

**COMMUNITY DATA compiled by the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond****PRESTON COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA****2009****County State****DEMOGRAPHICS**

Total Population	30,178	1,811,403
18 years and over	23,693	1,424,575
65 years and over	4,713	281,493
Median age	41.5	40.4
Hispanic or Latino	309	19,574
Not Hispanic or Latino	29,869	1,791,829
White alone	28,680	1,693,100
Black alone	848	58,959
American Indian & Alaska Native alone	22	2,829
Asian alone	32	11,352
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	542
Foreign born	369	23,405
Language other than English	710	39,909

**HOUSEHOLD STRUCTURE**

Total households	11,946	746,419
Female householder, no husband present, family	1,302	80,808
With own children under 18 years	713	44,059
Householder living alone	2,854	213,234
65 years and over	1,222	86,929
Average household size	2.4	2.37

**HOUSING**

Total housing units	13,934	885,327
Occupied housing units	11,946	746,419
Vacant housing units	1,988	138,908
Owner-occupied housing Units	9,815	554,391
Renter-occupied housing Units	2,131	192,028
Homeowner vacancy rate	1.4	2.1
Rental vacancy rate	5.5	7.5

**EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

Population 25 years and over	21,394	1,253,685
Less than 9th grade	1,573	87,113
Percent high school graduate or higher	82.0%	81.6%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	12.1%	17.1%
Percent graduate or professional degree	4.0%	6.7%

**INCOME**

Median household income (dollars)	37,142	37,356
Per capita income (dollars)	18,011	20,891
Percent all people whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	15.0%	17.6%
Percent 18 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	14.0%	15.8%
Percent 65 years and over whose income in the past 12 months is below the poverty level	11.3%	10.8%

Note: N/A - Data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small or not available.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

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