

12th Congressional District - Hon. Nydia M. Velzaquez

Counties: New York, Queens, Kings

Population

Number of Persons	650,795
Number of Households	232,187
Number of Families	132,353

Poverty

Number of Persons in Poverty	173,218
Poverty Rate	26.7%
Number of Families in Poverty	36,086
Family Poverty Rate	27.3%
Number of Families with Children in Poverty	26,516

Child Poverty

Number of Children in Poverty	59,339
Child Poverty Rate	38.1%

Receipt of Public Benefits

Households with cash public assistance	20,171
Households with food stamp benefits	34,519
Households with children receiving free or reduced price school lunch	40,319

Income

Median Annual Household Income	\$32,921
Median Annual Family Income	\$32,694

* Data from the Census 2000 Supplementary Survey