

## Spotlight on Your County

### BARRY COUNTY

#### Population/Race/Health Insurance

**TOTAL POPULATION: 59,316**

- Under age 5: **3,248 (5.5%)**
- Age 65+: **10,051 (16.9%)**
- Median age: **43**

#### NO HEALTH INSURANCE

- Total: **3,806 (6.5%)**
- Children: **300 (2.2%)**

#### RACE/ETHNICITY

- White: **56,251 (94.8%)**
- African-American: **282 (0.5%)**
- Hispanic or Latino: **1,528 (2.6%)**
- Asian: **301 (0.5%)**
- American Indian/Alaska Native: **154 (0.3%)**

#### Median Wage by Gender



**\$37,708**



**\$46,811**

Female-to-Male Earnings Ratio: **80.6%**

#### Poverty

Families with children



**10.1%**

Children under age 18



**13.6%**

Single parent (female) family



**42.2%**

POVERTY RATE: **9.3%**



#### Educational Attainment Ages 25 and Older

Less than ninth grade	<b>934</b>	<b>2.3%</b>
Ninth to twelfth grade, no diploma	<b>2,485</b>	<b>6%</b>
High school diploma or GED	<b>15,380</b>	<b>37.4%</b>
Some college, no degree	<b>10,141</b>	<b>24.6%</b>
Associate degree	<b>4,421</b>	<b>10.7%</b>
Bachelor's degree	<b>5,060</b>	<b>12.3%</b>
Graduate or professional degree	<b>2,723</b>	<b>6.6%</b>

#### LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY (AGE 5+)

**474**

**0.8%**



Housing	Median household income	<b>\$56,883</b>	
	Median rent	<b>\$792</b>	
	Number of occupied rental units	<b>3,716</b>	
	Units in which rent is 35%+ of income	<b>1,476</b>	<b>39.7%</b>

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

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