



# VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

## LDSS ANNUAL PROFILE REPORT

### U UNEMPLOYMENT

#### Unemployment

How this information helps people

The Virginia Employment Commission administers the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program. The LAUS program provides a monthly estimate of an area's labor force, employment, unemployment, and unemployment rate. Data is taken from surveys and unemployment claims recorded during the monthly reference week, which is usually the week including the 12th day of each month. Statistics are an estimate of persons by place of residence, not where a person works. In order to be considered unemployed an individual must have had no employment during the reference week, been available for work, and have made an effort to find employment for four weeks leading up to the reference week.

This report shows the number of people in the labor force who are unemployed and the unemployment rate (%) for each locality in Virginia. For more information about local employment statistics in Virginia, visit the Virginia Employment Commission's [LAUS](#) website.

Local Department of Social Services Profile Report - Unemployment

Year: 2024   
 FIPS: 750   
 Region: Western   
 Agency Level: I (One)   
 HR Policy: Non-Deviating   
 IT Support: Full   
 Type of Agency Board: Administrative

Local Agency: Radford  
 Year: All

Unemployment	Radford		Western	Statewide
	Year	Count	Rate(%)	Rate(%)
	2014	562	6.6%	5.1%
	2015	464	5.6%	4.4%
	2016	441	5.3%	4.0%
	2017	411	4.9%	3.7%
	2018	326	3.7%	3.0%
	2019	310	3.5%	2.8%
	2020	536	6.3%	6.2%
	2021	347	4.1%	3.9%
	2022	319	3.5%	2.9%
	2023	335	3.6%	2.9%

Source: Virginia Employment Commission



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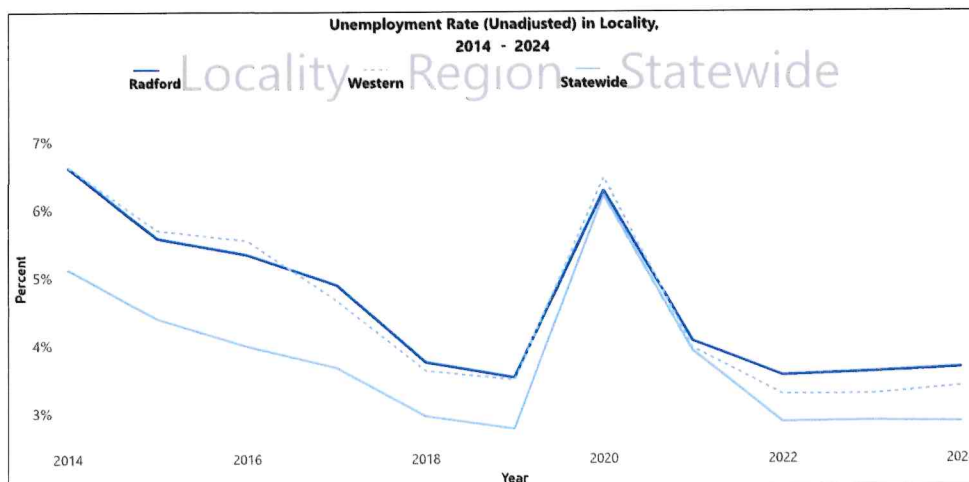
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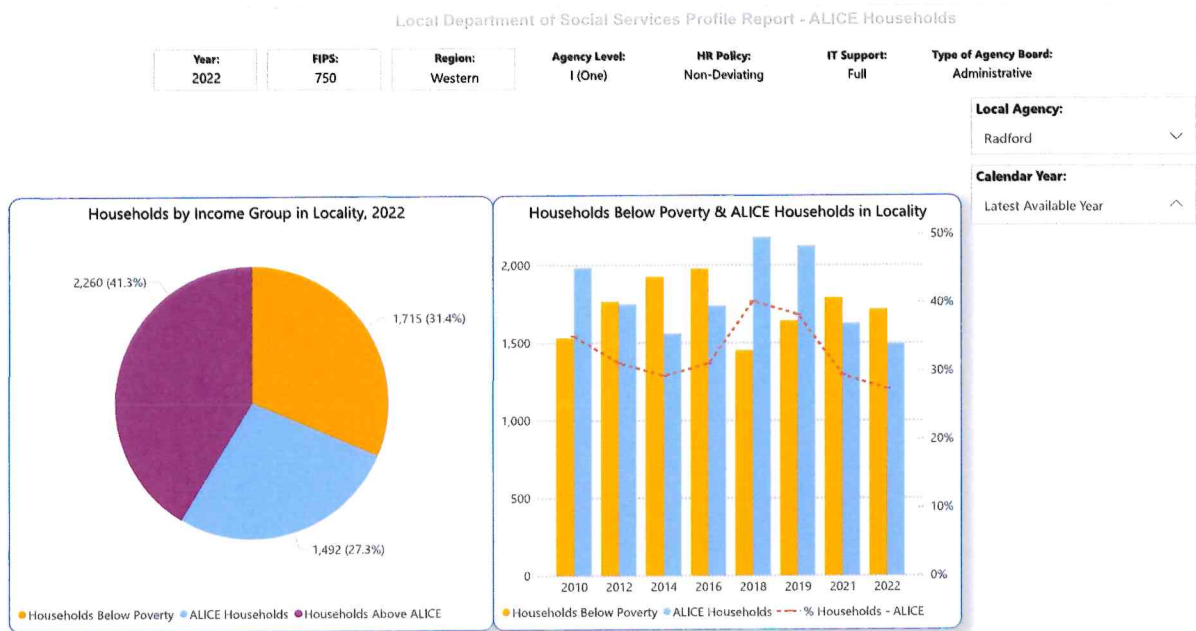
#### ALICE Households

How this information helps people

ALICE, an acronym for Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed, is a new way of defining and understanding the struggles of households that earn above the Federal Poverty Level, but not enough to afford a bare-bones household budget. For far too many families, the cost of living outpaces what they earn. These households struggle to manage even their most basic needs - housing, food, transportation, child care, health care, and necessary technology.

When funds run short, cash-strapped households are forced to make impossible choices, such as deciding between quality child care or paying the rent, filling a prescription or fixing the car. These short-term decisions have long-term consequences not only for ALICE families, but for all of us.

For more information about ALICE households in Virginia, visit the [United for ALICE Research Center](#).



Source: United Way of Northern New Jersey, United for ALICE - Virginia Data portal. \*ALICE\* (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) represent working family households that are struggling to meet basic living needs.  
<https://www.unitedforallice.org/state-overview/Virginia>

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### P POPULATION

#### Population Estimate

How this information helps people

Each year, demographers at the University of Virginia's Weldon Cooper Center develop and release the official population estimates for Virginia and its counties and independent cities to illuminate population counts between decennial censuses. These estimates provide the best approximation of the population count on July 1st of the prior year.

This report provides a demographic profile of the Virginia population.

For the latest state and local population estimates and other demographic data in Virginia, visit the [Weldon Cooper Center's Demographic Research Group](#).

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Population, 2023	Radford		Western	Statewide
	Count	Percent	Percent	Percent
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>16,971</b>			
Male	7,953	47%	51%	49%
Female	9,018	53%	49%	51%
Children (0-17 years)	2,174	13%	18%	22%
Adults 18-64 years	13,142	77%	60%	61%
Adults 65+ years	1,655	10%	22%	17%
White only	14,863	88%	94%	71%
African American only	1,886	11%	5%	22%
Asian only	528	3%	2%	9%
Pacific Islander only	28	0%	0%	0%
American Indian/Alaskan Native only	165	1%	1%	1%
Two or more races	486	3%	2%	4%
Hispanic/Latino	751	4%	3%	11%

**Local Agency**  
Radford

**Year**  
Latest Available Year

Source: UVA Weldon Cooper Center, Demographics Research Group (estimates come from the U.S. Census Bureau).

Note: "Other race" includes Hawaiians, Pacific Islanders, American Indians, and Alaskan Natives.  
 \* Hispanic origin is not mutually exclusive of race.

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### P POVERTY

#### People Living in Poverty

How this information helps people

The U.S. Census Bureau's Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE) program provides annual estimates of income and poverty statistics for all school districts, counties, and states. The main objective of this program is to provide estimates of income and poverty for the administration of federal safety net programs and the allocation of federal funds to local jurisdictions. In addition to these federal programs, state and local programs use the income and poverty estimates for distributing funds and managing income-based programs like TANF, SNAP and Medicaid.

This report shows poverty estimates for each locality in Virginia. For more information about poverty in Virginia, visit the U.S. Census Bureau's [SAIPE](#) website.

Local Department of Social Services Profile Report - Poverty

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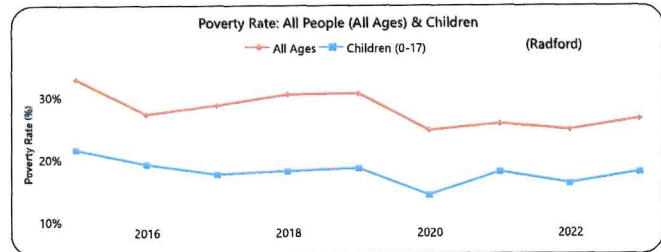
  

Poverty Rate (%)	Radford		Western		Statewide	
	All Ages	Children	All Ages	Children	All Ages	Children
2023	26.4%	17.9%	18.4%	20.4%	10.2%	12.7%
2022	24.6%	16.1%	18.3%	20.8%	10.6%	12.8%
2021	25.6%	17.9%	18.4%	22.8%	10.3%	13.3%
2020	24.6%	14.2%	16.7%	19.9%	9.2%	12.2%
2019	30.5%	18.5%	18.1%	22.8%	9.9%	13.3%
2018	30.4%	18.0%	19.9%	23.3%	10.7%	13.8%
2017	28.6%	17.5%	19.2%	23.3%	10.7%	14.0%
2016	27.7%	19.1%	19.0%	23.1%	11.0%	14.3%

**Local Agency:** Radford

**Year:** Latest Available Year

3,562	<b>Number of People (All Ages) living in Poverty in Radford, 2023</b>
26%	<b>Percent of People (All Ages) living in Poverty in Radford, 2023</b>
381	<b>Number of Children (&lt; 18 years) living in Poverty in Radford, 2023</b>
18%	<b>Percent of Children (&lt; 18 years) living in Poverty in Radford, 2023</b>



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE).

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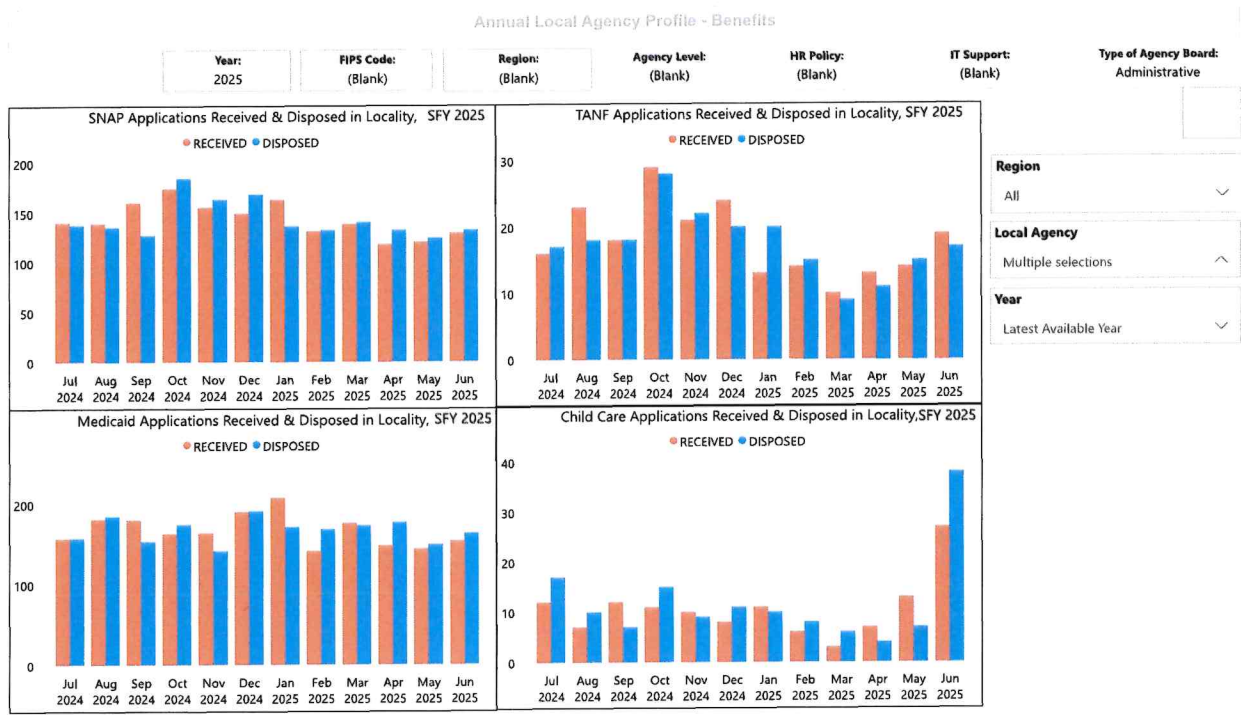
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Benefit Clients served by State Fiscal Year	Benefit Program				Child Care	
	SNAP	TANF	MA	Any Benefit	Families	Children
2021	2206	292	3588	3893	20	40
2022	2332	320	3989	4344	36	52
2023	2570	406	4489	4879	62	99
2024	2824	335	4899	5295	86	133
					93	138

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Residents who received benefits (SNAP, TANF or Medicaid) in SFY 2025

**Local Agency**

Radford

**Year**

Latest Available Year

**SNAP Clients in Locality**

**TANF Clients in Locality**

**Medicaid Clients in Locality**

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Benefit Program			
Households (Cases) served by State Fiscal Year	SNAP	TANF	Medicaid
2021	1136	60	2345
2022	1260	68	2644
2023	1447	85	2991
2024	1512	83	3250
2025	1408	71	3139

**Local Agency**  
Radford

**Year**  
Latest Available Year

Energy Assistance (EA)			
Households (Cases) served by Federal Fiscal Year	Cooling	Crisis	Fuel
2020	241	34	282
2021	241	15	287
2022	274	30	298
2023	253	24	315
2024	289	25	298

**Sources:**  
VaCMS (for SNAP, TANF, Medicaid and Child Care); VaCMS, "EAP Program Effectiveness Reports" (Energy Assistance). Represents an unduplicated count of cases (households) receiving benefits within the locality during the selected year.





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### F FAMILY SERVICES

#### Family Services

VDSS is one of the largest Commonwealth agencies, partnering with 120 local departments of social services, along with faith-based and non-profit organizations, to promote the well-being of children and families statewide. We proudly serve alongside nearly 13,000 state and local human services professionals throughout the Social Services System, who ensure that thousands of Virginia's most vulnerable citizens have access to the best services and benefits available to them.

This report represents Local Agency Profiles for Family services within Virginia.

Annual Local Agency Profile - Family Services

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						<b>Year</b> Latest Available Year

Family Services Clients	Sex				Race						Ethnicity			Age						
	Total Children	Male	Female	Gender Unknown	Black	White	Am Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian	Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	Multi-Race	Race Unknown	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic	Unknown	0-5	6-10	11-15	16-18	19+	Missing Age
Children in Foster Care	11	7	4		4	4				2	1	1	8	2	2	4	3	2	NA	
Children Exited to Adoption	3	1	2		2	1							3				1	2	NA	
Children Receiving Adoption Assistance	49	16	33		5	41				3		1	48		6	12	14	11	6	

Child Protective Services (CPS)	Sex				Race						Ethnicity			Age								
	Total Children	Male	Female	Gender Unknown	Black	White	Am Indian/Alaskan Native	Asian	Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	Multi-Race	Race Unknown	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic	Unknown	Under 1	1-3	4-7	8-11	12-15	16-17	18 and older	Age Unknown
Children in CPS Referrals	244	168	174	7	65	250				18	16	26	289	34	25	37	58	54	33	15	2	20

Adult Protective Services	Sex				Age			
	Total Adults	Male	Female	Trans-gender	Gender Unknown	18-59	60 and Older	Age Unknown
Adults (in APS reports)	86	37	49	0	0	23	59	4

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### B BIRTHS

#### Non-Marital Births and Teen Births

How this information helps people

The Virginia Department of Health records all live births in the state. This report shows the number of live births to unmarried women ages 15-44 years and to female teens 10-19 years. Furthermore, this report shows the number of live births by mother's race based on five years of combined data (e.g., 2015-2019). Non-marital birth rates are expressed as a percentage; teen birth rates are per 1,000 female teens in the population.

Research shows that children born to teen and unwed mothers are more likely to live in poverty. Areas with a population that exhibits higher than average rates of teen and non-marital births may be more likely to need public assistance and family services.

In addition to non-marital and teen birth statistics, this report shows the percentage of children living in single-parent households, which comes from the [U.S. Census Bureau](#). For more information about births and pregnancies in Virginia, visit the [Virginia Department of Health](#)

Local Department of Social Services Profile Report - Births

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Agency Level: I (One)

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IT Support: Full

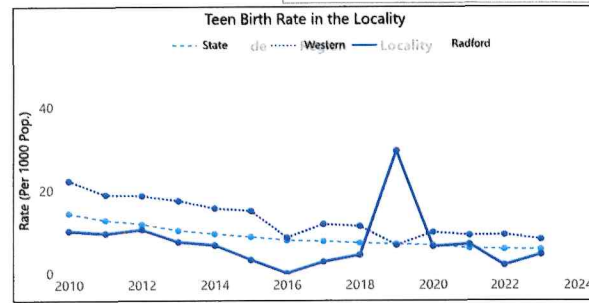
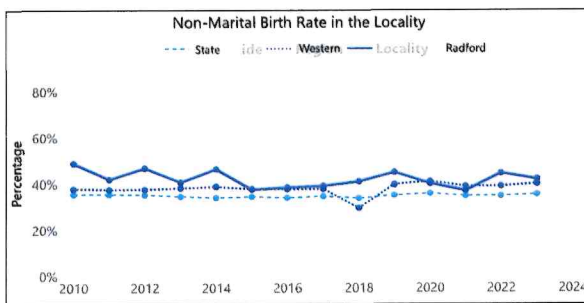
Type of Agency Board: Administrative

Births	Non Marital Births				Teen Births			
	Radford		Western	Statewide	Radford		Western	Statewide
	Count	Percent	Percent	Percent	Count	Rate	Rate	Rate
Total	303	42%	40%	35%	46	5.7	8.2	6.2
White	234	38%	39%	26%	39	5.5	8.1	4.6
Black	59	75%	67%	64%	*	8.4	5.7	8.7
Other race	10	36%	36%	33%	*	3.3	13.9	10.2

**Source:** Virginia Department of Health. Counts and rates are based on five consecutive years of data from the Office of Vital Records. \* Cell counts based on less than 10 observations are suppressed. Rates calculated from counts less than 20 should be interpreted with caution.

**38%**

Percent of Children living in a single-parent household (Last 5 Years)  
(Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey)



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### H HEALTH INSURANCE

#### People Without Health Insurance

How this information helps people

The U.S. Census Bureau's Small Area Health Insurance Estimates (SAHIE) program was created to develop model-based estimates of health insurance coverage for counties and states. This program builds on the work of the Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (SAIPE) program. SAHIE is the only source of single-year health insurance coverage estimates.

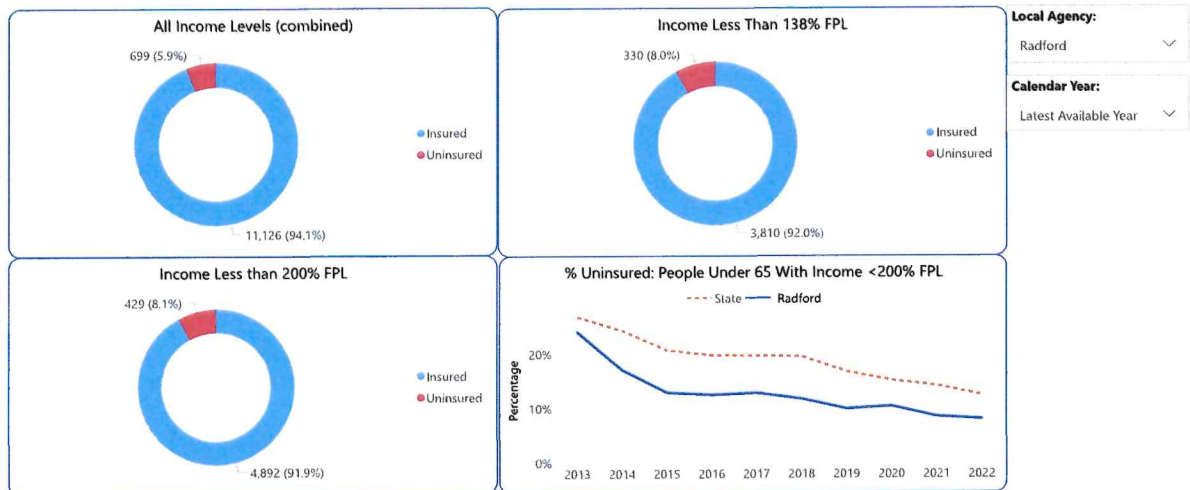
This report shows the number of individuals who don't have health insurance for each locality in Virginia. Localities can use this information to estimate the need for health insurance programs, like Medicaid and FAMIS, among low-income populations.

For more information about health insurance coverage in Virginia, visit the U.S. Census Bureau's [SAHIE](#) website.

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#### Insurance Status of People Under 65 By Income Level (2022)



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Health Insurance Estimates (SAHIE). \*FPL\* = Federal Poverty Level.

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