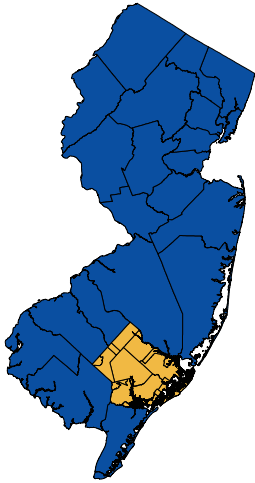


Atlantic County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 98,415

Percent of N.J. Total: 2.9%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -6,132 or -5.9%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Accommodation and Food Services

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 30,401

Percent of Total County Employment: 30.9%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$51,053 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$10,693 or +20.9%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 Estimate): 275,638

Persons Per Square Mile: 496.2

Most Populous Municipality (2022 Estimate): Egg Harbor Population: 47,946

Total Households: 105,227

Average Household Size: County: 2.55 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 12,511

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 87.6% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelors's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 32.3% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 25.0% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 42.2 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$50,196 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 19

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 5.1% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 807

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 446

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 25.7 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 91.3% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 91.6%

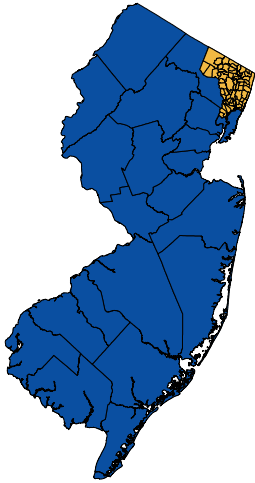
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 65.2%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 41.0%



Bergen County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 369,602

Percent of N.J. Total: 10.9%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -30,063 or -7.5%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 74,179

Percent of Total County Employment: 20.1%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$75,908 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$12,580 or +16.6%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 952,997

Persons Per Square Mile: 4,093.8

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Hackensack Population: 45,633

Total Households: 339,856

Average Household Size: County: 2.70 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 25,109

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 93.0% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 53.0% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 10.2% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 42.2 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$87,903 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 4

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.4% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 4,419

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 1,748

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 28.9 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 94.2% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 93.6%

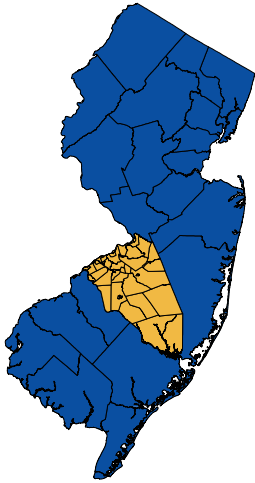
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 76.8%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 27.6%



Burlington County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 173,465

Percent of N.J. Total: 5.1%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -1,818 or -1.0%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 29,773

Private Sector Wage (2020 Average Annual): County: \$66,585 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$13,128 or +19.7%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 466,103

Percent of N.J. Total: 5.0%

Persons Per Square Mile: 583.1

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Evesham Population: 48,255

Total Households: 172,400

Average Household Size: County: 2.60 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 24,461

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 94.4% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 43.2% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 11.7% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 41.8 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$62,113

Rank Among NJ Counties: 13

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.3% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 2,185

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 1,070

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 26.9 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 94.1% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 96.1%

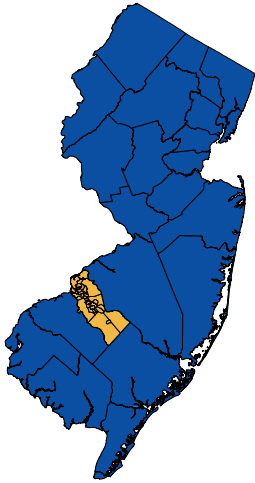
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 78.8%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 31.7%



Camden County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 166,001

Percent of N.J. Total: 4.9%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -6,346 or -3.7%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 40,494

Percent of Total County Employment: 24.2%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$62,506 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$12,921 or +20.7%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 524,907

Persons Per Square Mile: 2,371.3

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Cherry Hill Population: 76,723

Total Households: 196,939

Average Household Size: County: 2.61 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 19,043

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 90.3% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 36.1% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 16.9% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 38.6 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$53,811 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 16

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 4.0% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 1,222

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 379

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 25.4 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 90.7% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 93.7%

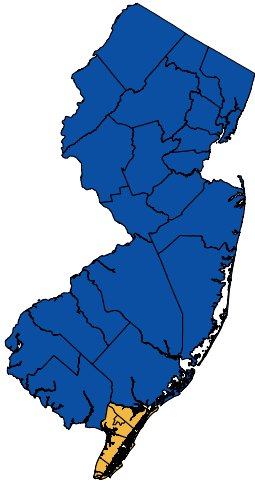
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 67.9%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 37.6%



Cape May County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 33,318

Percent of N.J. Total: 1.0%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +824 or +2.5%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Accommodation and Food Services

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 10,111

Percent of Total County Employment: 30.3%

Private Sector Wage (2020 Average Annual): County: \$41,101 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$7,855 or +19.1%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 95,634

Persons Per Square Mile: 380.2

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Lower township Population: 22,129

Total Households: 41,971

Average Household Size: County: 2.22 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 5,439

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 94.4% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 40.8% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 6.7% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 51.6 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$63,302 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 10

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 6.5% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 844

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 599

Mean Travel Time to Work: County: 22.3 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 90.3% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 95.1%

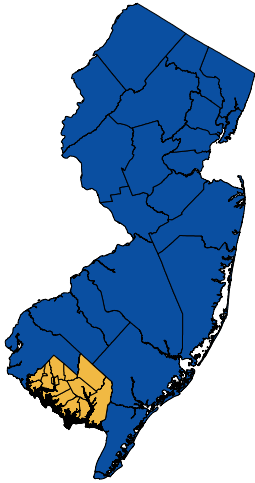
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 78.7%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 40.8%



Cumberland County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 47,829

Percent of N.J. Total: 1.4%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -117 or -0.2%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 9,883

Percent of Total County Employment: 20.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$49,618 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$8,579 or +17.3%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 151,356

Persons Per Square Mile: 313.1

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Vineland Population: 60,491

Total Households: 51,873

Average Household Size: County: 2.74 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 6,192

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 82.5% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 18.3% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 18.7% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 37.7 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$40,014 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 21

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 5.1% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 149

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 144

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 24.0 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 89.4% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 91.4%

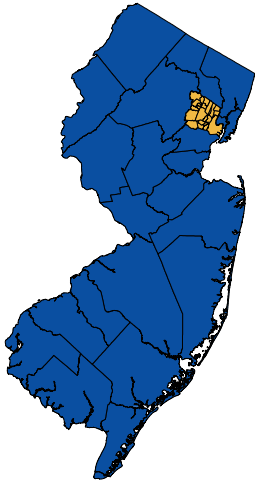
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 60.5%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 44.2%



Essex County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 249,544

Percent of N.J. Total: 7.4%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -17,446 or -6.5%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 46,756

Percent of Total County Employment: 18.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$79,140 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$14,174 or +17.9%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 849,477

Persons Per Square Mile: 6,737.4

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Newark Population: 305,344

Total Households: 307,613

Average Household Size: County: 2.70 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 17,392

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 87.8% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Older: County: 38.5% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 20.1% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 38.1 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$63,975 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 8

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 4.5% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 3,473

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 365

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 31.0 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 87.6% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 88.7%

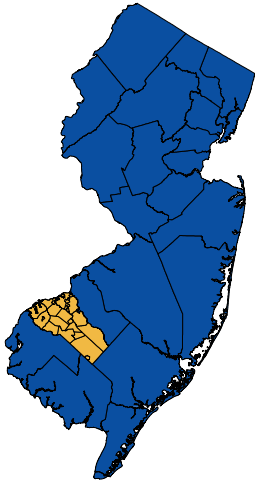
Percent with Private Insurance: 61.3%

Percent with Public Insurance: 36.3%



Gloucester County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 95,126

Percent of N.J. Total: 2.8%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +8,677 or +10.0%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Retail Trade

Employment (2021) Average Annual): 18,836

Percent of Total County Employment: 19.8%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$51,156 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$7,752 or +15.2%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 306,601

Persons Per Square Mile: 952.2

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Washington Population: 49,234

Total Households: 109,290

Average Household Size: County: 2.71 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 13,771

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 93.7% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 36.6% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 10.2% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 41.0 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$55,704 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 15

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.7% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 843

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 789

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 26.5 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with an Internet Subscription Service: County: 92.2% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 96.0%

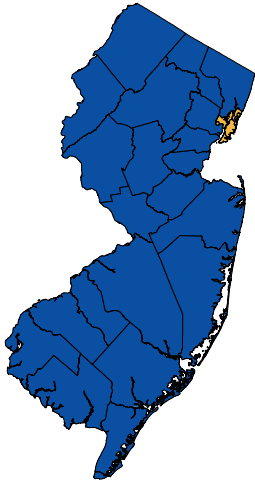
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 77.6%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 32.0%



Hudson County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 217,999

Percent of N.J. Total: 6.4%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +4,269 or +2.0%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Finance and Insurance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 38,656

Percent of Total County Employment: 17.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$90,442 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$17,508 or +19.4%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 703,366

Persons Per Square Mile: 15,226.5

Most Populous Municipality (2022 Census): Jersey City Population: 286,670

Total Households: 282,832

Average Household Size: County: 2.49 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 9,870

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 88.3% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 47.6% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 23.4% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 36.1 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$64,645 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 9

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.6% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 6,056

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 355

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 33.3 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 88.9%

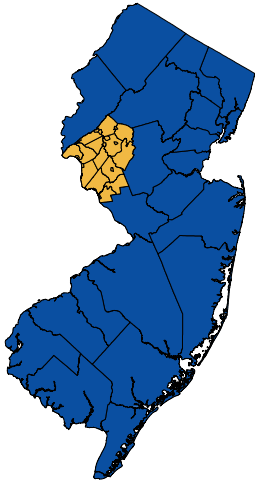
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 61.1%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 33.8%



Hunterdon County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 37,839

Percent of N.J. Total: 1.1%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -1,911 or -4.8%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 5,913

Percent of Total County Employment: 15.6%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$72,030 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$9,591 or +13.3%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 129,777

Persons Per Square Mile: 303.3

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Raritan Population: 24,087

Total Households: 48,975

Average Household Size: County: 2.54 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 5,375

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 96.7% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 54.3% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 2.3% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 46.4 Years NJ: 40.3

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$90,649 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 3

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 2.9% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 577

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 225

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 31.8 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 93.8% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 97.1%

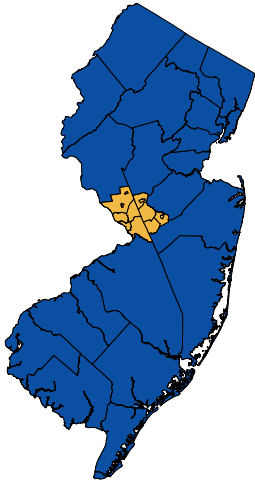
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 87.6%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 24.3%



Mercer County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 180,169

Percent of N.J. Total: 5.3%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +4,466 or +2.5%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 26,225

Percent of Total County Employment: 14.6%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$86,459 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$16,297 or +18.8%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 380,688

Persons Per Square Mile: 1,696.2

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Hamilton Population: 91,543

Total Households: 137,114

Average Household Size: County: 2.68 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 10,209

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 91.2% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 43.1% NJ: 45.9%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 9.5% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 39.8 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$68,721 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 6

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.2% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 646

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 168

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 23.9 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 90.8% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 94.6%

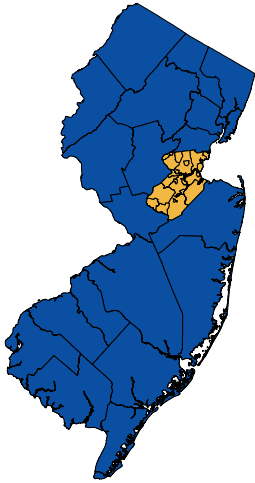
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 75.3%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 31.5%



Middlesex County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 364,385

Percent of N.J. Total: 10.8%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +2,762 or +0.8%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 49,396

Percent of Total County Employment: 13.6%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$74,056 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$11,316 or +15.3%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 861,418

Persons Per Square Mile: 2,785.8

Most Populous Municipality (2022 Census): Edison Population: 107,361

Total Households: 299,455

Average Household Size: County: 2.78 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 20,551

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 89.8% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 45.1% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 9.0% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 39.5 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$61,440 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 12

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.3% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 2,499

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 776

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 29.6 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 93.3% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 93.5%

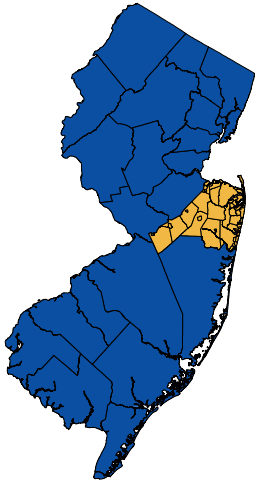
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 73.7%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 30.5%



Monmouth County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 222,930

Percent of N.J. Total: 6.6%

2015-2020 Employment Change: -949 or -0.4%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 47,611

Percent of Total County Employment: 21.4%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$63,997 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$12,839 or +20.1%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 644,098

Percent of N.J. Total: 7.0%

Persons Per Square Mile: 1,375.7

Most Populous Municipality (2022 Census): Middletown Population: 66,807

Total Households: 245,569

Average Household Size: County: 2.59 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 23,186

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 94.8% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 50.2% NJ: 43.0%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 8.9% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 43.7 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$82,513 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 5

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.3% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 2,382

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 1,610

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 29.1 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with an Internet Subscription Service: County: 93.9% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 93.9%

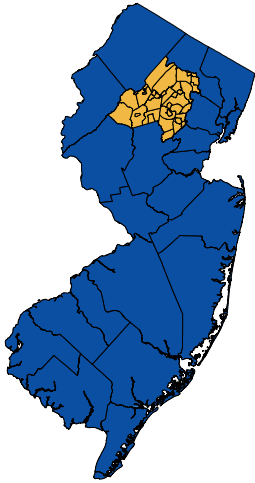
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 80.1%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 28.7%



Morris County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 254,441

Percent of N.J. Total: 7.5%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -2,290 or -0.9%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Professional and Scientific Services

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 39,897

Percent of Total County Employment: 15.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$98,183 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$17,287 or +17.6%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 511,151

Persons Per Square Mile: 1,108.9

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Parsippany-Troy Hills Population: 56,163

Total Households: 187,430

Average Household Size: County: 2.66 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 17,738

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 95.4% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 57.0% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 6.5% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 42.7 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$97,774 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 2

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.0% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 2,354

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 852

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 28.1 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with an Internet Subscription Service: County: 95.5% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 95.0%

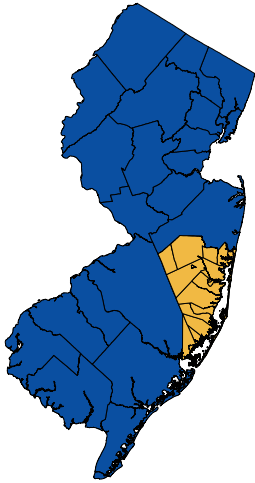
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 82.3%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 24.1%



Ocean County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 143,342

Percent of N.J. Total: 4.2%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +6724 or +4.9%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 34,994

Percent of Total County Employment: 24.4%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$49,045 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$9,461 or +19.3%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 655,735

Persons Per Square Mile: 1,032.2

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Lakewood Population: 139,506

Total Households: 237,729

Average Household Size: County: 2.62 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 30,633

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 93.2% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 32.4% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 21.6% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 41.5 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$53,315 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 17

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.7% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 3,614

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 3,012

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 28.8 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 87.7% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 95.6%

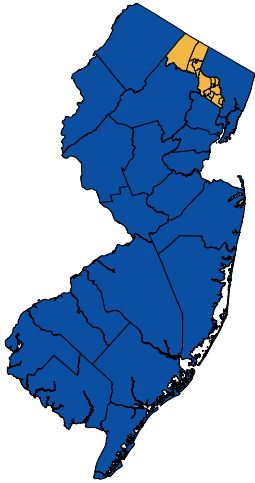
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 68.1%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 44.9%



Passaic County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 132,593

Percent of NJ Total: 3.9%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -5,183 or -3.8%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 26,101

Percent of Total County Employment: 19.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$58,501 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$9,033 or +15.4%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 513,936

Persons Per Square Mile: 2,762.9

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Paterson Population: 156,661

Total Households: 176,203

Average Household Size: County: 2.91 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 10,109

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 84.0% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 30.6% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 21.4% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 38.0 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$50,421 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 18

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 4.6% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 1,258

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 230

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 25.6 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 89.1% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 88.7%

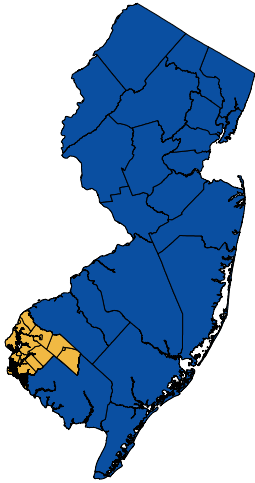
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 56.1%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 41.2%



Salem County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 16,756

Percent of N.J. Total: 0.5%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -62 or -0.4%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Retail Trade

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 2,774

Percent of Total County Employment: 16.4%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$63,275 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$7,390 or +11.7%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 65,117

Persons Per Square Mile: 196.2

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Pennsville Population: 12,718

Total Households: 24,753

Average Household Size: County: 2.55 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 2,276

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 89.6% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 25.8% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 22.3% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 43.0 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$48,860 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 20

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 4.6% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 114

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 111

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 26.6 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with an Internet Subscription Service: County: 90.2% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 95.6%

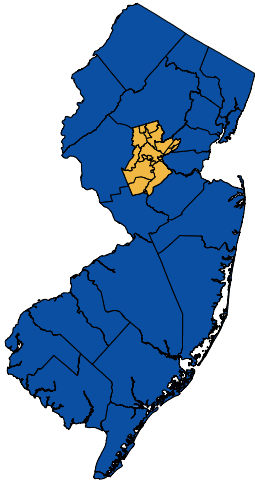
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 67.1%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 43.7%



Somerset County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 165,371

Percent of N.J. Total: 4.9%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -2,350 or -1.4%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 20,963

Percent of Total County Employment: 12.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$101,308 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$14,344 or +14.2%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 346,875

Percent of N.J. Total: 3.7%

Persons Per Square Mile: 1,149.1

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Franklin Population: 68,578

Total Households: 125,363

Average Household Size: County: 2.71 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 7,587

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 94.5% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 58.2% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 5.9% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 42.2 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$107,923 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 1

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.1% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 950

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 344

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 28.8 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Subscription Service: County: 95.7% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 95.7%

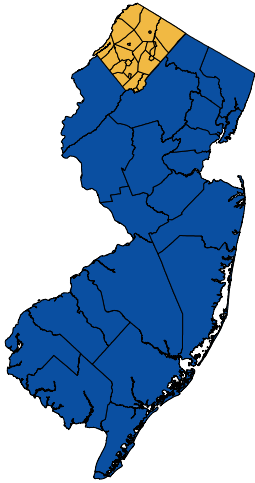
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 83.8%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 23.7%



Sussex County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 30,514

Percent of N.J. Total: 0.9%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -1,088 or -3.4%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Retail Trade

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 5,811

Percent of Total County Employment: 19.0%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$50,854 NJ: \$76,623

Rank Among NJ Counties: 16

2016-2021 Change: +\$9,158 or +22.6%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 146,084

Persons Per Square Mile: 281.7

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Vernon Population: 22,591

Total Households: 55,401

Average Household Size: County: 2.57 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 6,550

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 95.1% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 40.3% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 7.9% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 44.8 Years NJ: 39.9 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$63,283 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 11

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.7% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 265

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 128

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 34.3 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 94.8% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 95.3%

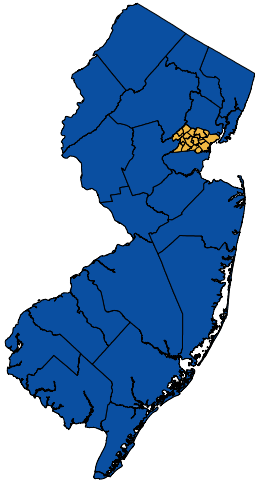
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 78.9%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 30.0%



Union County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 188,064

Percent of N.J. Total: 5.6%

2016-2021 Employment Change: +418 or +0.2%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Health Care and Social Assistance

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 31,471

Percent of Total County Employment: 16.7%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$79,872 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$11,818 or +14.8%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 569,815

Percent of N.J. Total: 6.2%

Persons Per Square Mile: 5,544.8

Most Populous Municipality (2022 Census): Elizabeth Population: 134,283

Total Households: 198,506

Average Household Size: County: 2.84 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 11,203

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 87.0% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 38.2% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 11.7% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 39.2 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$68,555 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 7

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.9% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2021): 3,426

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2021): 238

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 29.0 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 92.6% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 88.2%

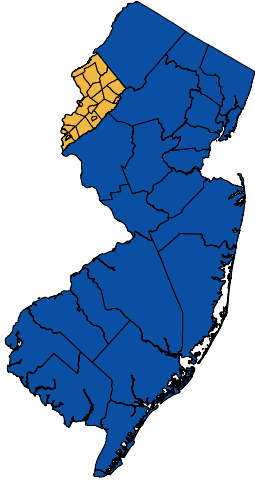
Percent with Private Health Insurance: 64.7%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 32.6%



Warren County Brief

Labor Market Facts



Employment and Wages¹

Total Private Sector Employment (2021 Average Annual): 26,229

Percent of N.J. Total: 0.8%

2016-2021 Employment Change: -1,987 or -7.0%

Largest Industry (2021 Average Annual): Retail Trade

Employment (2021 Average Annual): 5,599

Percent of Total County Employment: 21.3%

Private Sector Wage (2021 Average Annual): County: \$54,478 NJ: \$76,623

2016-2021 Change: +\$7,429 or +13.6%

Demographics²

Population (July 1, 2022 estimate): 110,926

Persons Per Square Mile: 311.1

Most Populous Municipality (2022 estimate): Phillipsburg Population: 15,320

Total Households: 43,789

Average Household Size: County: 2.45 persons NJ: 2.60 persons

Population Characteristics³

Veterans: 4,460

High School Graduate or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 93.3% NJ: 91.0%

Bachelor's Degree or Higher, 25 Years and Over: County: 36.5% NJ: 43.1%

Persons Below Poverty Level, Under 18 Years: County: 13.4% NJ: 14.2%

Median Age: County: 44.8 Years NJ: 40.3 Years

Economic Characteristics⁴

Per Capita Personal Income (2021): County: \$55,865 NJ: \$77,016

Rank Among NJ Counties: 14

Unemployment Rate: (2022 Annual Average): County: 3.5% NJ: 3.7%

Total Residential Building Permits (2022): 188

Single-Family Residential Building Permits (2022): 175

Average Travel Time to Work: County: 33.3 Minutes NJ: 28.6 Minutes

Percent of Households with a Broadband Internet Subscription: County: 91.2% NJ: 91.9%

Percent of Residents with Health Insurance Coverage: 94.1%

Percent with Private Health Insurance: 75.7%

Percent with Public Health Insurance: 33.6%



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