# JITED WAY ALICE REPORT – NEW YOR

## **ALICE IN NASSAU COUNTY**

2016 Point-in-Time Data

**Population:** 1,361,500 • **Number of Households:** 440,785 **Median Household Income:** \$105,870 (state average: \$62,909)

Unemployment Rate: 4.2% (state average: 5.9%)

ALICE Households: 25% (state average: 33%) • Households in Poverty: 6% (state average: 14%)

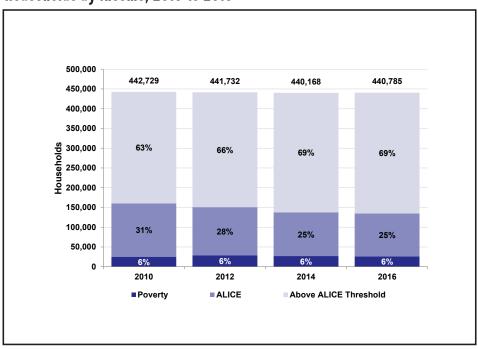
## How has the number of ALICE households changed over time?

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). Combined, the number of ALICE and poverty-level households equals the total population struggling to afford basic needs. The number of households below the ALICE Threshold changes over time; households move in and out of poverty and ALICE status as their circumstances improve or worsen. The recovery, which started in 2010, has been uneven across the state. Conditions have improved for some families, but with rising costs, many still find themselves struggling.

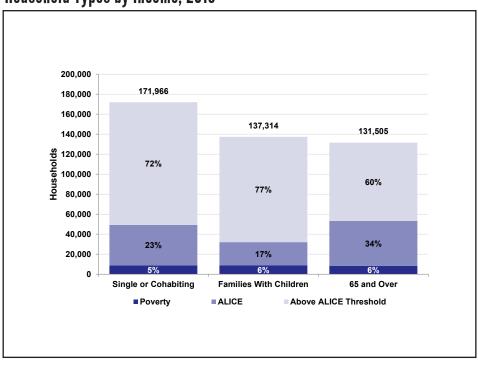
# What types of households are struggling?

The way Americans live is changing. There are more different family and living combinations than ever before, including more adults living alone, with roommates, or with their parents. Families with children are changing: There are more non-married cohabiting parents, same-sex parents, and blended families with remarried parents. The number of senior households is also increasing. Yet all types of households continue to struggle: ALICE and povertylevel households exist across all of these living arrangements.

### Households by Income, 2010 to 2016



### Household Types by Income, 2016



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# Why do so many households struggle?

#### The cost of living continues to increase...

The Household Survival Budget reflects the bare minimum that a household needs to live and work today. It does not include savings for emergencies or future goals like college. Family costs increased by 24 percent statewide from 2010 to 2016.

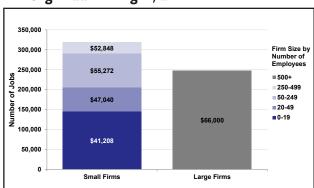
## Household Survival Budget, Nassau County

	SINGLE ADULT	2 ADULTS, 1 Infant, 1 Preschooler		
Monthly Costs				
Housing	\$1,003	\$1,608		
Child Care	\$-	\$2,375		
Food	\$182	\$603		
Transportation	\$314	\$627		
Health Care	\$196	\$727		
Technology	\$55	\$75		
Miscellaneous	\$218	\$737		
Taxes	\$427	\$1,356		
Monthly Total	\$2,395	\$8,108		
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$28,740	\$97,296		
Hourly Wage	\$14.37	\$48.65		

#### ...and wages lag behind

Employment and wages vary by location and firm size, but across the state, wages are still often less than the cost of the family Household Survival Budget.

# Private-Sector Employment by Firm Size With Average Annual Wages, 2016



Sources: 2016 Point-in-Time Data: American Community Survey.
ALICE Demographics: American Community Survey; the ALICE
Threshold. Budget: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban
Development; U.S. Department of Agriculture; Bureau of Labor
Statistics; Internal Revenue Service; Tax Foundation; and New York
State Office of Children & Family, 2016.

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Town	Total HH	% ALICE & Poverty		
Albertson CDP (P) Atlantic Beach (P)	1,757 644	26% 25%		
Baldwin CDP (P)	7,886	35%		
Baldwin Harbor CDP (P)	2,452	29%		
Barnum Island CDP (P)	912	38%		
Baxter Estates (P)	375	33%		
Bay Park CDP (P)	687	36%		
Bayville (P) Bellerose (P)	2,423 424	33% 18%		
Bellerose Terrace				
CDP (P)  Bellmore CDP (P)	563 5.421	27% 27%		
Bethpage CDP (P)	5,661	32%		
Brookville (P)	739	11%		
Carle Place CDP (P)	1,749	41%		
Cedarhurst (P)	1,961	36%		
Centre Island (P)	183	26%		
East Atlantic Beach CDP (P)	805	22%		
East Hills (P)	2,347	17%		
East Massapequa CDP (P)	6,528	31%		
East Meadow CDP (P)	12,171	35%		
East Norwich CDP (P)	960	22%		
East Rockaway (P) East Williston (P)	3,701 813	38% 17%		
Elmont CDP (P)	9.803	37%		
Farmingdale (P)	3,499	44%		
Floral Park (P)	5,732	28%		
Flower Hill (P) Franklin Square	1,479	21%		
CDP (P) Freeport (P)	9,652	35% 48%		
Garden City (P)	7,227	18%		
Garden City Park CDP (P)	2,543	30%		
Garden City South CDP (P)	1,351	28%		
Glen Cove (P)	9,587	46%		
Glen Head CDP (P)	1,653	30%		
Glenwood Landing CDP (P)	1,398	22%		
Great Neck (P)	3,109	35%		
Great Neck Estates (P) Great Neck Gardens	891	19%		
CDP (P)	330	49%		
Great Neck Plaza (P) Greenvale CDP (P)	3,757 420	47% 23%		
Harbor Hills CDP (P)	193	4%		
Harbor Isle CDP (P)	392	27%		
Hempstead (P)	15,831	60%		
Hempstead (SD)	241,712	34%		
Herricks CDP (P) Hewlett Bay Park (P)	1,279 129	26% 9%		
Hewlett CDP (P)	2,218	32%		
Hewlett Harbor (P)	413	16%		
Hewlett Neck (P)	115	9%		
Hicksville CDP (P)	13,189	32%		
Inwood CDP (P)	3,016	66% 42%		
Island Park (P) Jericho CDP (P)	1,718 4,643	20%		
Kensington (P)	439	22%		
Kings Point (P)	1,311	29%		
Lake Success (P)	719	18%		
Lakeview CDP (P)	1,542	22%		
Lattingtown (P) Laurel Hollow (P)	585 573	26% 14%		
Lawrence (P)	2,163	20%		
Levittown CDP (P)	16,276	28%		
Lido Beach CDP (P)	1,071	22%		
Locust Valley CDP (P)	1,230	40%		
Long Beach (P)	14,331 7,173	40%		
Lynbrook (P) Malverne (P)	3,141	40% 26%		
Malverne Park Oaks	201	6%		
CDP (P) Manhasset CDP (P)	2,597	31%		
Manhasset Hills		26%		
CDP (P) Manorhaven (P)	1,166 2,401	37%		
Massapequa CDP (P)	6,983	24%		

#### Nassau County, 2016

Town	Total HH	% ALICE & Poverty
Massapequa Park (P)	5,509	26%
Matinecock (P) Merrick CDP (P)	256 7,011	28% 19%
Mill Neck (P)	351	18%
Mineola (P)	7,094	36%
Munsey Park (P)	794	12%
Muttontown (P)	1,179 3,186	12%
New Cassel CDP (P)		46%
New Hyde Park (P) North Bellmore CDP	2,889	30%
(P)	6,430	26%
North Hempstead (SD)	76,568	30%
North Hills (P)	2,637	26%
North Lynbrook CDP	160	31%
(P)	.00	0170
North Massapequa CDP (P)	6,169	29%
North Merrick CDP (P)	3,873	24%
North New Hyde Park		
CDP (P)	4,676	25%
North Valley Stream	5,369	29%
CDP (P)	0,000	2070
North Wantagh CDP (P)	4,067	28%
Oceanside CDP (P)	10,775	33%
Old Bethpage CDP (P)	1,834	31%
Old Brookville (P)	649	17%
Old Westbury (P)	1,022	20%
Oyster Bay (SD)	98,032	27%
Oyster Bay CDP (P)	2,585	37%
Oyster Bay Cove (P)	697 2,840	13% 25%
Plainedge CDP (P) Plainview CDP (P)	8,752	22%
Plandome (P)	370	14%
Plandome Heights (P)	319	15%
Plandome Manor (P)	301	18%
Point Lookout CDP (P)	419	22%
Port Washington CDP (P)	5,704	26%
Port Washington North (P)	1,225	30%
Rockville Centre (P)	9,143	32%
Roosevelt CDP (P) Roslyn (P)	4,280 1,191	47% 38%
Roslyn Estates (P)	394	18%
Roslyn Harbor (P)	343	20%
Roslyn Heights CDP	2,075	31%
(P)		
Russell Gardens (P)	315	20%
Saddle Rock (P)	248	21%
Saddle Rock Estates CDP (P)	101	17%
Salisbury CDP (P)	3,965	26%
Sands Point (P)	950	8%
Sea Cliff (P)	1,920	29%
Seaford CDP (P)	5,140	20%
Searingtown CDP (P)	1,470	23%
South Farmingdale CDP (P)	4,773	28%
South Floral Park (P)	524	36%
South Hempstead		
CDP (P)	1,005	22%
South Valley Stream CDP (P)	2,045	30%
Stewart Manor (P)	730	17%
Syosset CDP (P)	6,162	19%
Thomaston (P)	997	31%
Uniondale CDP (P)	7,662	47%
University Gardens CDP (P)	1,613	33%
Upper Brookville (P)	508	16%
Valley Stream (P)	11,638	35%
Wantagh CDP (P)	5,857	20%
West Hempstead CDP (P)	5,843	31%
Westbury (P)	4,835	37%
Williston Park (P)	2,454	30%
Woodbury CDP (P)	2,939	26%
Woodmere CDP (P)	5,135	26%
Woodsburgh (P)	267	19%

Note: Municipal-level data is 1 or 5-year averages for Incorporated Places and County Subdivisions, which include Census Designated Places (CDPs). Totals do not match county-level numbers because some places cross county borders, geographies may overlap, data is not available for the smallest towns, and county-level data is often 1-year estimates.