

Alaska

S1801. Disability Characteristics

Data Set: 2007 American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates

Survey: American Community Survey

NOTE: For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions, see [Survey Methodology](#).

Subject	Total	Margin of Error	Male	Margin of Error	Female	Margin of Error
Population 5 years and over	609,541	+/-1,773	310,922	+/-2,283	298,619	+/-1,753
Without any disability	85.2%	+/-0.6	85.3%	+/-0.9	85.1%	+/-0.9
With one type of disability	7.1%	+/-0.5	7.6%	+/-0.7	6.6%	+/-0.7
With two or more types of disabilities	7.7%	+/-0.6	7.1%	+/-0.6	8.3%	+/-0.9
Population 5 to 15 years	105,620	+/-1,565	55,234	+/-1,276	50,386	+/-1,355
With any disability	5.6%	+/-1.2	7.3%	+/-1.7	3.7%	+/-1.3
With a sensory disability	0.8%	+/-0.4	1.2%	+/-0.6	0.5%	+/-0.4
With a physical disability	1.3%	+/-0.5	1.9%	+/-0.9	0.7%	+/-0.5
With a mental disability	4.4%	+/-1.0	5.7%	+/-1.5	3.0%	+/-1.2
With a self-care disability	0.7%	+/-0.4	1.0%	+/-0.7	0.4%	+/-0.4
Population 16 to 64 years	457,758	+/-2,791	233,691	+/-2,523	224,067	+/-1,724
With any disability	13.6%	+/-0.8	13.6%	+/-1.1	13.7%	+/-1.1
With a sensory disability	4.0%	+/-0.4	4.8%	+/-0.6	3.1%	+/-0.5
With a physical disability	7.6%	+/-0.6	7.0%	+/-0.8	8.3%	+/-0.9
With a mental disability	5.5%	+/-0.6	4.9%	+/-0.7	6.1%	+/-1.0
With a self-care disability	2.0%	+/-0.3	1.6%	+/-0.4	2.4%	+/-0.5
With a go-outside-home disability	3.0%	+/-0.4	2.0%	+/-0.4	4.0%	+/-0.7
With an employment disability	6.2%	+/-0.6	5.8%	+/-0.7	6.6%	+/-0.9
Population 65 years and over	46,163	+/-1,187	21,997	+/-597	24,166	+/-1,070
With any disability	47.8%	+/-3.1	45.7%	+/-3.8	49.8%	+/-4.3
With a sensory disability	23.4%	+/-2.1	27.8%	+/-3.9	19.3%	+/-3.0
With a physical disability	35.1%	+/-3.1	32.3%	+/-3.9	37.7%	+/-4.2
With a mental disability	16.3%	+/-2.6	14.8%	+/-3.2	17.7%	+/-3.7
With a self-care disability	11.6%	+/-2.1	7.8%	+/-2.1	15.0%	+/-3.4
With a go-outside-home disability	19.3%	+/-2.9	12.6%	+/-2.6	25.3%	+/-4.3
EMPLOYMENT STATUS						
Population 16 to 64 years	457,758	+/-2,791	233,691	+/-2,523	224,067	+/-1,724
With any disability	62,394	+/-3,483	31,713	+/-2,641	30,681	+/-2,534
Employed	41.6%	+/-3.1	44.8%	+/-4.1	38.4%	+/-4.1
With a sensory disability	18,228	+/-1,850	11,197	+/-1,503	7,031	+/-1,203
Employed	49.8%	+/-5.5	49.8%	+/-6.7	49.9%	+/-9.6
With a physical disability	34,960	+/-2,991	16,415	+/-1,969	18,545	+/-1,950
Employed	34.1%	+/-3.4	32.0%	+/-4.8	35.9%	+/-5.0
With a mental disability	25,043	+/-2,625	11,354	+/-1,544	13,689	+/-2,292
Employed	29.7%	+/-5.1	36.9%	+/-8.3	23.7%	+/-5.6
With a self-care disability	9,194	+/-1,577	3,760	+/-964	5,434	+/-1,151
Employed	15.1%	+/-5.7	11.2%	+/-8.3	17.9%	+/-7.8
With a go-outside-home disability	13,604	+/-1,985	4,577	+/-972	9,027	+/-1,527
Employed	17.3%	+/-5.5	18.7%	+/-6.8	16.7%	+/-6.6
With an employment disability	28,394	+/-2,997	13,612	+/-1,666	14,782	+/-2,086
Employed	21.0%	+/-4.0	22.4%	+/-5.5	19.6%	+/-5.3
No disability	395,364	+/-4,058	201,978	+/-3,587	193,386	+/-2,890
Employed	74.5%	+/-1.1	78.8%	+/-1.4	70.0%	+/-1.4
POVERTY STATUS						
Population 5 years and over for whom a poverty status is determined	605,600	+/-1,791	308,823	+/-2,288	296,777	+/-1,894
With any disability	89,857	+/-3,947	45,509	+/-2,807	44,348	+/-2,815
Below poverty level	12.8%	+/-1.7	13.5%	+/-2.2	12.0%	+/-2.0

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With a sensory disability	29,869	+/-2,059	17,928	+/-1,681	11,941	+/-1,400
Below poverty level	11.8%	+/-2.9	12.4%	+/-3.2	10.8%	+/-3.7
With a physical disability	52,235	+/-3,363	24,374	+/-2,165	27,861	+/-2,280
Below poverty level	12.6%	+/-2.0	15.2%	+/-2.8	10.4%	+/-2.3
With a mental disability	37,092	+/-2,917	17,698	+/-1,741	19,394	+/-2,534
Below poverty level	13.4%	+/-2.8	13.0%	+/-3.8	13.8%	+/-3.6
With a self-care disability	15,289	+/-1,821	6,055	+/-1,018	9,234	+/-1,473
Below poverty level	11.2%	+/-3.5	12.7%	+/-5.3	10.3%	+/-4.5
No disability	515,743	+/-4,112	263,314	+/-3,398	252,429	+/-3,284
Below poverty level	7.9%	+/-0.8	7.7%	+/-1.0	8.0%	+/-0.9
Population 16 years and over for whom a poverty status is determined	501,542	+/-2,418	254,237	+/-2,435	247,305	+/-1,798
With a go-outside-home disability	22,495	+/-2,398	7,349	+/-1,067	15,146	+/-2,015
Below poverty level	9.9%	+/-2.6	11.6%	+/-4.9	9.2%	+/-3.0
Population 16 to 64 years for whom a poverty status is determined	455,379	+/-2,791	232,240	+/-2,493	223,139	+/-1,712
With an employment disability	28,394	+/-2,997	13,612	+/-1,666	14,782	+/-2,086
Below poverty level	16.6%	+/-3.1	16.8%	+/-4.3	16.4%	+/-3.8
PERCENT IMPUTED						
With any disability	3.1%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a sensory disability	1.9%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a physical disability	2.2%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a mental disability	1.7%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a self-care disability	1.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With a go-outside-home disability	1.8%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With an employment disability	1.9%	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2007 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see [Accuracy of the Data](#)). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

•While the 2007 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the December 2006 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities. The 2007 Puerto Rico Community Survey (PRCS) data generally reflect the December 2005 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in PRCS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

•Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols:

1. An '***' entry in the margin of error column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute a standard error and thus the margin of error. A statistical test is not appropriate.
2. An '-' entry in the estimate column indicates that either no sample observations or too few sample observations were available to compute an estimate, or a ratio of medians cannot be calculated because one or both of the median estimates falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
3. An '-' following a median estimate means the median falls in the lowest interval of an open-ended distribution.
4. An '+' following a median estimate means the median falls in the upper interval of an open-ended distribution.
5. An '****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the median falls in the lowest interval or upper interval of an open-ended distribution. A statistical test is not appropriate.
6. An '*****' entry in the margin of error column indicates that the estimate is controlled. A statistical test for sampling variability is not appropriate.
7. An 'N' entry in the estimate and margin of error columns indicates that data for this geographic area cannot be displayed because the number of sample cases is too small.
8. An '(X)' means that the estimate is not applicable or not available. Selected migration, earnings, and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See [Errata Note #44](#) for details.

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