

Berrien County, Michigan: Demographic Summary¹

	Percent			Value		
	Berrien County	Michigan	USA	Berrien County	Michigan	USA
Demographics						
Population (ACS)	—	—	—	154,133	9,965,265	324,697,795
Male	48.9%	49.2%	49.2%	75,425	4,905,240	159,886,919
Female	51.1%	50.8%	50.8%	78,708	5,060,025	164,810,876
Median Age ²	—	—	—	42.1	39.7	38.1
Under 18 Years	21.9%	21.9%	22.6%	33,829	2,177,878	73,429,392
18 to 24 Years	8.2%	9.8%	9.4%	12,675	973,907	30,646,327
25 to 34 Years	11.6%	12.7%	13.9%	17,956	1,267,775	45,030,415
35 to 44 Years	11.4%	11.7%	12.6%	17,533	1,165,370	40,978,831
45 to 54 Years	12.9%	13.2%	13.0%	19,878	1,317,258	42,072,620
55 to 64 Years	14.6%	14.0%	12.9%	22,518	1,396,734	41,756,414
65 to 74 Years	10.9%	9.8%	9.1%	16,864	975,417	29,542,266
75 Years, and Over	8.4%	6.9%	6.5%	12,880	690,926	21,241,530
Race: White	78.7%	78.4%	72.5%	121,313	7,813,755	235,377,662
Race: Black or African American	14.6%	13.8%	12.7%	22,561	1,374,314	41,234,642
Race: American Indian and Alaska Native	0.4%	0.5%	0.8%	621	53,316	2,750,143
Race: Asian	1.9%	3.1%	5.5%	2,931	311,721	17,924,209
Race: Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	27	3,099	599,868
Race: Some Other Race	1.2%	1.2%	4.9%	1,847	117,801	16,047,369
Race: Two or More Races	3.1%	2.9%	3.3%	4,833	291,259	10,763,902
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	5.5%	5.1%	18.0%	8,449	507,353	58,479,370
Population Growth						
Population (Pop Estimates) ⁴	—	—	—	153,401	9,986,857	328,239,523
Population Annual Average Growth ⁴	-0.2%	0.1%	0.7%	-366	8,527	2,146,799
People per Square Mile	—	—	—	270.2	176.6	92.9
Economic						
Labor Force Participation Rate and Size (civilian population 16 years and over)	61.3%	61.5%	63.2%	76,140	4,948,824	163,555,585
Prime-Age Labor Force Participation Rate and Size (civilian population 25-54)	81.7%	81.7%	82.1%	45,240	3,060,100	104,634,905
Armed Forces Labor Force	0.0%	0.1%	0.4%	18	4,179	1,073,907
Veterans, Age 18-64	4.1%	4.0%	4.6%	3,722	247,020	9,143,042
Veterans Labor Force Participation Rate and Size, Age 18-64	75.4%	73.3%	76.6%	2,808	181,137	7,003,778
Median Household Income ²	—	—	—	\$50,795	\$57,144	\$62,843
Per Capita Income	—	—	—	\$30,864	\$31,713	\$34,103
Mean Commute Time (minutes)	—	—	—	19.9	24.6	26.9
Commute via Public Transportation	0.7%	1.3%	5.0%	502	60,696	7,641,160
Educational Attainment, Age 25-64						
No High School Diploma	9.5%	8.2%	10.9%	7,375	420,154	18,550,150
High School Graduate	26.6%	26.9%	25.7%	20,725	1,386,923	43,627,868
Some College, No Degree	24.3%	24.0%	20.7%	18,933	1,233,706	35,174,790
Associate's Degree	11.4%	10.3%	9.1%	8,886	529,376	15,526,064
Bachelor's Degree	17.8%	19.3%	21.2%	13,894	992,588	35,997,848
Postgraduate Degree	10.4%	11.4%	12.3%	8,072	584,390	20,961,560
Housing						
Total Housing Units	—	—	—	77,514	4,596,198	137,428,986
Median House Value (of owner-occupied units) ²	—	—	—	\$150,700	\$154,900	\$217,500
Homeowner Vacancy	1.9%	1.5%	1.6%	900	43,864	1,257,737
Rental Vacancy	4.9%	5.1%	6.0%	970	61,929	2,793,023
Renter-Occupied Housing Units (% of Occupied Units)	29.3%	28.8%	36.0%	18,651	1,132,342	43,481,667
Occupied Housing Units with No Vehicle Available (% of Occupied Units)	8.0%	7.7%	8.6%	5,105	303,277	10,395,713
Social						
Poverty Level (of all people)	16.1%	14.4%	13.4%	24,305	1,398,527	42,510,843
Households Receiving Food Stamps/SNAP	14.0%	13.3%	11.7%	8,939	522,475	14,171,567
Enrolled in Grade 12 (% of total population)	1.6%	1.4%	1.4%	2,455	134,985	4,422,344
Disconnected Youth ³	2.7%	2.8%	2.5%	198	14,658	423,273
Children in Single Parent Families (% of all children)	38.9%	34.5%	34.1%	12,273	715,448	23,790,005
Uninsured	6.9%	5.5%	8.8%	10,612	542,855	28,248,613
With a Disability, Age 18-64	13.2%	12.2%	10.3%	11,840	737,109	20,187,604
With a Disability, Age 18-64, Labor Force Participation Rate and Size	43.2%	39.1%	42.2%	5,120	288,478	8,509,463
Foreign Born	5.6%	6.9%	13.6%	8,681	684,197	44,011,870
Speak English Less Than Very Well (population 5 yrs and over)	2.4%	3.4%	8.4%	3,493	321,655	25,615,365
Source: JobsEQ [®]						
1. American Community Survey 2015-2019, unless noted otherwise						
2. Median values for certain aggregate regions (such as MSAs) may be estimated as the weighted averages of the median values from the composing counties.						
3. Disconnected Youth are 16-19 year olds who are (1) not in school, (2) not high school graduates, and (3) either unemployed or not in the labor force.						
4. Census 2019, annual average growth rate since 2009						
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