Hispanic Population
- Valley County had 520 Hispanic residents in 2018.

Age Structure
- 18.1% of Valley County’s population was under 18 in 2018, in contrast to 25.5% in Idaho and 22.4% in the US.
- In 2018, 56.8% of the population was 18 to 64 years old, compared to 58.9% in Idaho and 62.0% in the US.
- Valley County’s median age in 2018 was 48.7 compared to 36.6 in Idaho and 38.2 in the US.

Income
- The county’s per capita income in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was $50,529, compared to the state average of $43,696 and the national average of $55,433.
- Per capita income increased by 20.3% from 2008 to 2018, compared to an increase of 15.3% in Idaho and an increase of 14.1% in the US.
- The median household income (adjusted for inflation) was $61,377 in 2018 compared to $56,530 in Idaho and $63,059 in the US.

Housing
- The median value of owner-occupied housing (adjusted for inflation) was $288,128 between 2014 and 2018, compared to $195,784 in Idaho and $208,613 in the US.
- The median value was the 3rd highest out of Idaho’s 44 counties between 2014 and 2018.
- The number of housing units increased by 51.3% from 2000 to 2018, compared to an increase of 34.8% in Idaho.

Medicaid
- Valley County had 520 Hispanic residents in 2018.

Note: The Consumer Price Index (CPI) is a measure of inflation. Using the CPI to put dollar values in “real” terms makes it easier to see “inflation-free” change over time. Our base year is 2019, which means all dollar values are in terms of 2019 dollars.

For more information, see https://www.bls.gov/cpi/home.htm

Sources:
Please see the Indicators Idaho website (indicatorsidaho.org) for data sources and additional information about your county.

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Educational Attainment

In Valley County on average between 2014-2018...

- 5.4% of the population 25 years and older had no high school diploma, compared to 9.4% in Idaho and 12.3% in the US.
- 30.1% had a bachelor’s degree or higher, compared to 26.9% in Idaho and 31.5% in the US.

Poverty

- Valley County’s overall poverty rate decreased from 9.6% in 2008 when the recession began to 8.4% in 2018.
- Statewide, the overall poverty rate in 2018 was 11.7% and the US rate was 13.1%.
- Valley County’s child poverty rate (for people under 18) decreased from 16.4% in 2008 when the recession began to 13.9% in 2018.
- On average between 2014 and 2018, the poverty rate for people 65 and over was 11.3 percent.

Valley County Youth

- The teen birth rate in 2017 was 0 per 1,000, compared to 6 per 1,000 in Idaho and 8 per 1,000 in the US.
- On average between 2014 and 2018, teens who were not working, looking for work, and not in school made up 5.5% of all youth aged 16-19, compared to 6.8% in Idaho and 6.8% in the US.

Crime and Law Enforcement

In Valley County in 2018...

- The total number of crimes reported was 164 per 10,000 population, compared to 169 in Idaho and 258 in the US.
- The number of sworn police officers per 1,000 population was 2.7, compared to 1.6 in Idaho and 2.1 in the US.