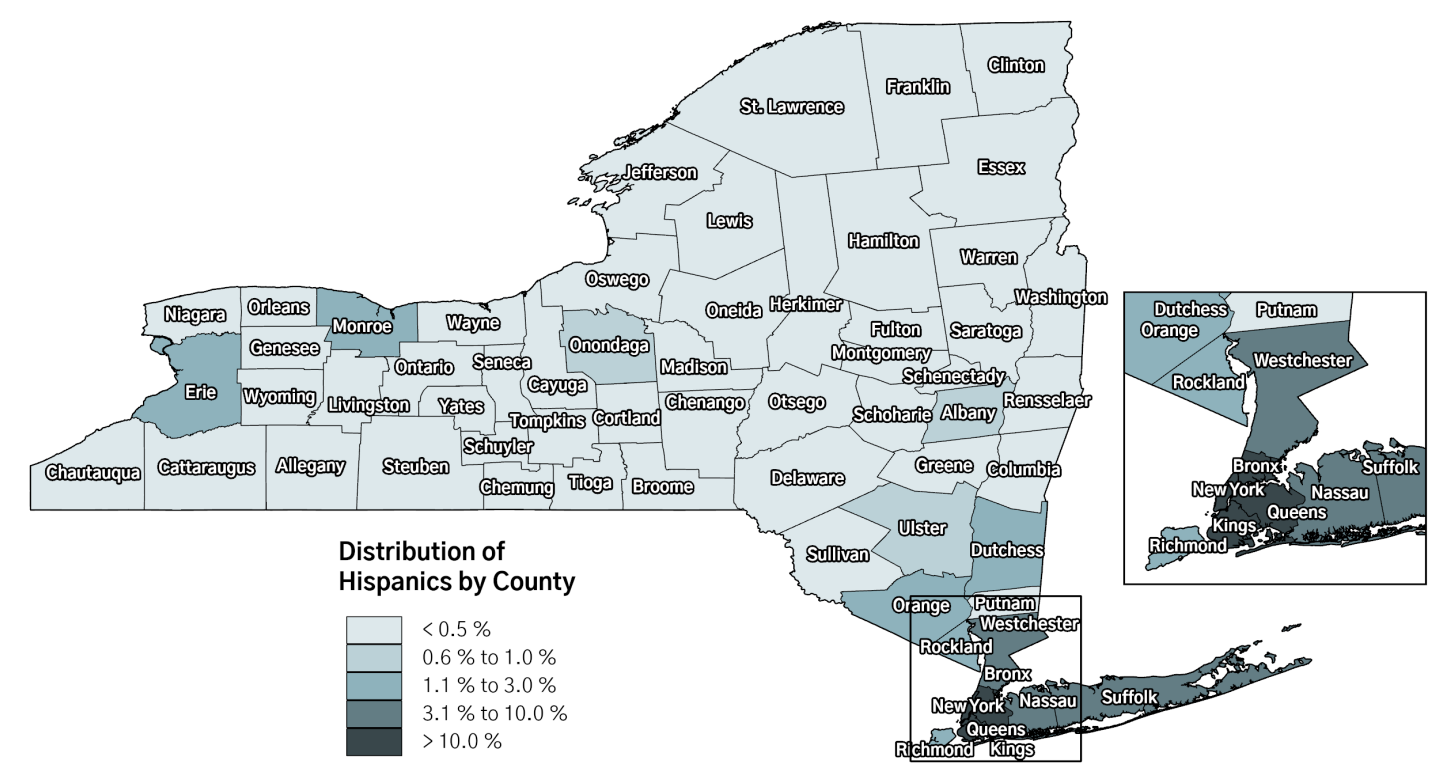


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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2024 American Community Survey, 5-year estimates (TableID: B03001)

Total Population	4,019,288	♂ MALE	49.6%	♀ FEMALE	50.4%
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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2024 American Community Survey, 1-year estimates (TableID: S0201)

HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE		AGE DISTRIBUTION		LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY (Population 5 years and over)	
				3,730,457	
With Private Health Insurance	49.6%	Under 18	25.8%	English only	26.8%
With Public Health Insurance	50.2%	65 and over	11.7%	Language other than English	73.2%
No Health Insurance Coverage	10.0%	Median Age (years)	34.2	Speaks English less than "very well"	34.3%
HOUSEHOLDS		EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT (Population 25 years and over)		MEAN EARNINGS FOR FULL-TIME, YEAR-ROUND WORKERS	
1,322,978		2,564,879			
Median Household Income	\$66,069	Less than High School Diploma	26.6%		
With Food Stamps/SNAP benefits	30.7%	High School Graduates/GED	27.7%		
HOUSING TENURE		Some College or Associate's Degree	22.0%		
		Bachelor's Degree or Higher	23.8%		
		▪ Male	20.6%		
		▪ Female	26.8%		
		EMPLOYMENT STATUS (Population 16 years and over)		POVERTY RATES	
		3,101,183			
		In labor force	64.6%	All families	16.6%
		Civilian Labor Force	64.5%	Female Head of Household No spouse w/children	36.8%
		▪ Employed	59.7%	All people	19.8%
		▪ Unemployed**	4.8%	Under age 18	23.9%
		▪ Unemployment rate**	7.4%	PURCHASING POWER	
		Not in labor force	35.4%		
				Income per capita	\$32,255
				Purchasing Power (billions)	\$129.6

**The unemployment rate for Hispanics (7.4%) is calculated by dividing those unemployed by the number in the civilian labor force; while the 4.8% designated as unemployed is based on the percentage of the population 16 years and older without a job but searching for one.