

DID YOU KNOW?

While every U.S. county has seen hunger rates rise, the steepest jumps have been in some of the wealthiest counties, where overall affluence obscures the tenuous finances of low-wage workers.

From [*Kaiser Health News Article*](#).

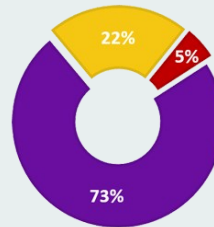
ALICE[®] is an acronym for **ALICE** — **A**sset **L**imited, **I**ncome **C**onstrained, **E**mloyed — households that earn more than the Federal Poverty Level, but less than the basic cost of living for the county (the ALICE Threshold). While conditions have improved for some households, many continue to struggle, especially as wages fail to keep pace with the cost of household essentials (housing, child care, food, transportation, health care, and a basic smartphone plan).

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4 out of every 10 households in Putnam and Westchester are living pay-check to pay-check or in poverty.

No savings for emergencies and no investment in the future for education, home ownership or retirement.

Yorktown by the Numbers



12,994 Total households
22% ALICE households
5% Poverty households

Source: ALICE Threshold, 2018 American Community Survey.



Town of Yorktown
363 Underhill Avenue, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598

Food Security in Yorktown



Town of Yorktown
Food Security Task Force





Yorktown's Local Food Pantries Help over 1,000 Households per Month

Community Food Pantry St Mary's Church

Serving our community for over 40 years
Every Saturday from 9:00 am - 11:00 am
Phone: (914) 528-3972

Email: stmarysmfoodpantry@yahoo.com

www.cfpstmarysmoheganlake.com

[f @CommunityFoodPantryMoheganLake](https://www.facebook.com/CommunityFoodPantryMoheganLake)

Clientele requirements: Bring documentation to show your name and current address (first visit only).

Donations: Visit the web site or mail a check to Community Food Pantry, 1836 East Main Street, Mohegan Lake, NY 10547.

First Presbyterian Church Pantry

Serving our community for over 30 years
2nd & 4th Saturday 9:00 am - 11:00 am
Phone: (914) 245-2186

fpcyorktown.org/mission/food-pantry

Clientele requirements: Photo ID
Donations: Visit the web site or mail check to the church: FPCY, 2880 Crompond Road, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598 with "food pantry" on the comment line. For advice on conducting food drives, please leave a message and we will contact you.

Westchester Adventist Church

Fridays 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Phone: (203) 550- 9209

westchesterkoreansdachurch.com

Email: Janelechung747@gmail.com

Donations: Food donations can be dropped off at the church on Friday mornings or checks can be sent to WKSDA, 1243 Whitehill Road, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598.

Yorktown Community HELP

Serving our community for over 50 years
3rd Wednesday of each month from 4:30 pm - 7:00 pm inside the Albert A. Capellini Community & Cultural Center
Phone: (914) 962-1144

Clientele requirements: Referred by a minister, priest, rabbi, school or town official, or social worker. Must be a Yorktown resident.

Donations: Yorktown Community HELP, 1974 Commerce Street, Yorktown Heights, NY 10598.

Feeding Westchester Mobile Food Pantry & Fresh Market Schedule

<https://feedingwestchester.org/find-help/mobile-food-pantry-schedule>

Ways to Help

Monetary Donations

Non-Perishable, Non-Expired Food
Food Drives

ALL FOOD DONATIONS MUST BE UNOPENED AND UNEXPIRED.



Quotes from Clients

You really helped me get over a tough spot.



I've never had to ask for this kind of help before, but I am so grateful.