

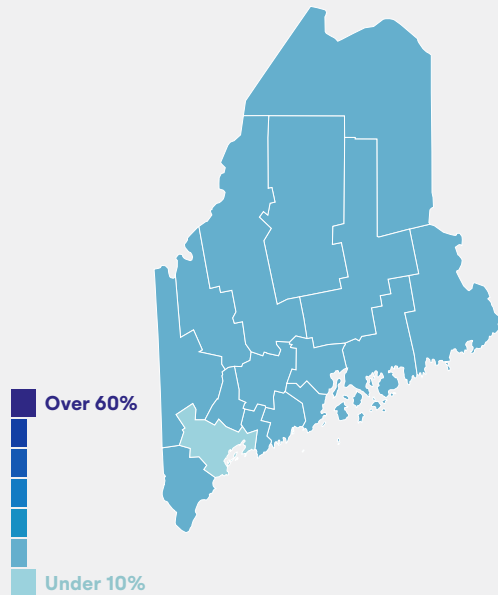
# 13.4%

of adults in Maine have low literacy

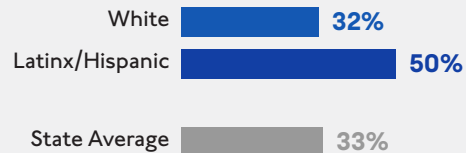
Maine ranks 6 out of 50 in the U.S.

## 3 in 8

counties in Maine have populations where 15% or more of the residents have below basic literacy



The percent of 4th graders with below basic reading by race



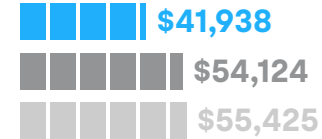
## How does low literacy affect equity and quality of life?

In counties where at least 15% of the population have below basic literacy, we see that many health, economic, and educational outcomes fall short.

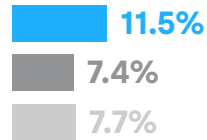
### Unemployment



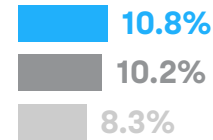
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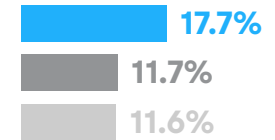
### Adults Without a High School Degree



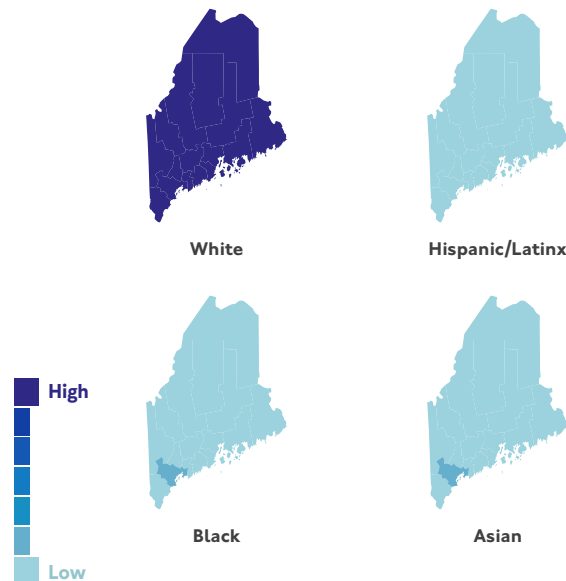
### No Access to Healthcare



### Residents Below the Poverty Line

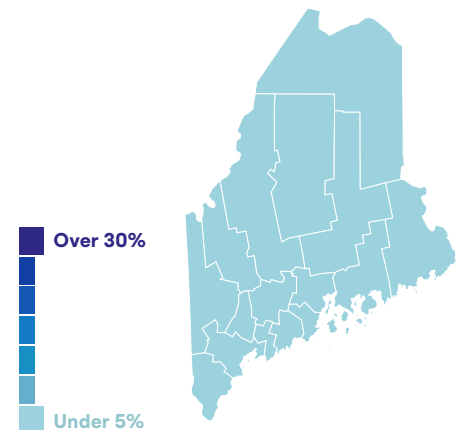


## Demographics



## Households Where Limited English is Spoken

The percentage of households where no adult speaks English "very well."





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