

**2023 POVERTY GUIDELINES
FOR THE 48 CONTIGUOUS STATES AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

SIZE OF FAMILY UNIT	POVERTY GUIDELINES
1	\$14,580
2	\$19,720
3	\$24,860
4	\$30,000
5	\$35,140
6	\$40,280
7	\$45,420
8	\$50,560

For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$5,140 for each additional person.

2023 LOWER LIVING STANDARD INCOME LEVEL (LLSIL) FOR OHIO

This issuance provides an annual LLSIL for 2023, and a reference to the 2023 Health and Human Services (HHS) "Poverty Guidelines". Use of these income figures are meant only for the purpose of meeting specific requirements of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) as defined by statute and regulations.

In terms of Census Region jurisdictions, Ohio is in the Midwest. Ohio is divided into three areas for purposes of income level data: one Metropolitan Area, a Non-Metropolitan area, and two Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs). The two MSAs are Cleveland-Akron and Cincinnati-Hamilton.

METRO

Allen	Delaware	Jefferson	Mahoning	Stark
Auglaize	Fairfield	Lawrence	Miami	Trumbull
Belmont	Franklin	Licking	Montgomery	Union
Carroll	Fulton	Lucas	Pickaway	Washington
Clark	Green	Madison	Richland	Wood

NON-METRO

Adams	Darke	Henry	Meigs	Perry	Tuscarawas
Ashland	Defiance	Highland	Mercer	Pike	Van Wert
Athens	Erie	Hocking	Monroe	Preble	Vinton
Brown	Fayette	Holmes	Morgan	Putnam	Wayne
Champaign	Gallia	Huron	Morrow	Ross	Williams
Clinton	Guernsey	Jackson	Muskingum	Sandusky	Wyandot
Columbiana	Hancock	Knox	Noble	Scioto	
Coshocton	Hardin	Logan	Ottawa	Seneca	
Crawford	Harrison	Marion	Paulding	Shelby	

CINCINNATI-HAMILTON MSA

Butler	Clermont	Hamilton	Warren
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CLEVELAND-AKRON MSA

Ashtabula	Geauga	Lorain	Portage
Cuyahoga	Lake	Medina	Summit

**LOWER LIVING STANDARD INCOME LEVEL (LLSIL) BY REGION
(FOR A FAMILY OF FOUR)**

REGION	2023 ADJUSTED LLSIL	2023 70% LLSIL
Midwest Metro	\$44,089	\$30,863
Midwest Non-Metro	\$42,318	\$29,623
Cincinnati-Hamilton MSA	\$40,723	\$28,506
Cleveland-Akron MSA	\$41,585	\$29,109

The table below depicts the dollar amounts at 70 percent of the 2023 LLSIL, for household sizes of one through six. The increment (**INC**) column indicates the dollar amount to add per an individual for households of seven or more, when determining 70 percent of the LLSIL.

The amounts in parentheses, are lower than the respective poverty guideline figures listed in the first table above, and the poverty data are to be used in those cases.

**70 PERCENT OF UPDATED 2023 LOWER LIVING STANDARD INCOME LEVEL (LLSIL)
BY FAMILY SIZE**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	INC
Midwest Metro	(\$11,112)	(\$18,214)	\$25,000	\$30,863	\$36,419	\$42,600	\$6,181
Midwest Non-Metro	(\$10,674)	(\$17,478)	(\$23,997)	(\$29,623)	\$34,965	\$40,889	\$5,924
Cincinnati MSA	(\$10,265)	(\$16,825)	(\$23,097)	(\$28,506)	(\$33,642)	(\$39,342)	\$5,700
Cleveland MSA	(\$10,482)	(\$17,182)	(\$23,581)	(\$29,109)	(\$34,354)	(\$40,171)	\$5,817