

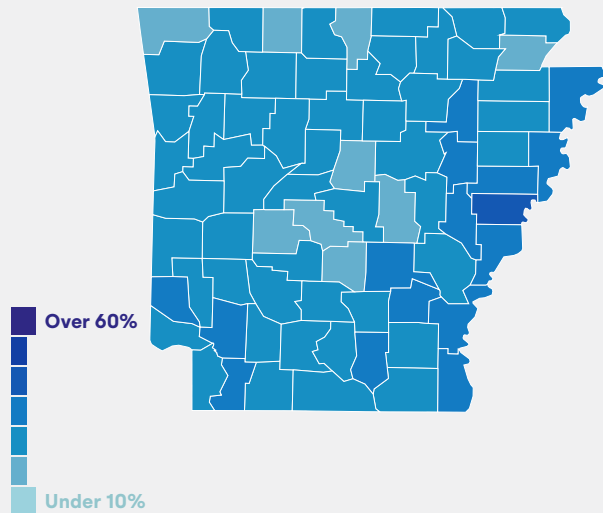
23.1%

of adults in Arkansas have low literacy

Arkansas ranks 39 out of 50 in the U.S.

1 in 2

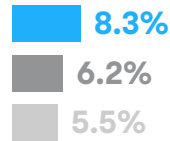
counties in Arkansas have populations where 25% or more of the residents have below basic literacy



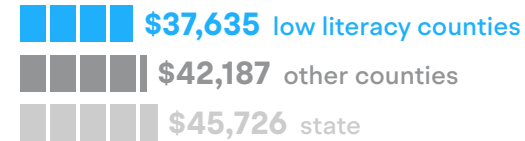
How does low literacy affect equity and quality of life?

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

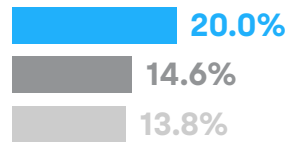
Unemployment



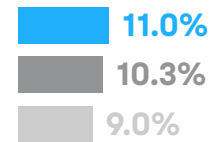
Median Income



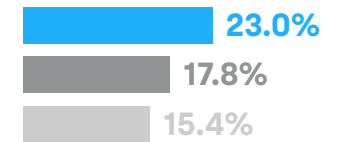
Adults Without a High School Degree



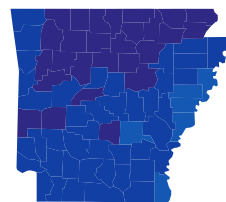
No Access to Healthcare



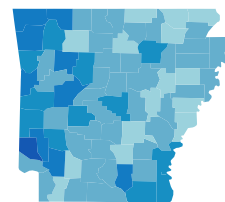
Residents Below the Poverty Line



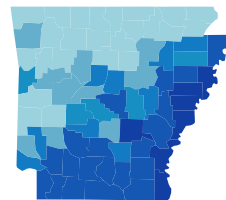
Demographics



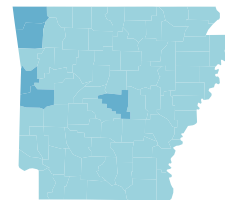
White



Hispanic/Latinx



Black

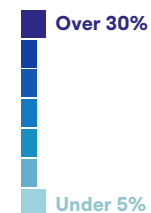
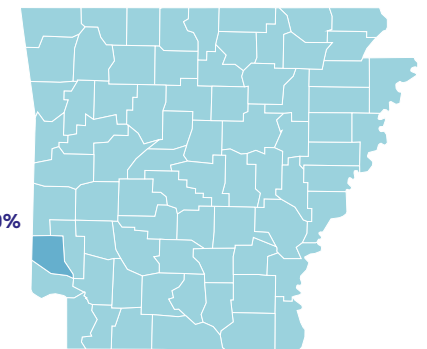


Asian

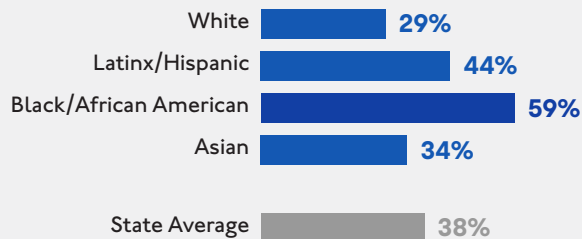


Households Where Limited English is Spoken

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



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





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