

2022 Demographic and Socio-Economic Profile of

North Dakota State Legislative District 27

This profile is part of a series highlighting population, household, social, and economic characteristics in all 47 state legislative districts in North Dakota.

Cass County



District 27

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POPULATION Characteristics	Total Population, 2020	Median Age, 2020	Ages 0 to 17, 2020	Ages 65 and Older, 2020
	25,489 people	31 years	21.5% 5,473 children	13.8% 3,528 people
	North Dakota United States	760,394 326,569,308	35.2 38.2	23.4% 22.4%
HOUSEHOLD Characteristics	Total Households, 2020	Average Household Size, 2020	Householders 65+ Living Alone, 2020	Households with Children (0 to 17), 2020
	11,537 households	2.2 persons per household	9.6% 1,108 households	28.0% 3,234 households
	North Dakota United States	320,873 122,354,219	2.29 2.60	11.3% 11.3%
SOCIAL Characteristics	Associate's Degree or Higher, 2020	Moved in the Past Year, 2020	Ages 3 to 4 Enrolled in Early Education, 2020	People With a Disability, 2020
	58.7% 9,754 people	23.0% 5,747 people	59.3% 375 children	9.4% 2,365 people
	North Dakota United States	44.8% 41.6%	17.5% 13.8%	31.0% 47.3%
ECONOMIC Characteristics	Median Household Income, 2020	Low Income, Below 200% of Poverty, 2020	Children <6, All Parents Working, 2020	Ages 0 to 64, No Health Insurance, 2020
	\$64,897	27.7% 7,031 people	91.0% 1,830 children	4.2% 920 people
	North Dakota United States	\$65,315 \$64,994	25.1% 29.8%	74.3% 66.7%

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Definitions and Notes

Population Characteristics

Total Population: This indicator reflects the total number of residents.

Median Age: This indicator represents the central age point of the resident population. It is reflected in years and divides the population into two equal parts: half the population is older than the median age and half is younger.

Ages 0 to 17: This indicator reflects the number of residents ages 0 through 17 as a percent of the total population.

Ages 65 and Older: This indicator reflects the number of residents ages 65 and older as a percent of the total population.

Household Characteristics

Total Households: This indicator reflects the total number of occupied housing units.

Average Household Size: This indicator reflects the average number of people living in each household.

Householders 65+ Living Alone: This indicator represents the number of households occupied by a person age 65 or older living by themselves as a percent of all households.

Households with Children Ages 0 to 17: This indicator represents the number of households with children ages 0 to 17 as a percent of all households. A household can be either a family household or a non-family household. A family household consists of at least two people who are related by birth, marriage, or adoption.

Social Characteristics

Associate's Degree or Higher: This indicator reflects the number of adults ages 25 and older with an Associate, Bachelor, Graduate, or higher-level degree as a percent of all persons ages 25 and older.

Moved in the Past Year: This indicator reflects the number of local residents ages 1 and older who moved from a different house in North Dakota (from within the same community, from a different community, or from a different county), from a different state, or from abroad within the past year, as a percent of the total resident population ages 1 and older.

Ages 3 to 4 Enrolled in Early Education: This indicator represents the number of children ages 3 and 4 enrolled in public or private early learning programs as a percent of all children ages 3 and 4. Early learning programs include any group providing educational experiences for children during the years preceding kindergarten (e.g., Head Start, child care preschool, early childhood special education, or a school district prekindergarten program). Places where instruction is an integral part of the program are included (e.g., a preschool license through child care), but private homes that primarily provide custodial care are not included in these data.

People with a Disability: This indicator reflects the number of people, of all ages, living with some form of a disability (i.e., difficulties with vision, hearing, ambulation, and cognition) as a percent of the total civilian noninstitutionalized population.

Economic Characteristics

Median Household Income: This indicator represents the central income point of the total number of households, including those with no income. The median is reflected in dollars and divides the number of households into two equal parts: half of households have incomes above the median household income and half have incomes below the median.

Low Income, Below 200% of Poverty: This indicator reflects the number of people with a household income below 200 percent of the federal poverty level as a percent of the population for whom poverty status is determined (i.e., people living in group quarter facilities and institutions are excluded). This population includes persons living at or below poverty (i.e., at or below 100 percent of poverty) as well as persons living close to or 'near' poverty (i.e., between 100 and 200 percent of poverty).

Children <6, All Parents Working: This indicator represents the number of own children ages 0 through 5 living in households where all the parents are in the labor force, as a percent of all own children ages 0 through 5 in households.

Ages 0 to 64, No Health Insurance: This indicator reflects the number of persons ages 0 through 64 with no health insurance coverage as a percent of the total civilian noninstitutionalized population ages 0 through 64.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, <https://data.census.gov>.

NOTE: The 2022 profiles are based on the 2013-2022 North Dakota legislative boundaries. Updated boundaries recently completed, will take effect next year and extend for 10 years (i.e., 2023 to 2032). More detailed boundary maps of the 47 North Dakota State Legislative Districts are available at <http://www.legis.nd.gov/districts/2013-2022>.



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