

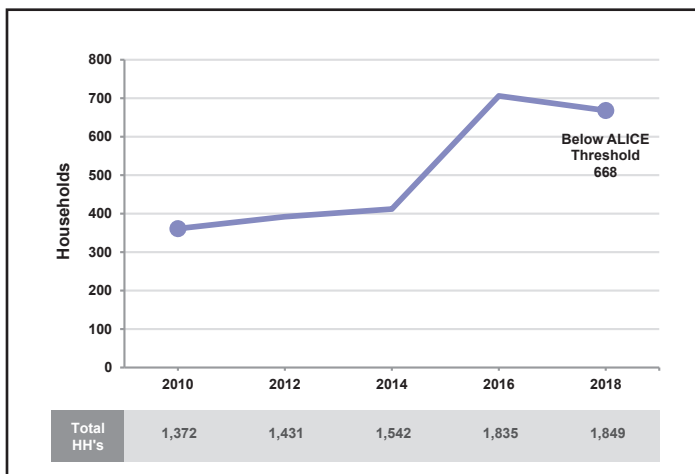
HOUSEHOLDS BY RACE/ETHNICITY IN YORK COUNTY

How has the number of ALICE households changed by race/ethnicity?

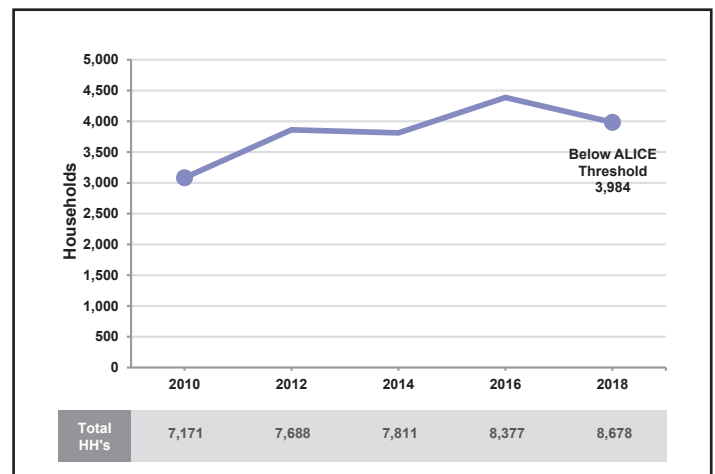
York County's largest racial/ethnic groups followed very different trajectories in both population size and levels of financial hardship from 2010 to 2018. White households were the largest group in York County, decreasing 1%. The next largest group, Hispanic households, grew by 50%, followed by Black households, households of Two or More Races, and Asian households. Financial hardship increased across all racial/ethnic groups, but at different rates. White households below the ALICE Threshold grew by 13%, while the number of Hispanic households below the ALICE Threshold grew by 61%, and Black households increased by 29%.

Households by Income and Race/Ethnicity, York County, 2010–2018

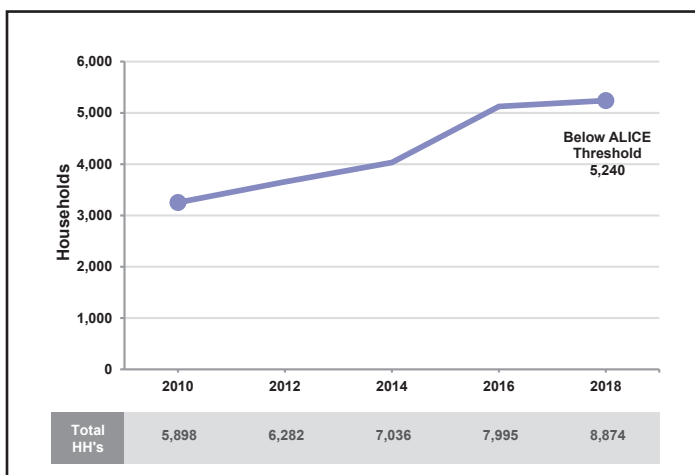
Asian Households



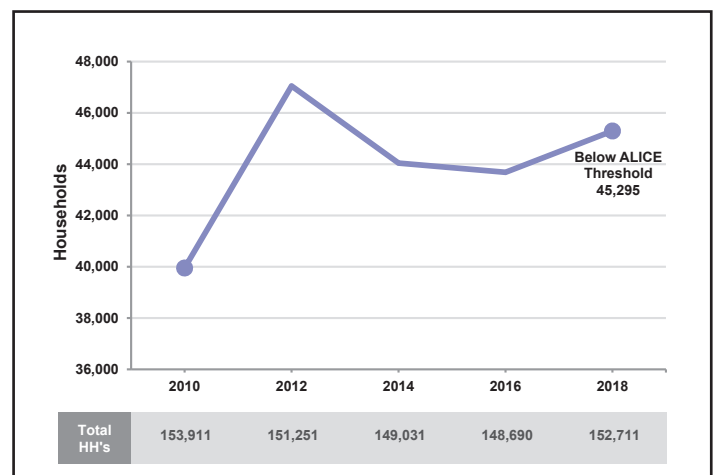
Black Households



Hispanic Households



White Households



Source: ALICE Threshold, 2010–2018; American Community Survey, 2010–2018

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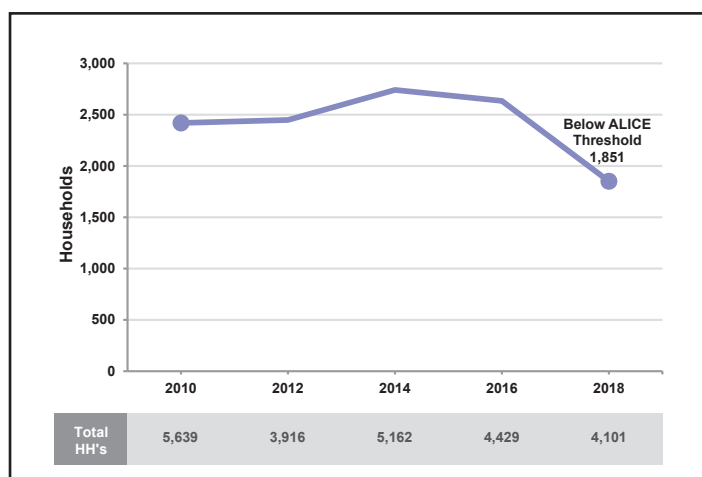
HOUSEHOLDS BY AGE IN YORK COUNTY

How has the number of ALICE households changed by age group?

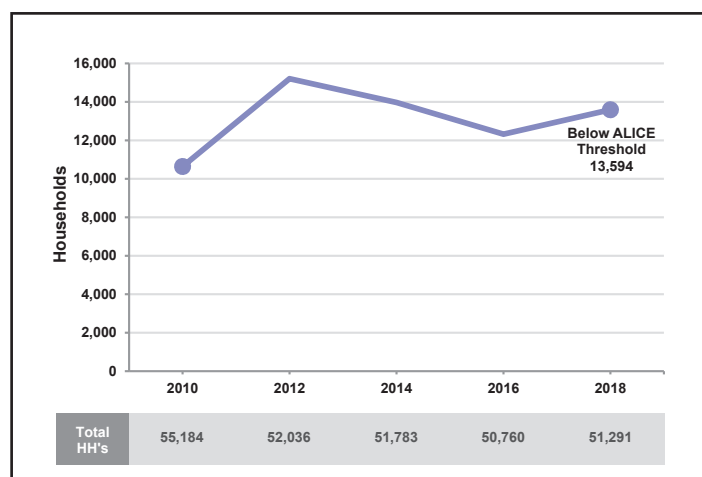
The largest age group in York County in 2018 was 45- to 64-year-olds, followed by 25- to 44-year-olds, seniors, and under-25-year-olds. Changes in financial hardship differed across age groups between 2010 and 2018, but younger and older households were more likely to be ALICE or living in poverty. The youngest group (under 25 years) had a 23% decrease in the number of households below the ALICE Threshold from 2010 to 2018. Senior households below the ALICE Threshold grew by 25%. For those in their prime working years, the number of households below the ALICE Threshold increased by 28% for those aged 25-44 years and increased by 17% for those aged 45-64.

Households by Income and Age, York County, 2010–2018

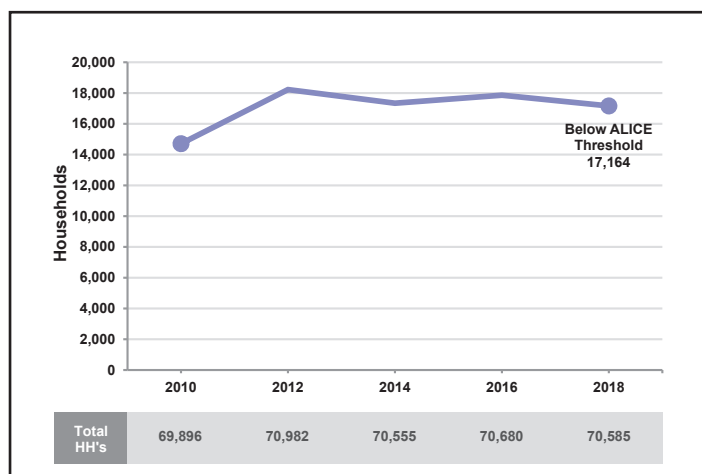
Under 25



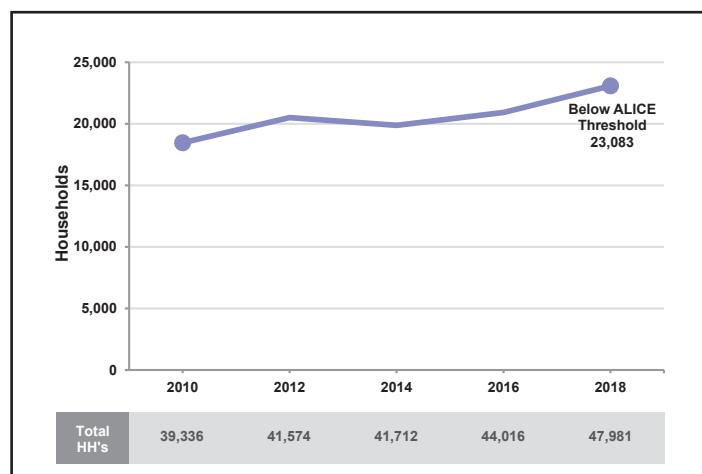
25 to 44



45 to 64



65 and Over



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HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION IN YORK COUNTY

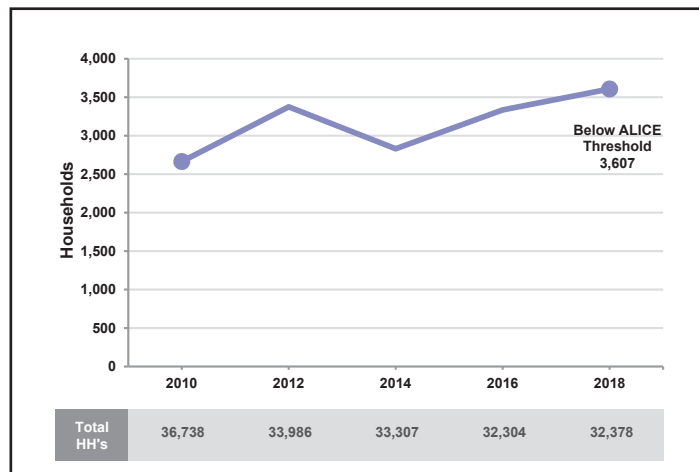
How has the number of ALICE households changed by household composition?

In York County, single or cohabiting households (without children or seniors) were the largest household type, accounting for 45% of all households and 37% of households below the ALICE Threshold in 2018. Seniors accounted for 28% of all households, and families with children for 27%.

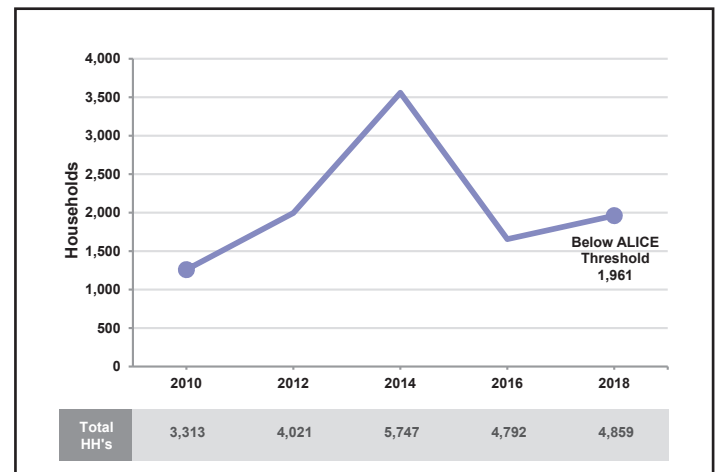
Changing demographics resulted in a 8% decrease in the total number of families with children in York County from 2010 to 2018. But among families, there were differing trends. The number of married-parent families decreased by 12%, while their number below the ALICE Threshold increased by 35%. The number of single-female-headed families decreased by 12%, while their number below the ALICE Threshold decreased by 11%, and the number of single-male-headed families increased by 47%, while their number below the ALICE Threshold increased by 56%.

Household Types by Income, York County, 2010–2018

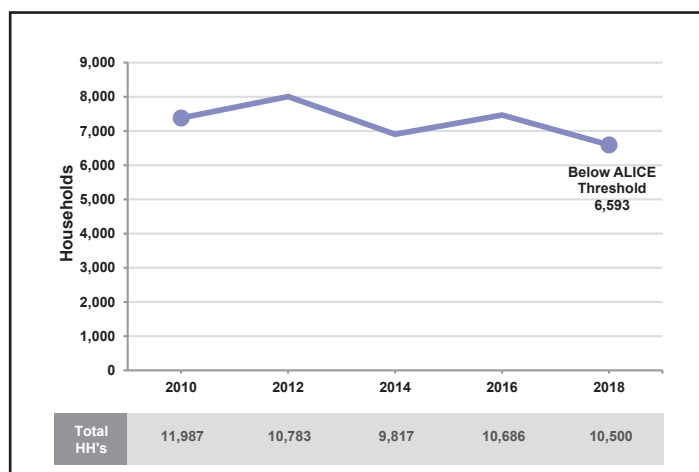
Married-Parent Households



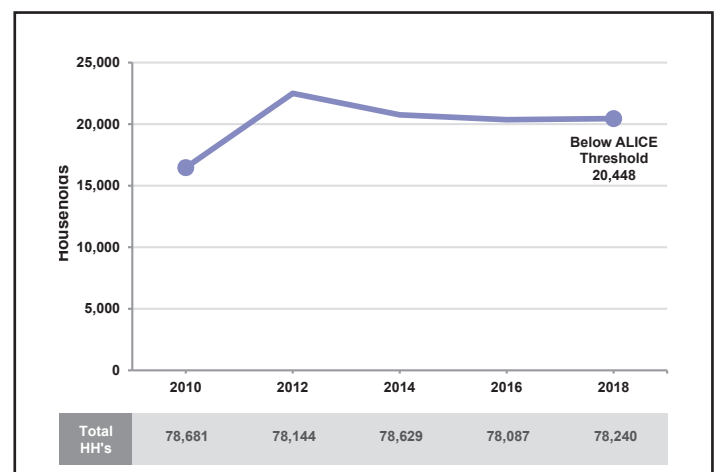
Single-Male-Headed Households



Single-Female-Headed Households



Single or Cohabiting Households



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