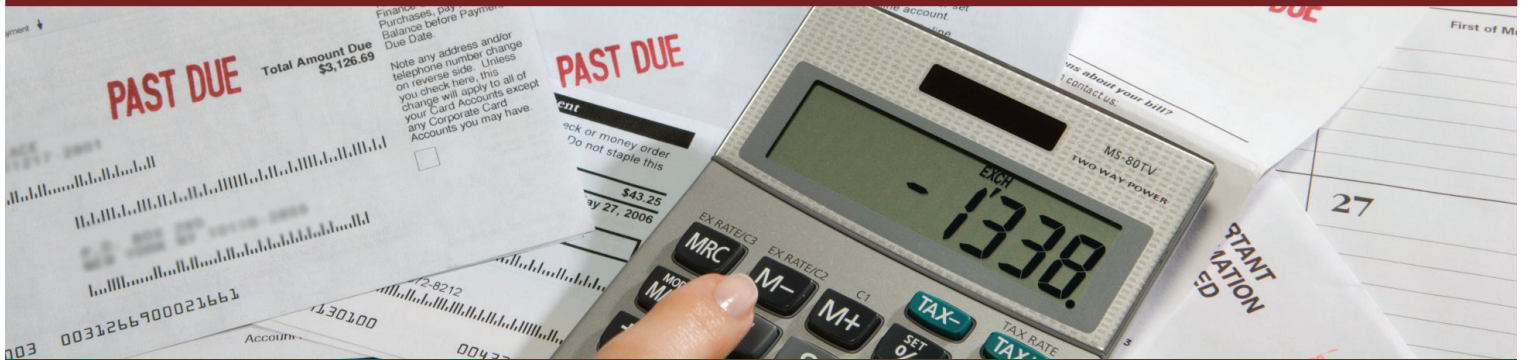


# Douglas County Profile for the At-Risk Population

Updated: April 2020



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Total population as of January 1, 2020	370,000
Change from 2019	3.4%

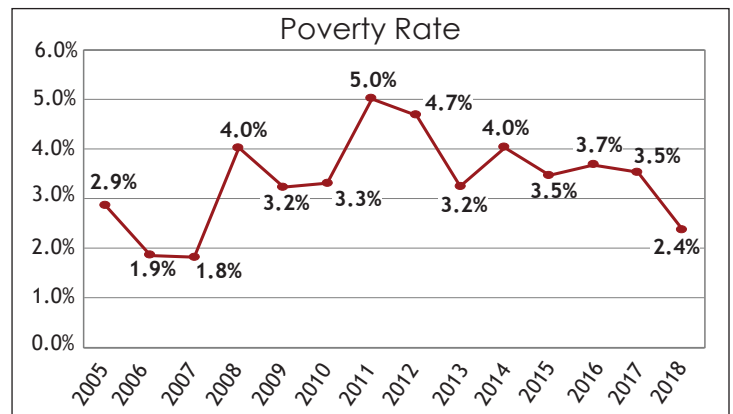
Source: Douglas County Department of Community Development

## Poverty

Population under poverty level	8,090
Share of population under poverty level	2.4%
Population under 2 times poverty level	25,808
Share of population under 2 times poverty level	7.6%

Source: 2018 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

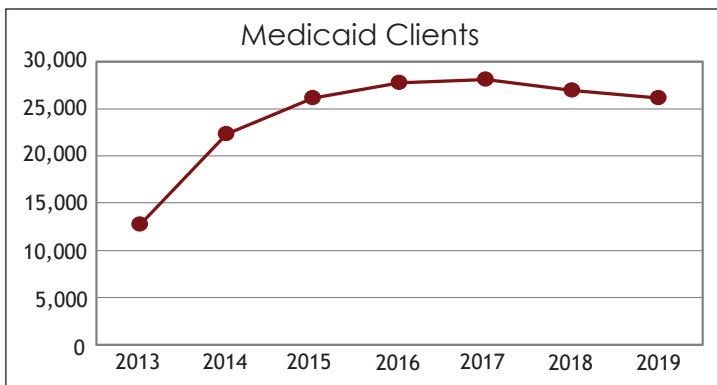
Poverty level in 2018 is an annual income less than:  
 \$12,784 for one adult.  
 \$16,247 for two adults.  
 \$25,465 for two adults and two children.



Source: American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

## Human Services Department Caseloads Medicaid Clients

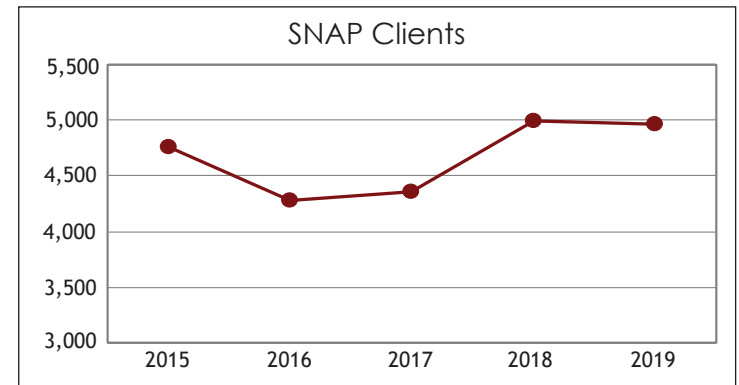
Dec. 2015	Dec. 2016	Dec. 2017	Dec. 2018	Dec. 2019	Change 2018 to 2019
26,137	27,737	28,055	26,970	26,169	-3.0%



Source: Douglas County Department of Human Services

## Human Services Assistance Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (previously called Food Stamps)

Dec. 2015	Dec. 2016	Dec. 2017	Dec. 2018	Dec. 2019	Change 2018 to 2019
4,762	4,277	4,358	4,993	4,961	-0.6%



Source: Douglas County Department of Human Services

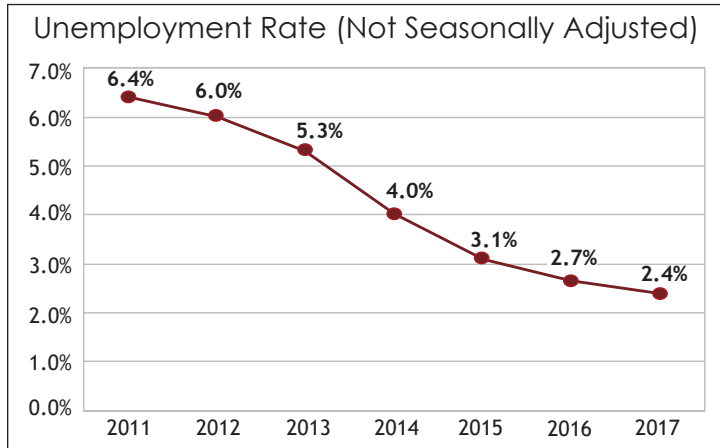
## Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LEAP)

	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Applications	862	766	556	754	633

Source: Douglas County Department of Human Services

## Employment and Unemployment

Unemployed Douglas County residents in 2019	4,662
Change from 2018	-11.5%



Source: Local Area Unemployment Statistics



Jobs located in Douglas County in 2018	125,683
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### Three large industries in the County (35.9% of all jobs)

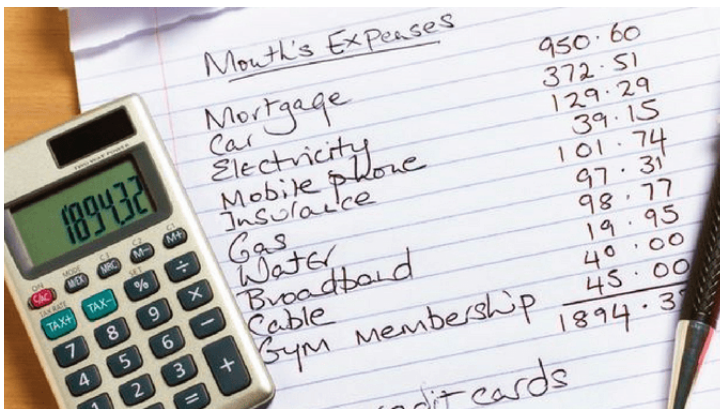
Industry	# of Jobs	% of Total	Average Annual Wage
Retail	18,706	14.9%	\$31,577
Government	13,594	10.8%	\$46,253
Accommodation & Food Services	12,654	10.1%	\$21,568

Source: Colorado Department of Labor and Employment

## Housing Costs

Median home sales price (2Q2019)	\$500,000
Median rent - apartment (2Q2019)	\$1,596
Median owner costs (2018)	\$2,100

Annual income needed to afford median apartment rent (typically three times the rent)	\$58,054
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## Cost-Burdened Households

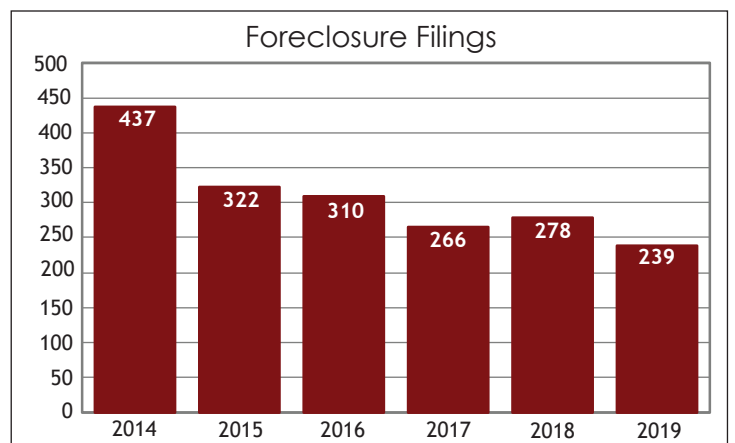
Households that spend more than 30% of their income on housing costs are considered to be "cost-burdened". In Douglas County, nearly a quarter of all households are cost-burdened. Households that rent instead of own their homes are more likely to be cost-burdened (48% of all renter households), as are households with incomes below \$50,000 (78% of all households with incomes below \$50,000).

Source: 2018 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates



## Foreclosure Filings

(Notice of Election and Demand)



Source: Douglas County Public Trustee