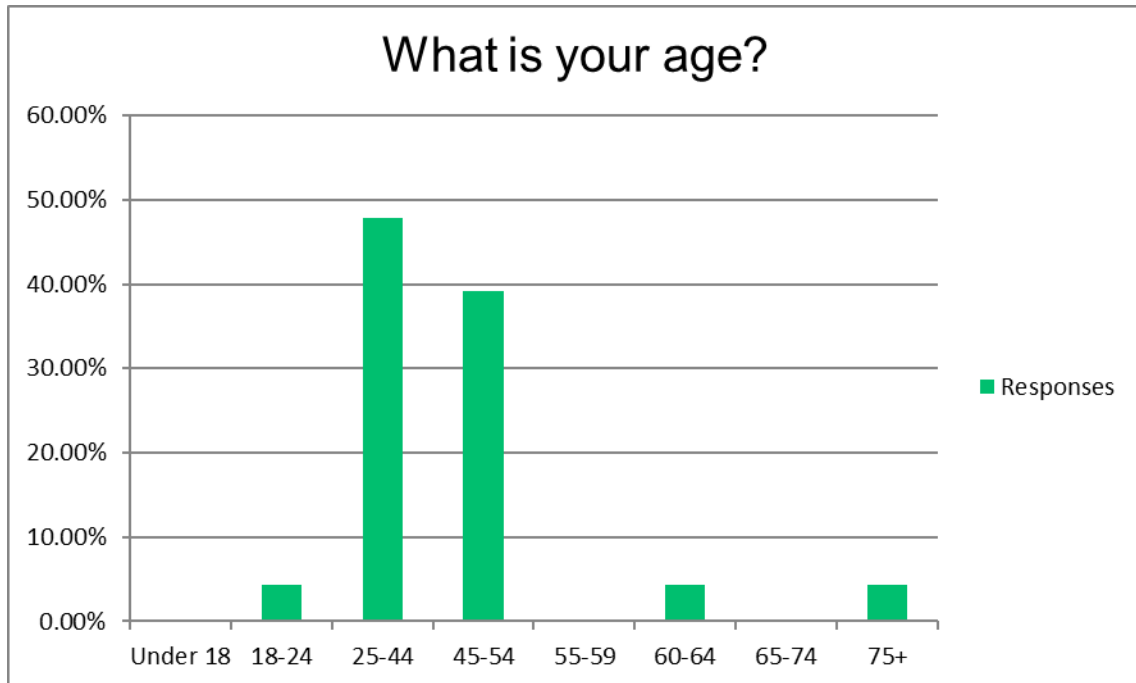
Question 2 (Union):

What is your gender?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	8.70%	2
Female	91.30%	21
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



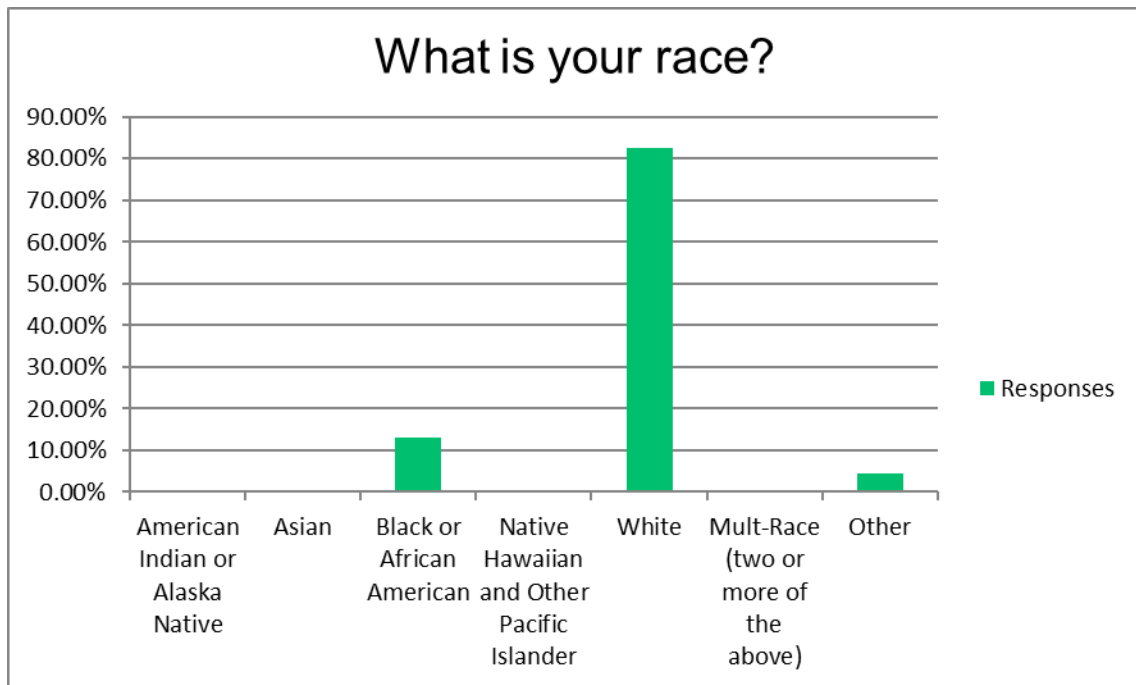
Question 3 (Union):

What is your age?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	4.35%	1
25-44	47.83%	11
45-54	39.13%	9
55-59	0.00%	0
60-64	4.35%	1
65-74	0.00%	0
75+	4.35%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



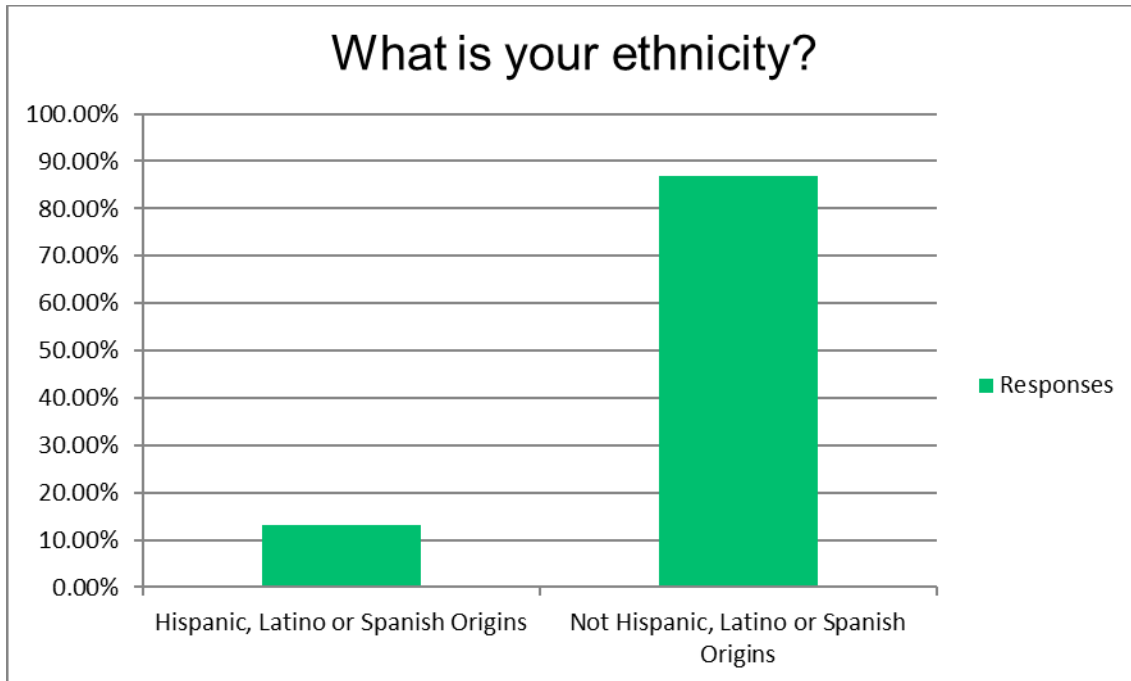
Question 4 (Union):

<b>What is your race?</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	13.04%	3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	82.61%	19
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	0.00%	0
Other	4.35%	1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



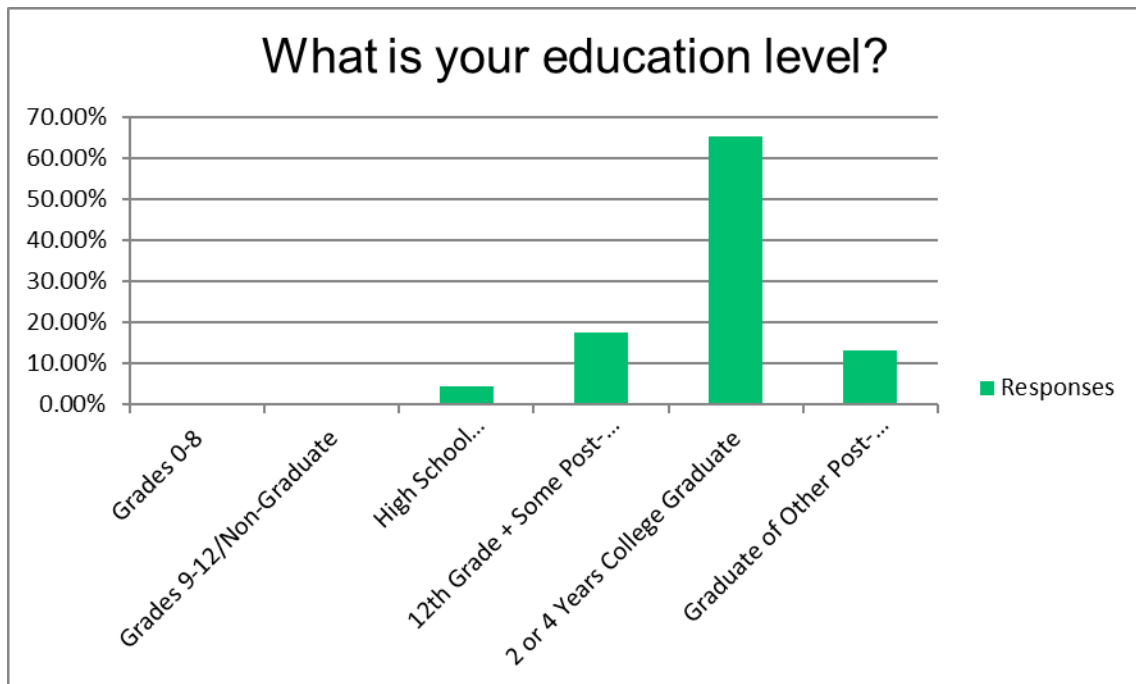
Question 5 (Union):

What is your ethnicity?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	13.04%	3
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	86.96%	20
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



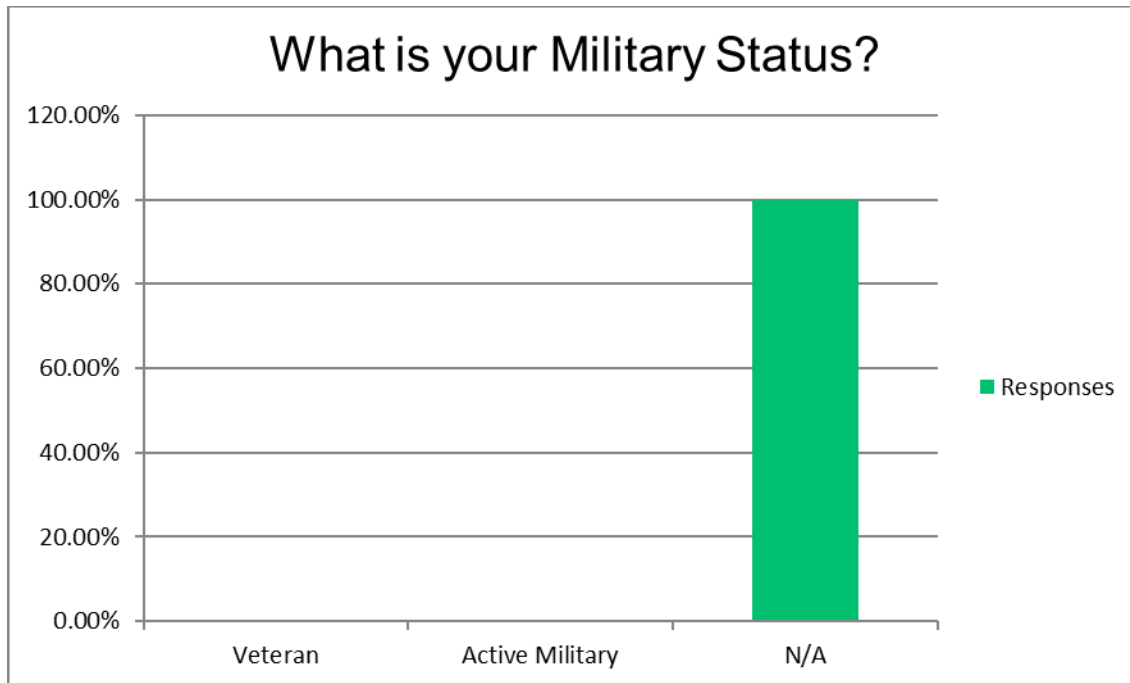
Question 6 (Union):

What is your education level?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	0.00%	0
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	0.00%	0
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	4.35%	1
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	17.39%	4
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	65.22%	15
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	13.04%	3
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



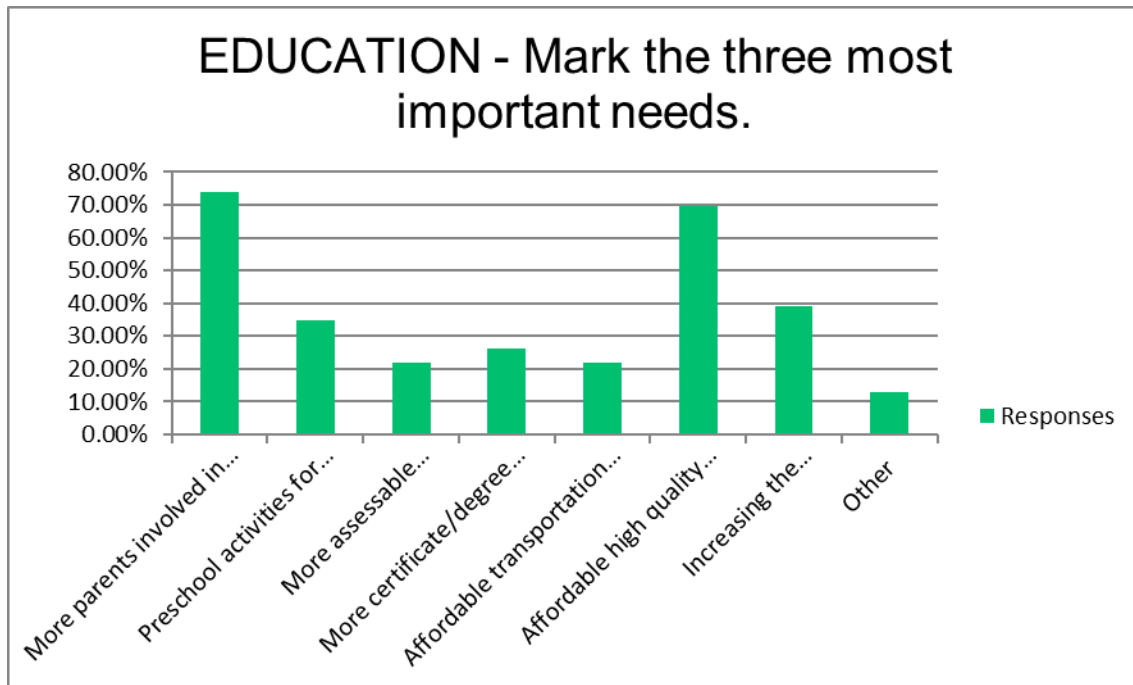
Question 7 (Union):

What is your Military Status?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	0.00%	0
Active Military	0.00%	0
N/A	100.00%	23
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



Question 8 (Union):

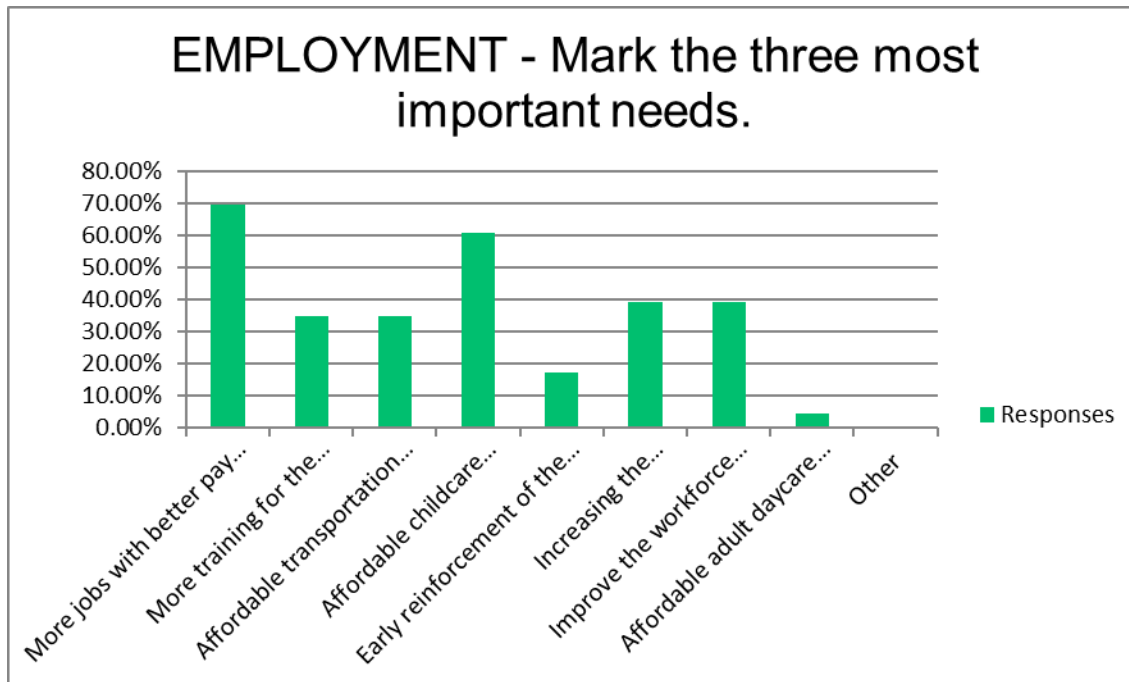
<b>EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	73.91%	17
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness ski	34.78%	8
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or colle	21.74%	5
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	26.09%	6
Affordable transportation options to and from school	21.74%	5
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like	69.57%	16
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education res	39.13%	9
Other	13.04%	3
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>





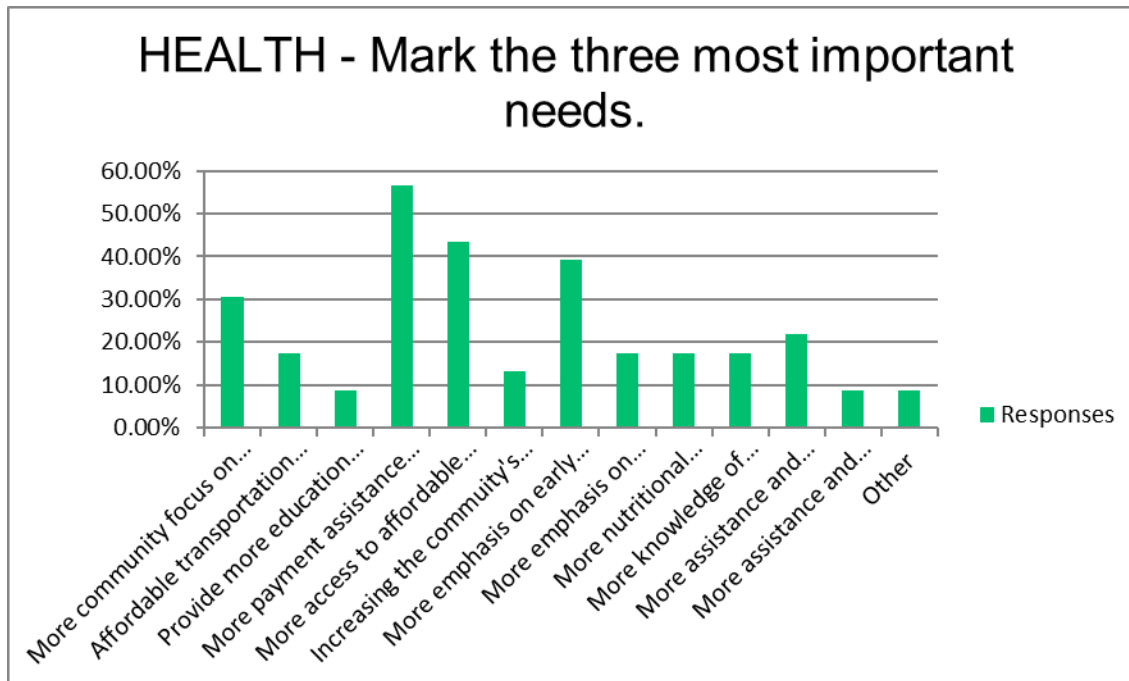
Question 9 (Union):

<b>EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	69.57%	16
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	34.78%	8
Affordable transportation to and from job	34.78%	8
Affordable childcare during work hours	60.87%	14
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	17.39%	4
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment	39.13%	9
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to	39.13%	9
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	4.35%	1
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
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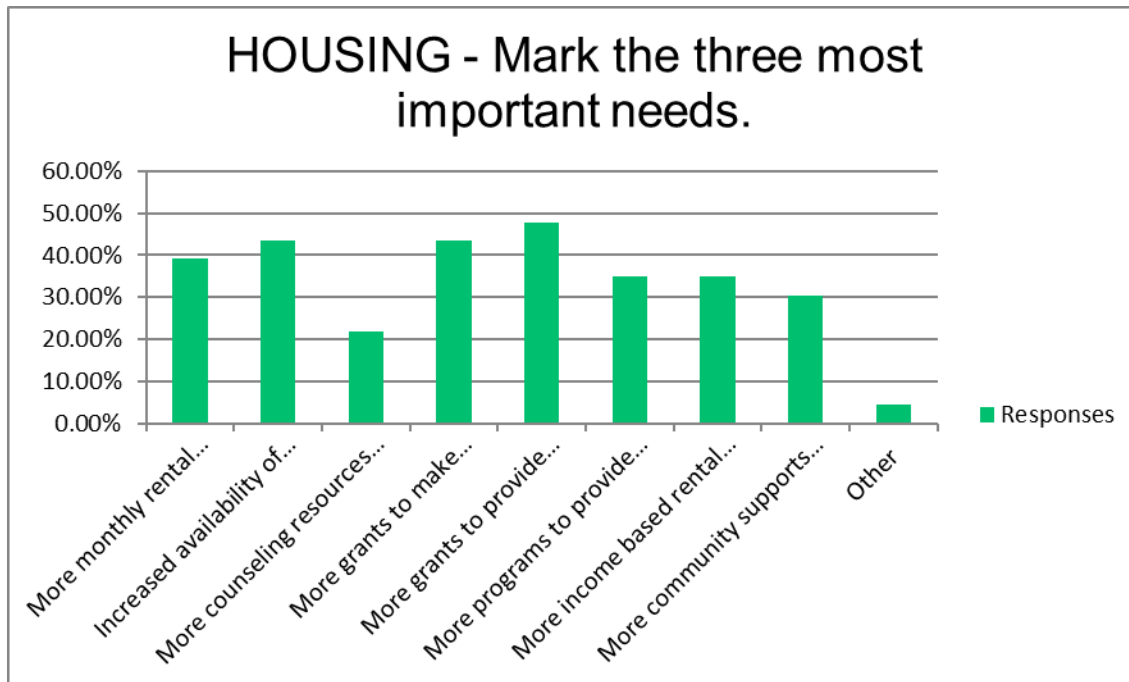
Question 10 (Union):

<b>HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	30.43%	7
Affordable transportation for health care services	17.39%	4
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	8.70%	2
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	56.52%	13
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care	43.48%	10
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resources	13.04%	3
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	39.13%	9
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	17.39%	4
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	17.39%	4
More knowledge of available food resources	17.39%	4
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	21.74%	5
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	8.70%	2
Other	8.70%	2
Other (please specify)		2
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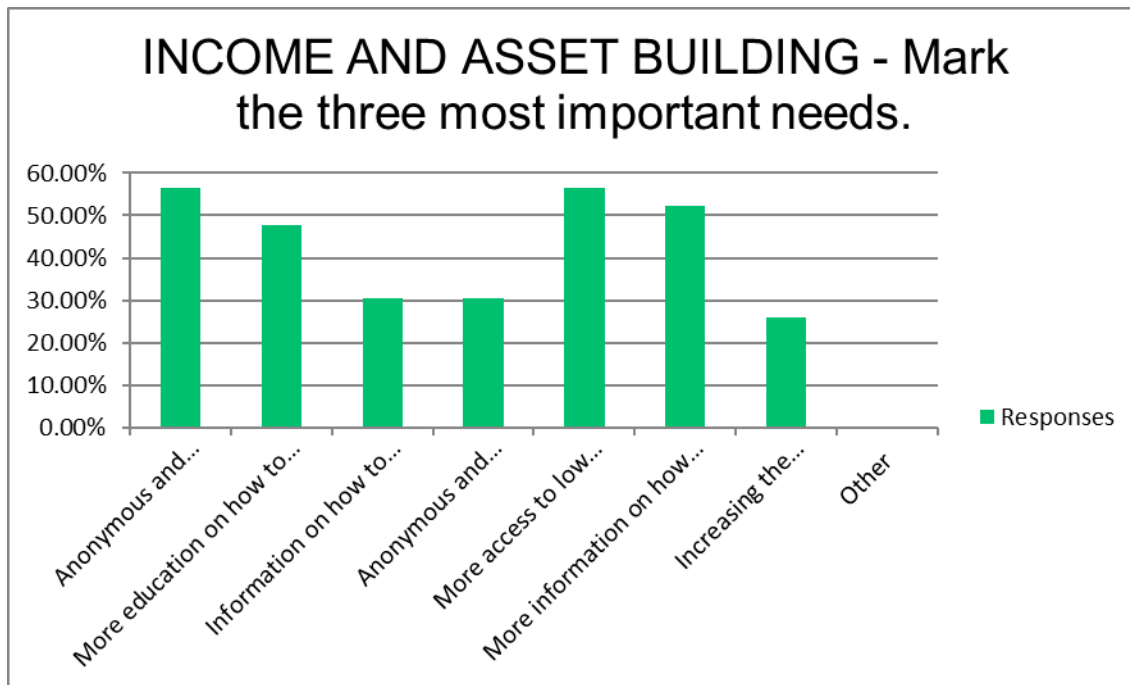
Question 11 (Union):

<b>HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	39.13%	9
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	43.48%	10
More counseling resources for homeowners	21.74%	5
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	43.48%	10
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	47.83%	11
More programs to provide free home repair	34.78%	8
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	34.78%	8
More community supports for homeless families	30.43%	7
Other	4.35%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



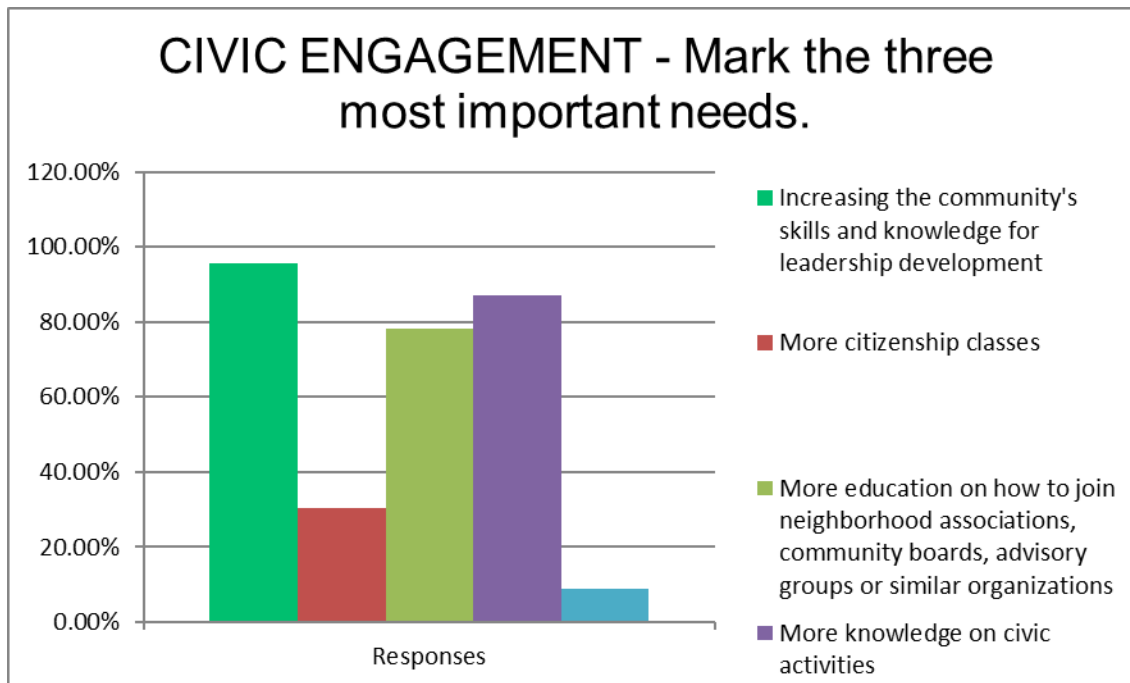
Question 12 (Union):

<b>INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	56.52%	13
More education on how to build assets	47.83%	11
Information on how to access free credit counseling	30.43%	7
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	30.43%	7
More access to low interest loans	56.52%	13
More information on how to access financial resources	52.17%	12
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream f	26.09%	6
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
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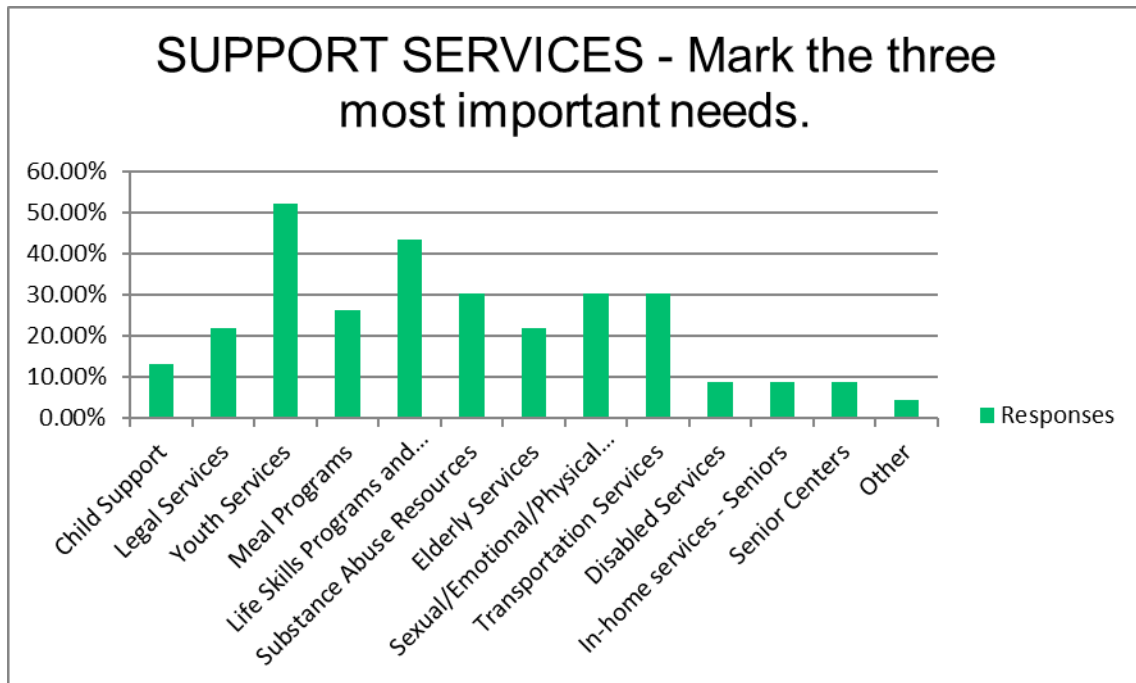
Question 13 (Union):

<b>CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	95.65%	22
More citizenship classes	30.43%	7
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	78.26%	18
More knowledge on civic activities	86.96%	20
Other	8.70%	2
Other (please specify)		1
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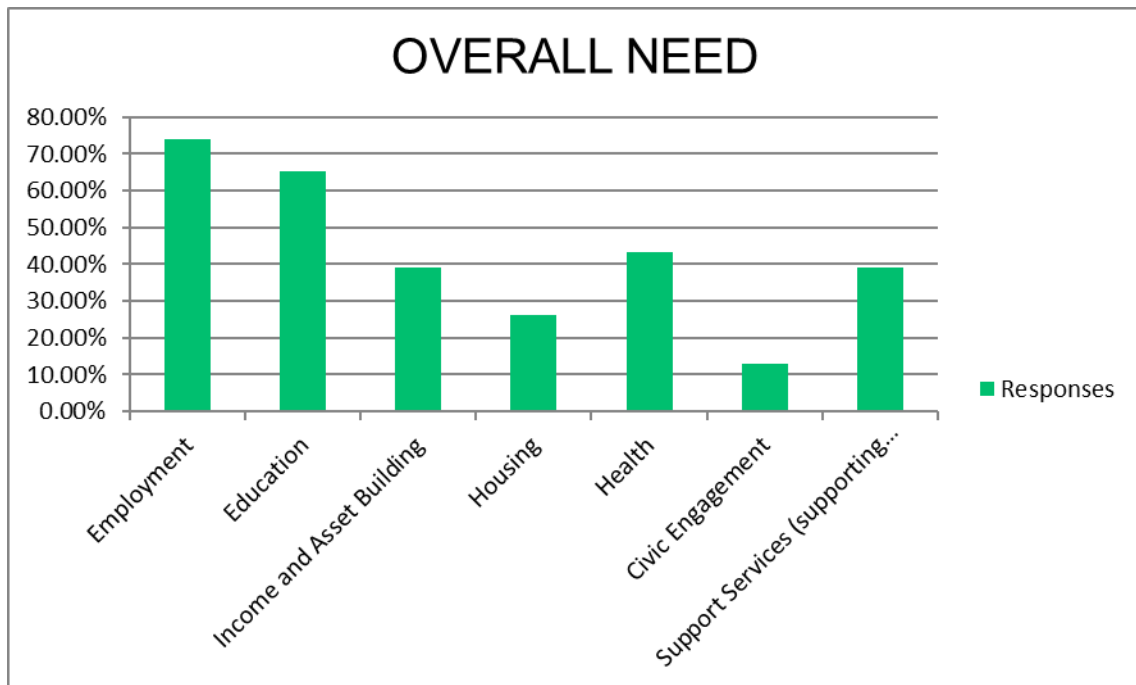
Question 14 (Union):

<b>SUPPORT SERVICES - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	13.04%	3
Legal Services	21.74%	5
Youth Services	52.17%	12
Meal Programs	26.09%	6
Life Skills Programs and Services	43.48%	10
Substance Abuse Resources	30.43%	7
Elderly Services	21.74%	5
Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	30.43%	7
Transportation Services	30.43%	7
Disabled Services	8.70%	2
In-home services - Seniors	8.70%	2
Senior Centers	8.70%	2
Other	4.35%	1
Other (please specify)		1
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



Question 15 (Union):

<b>OVERALL NEED</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Employment	73.91%	17
Education	65.22%	15
Income and Asset Building	39.13%	9
Housing	26.09%	6
Health	43.48%	10
Civic Engagement	13.04%	3
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	39.13%	9
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>23</b>



## 5. COMMUNITY RESOURCES - UNION

### **Emergency and Transitional Shelters**

Shelter for Women and Children, Inc.,  
P.O. Box 1617, Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 830-8063

Women and their children up to three months. Services offered include assistance with housing, employment and employment skills, childcare, parenting, morals and values, addictive behaviors and domestic violence classes. (22 beds: 10 families/12 singles)

### **Emergency Assistance**

Audubon Area Community Action Agency  
227 North Richards Lane, Morganfield, KY 42437  
(270) 389-3742

Email: [info@audubon-area.com](mailto:info@audubon-area.com) Website: [www.audubon-area.com](http://www.audubon-area.com)

Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, consisting of Family Preservation; Family Reunification; FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System (GRITS); Head Start; HUD-subsidized Lincolnshire apartments (Owensboro); Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

Union County Outreach Office (OASIS)

P.O. Box 308, Morganfield, KY 42347  
(270) 389-9906

Referral services for victims of domestic violence. Group meetings and court advocacy services.

Salvation Army

1213 Washington St., Henderson, KY 42420

Serves Henderson, Union and Webster Counties. Food and clothing; educational services; lodging assistance (1 to 6 days of lodging assistance); job and service referrals.

### **Health Services**

Health First CHC  
220 N. Morgan Street, Morganfield, KY 42437  
(270) 285-1318

Matthew 25 AIDS Services

411 Letcher Street, Henderson, KY 42420

Toll Free (877) 428-1231

Provides Comprehensive Care for persons with HIV/AIDS. Medical care, case management, support services, and housing programs. Clinical Satellite twice monthly in Owensboro Health Department at 1600 Breckinridge, Owensboro, KY

### **Mental Health Assistance**

River Valley Behavioral Health Services  
P.O. Box 1637, Owensboro, KY 42302-1637



(800) 433-7291 - Crisis Line outside Daviess County

Community Mental Health Center; mental health services and referrals; 48 permanent housing beds.

The 24/7 crisis intervention, information, and referral service is provided free of charge to individuals seeking help.

## **WEBSTER COUNTY**

### **1. BRIEF HISTORY**

Webster County is the 109<sup>th</sup> county in order of formation. The county was created on July 1, 1860, from portions of Henderson, Hopkins, and Union counties and was named for Daniel Webster, U.S.

Congressman, Senator, and Secretary of State. The county seat is Dixon.

Webster County was probably settled by Revolutionary War veteran William Jenkins. Kentucky's first battle of the Civil War, the Battle of Burnt Mill, was fought in the county.

Webster County's prosperity depends on its fertile land and natural resources. Surface mining is vital to the local economy, and 90 percent of the farming income is derived from corn and soybean production. Dixon has been the county seat since the county's creation in 1861. However, Providence is the largest community, home to almost a third of Webster County's residents.

### **2. GEOGRAPHIC DESCRIPTION**

Webster County is surrounded by Henderson, McLean, Hopkins, Crittenden, and Union counties. Its eastern border of the Green River and its western border of the Tradewater River are divided by a ridge that runs through the middle of the county. The ridge divides the watersheds of the two rivers. Webster County's square miles total 336.

### **3. LOCATION OF CENTERS**

Community Services  
73 Stegal Street  
Dixon, KY 42409

Sebree Alpha Academy  
157 North State Street  
Sebree, KY 42455

Sebree Elementary School  
61 North State Street  
Sebree, KY 42455

Providence Elementary School  
470 South Broadway  
Providence, KY 42450

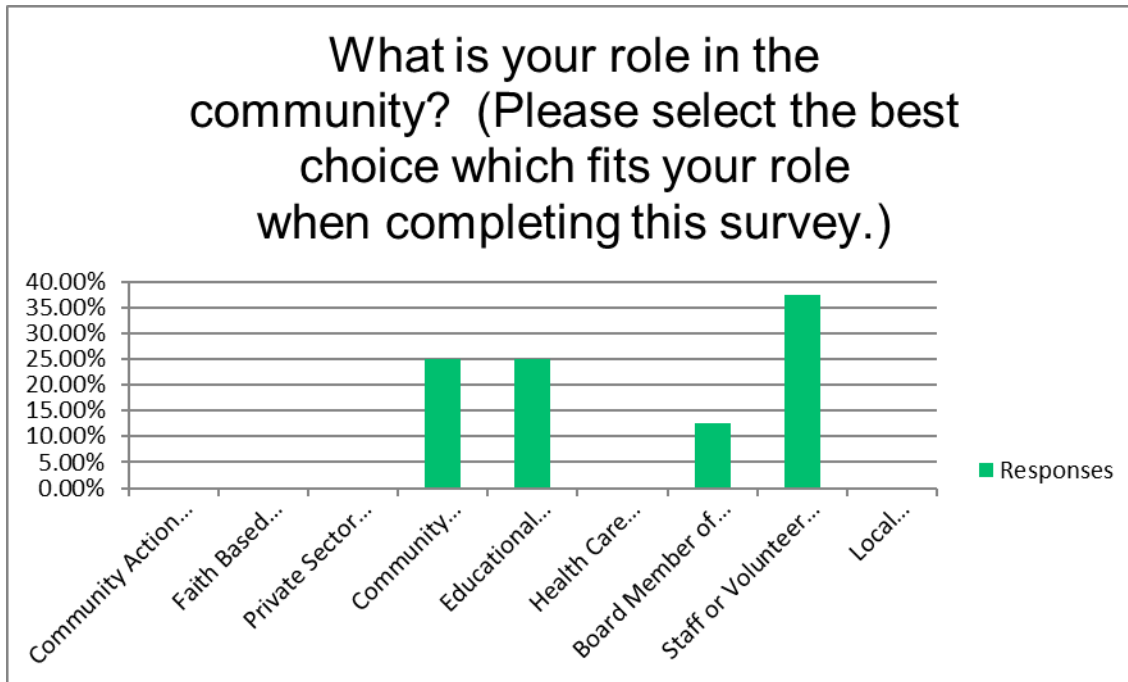
Providence Alpha Academy  
470 South Broadway  
Providence, KY 42450

Webster County Home Based  
61 North State Street  
Sebree, KY 42355

#### 4. SURVEY DATA PER COUNTY - WEBSTER COUNTY

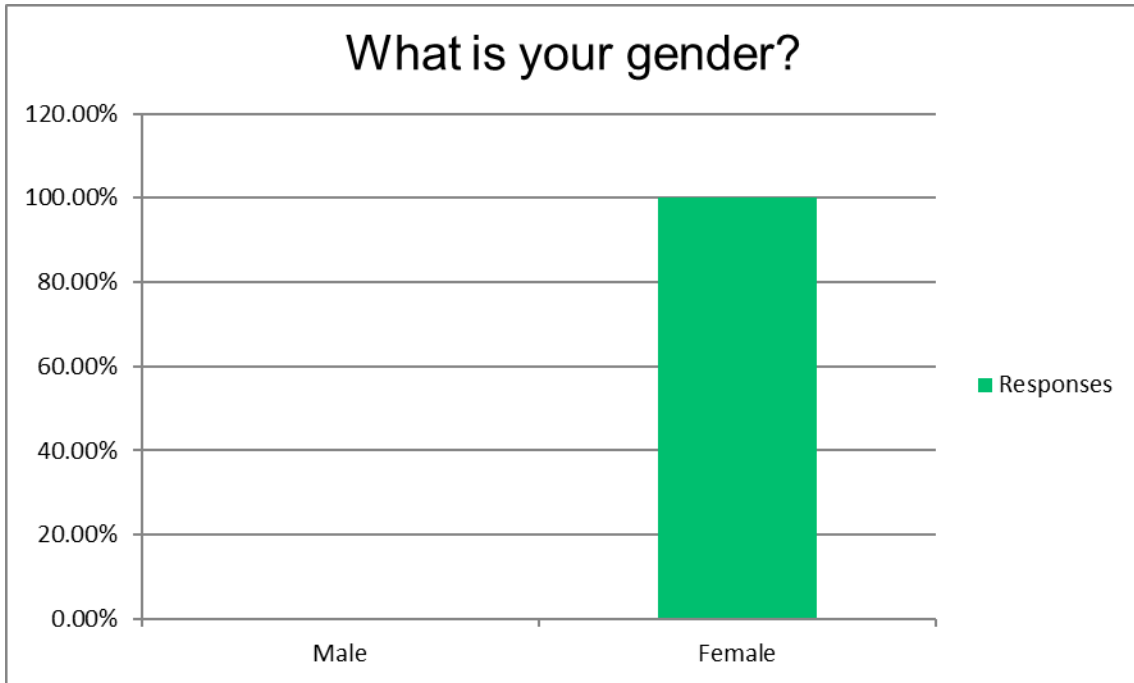
Question 1 (Webster):

What is your role in the community? (Please select the best choice which fits		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Community Action Client/Low-Income Resident	0.00%	0
Faith Based Organization Representative (Church/Faith Based g	0.00%	0
Private Sector Representative/Community Member (for profit, sm	0.00%	0
Community Organization/Partner (local service provider and non	25.00%	2
Educational Institution Faculty/Staff (local adult eds, schools, coll	25.00%	2
Health Care Agencies (clinics, health departments, etc.)	0.00%	0
Board Member of Community Action Agency	12.50%	1
Staff or Volunteer of Community Action Agency	37.50%	3
Local Politician/Government/Public Sector Representative (non-p	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



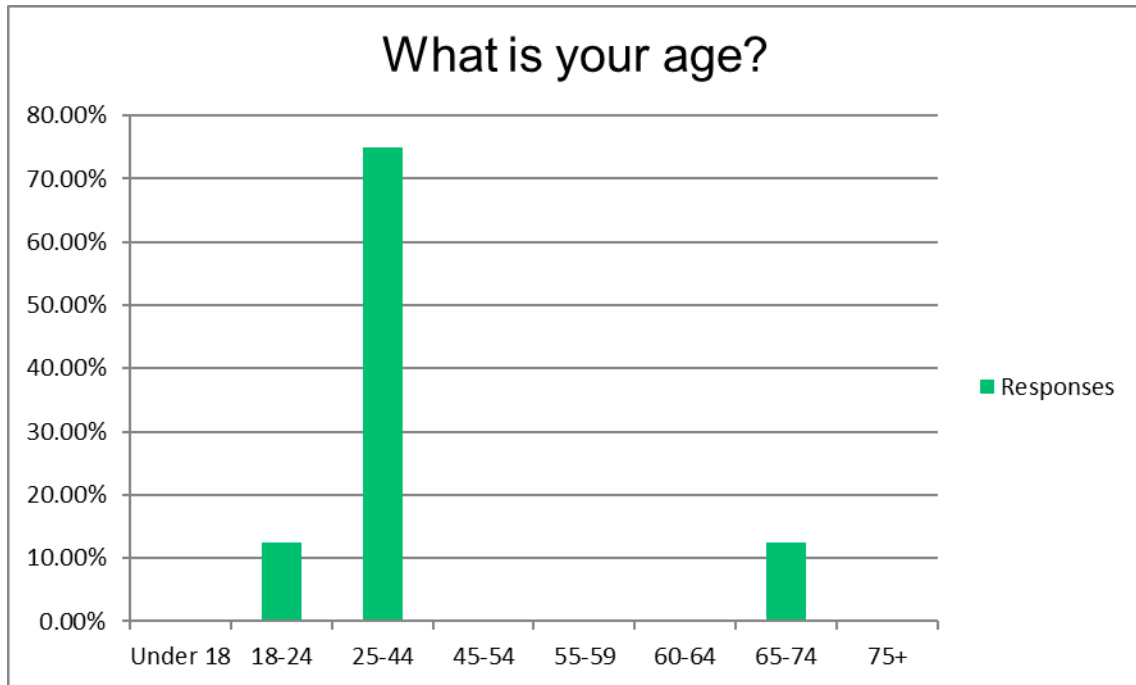
Question 2 (Webster):

What is your gender?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Male	0.00%	0
Female	100.00%	8
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



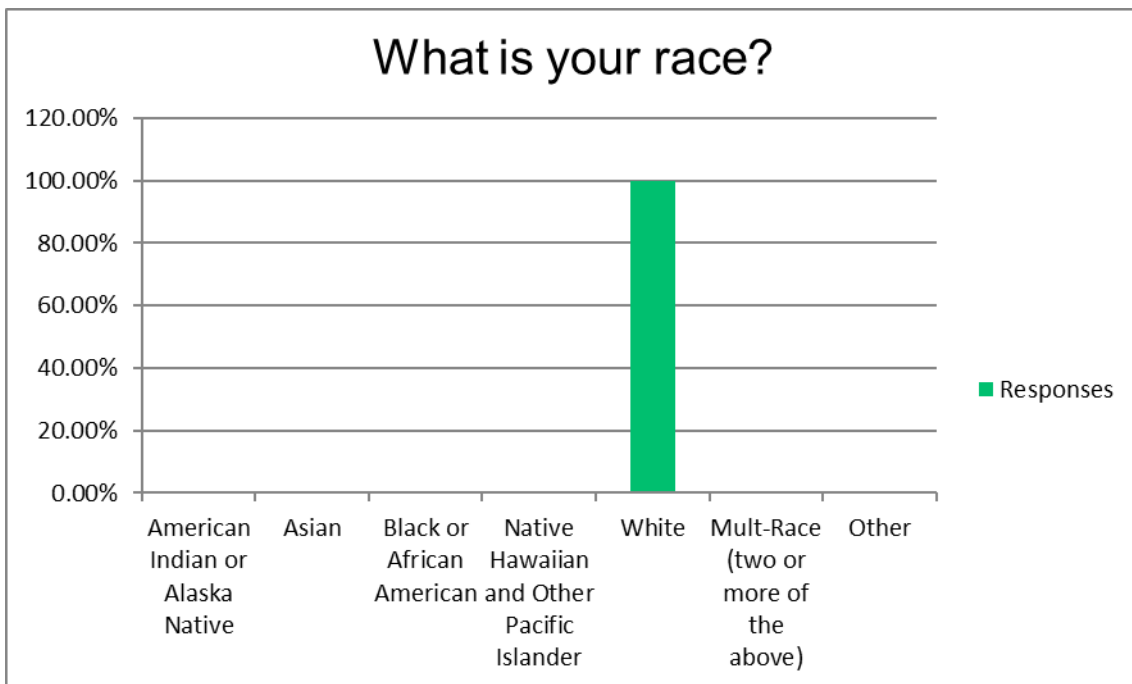
Question 3 (Webster):

What is your age?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-24	12.50%	1
25-44	75.00%	6
45-54	0.00%	0
55-59	0.00%	0
60-64	0.00%	0
65-74	12.50%	1
75+	0.00%	0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



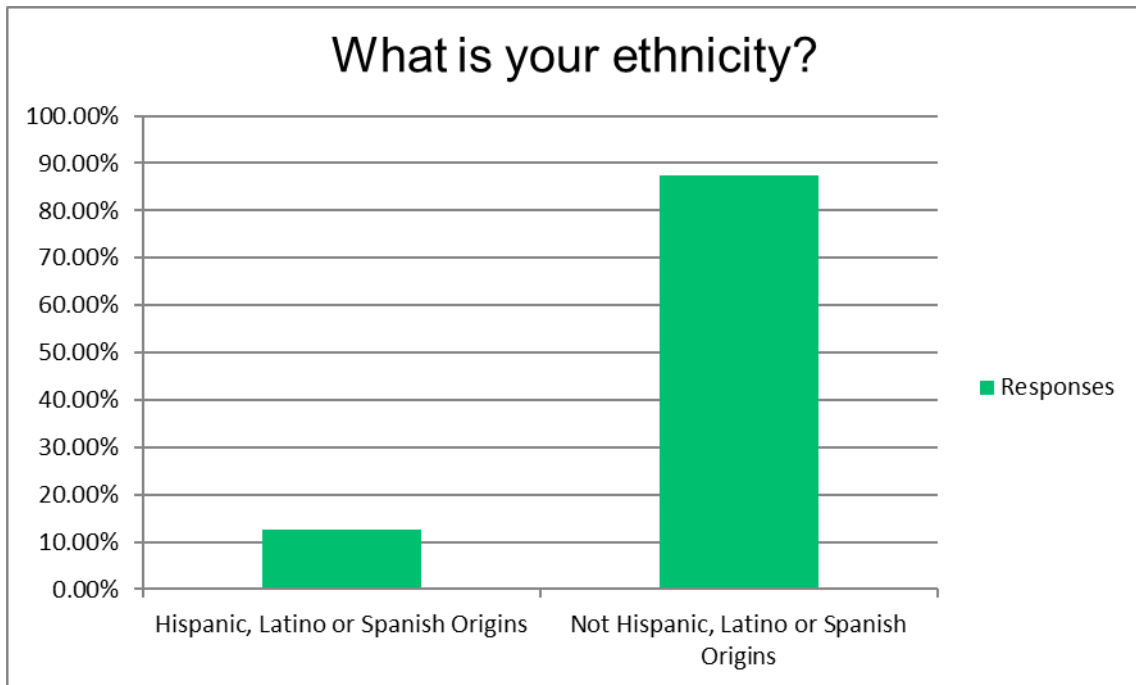
Question 4 (Webster):

What is your race?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.00%	0
Asian	0.00%	0
Black or African American	0.00%	0
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.00%	0
White	100.00%	8
Mult-Race (two or more of the above)	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
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Question 5 (Webster):

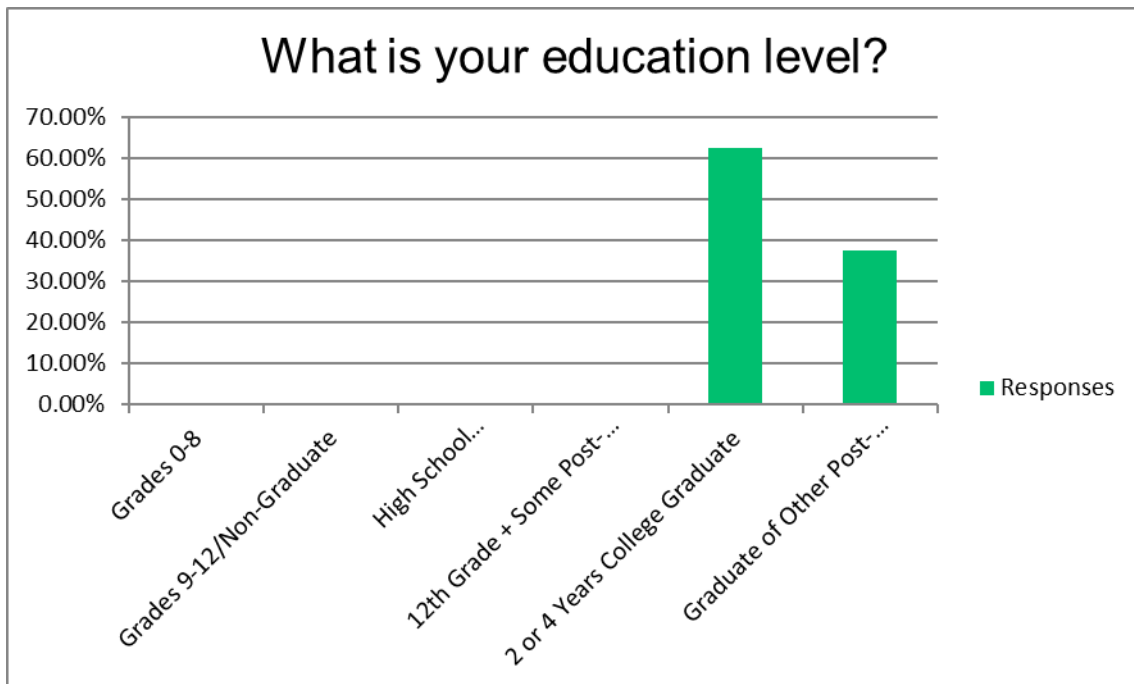
What is your ethnicity?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	12.50%	1
Not Hispanic, Latino or Spanish Origins	87.50%	7
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>





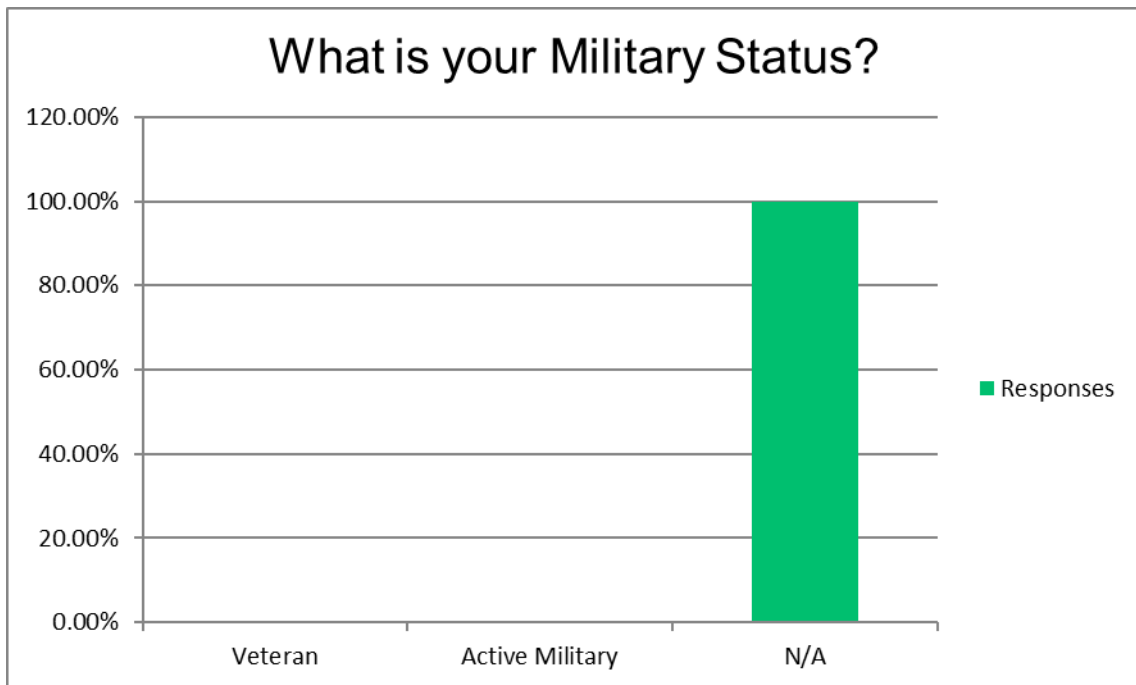
Question 6 (Webster):

What is your education level?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Grades 0-8	0.00%	0
Grades 9-12/Non-Graduate	0.00%	0
High School Graduate/Equivalency Diploma	0.00%	0
12th Grade + Some Post-Secondary	0.00%	0
2 or 4 Years College Graduate	62.50%	5
Graduate of Other Post-Secondary School	37.50%	3
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



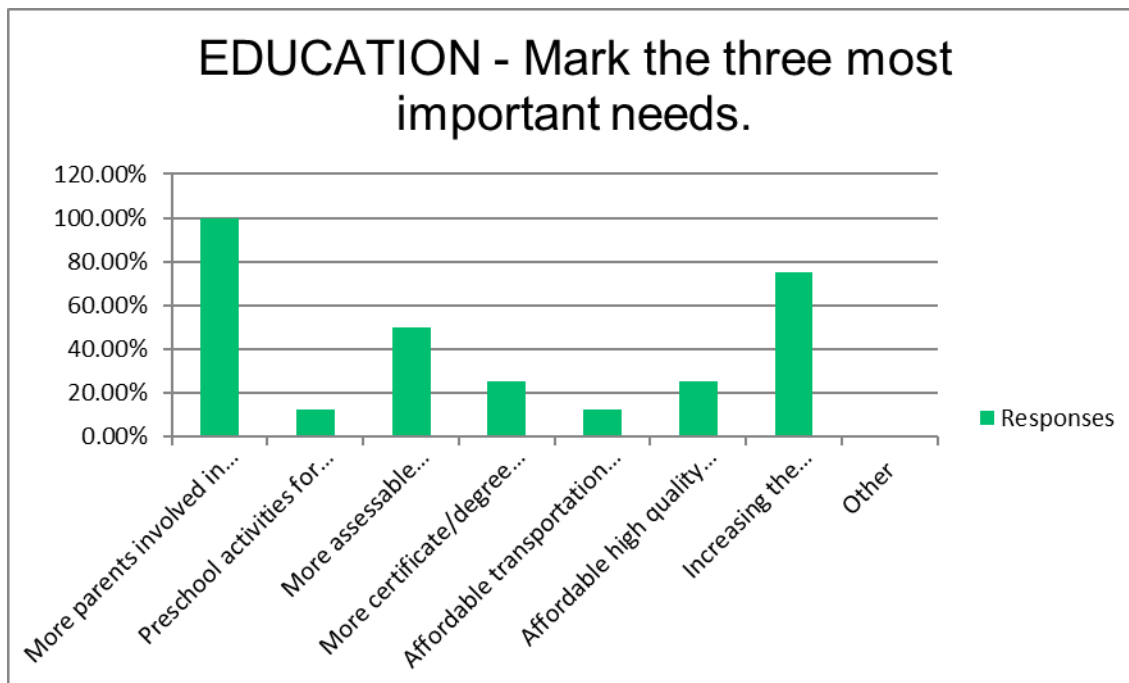
Question 7 (Webster):

What is your Military Status?		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Veteran	0.00%	0
Active Military	0.00%	0
N/A	100.00%	8
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



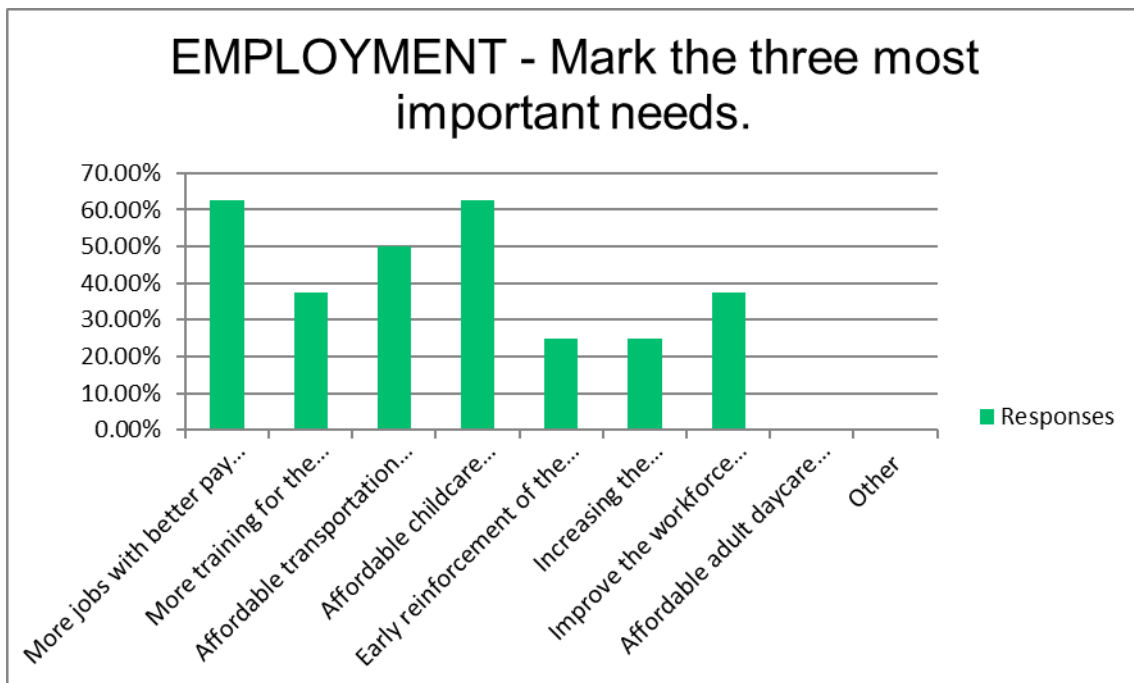
Question 8 (Webster):

<b>EDUCATION - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More parents involved in student's education	100.00%	8
Preschool activities for child(ren) to develop school readiness sk	12.50%	1
More assessable counseling to prepare students for tech or colle	50.00%	4
More certificate/degree programs offered locally	25.00%	2
Affordable transportation options to and from school	12.50%	1
Affordable high quality childcare options for parent who would like	25.00%	2
Increasing the community's knowledge of available education res	75.00%	6
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
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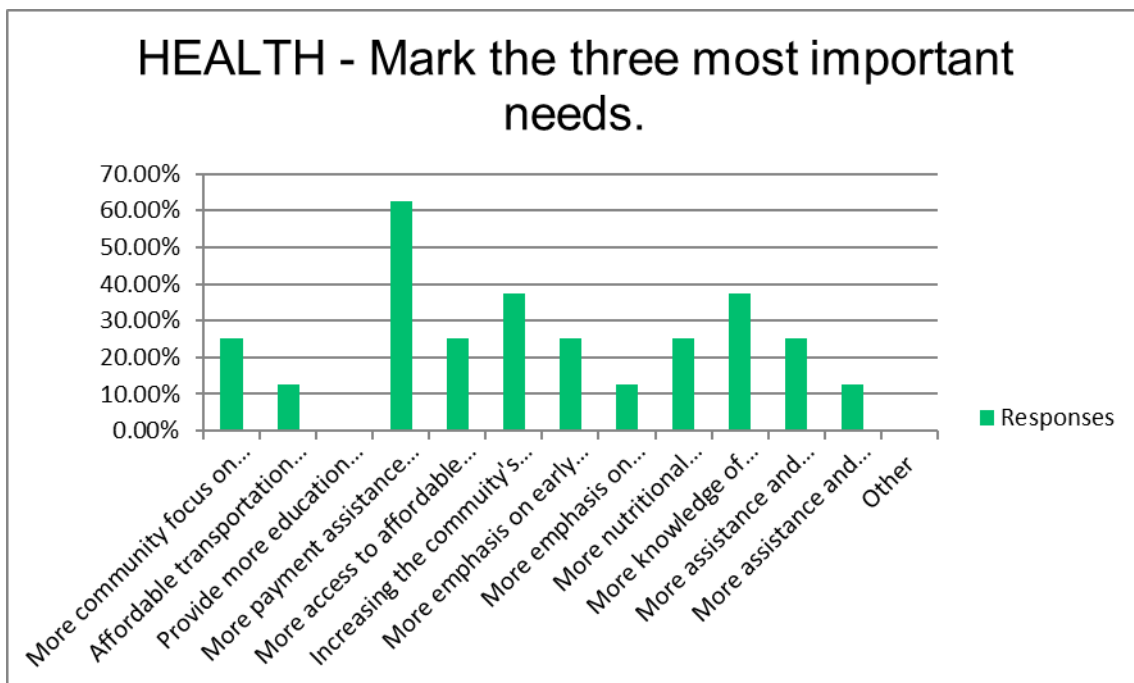
Question 9 (Webster):

<b>EMPLOYMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More jobs with better pay and benefits	62.50%	5
More training for the types of jobs available in the area	37.50%	3
Affordable transportation to and from job	50.00%	4
Affordable childcare during work hours	62.50%	5
Early reinforcement of the values of entering the workforce	25.00%	2
Increasing the community's knowledge of available employment	25.00%	2
Improve the workforce readiness skills of people who are able to	37.50%	3
Affordable adult daycare during work hours	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
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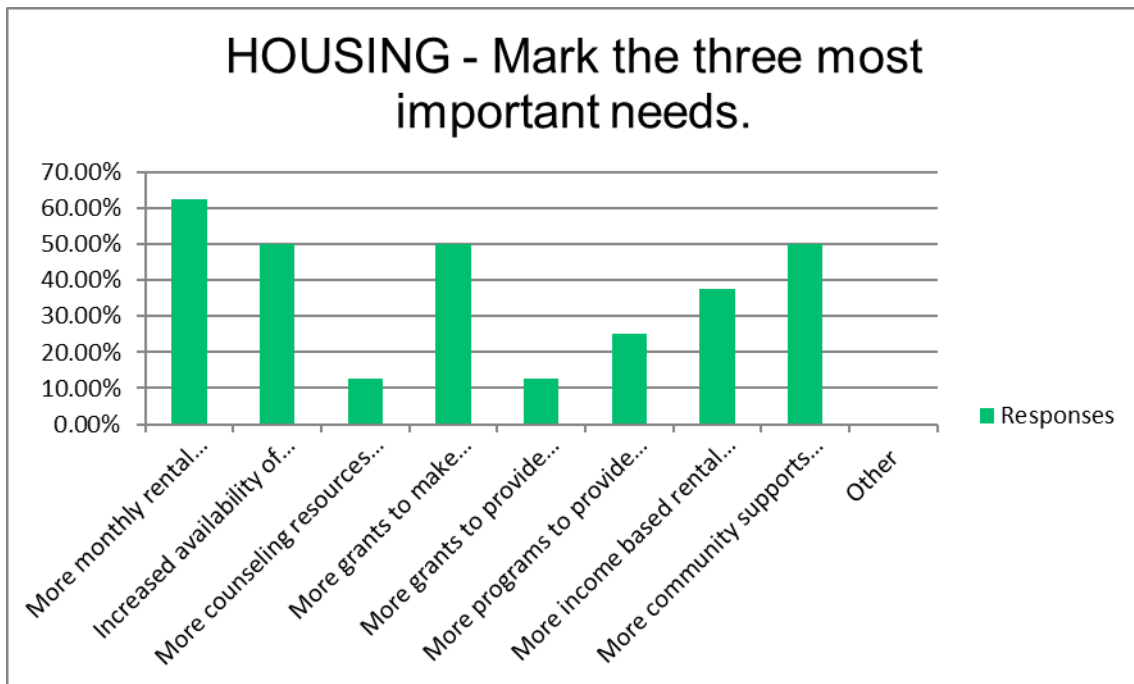
Question 10 (Webster):

<b>HEALTH - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More community focus on preventative healthcare	25.00%	2
Affordable transportation for health care services	12.50%	1
Provide more education on maintaining personal hygiene	0.00%	0
More payment assistance programs for adult dental, hearing and	62.50%	5
More access to affordable comprehensive (or primary) health care	25.00%	2
Increasing the community's knowledge of available health resources	37.50%	3
More emphasis on early childhood nutrition education	25.00%	2
More emphasis on reinforcing healthy eating habits	12.50%	1
More nutritional counseling (one on one and free)	25.00%	2
More knowledge of available food resources	37.50%	3
More assistance and resources for victims of domestic violence	25.00%	2
More assistance and resources for victims of elderly abuse	12.50%	1
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		1
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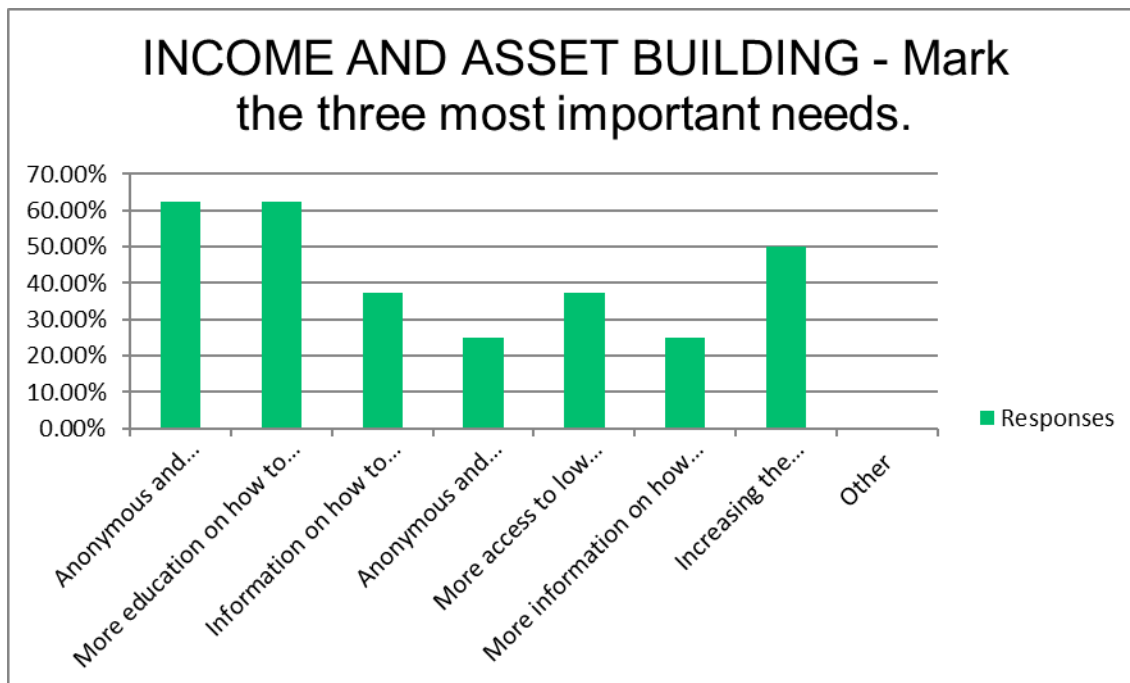
Question 11 (Webster):

<b>HOUSING - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
More monthly rental assistance programs	62.50%	5
Increased availability of security/utility deposit programs	50.00%	4
More counseling resources for homeowners	12.50%	1
More grants to make home ownership and home rehab affordable	50.00%	4
More grants to provide services that reduce energy cost	12.50%	1
More programs to provide free home repair	25.00%	2
More income based rental housing for disabled and seniors	37.50%	3
More community supports for homeless families	50.00%	4
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
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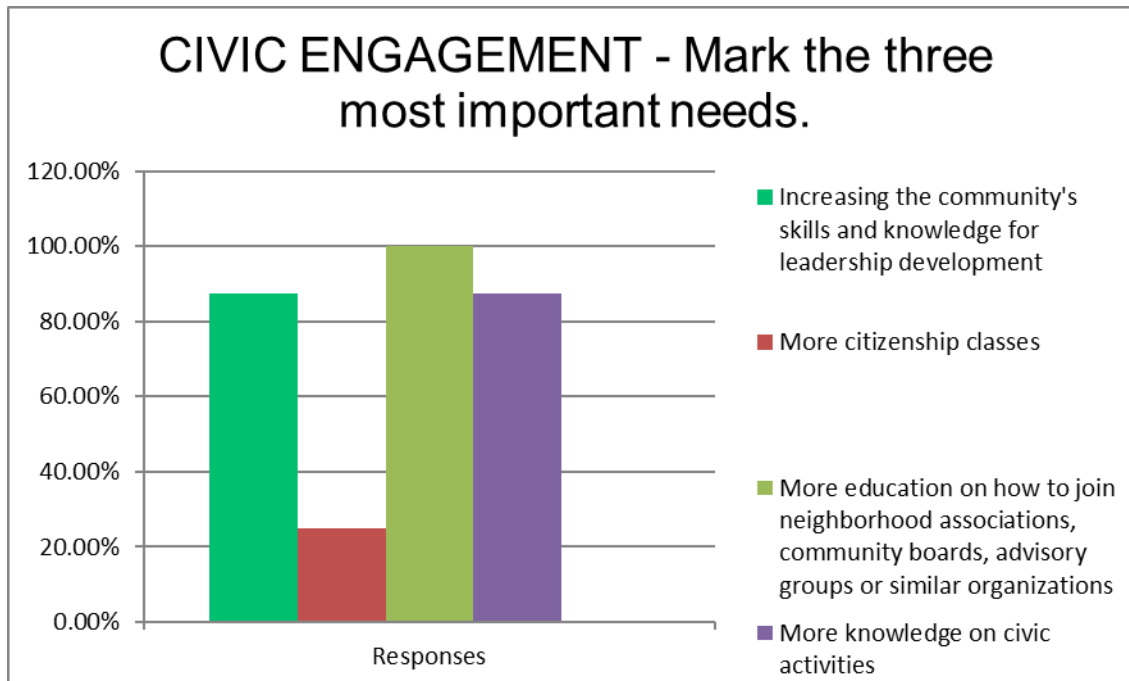
Question 12 (Webster):

INCOME AND ASSET BUILDING - Mark the three most important needs.		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Anonymous and confidential budget counseling	62.50%	5
More education on how to build assets	62.50%	5
Information on how to access free credit counseling	37.50%	3
Anonymous and confidential savings counseling	25.00%	2
More access to low interest loans	37.50%	3
More information on how to access financial resources	25.00%	2
Increasing the community's knowledge of available mainstream f	50.00%	4
Other	0.00%	0
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Question 13 (Webster):

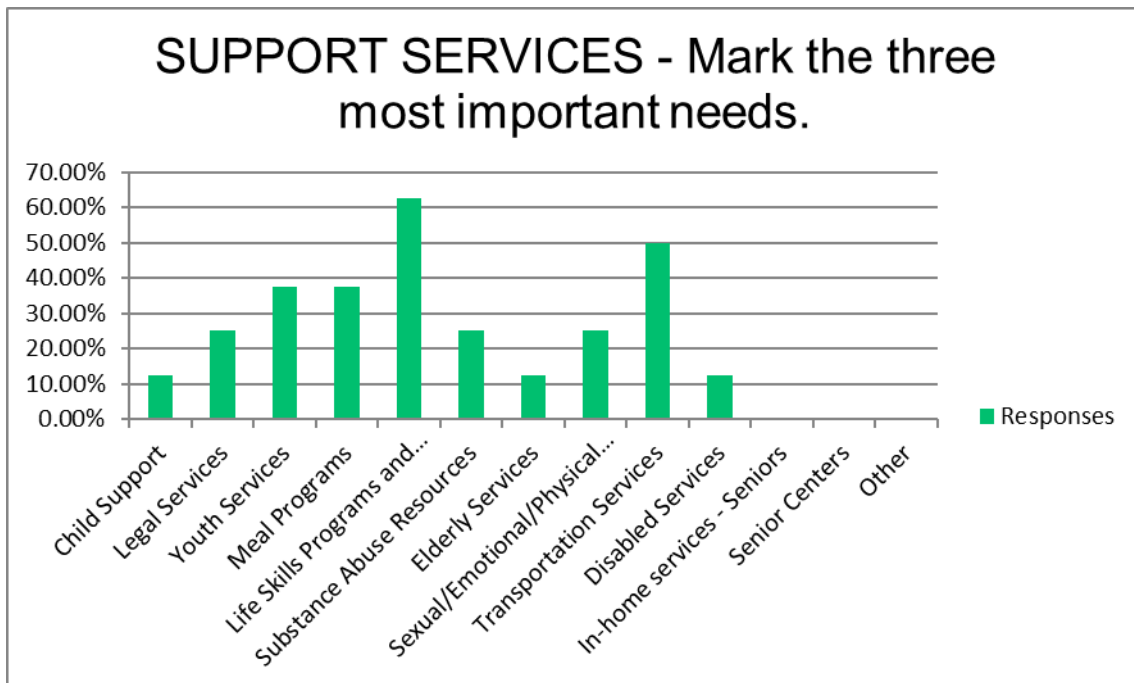
<b>CIVIC ENGAGEMENT - Mark the three most important needs.</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Increasing the community's skills and knowledge for leadership development	87.50%	7
More citizenship classes	25.00%	2
More education on how to join neighborhood associations, community boards, advisory groups or similar organizations	100.00%	8
More knowledge on civic activities	87.50%	7
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>





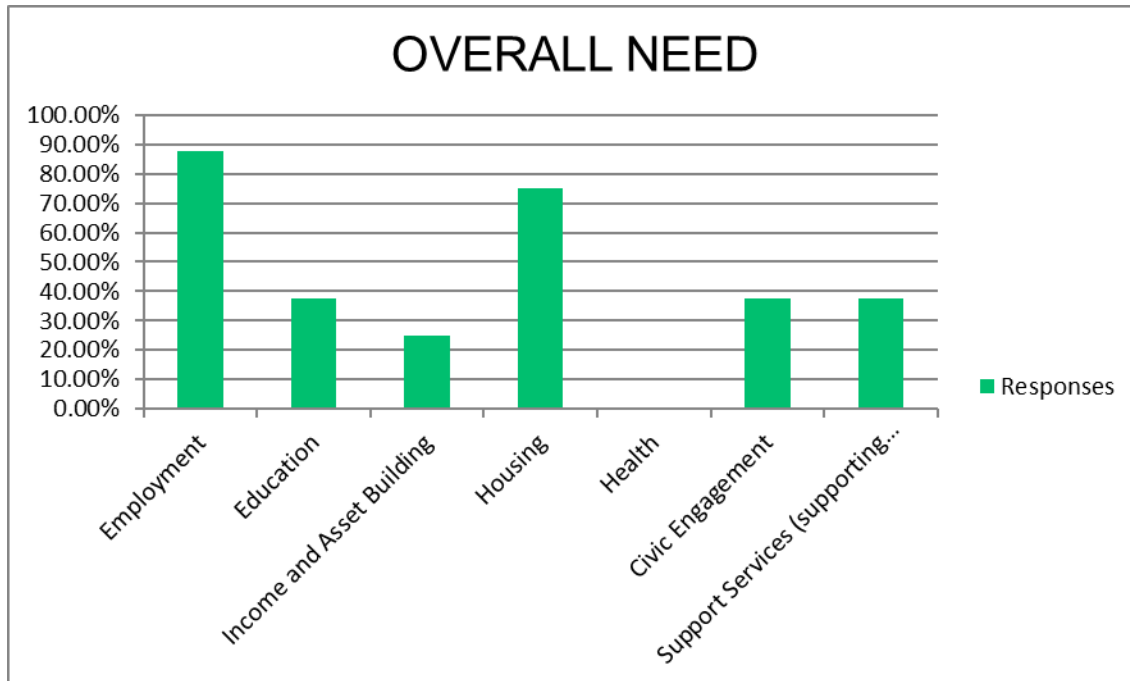
Question 14 (Webster):

SUPPORT SERVICES - Mark the three most important need		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Child Support	12.50%	1
Legal Services	25.00%	2
Youth Services	37.50%	3
Meal Programs	37.50%	3
Life Skills Programs and Services	62.50%	5
Substance Abuse Resources	25.00%	2
Elderly Services	12.50%	1
Sexual/Emotional/Physical Abuse Services	25.00%	2
Transportation Services	50.00%	4
Disabled Services	12.50%	1
In-home services - Seniors	0.00%	0
Senior Centers	0.00%	0
Other	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)		0
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



Question 15 (Webster):

<b>OVERALL NEED</b>		
Answer Choices	Responses	
Employment	87.50%	7
Education	37.50%	3
Income and Asset Building	25.00%	2
Housing	75.00%	6
Health	0.00%	0
Civic Engagement	37.50%	3
Support Services (supporting multiple domains)	37.50%	3
	<b>Answered</b>	<b>8</b>



## 5. COMMUNITY RESOURCES - WEBSTER

### **Emergency and Transitional Shelters**

Shelter for Women and Children, Inc.,  
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(270) 830-8063

Women and their children up to three months. Services offered include assistance with housing, employment and employment skills, childcare, parenting, morals and values, addictive behaviors and domestic violence classes. (22 beds: 10 families/12 singles)

### **Emergency Assistance**

Audubon Area Community Action Agency  
64 N College St, Dixon, KY 42409  
(270) 639-5635

Email: [info@audubon-area.com](mailto:info@audubon-area.com) Website: [www.audubon-area.com](http://www.audubon-area.com)

Community Services Block Grant; counseling services, Family Preservation; Family Reunification; FACTS; Green River Intra-Transit System (GRITS); Head Start; HUD subsidized Lincolnshire apartments; Senior Corps (Foster Grandparents, Retired Senior Volunteers, and Senior Companions); housing repair/reconstruction program (HOME); energy assistance programs including LIHEAP/EFSP and housing weatherization. Serves all counties in GRADD area.

Crisis Information Center/Crisis phone line Providence, KY  
(800) 221-0446

Emergency information and referral service

Providence Ministerial Association  
221 Locust St., Providence, KY 42450  
(270) 667-2212

Food; transportation and lodging assistance (1 to 6 days of lodging assistance)

Webster County Outreach Office (OASIS) c/o  
BFI Office, 111 Main St., Dixon, KY 42409  
(270) 639-0010

Referral services for victims of domestic violence. Court advocacy services.

Salvation Army  
1213 Washington St., Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 826-4472

Serves Henderson, Union and Webster Counties. Food and clothing; educational services; lodging assistance (1 to 6 days of lodging assistance); job and service referrals.

**Health Services**

Health First Community Health Center  
215 East Main Street  
Providence, KY 42450  
Website: <http://healthfirstchc.net/>

Health First CHC - Clay  
9086 State Route 132W  
Clay, KY 42404  
(270) 664-2526

Matthew 25 AIDS Services  
411 Letcher Street, Henderson, KY 42420  
(270) 826-0200 or (877) 428-1231

Provides Comprehensive Care for persons with HIV/AIDS. Medical care, case management, support services, and housing programs. Also has many HIV prevention programs for the community including rapid testing. Clinical Satellite twice monthly in Owensboro Health Department at 1600 Breckinridge, Owensboro, KY

**Mental Health Assistance**

River Valley Behavioral Health Services  
P.O. Box 1637, Owensboro, KY 42302-1637  
(270) 689-6500  
(800) 433-7291 - Crisis Line outside Daviess County

Community Mental Health Center; mental health services and referrals; 48 permanent housing beds. The 24/7 crisis intervention, information, and referral service is provided free of charge to individuals seeking help. This service is also equipped with TDD (Device for the Deaf). Callers may remain anonymous and receive help from trained telephone counselors. The guiding principle is that crisis intervention will prevent the development of more serious problems.

## Data Sources for Statistical Information

Please note that the following sources were utilized for demographic research regarding this report. Most of the demographic data was sourced utilizing the online platform, CARES Engagement Network, located at <https://engagementnetwork.org/assessment/>, with the actual data set run on March 5, 2020. CARES Engagement Network mines data from primary resources, such as the US Census Bureau, US Department of Health and Human Services, US Department of Labor Statistics, and other federal and state statistical databases. In addition, health data sources were sourced primarily from Kentucky Health Facts at <https://www.kentuckyhealthfacts.org>. Primary sources of data and associated websites or links are noted below.

- CARES Engagement Network, <https://engagementnetwork.org/assessment/>, data drawn March 5, 2021.
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Kentucky Department for Public Health. Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Data. <http://kentuckyhealthfacts.org/data>. 2016-18.
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- [http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download\\_data.html](http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/download_data.html)
- Kentucky Health Rankings. [www.countyhealthrankings.org](http://www.countyhealthrankings.org). 2017
- Kentucky Health Rankings. [www.countyhealthrankings.org](http://www.countyhealthrankings.org). 2018
- Kentucky State Data Center, University of Louisville, 2015
- Living Wage Calculator, <http://livingwage.mit.edu/states/21>
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