

# KNOX COUNTY, OH

## NEIGHBORHOOD NUMBERS<sup>1</sup>

Knox County, OH has...



14.5%  
overall food  
insecurity rate



9,100  
food insecure  
residents



18.2%  
child food  
insecurity rate



2,600  
food insecure  
children



18,905  
residents eligible for  
foodbank services with a  
31.88% overall rate of foodbank eligibility

In SFY 2024, Mid-Ohio Food Collective  
and their 24 food pantries and hunger  
relief agencies in Knox County provided  
take-home groceries to:



Children  
(ages 0-17)  
20,403  
times



Adults  
(ages 18-59)  
28,864  
times



Older Adults  
(ages 60+)  
15,903  
times



Households  
26,371  
times



65,170  
Pantry Visitors  
Served



1,850,844  
of food distributed

## SERVICE SNAPSHOT<sup>2</sup>

Access to food goes beyond just  
availability; it is deeply influenced by  
factors like SNAP benefit access and  
adequacy, health coverage, housing, and  
other social determinants of health. When  
individuals face challenges in securing  
these essential services, their ability to  
access nutritious food is also impacted.



5,562  
individuals  
participating in  
SNAP



8.85%  
residents  
participating in  
SNAP



12,228  
Medicaid Enrollees



8%  
Uninsured rate



13.20%  
disability rate



12.90%  
overall poverty rate



7,645  
residents living below  
the poverty level



\$71,246  
household  
median income



3.50%  
unemployment rate

## THE BIGGER PICTURE: SOCIAL DETERMINANTS IMPACT FOOD ACCESS<sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Feeding America Map the Meal Gap 2024 (2022 data); U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2022 5-Year Estimates

<sup>2</sup> Ohio Association of Foodbanks Network Data; represents duplicated count of households and individuals served

<sup>3</sup> DataOhio SNAP Data Map (November 2024); Ohio Department of Medicaid MDE Dashboard (November 2024); U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2023 5-Year Estimates; Ohio Labor Market Information (November 2024)