Harford County Population
Harford County

- 7th largest Maryland jurisdiction
- 242,514 population estimate: 2009
- 4.3% of Maryland’s population of 5.7M
- Significant population growth over the past 30 + years
  - Population growth slowed in 2000 and likely will continue to grow at a slower rate
U.S. Population
1990 to 2030 Projected

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 National Population Projections
Maryland Population
1990 to 2030 Projected
Harford County Population
1990 – 2030 Projected

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<td>242,514</td>
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<td>248,450</td>
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<td>276,500</td>
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<td>2030</td>
<td>283,600</td>
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MD Department of Planning, Planning Data Services: December 2008
Percentage Change in Population 1990 to 2030 Projected

- 1990-2000: 20.0%
- 2000-2009: 10.9%
- 2009-2020: 14.0%
- 2020-2030: 2.6%

Source:
- U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 National Population Projections
- MD Department of Planning, Planning Data Services: December 2008
Map A: Population Change for Maryland's Jurisdictions, 2000-2009

Total change for Maryland: 402,934

Source: The Maryland Department of Planning, Planning Data Services from the Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau
Map B: Percent Population Change for Maryland's Jurisdictions, 2000-2009

Total percent change for Maryland: 7.6%

Source: The Maryland Department of Planning, Planning Data Services from the Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau
Percentage Change in Population
1990 - 2000

- Baltimore Co.: 9.0%
- Maryland: 10.8%
- Anne Arundel: 14.6%
- Harford: 20.0%
- Cecil: 20.5%
- Carroll: 22.3%
- Frederick: 30.0%
- Howard: 32.3%

MD Department of Planning, Planning Data Services
Percentage Change in Population
2000 – 2010 Projected

- Maryland: 9.1%
- Anne Arundel: 6.3%
- Baltimore Co.: 6.3%
- Carroll: 16.5%
- Cecil: 20.8%
- Frederick: 19.6%
- Harford: 13.7%
- Howard: 13.8%

MD Department of Planning, Planning Data Services, December 2008
Percentage Change in Population
2010 – 2020Projected
Percentage Change in Population: 1990 to 2020 Projected

- Cecil: 83%
- Harford: 52%
- Anne Arundel: 30%
- Howard: 67%
- Frederick: 92%
- Carroll: 60%
- Baltimore County: 22%

Maryland Average = 33%

MD Department of Planning, Planning Data Services, December 2008
2009 Estimate
Harford County Population Estimate

Total = 242,946 People

Data Source: Claritas 2009 Demographic Update, Maryland
Harford County: 2000 - 2009
Largest and Smallest Growth Areas

ZIP Codes With Largest Growth:
- Belcamp 26.6%
- Forest Hill 23.5%
- Bel Air – 15 20.6%
- Abingdon 19.6%
- Havre de Grace 18.8%

ZIP Codes with Smallest Growth:
- Darlington 0.3%
- Baldwin 0.8%
- Churchville 2.8%
- Fallston 3.2%
- Joppa 3.8%
Population Characteristics
Age Data
Summary: Age Data

For 2008, the U.S. Census Bureau estimated that the Harford County population was distributed among the below age categories as follows:

- Under 5 years: 6.0%
- 5 to 19 years: 21.3%
- 20 to 44 years: 33.2%
- 45 to 59 years: 22.7%
- 60 to 74 years: 11.7%
- 75 to 84 years: 3.9%
- 85 years and over: 1.1%

This distribution closely mirrored the U.S. and Maryland populations, as well as that of other nearby Maryland Counties, with one exception. In Baltimore County, a larger percentage of the population was age 65 and over, and smaller percentages existed in the other age categories.
Age Data

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Harford County
2008 Population Estimate

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<td>0-19 Years</td>
<td>27.3%</td>
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<td>45-64 Years</td>
<td>27.7%</td>
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<td>65 Years and Over</td>
<td>11.7%</td>
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240,351 Total People

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population Ages: Birth to 19 Years

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population
Ages: 20 to 44 Years

- Cecil: 36.4%
- Anne Arundel: 34.4%
- Maryland: 34.3%
- Frederick: 33.9%
- Howard: 33.5%
- Baltimore Co.: 33.2%
- Harford: 33.2%
- Carroll: 32.8%

79,781 Individuals

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population
Ages: 45 to 64 Years

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population Age 65 and Over

- Baltimore Co.: 14.5%
- Maryland: 12.1%
- Carroll: 12.0%
- Harford: 11.7%
- Anne Arundel: 11.3%
- Cecil: 11.2%
- Frederick: 10.3%
- Howard: 9.3%

28,049 Individuals

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Race and Ethnicity
Summary: Race and Ethnicity

For 2008, the U.S. Census Bureau estimated that, for people reporting one race alone, 83% of the Harford County population was White, 13% Black or African American, 2% Asian, and the remainder was split among a variety of other races. One percent of the Harford County population reported two or more races.

In Harford County, the White population comprised a greater percentage of the total population than either the U.S. (75%) or Maryland (61%). The Black or African American population of the county comprised about the same percentage of the total population as the U.S. (12%), but a smaller percentage than the Maryland average (29%).

Three percent of the Harford County population was Hispanic or Latino. People of any race may have a Hispanic or Latino ethnicity. This was a smaller percentage of the total population than the U.S. (15%) and less than one-half of the Maryland average (7%).

From 2000 to 2008, collectively, the non-White races in Harford County increased by 4%, from 13% of the population in 2000 to 17% of the population in 2008.
Population by Race

- **White**: 83.1%
- **African American**: 12.7%
- **Asian**: 2.4%
- **Other Single Race**: 0.6%
- **Two or More Races**: 1.2%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Harford County Population by Race

83.1%

12.7%

White
African American
Asian
Two or More Races
Other Single Race

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity

People of any race may claim Hispanic or Latino ethnicity.

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Map 3 - Percentage Point Change in the Share of Minority Population in Maryland - April 1, 2000 - July 1, 2008*

Change in Share of Minority Population (Percentage Points)

-0.6% - 0.0%
0.1% - 1.9%
2.0% - 4.9%
5.0% - 15.7%

Maryland's change in minority population share is 4.6 percentage points.

Map displays the change in share of minority population, not the percent change. For example, the minority population share in Montgomery County went from 40.0% in 2000 to 46.3% in 2008, a change in share of 6.3 percentage points.

* Minority is defined as everyone other than "Non-Hispanic White alone"

Source: Population Division, U.S. Census Bureau. Release Date: May 14, 2009. Prepared by the Maryland Department of Planning, Planning Data Services
## Harford County: Race and Ethnicity

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<td>4,169</td>
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U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Marital Status
Summary – Marital Status

In 2009, of the Harford County population age 15 years and over, 65% were married, 21% had never been married, 6% were widowed, and 8% were divorced.

The Harford County zip codes with the highest and lowest percentages of married households, where the spouse was present were:

- Baldwin 73.0%
- Fallston 70.7%
- Jarrettsville 69.6%
- Edgewood 50.0%
- Aberdeen 51.7%
- Belcamp 53.5%

The Harford County zip codes with the highest and lowest divorce rates were:

- Belcamp 12.8%
- Darlington 12.4%
- Edgewood 12.2%
- Pylesville 4.0%
- Baldwin 4.1%
- Fallston 4.2%
Harford County
Marital Status: Population Age 15 Years and Older

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<td>Males, Never Married</td>
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<td>Males, Previously Married</td>
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<td>Females, Never Married</td>
<td>9.8%</td>
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Nielsen Claritas 2009 1-Year Estimate
2009 Estimates
Harford County Zip Codes

Married-Spouse Present

- Nielsen Claritas 2009 1-Year Estimate
2009 Estimates
Harford County Zip Codes

Divorce Rates

Belcamp | Darlington | Edgewood | Aberdeen | Havre de Grace | Bel Air 1A | Street | Joppa | Harford County | Abingdon | Monkton | Bel Air 14 | Churchville | Whiteford | White Hall | Forest Hill | Jarrettsville | Fallston | Baldwin | Pylesville

Nielsen Claritas 2009 1-Year Estimate
Education
Summary – Educational Attainment

• In 2008, 92% of adults 25 years and over in Harford County had graduated from high school and 29% had a bachelor’s degree or higher. Eight percent were dropouts; they were not enrolled in school and had not graduated from high school.

• The percentages above were similar to the both the U.S. and Maryland averages. Likewise, the percentages were similar to nearby Maryland Counties except for Howard County. There, a much higher percentage (60%) of residents had a bachelor’s degree or higher, while only 4% were dropouts.

• The total school enrollment in Harford County was 66,000 in 2008. Nursery school and kindergarten enrollment was 7,000 and elementary or high school enrollment was 42,000 children. College or graduate school enrollment was 17,000.

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Educational Attainment
Population Age 25 or Older

- U.S.
- Maryland
- Harford

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population Age 25 or Older Less Than a High School Graduate/GED

- Howard: 4.8%
- Frederick: 7.8%
- Harford: 8.5%
- Anne Arundel: 9.6%
- Carroll: 10.4%
- Baltimore Co.: 10.8%
- Maryland: 12.0%
- Cecil: 14.4%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population Age 25 or Older
High School Graduate/GED or Higher

U.S. Census Bureau, 2008 American Community Survey: 1-Year Estimates
Percentage of Population Age 25 or Older with Bachelor’s Degree or Higher

Howard: 59.6%
Anne Arundel: 36.8%
Frederick: 35.9%
Maryland: 35.2%
Baltimore Co.: 34.5%
Carroll: 29.2%
Harford: 29.0%
Cecil: 20.0%
U.S. Military Veteran Status
Veteran Status

Percentage of Population Age 18 and Over

- U.S.: 9.8%
- Maryland: 10.4%
- Harford: 13.5%
Veteran Status

Percentage of Population Age 18 and Over

- Anne Arundel: 15.6%
- Harford: 13.5%
- Cecil: 12.9%
- Frederick: 11.6%
- Maryland: 10.4%
- Baltimore Co.: 10.0%
- Carroll: 9.7%
- Howard: 8.8%

24,286 Individuals

Disabilities

The data in this section is from the U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey, 3-year estimates.
Summary - Disabilities

•From 2005 to 2007, of the Harford County population age five years and over, 5.8% had one type of disability, and 6.5% had two or more types of disabilities. These percentages were similar to both the U.S. and Maryland averages.

•The percentage of persons with a disability was highest for those age 65 and over (37%), compared to those between 16 and 64 years (10%) and those between 5 and 15 years (5%).

•A greater percentage (47%) of persons in Harford County between the ages of 16 and 64, who had a disability, were employed, compared to the U.S (37%) and Maryland (42%) averages.

•The unemployment rate for persons with a disability was higher than for those without any disability. In March 2009, those respective rates were 13.1% compared to 8.9%.

•A far greater percentage of persons with a disability had incomes below the poverty level, compared to those without any disabilities. From 2005 to 2007, in Harford County, 11% of those with a disability had income below the poverty level, compared to 4.3% of those without a disability. Both of these percentages were lower than the U.S. and Maryland averages.
Employment Status
Population 16 to 64 Years – With Any Disability

Percent Employed

- U.S.: 36.7%
- Maryland: 41.9%
- Harford Co.: 43.6%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Unemployment Rate Comparison

Oct-08: 11.1% Persons with a Disability, 5.9% Persons with no Disability
Nov-08: 11.1% Persons with a Disability, 6.3% Persons with no Disability
Dec-08: 12.3% Persons with a Disability, 6.9% Persons with no Disability
Jan-09: 13.2% Persons with a Disability, 8.3% Persons with no Disability
Feb-09: 14.0% Persons with a Disability, 8.7% Persons with no Disability
Mar-09: 13.1% Persons with a Disability, 8.9% Persons with no Disability

Poverty Status
Population 5 Years and Over

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Population Age Five and Over With One or More Types of Disabilities

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Harford County
Population 5 to 15 Years

37,818 Total Individuals

- Any Disability: 5.1%
- With a Sensory Disability: 0.4%
- Physical Disability: 1.1%
- Mental Disability: 4.2%
- Self-Care Disability: 0.9%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Harford County
Population 16 to 64 Years

152,679 Total Individuals

- Any Disability: 9.8%
- Sensory Disability: 1.7%
- Physical Disability: 5.5%
- Mental Disability: 3.1%
- Self-Care Disability: 1.4%
- Go Outside Home Disability: 2.0%
- Employment Disability: 6.0%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Harford County
Population 65 Years and Over

26,858 Total Individuals

- Any Disability: 36.7%
- Sensory Disability: 13.8%
- Physical Disability: 28.9%
- Mental Disability: 12.4%
- Self-Care Disability: 10.9%
- Go-Outside-Home Disability: 17.2%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Harford County
Population 5 Years and Over With Any Disability

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Harford County
Population 5 Years and Over With A Physical Disability

217,355 Total Individuals

- 5 to 15 Years: 1.1%
- 16 to 64 Years: 5.5%
- 65 Years and Over: 28.9%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates
Harford County
Population 5 Years and Over With A Mental Disability

217,355 Total Individuals

- 5 to 15 Years: 4.2%
- 16 to 64 Years: 3.1%
- 65 Years and Over: 12.4%

U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey 3-Year Estimates