Hispanic Population

- Adams County had 179 Hispanic residents in 2018.

Age Structure

- 17.7% of Adams County’s population was under 18 in 2018, in contrast to 25.5% in Idaho and 22.4% in the US.
- In 2018, 53.5% of the population was 18 to 64 years old, compared to 58.7% in Idaho and 61.5% in the US.

Income

- The county’s per capita income in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was $38,131, compared to the state average of $44,696 and the national average of $55,433.
- Per capita income increased by 13.4% from 2008 to 2018, compared to an increase of 15.3% in Idaho and 14.1% in the US.
- The median household income (adjusted for inflation) was $46,132 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 $176,237 between 2014 and 2018, compared to $195,784 in Idaho and $208,613 in the US.
- The median value was the 16th highest out of Idaho’s 44 counties between 2014 and 2018.
- The number of housing units increased by 35.4% from 2000 to 2018, compared to an increase of 34.8% in Idaho.

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

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Educational Attainment

- In Adams County on average between 2014-2018, 10.4% of the population 25 years and older had no high school diploma, compared to 9.4% in Idaho and 12.3% in the US.
- 19.1% had a bachelor's degree or higher, compared to 26.9% in Idaho and 31.5% in the US.

Poverty

- Adams County’s overall poverty rate increased from 12.6% in 2007 when the recession began to 13.2% in 2018.
- Statewide, the overall poverty rate in 2018 was 11.7% and the US rate was 13.1%.
- Adams County’s child poverty rate (for people under 18) increased from 19.7% in 2007 when the recession began to 24.1% in 2018.
- On average between 2014 and 2018, the poverty rate for people 65 and over was 10.5 percent.

Adams 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 11.6% of all youth aged 16-19, compared to 6.8% in Idaho and 6.8% in the US.

Crime and Law Enforcement

- The total number of crimes reported was NA 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 1.6, compared to 1.6 in Idaho and 2.1 in the US.

Employment

- The average annual unemployment rate in 2018 was 5.5%, compared to 2.8% for Idaho and 3.9% for the US. Adams County ranked 3rd from highest to lowest out of Idaho’s 44 counties.
- The largest number of jobs in 2018 were provided by government, arts, entertainment, & recreation, and farming.
- The number of jobs was 2,352 in 2018, compared to 1,427 in 1969—a 65% increase.
- In 2018, the self-employment rate was 40.2%, compared to 25.7% for Idaho and 23.1% for the US.
- The average wage per job in 2018 (adjusted for inflation) was $37,842 up from $30,832 a decade earlier. The average was $43,659 in Idaho and $58,304 in the US.

Social Trends

- Adams County had 4,250 residents in 2018, 274 more than in 2010.
- Population increased by 6.9 percent between 2010 and 2018, compared to an increase of 11.9 percent in Idaho as a whole.
- Adams County was the 15th fastest growing county out of Idaho’s 44 counties between 2010 and 2018.
- Since 1970, Adams County has gained 1,373 residents.
- Adams County had a migration rate higher & natural change rate lower than the state average between 2010 and 2018.

Population Change

Employment by Industry

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