

Federal Poverty Guidelines

For purposes of determining indigency, a rebuttable presumption of indigency is created for persons whose net income is below 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines.¹ The 2022 Poverty Guidelines, showing annual income levels, are as follows:

**2022 POVERTY GUIDELINES FOR THE
48 CONTIGUOUS STATES AND THE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Persons in family/household Poverty Guidelines**

| Family Size | Percent of Poverty Guideline | | | | |
|-------------|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | 100% | 125% | 150% | 175% | 200% |
| 1 | 13,590.00 | 16,987.50 | 20,385.00 | 23,782.50 | 27,180.00 |
| 2 | 18,310.00 | 22,887.50 | 27,465.00 | 32,042.50 | 36,620.00 |
| 3 | 23,030.00 | 28,787.50 | 34,545.00 | 40,302.50 | 46,060.00 |
| 4 | 27,750.00 | 34,687.50 | 41,625.00 | 48,562.50 | 55,500.00 |
| 5 | 32,470.00 | 40,587.50 | 48,705.00 | 56,822.50 | 64,940.00 |
| 6 | 37,190.00 | 46,487.50 | 55,785.00 | 65,082.50 | 74,380.00 |
| 7 | 41,910.00 | 52,387.50 | 62,865.00 | 73,342.50 | 83,820.00 |
| 8 | 46,630.00 | 58,287.50 | 69,945.00 | 81,602.50 | 93,260.00 |

For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$4,720 for each additional person.

The US Department of Health and Human Services creates these guidelines, and they are regularly updated. A summary of the 200% level of net income annually, monthly, and weekly basis is as follows:

2022 Income Poverty Guidelines Chart

| 2022 Income Poverty Guidelines (200%) | | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|---------|---------|
| Family Size | Annual | Monthly | Weekly |
| 1 | \$27,180 | \$2,265 | \$523 |
| 2 | \$36,620 | \$3,052 | \$704 |
| 3 | \$46,060 | \$3,838 | \$845 |
| 4 | \$55,500 | \$4,625 | \$1,067 |
| 5 | \$64,940 | \$5,412 | \$1,249 |
| 6 | \$74,380 | \$6,198 | \$1,430 |
| 7 | \$83,820 | \$6,985 | \$1,612 |
| 8 | \$93,260 | \$7,772 | \$1,793 |
| Each Add'l Person | \$9,440 | \$787 | \$182 |

¹ Per the adopted MIDC Standard of indigency the rebuttable presumption of indigency exists where net income is below 200% of the poverty level. Per the MIDC Statute, a rebuttable presumption level is \$140 % of the poverty level. MCL 780.991(b). The 200% MIDC Standard is followed for purposes of establishing a rebuttable presumption of indigency based on net income.