# **ALICE IN ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY**

2022 Point-in-Time Data



Population: 593,286 • Number of Households: 226,285 Median Household Income: \$113,125 (state average: \$94,991) Labor Force Participation Rate: 68.3% (state average: 67%)

ALICE Households: 26% (state average: 29%) • Households in Poverty: 7% (state average: 10%)

### Financial Hardship Over Time

ALICE is an acronym for Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed — households that earn more than the Federal Poverty Level, but less than the basic cost of living for the county (the ALICE Threshold). Households below the ALICE Threshold — ALICE households plus those in poverty — can't afford the essentials.

Households move below or above the ALICE Threshold as economic factors and circumstances change. This was especially true amid the economic crosscurrents of the COVID-19 pandemic, with higher wages, inflation, and additional pandemic assistance. By 2022, 74,655 households (33%) were below the ALICE Threshold in Anne Arundel County.

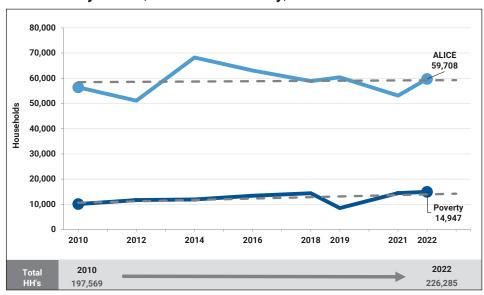
# The Cost of Basics Outpaces Wages

The Household Survival Budget reflects the minimum cost to live and work in the current economy and includes housing, child care, food, transportation, health care, technology, and taxes. It does not include savings for emergencies or future goals like college or retirement. The Household Survival Budget is calculated at the county level and by household composition, as costs can vary greatly depending on location and household needs.

In 2022, household costs in Anne Arundel County were well above the Federal Poverty Level of \$13,590 for a single adult and \$27,750 for a family of four.

To see costs for different household compositions in Anne Arundel County, visit <u>UnitedForALICE.org/Household-Budgets/Maryland</u>

#### Households by Income, Anne Arundel County, 2010-2022



Note: See an interactive version of this data at <u>UnitedForALICE.org/Maryland</u> Sources: ALICE Threshold, 2010–2022; American Community Survey, 2010–2022

Household Survival Budget, Anne Arundel County, 2022		
	SINGLE ADULT	2 ADULTS, 1 INFANT, 1 Preschooler
Monthly Costs and Credits		
Housing - Rent	\$1,137	\$1,593
Housing – Utilities	\$163	\$310
Child Care	-	\$1,951
Food	\$498	\$1,358
Transportation	\$418	\$1,068
Health Care	\$186	\$762
Technology	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$249	\$716
Tax Payments	\$589	\$1,836
Tax Credits	\$0	-\$437
Monthly Total	\$3,326	\$9,273
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$39,912	\$111,276
Hourly Wage*	\$19.96	\$55.64

<sup>\*</sup>Wage working full-time required to support this budget For ALICE Survival Budget sources, visit <u>UnitedForALICE.org/Methodology</u>

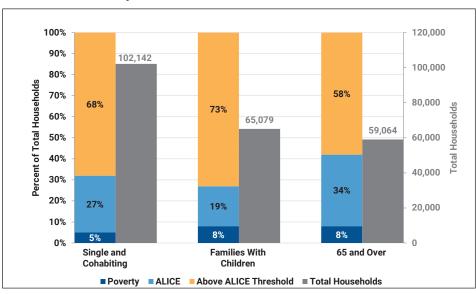
# Financial Hardship is Not Evenly Distributed

Groups with the largest number of households below the ALICE Threshold tend to also be the largest demographic groups. However, when looking at the percentage of each group that is below the ALICE Threshold, some groups are more likely to be ALICE than others.

By addressing the disparities in financial hardship by county demographics, community members can move toward more equitable solutions.

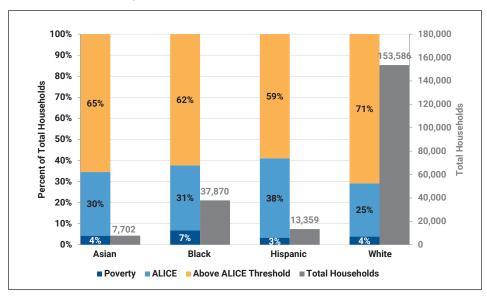
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### Household Financial Status by Household Type, Anne Arundel County, 2022



Sources: ALICE Threshold, 2022; American Community Survey, 2022

### Household Financial Status by Race/Ethnicity, Anne Arundel County, 2022



Note: Asian, Black, and White racial categories are for one race alone. Race and Hispanic ethnicity are overlapping categories. The Asian and Black groups may include Hispanic households; the White group includes only White, non-Hispanic households. The Hispanic ethnic group may include households of any race.

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Anne Arundel County, 2022 % ALICE & Town Households Poverty 16.969 39% Annapolis city 5,126 15% Annapolis Neck CDP Arden on the Severn 630 34% Arnold CDP 8,669 19% Brooklyn Park CDP 5,495 52% Cape St. Claire CDP 3,413 26% Crofton CDP 10,467 23% Crownsville CDP 503 31% Deale CDP 1,889 **Edgewater CDP** 3,608 34% Ferndale CDP 6,483 47% Fort Meade CDP 2.938 43% Friendship CDP 128 18% Galesville CDP 404 16% Gambrills CDP 992 Glen Burnie CDP 28,639 51% Herald Harbor CDP 1,096 12% Jessup CDP 1,735 20% Lake Shore CDP 7.083 27% Linthicum CDP 4,111 24% Maryland City CDP 7.142 Mayo CDP 2,968 19% **Naval Academy CDP** 148 22% 17,892 Odenton CDP 29% Parole CDP 9.704 26% Pasadena CDP 12,194 30% Riva CDP 1.625 Riviera Beach CDP 4,569 Severn CDP 20.736 27% Severna Park CDP 13,792 20% Shady Side CDP 2,008 19%

Note: Municipal-level data on this page is 1 or 5-year averages for Incorporated Places. Counties and Places with populations over 65,000 are 1-year averages; otherwise, they are 5-year averages. Geographies with fewer than 100 households are not included. Therefore, totals will not match the county-level numbers.