

# Senate District 8

## By the Numbers:



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**SNAP**  
(Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)

No. of Individuals Receiving SNAP

19,990

Monthly SNAP Amount Distributed

\$2,369,500

No. of SNAP Retailers

117

Total Recipients\*

221

Total Monthly Distribution\*

\$25,156

**Cash Assistance**



\*Combined Family Independence Temporary Assistance & Kinship Care Subsidy Programs



**TOPS**  
(Taylor Opportunity Program for Students)

No. of Students Receiving TOPS

1,472

Honors: 308  
Performance: 361  
Opportunity: 768  
Tech: 35

No. of Households Receiving EITC

16,394

Percent of Tax Filers Receiving EITC

33.5%

State EITC Refunds\*

\$2,329,587

**EITC**  
(Earned Income Tax Credit)



\*Estimated at 5 percent of federal credit, using 2014 tax data



**Medicaid**

Medicaid Enrollment (Expansion)

13,884

Medicaid Enrollment (Non-Expansion)

30,659

Source: Louisiana State Agencies

All data is the most recent available at time of publication, ranging from 2014 to 2018

# Demographics



Population

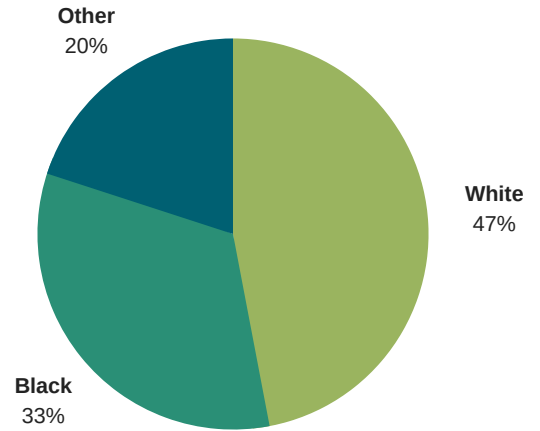
117,818



No. of Households

41,600

## Racial Distribution



# Economy



Median Household Income

\$48,267



Poverty Rates

Category	Rate
Overall	17.3%
Children	27%
Seniors	15%



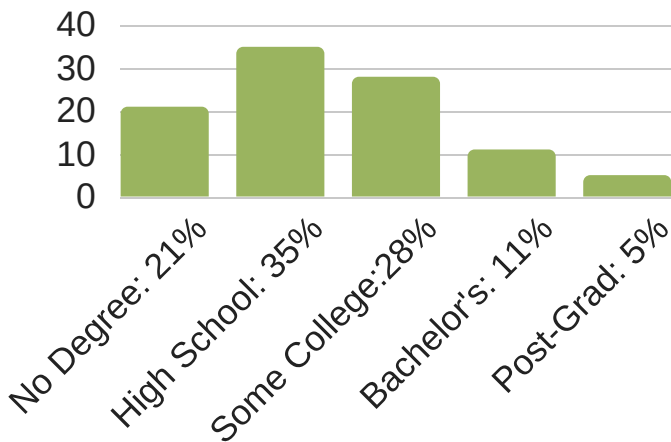
Median Value of Owner-Occupied Housing

\$151,100

# Education

## Minimum Level of Educational Attainment

Population 25 years and over



Public School Enrollment

Jefferson:	49,212
Plaquemines:	4,063