

FINANCIAL HARDSHIP IN YORK COUNTY

YORK COUNTY

In York County, there are 64,720 households (35%) that can't afford the basics. These households fall below the ALICE Threshold, which includes households in poverty and ALICE® (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) households. Struggling yet hidden in plain sight, ALICE earns above the poverty level, but less than the cost of basics.

10%
IN POVERTY

HOUSEHOLDS
BELOW THE
ALICE THRESHOLD

25%
ALICE

HARDSHIP BY AGE

65+



25-44



Under 25



WHEN WORKING ISN'T ENOUGH

Percent of budget
used for childcare
each month.*



Percent of budget
used for
transportation each
month.*



*For a family of four with an infant and a preschooler

Data Source: United For ALICE (2026). *The State of ALICE in Pennsylvania.*



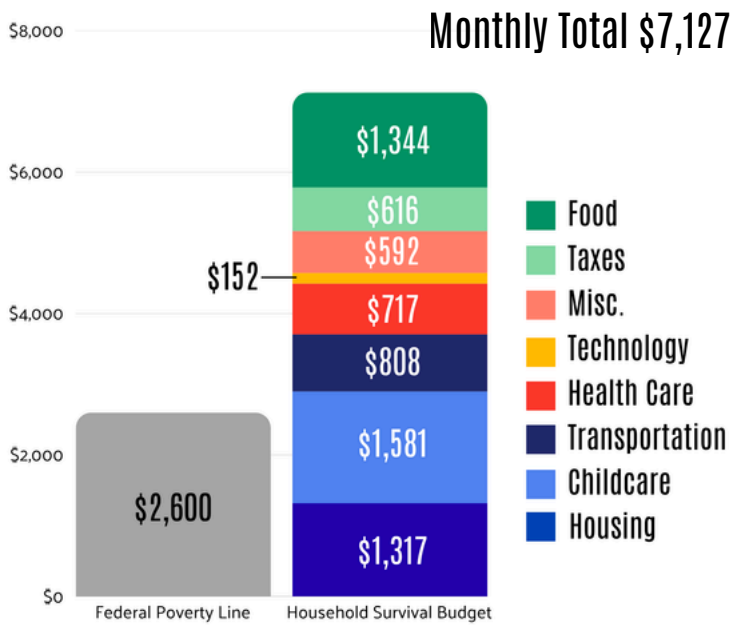
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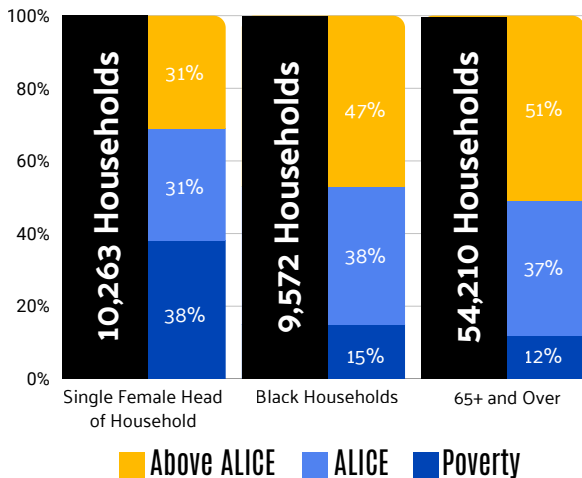
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The **ALICE survival budget** is the measure United Way of York County uses to determine the bare minimum cost of living in our community. Those living on this budget are one emergency away from slipping into poverty.

Household Survival Budget, 2024



Households by Type, 2024



ALICE can be found in every part of York County

Counties, Pennsylvania, 2024		
Census County Subdivisions	Total Households	% Below ALICE Threshold
Carroll township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,488	22%
Chanceford township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,367	23%
Codorus township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,417	26%
Conewago township, York County, Pennsylvania	3,458	28%
Cross Roads borough, York County, Pennsylvania	202	28%
Dallastown borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,605	44%
Delta borough, York County, Pennsylvania	304	37%
Dillsburg borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,079	32%
Dover borough, York County, Pennsylvania	785	32%
Dover township, York County, Pennsylvania	9,663	34%
East Hopewell township, York County, Pennsylvania	930	21%
East Manchester township, York County, Pennsylvania	3,271	22%
East Prospect borough, York County, Pennsylvania	299	25%
Fairview township, York County, Pennsylvania	7,017	26%
Fawn Grove borough, York County, Pennsylvania	179	34%
Fawn township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,174	20%
Felton borough, York County, Pennsylvania	181	25%
Franklin township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,197	27%
Franklintown borough, York County, Pennsylvania	241	35%
Glen Rock borough, York County, Pennsylvania	818	33%
Goldsboro borough, York County, Pennsylvania	414	24%
Hallam borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,068	30%
Hanover borough, York County, Pennsylvania	7,469	49%
Heidelberg township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,131	18%
Hellam township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,420	33%
Hopewell township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,013	18%
Jackson township, York County, Pennsylvania	3,719	28%
Jacobus borough, York County, Pennsylvania	707	15%
Jefferson borough, York County, Pennsylvania	178	33%
Lewisberry borough, York County, Pennsylvania	193	24%
Loganville borough, York County, Pennsylvania	565	20%
Lower Chanceford township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,190	28%
Lower Windsor township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,801	29%
Manchester borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,157	35%
Manchester township, York County, Pennsylvania	7,375	27%
Manheim township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,200	32%
Monaghan township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,032	17%
Mount Wolf borough, York County, Pennsylvania	471	41%
New Freedom borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,925	22%
New Salem borough, York County, Pennsylvania	338	15%
Newberry township, York County, Pennsylvania	5,990	31%
North Codorus township, York County, Pennsylvania	3,823	27%
North Hopewell township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,072	22%
North York borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,063	44%
Paradise township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,493	35%
Peach Bottom township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,834	29%
Penn township, York County, Pennsylvania	6,937	33%
Railroad borough, York County, Pennsylvania	133	53%
Red Lion borough, York County, Pennsylvania	2,709	42%
Seven Valleys borough, York County, Pennsylvania	250	40%
Shrewsbury borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,728	38%
Shrewsbury township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,685	23%
Spring Garden township, York County, Pennsylvania	4,295	20%
Spring Grove borough, York County, Pennsylvania	935	36%
Springettsbury township, York County, Pennsylvania	10,202	31%
Springfield township, York County, Pennsylvania	2,244	24%
Stewartstown borough, York County, Pennsylvania	776	41%
Warrington township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,882	32%
Washington township, York County, Pennsylvania	1,061	32%
Wellsville borough, York County, Pennsylvania	101	37%
West Manchester township, York County, Pennsylvania	7,752	33%
West Manheim township, York County, Pennsylvania	3,833	23%
West York borough, York County, Pennsylvania	1,889	37%
Windsor borough, York County, Pennsylvania	469	42%
Windsor township, York County, Pennsylvania	6,778	27%
Winterstown borough, York County, Pennsylvania	160	44%
Wrightsville borough, York County, Pennsylvania	769	41%
Yoe borough, York County, Pennsylvania	458	52%
York city, York County, Pennsylvania	17,893	59%
York Haven borough, York County, Pennsylvania	298	36%
York township, York County, Pennsylvania	12,939	36%