

Hamilton County

Florida's 63rd most populous county
with 0.1% of Florida's population



Population

Census Population	Hamilton County	Florida
1980 Census	8,761	9,746,961
1990 Census	10,930	12,938,071
2000 Census	13,327	15,982,824
2010 Census	14,799	18,801,332
2020 Census	14,004	21,538,187
% change 2010-2020	-5.4%	14.6%
Age		
% Under 18 years of age	19.1%	19.5%
% Aged 65 and over	18.9%	21.2%
% Median age	43.0	43.0
Race (alone) & Ethnicity		
% Not Hispanic-White	54.5%	51.5%
% Not Hispanic-Black or African American	31.6%	14.5%
% Not Hispanic-American Indian and Alaska Native	0.3%	0.2%
% Not Hispanic-Asian	0.3%	2.9%
% Not Hispanic-Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%
% Not Hispanic-Some Other Race	0.2%	0.6%
% Not Hispanic-Two or More Races	2.7%	3.7%
% Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	10.4%	26.5%

Population Estimates

	Hamilton County	Florida
2021 Estimate	13,226	21,898,945
% change 2020-2021	-5.6%	1.7%
2022 Estimate	13,395	22,276,132
% change 2020-2022	-4.3%	3.4%
2023 Estimate	13,671	22,634,867
% change 2020-2023	-2.4%	5.1%
Based on 2022 Estimate		
2025	13,562	23,218,811
2030	13,748	24,588,452
2035	13,925	25,675,568
2040	14,072	26,537,878
2045	14,210	27,270,041
2050	14,334	27,953,598

Population Characteristics

	Hamilton County	Florida
Language Spoken at home (% of total persons aged 5 and over)		
Speak only English	88.1%	70.1%
Speak a language other than English	11.9%	29.9%
Speak English "very well"	8.2%	18.1%
Place of birth		
Foreign born	5.0%	21.1%
Veteran status		
Civilian population 18 and over	5.8%	7.9%

Migration

Residence 1 Year Ago	Hamilton County	Florida
Persons aged 1 and over		
Same house	82.4%	85.6%
Different house in the U.S.	17.5%	13.5%
Same county in Florida	2.2%	7.4%
Different county in Florida	13.2%	3.1%
Different county in another state	2.1%	3.0%
Abroad	0.1%	0.9%

Real Gross Domestic Product

Real GDP (Thousands of Chained 2017 Dollars)	Hamilton County	Florida
2017 GDP	472,185	1,014,866,863
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2018 GDP	530,310	1,050,433,812
Percent of the State	0.1%	
2019 GDP	499,562	1,079,271,045
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2020 GDP	492,787	1,068,377,540
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2021 GDP	502,456	1,164,778,182
Percent of the State	0.0%	
2022 GDP	534,170	1,218,430,197
Percent of the State	0.0%	

Population by Housing Type

	Hamilton County	Florida
Household Population	11,569	21,073,604
Household Population per Occupied Housing Unit	2.47	2.47
Group Quarters Population	2,435	464,583

Housing

Housing Counts	Hamilton County	Florida
Housing units, 2020 Census	5,596	9,865,350
Occupied	4,690	8,529,067
Vacant	906	1,336,283

Building Permits

Units Permitted	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	36	155,269
2010	22	38,679
2020	22	164,074
2021	25	213,494
2022	27	211,962

Density

Persons per square mile	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	25.9	296.4
2010	28.8	350.6
2020	27.2	401.4
2023	26.6	421.9

Households and Family Households

	Hamilton County	Florida
Households		
Total households, 2000 Census	4,161	6,338,075
Family households, 2000 Census	2,995	4,210,760
% with own children under 18	45.7%	42.3%
Total households, 2010 Census	4,617	7,420,802
Family households, 2010 Census	3,186	4,835,475
% with own children under 18	36.8%	40.0%
Average Household Size, 2010 Census	2.54	2.48
Average Family Size, 2010 Census	3.05	3.01
Total households, 2020 Census	4,690	8,529,067
Family households, 2020 Census	3,072	5,571,482
% with own children under 18	33.4%	36.0%

According to Census definitions, a household includes all of the people who occupy a housing unit. The occupants may be a single family, one person living alone, two or more families living together, or any other group of related or unrelated people who share living quarters. A family includes a householder and one or more other people living in the same household who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption.
Census counts may be corrected for Census Count Question Resolution (CQR).

Employment and Labor Force

Establishments

2022

	Hamilton County	Florida
All industries	233	851,793
Natural Resource & Mining	22	5,563
Construction	19	80,911
Manufacturing	7	24,106
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	59	150,714
Information	1	17,691
Financial Activities	11	92,973
Professional & Business Services	19	215,872
Education & Health Services	32	95,774
Leisure and Hospitality	18	64,512
Other Services	11	58,508
Government	28	5,903

Establishments

% of All Industries, 2022

	Hamilton County	Florida
All industries	233	851,793
Natural Resource & Mining	9.4%	0.7%
Construction	8.2%	9.5%
Manufacturing	3.0%	2.8%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	25.3%	17.7%
Information	0.4%	2.1%
Financial Activities	4.7%	10.9%
Professional & Business Services	8.2%	25.3%
Education & Health Services	13.7%	11.2%
Leisure and Hospitality	7.7%	7.6%
Other Services	4.7%	6.9%
Government	12.0%	0.7%

Average Annual Employment

% of All Industries, 2022

	Hamilton County	Florida
All industries	2,869	9,359,143
Natural Resource & Mining	6.3%	0.8%
Construction	2.0%	6.4%
Manufacturing	NA	4.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	16.9%	20.5%
Information	NA	1.7%
Financial Activities	0.8%	7.0%
Professional & Business Services	2.4%	16.9%
Education & Health Services	6.3%	14.8%
Leisure and Hospitality	12.8%	13.2%
Other Services	0.9%	3.0%
Government	32.9%	11.2%

Industries may not add to the total due to confidentiality and unclassified.

Average Annual Wage

2022

	Hamilton County	Florida
All industries	\$53,383	\$63,770
Natural Resource & Mining	\$37,159	\$43,504
Construction	\$33,725	\$63,021
Manufacturing	NA	\$74,590
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	\$39,857	\$56,618
Information	NA	\$109,068
Financial Activities	\$26,588	\$97,914
Professional & Business Services	\$65,285	\$79,380
Education & Health Services	\$34,471	\$62,057
Leisure and Hospitality	\$25,511	\$33,766
Other Services	\$30,915	\$47,178
Government	\$46,139	\$64,666

Labor Force as Percent of Population

Aged 18 and Older

	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	45.4%	64.2%
2010	40.1%	61.8%
2020	35.6%	58.7%
2021	39.6%	59.3%
2022	38.8%	60.1%
2023 preliminary	38.8%	61.1%

Unemployment Rate

	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	5.4%	3.8%
2010	11.1%	10.8%
2020	8.2%	8.1%
2021	6.0%	4.6%
2022	4.0%	2.9%
2023 preliminary	4.2%	2.8%

Income and Financial Health

Personal Income (\$000s)

	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	\$195,932	\$471,588,082
2010	\$319,874	\$730,690,145
% change 2000-2010	63.3%	54.9%
2020	\$433,342	\$1,221,121,559
% change 2010-2020	35.5%	67.1%
2021	\$453,306	\$1,376,879,460
% change 2020-2021	4.6%	12.8%
2022	\$450,144	\$1,441,598,918
% change 2021-2022	-0.7%	4.7%

Per Capita Personal Income

	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	\$14,699	\$29,387
2010	\$21,800	\$38,778
% change 2000-2010	48.3%	32.0%
2020	\$31,555	\$56,561
% change 2010-2020	44.7%	45.9%
2021	\$34,651	\$63,078
% change 2020-2021	9.8%	11.5%
2022	\$34,058	\$64,806
% change 2021-2022	-1.7%	2.7%

Earnings by Place of Work (\$000s)

	Hamilton County	Florida
2000	\$166,312	\$308,751,767
2010	\$189,685	\$439,036,383
% change 2000-2010	14.1%	42.2%
2020	\$227,581	\$683,698,267
% change 2010-2020	20.0%	55.7%
2021	\$225,603	\$768,399,192
% change 2020-2021	-0.9%	12.4%
2022	\$238,631	\$844,048,879
% change 2021-2022	5.8%	9.8%

Median Income

	Hamilton County	Florida
Median Household Income	\$47,668	\$67,917
Median Family Income	\$52,202	\$81,514

Percent in Poverty, 2022

	Hamilton County	Florida
All ages in poverty	23.4%	12.7%
Under age 18 in poverty	35.1%	17.3%
Related children age 5-17 in families in poverty	35.9%	16.1%

Workers Aged 16 and Over

	Hamilton County	Florida
Place of Work in Florida		
Worked outside county of residence	36.3%	17.3%
Travel Time to Work		
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	24.3	27.9

Personal Bankruptcy Filing Rate
(per 1,000 population)

	Hamilton County	Florida
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2022	0.45	1.14
12-Month Period Ending September 30, 2023	0.22	1.16
State Rank	66	NA

NonBusiness Chapter 7 & Chapter 13

Reported County Government Revenues and Expenditures

Revenue 2020-21	Hamilton County	Florida*	Expenditures 2020-21	Hamilton County	Florida*
Total - All Revenue Account Codes (\$000s)	\$26,883.6	\$81,512,347.2	Total - All Expenditure Account Codes (\$000s)	\$26,012.21	\$77,064,319.71
Per Capita \$	\$2,032.63	\$3,903.45	Per Capita \$	\$1,966.75	\$3,690.44
% of Total	100.0%	100.0%	% of Total	100.0%	100.0%
Taxes (\$000s)	\$13,930.2	\$28,700,395.9	General Government Services** (\$000s)	\$4,292.92	\$30,930,327.83
Per Capita \$	\$1,053.25	\$1,374.40	Per Capita \$	\$324.58	\$1,481.19
% of Total	51.8%	35.2%	% of Total	16.5%	40.1%
Permits, Fee, and Special Assessments (\$000s)	\$139.2	\$3,079,751.7	Public Safety (\$000s)	\$9,912.39	\$13,640,661.35
Per Capita \$	\$10.52	\$147.48	Per Capita \$	\$749.46	\$653.22
% of Total	0.5%	3.8%	% of Total	38.1%	17.7%
Intergovernmental Revenues (\$000s)	\$8,651.4	\$9,164,789.4	Physical Environment (\$000s)	\$1,256.92	\$5,265,524.83
Per Capita \$	\$654.12	\$438.88	Per Capita \$	\$95.03	\$252.15
% of Total	32.2%	11.2%	% of Total	4.8%	6.8%
Charges for Services (\$000s)	\$2,298.1	\$23,760,013.8	Transportation (\$000s)	\$5,708.23	\$5,650,946.87
Per Capita \$	\$173.75	\$1,137.82	Per Capita \$	\$431.59	\$270.61
% of Total	8.5%	29.1%	% of Total	21.9%	7.3%
Judgments, Fines, and Forfeits (\$000s)	\$230.9	\$338,738.4	Economic Environment (\$000s)	\$1,303.77	\$1,975,239.15
Per Capita \$	\$17.46	\$16.22	Per Capita \$	\$98.58	\$94.59
% of Total	0.9%	0.4%	% of Total	5.0%	2.6%
Miscellaneous Revenues (\$000s)	\$638.0	\$4,467,076.4	Human Services (\$000s)	\$765.48	\$4,694,300.07
Per Capita \$	\$48.24	\$213.92	Per Capita \$	\$57.88	\$224.80
% of Total	2.4%	5.5%	% of Total	2.9%	6.1%
Other Sources (\$000s)	\$995.9	\$12,001,581.6	Culture / Recreation (\$000s)	\$956.75	\$1,794,823.73
Per Capita \$	\$75.30	\$574.73	Per Capita \$	\$72.34	\$85.95
% of Total	3.7%	14.7%	% of Total	3.7%	2.3%
			Other Uses and Non-Operating (\$000s)	\$990.24	\$10,103,703.21
			Per Capita \$	\$74.87	\$483.84
			% of Total	3.8%	13.1%
			Court-Related Expenditures (\$000s)	\$825.51	\$3,008,792.67
			Per Capita \$	\$62.42	\$144.08
			% of Total	3.2%	3.9%

* All County Governments Except Duval - The consolidated City of Jacksonville / Duval County figures are included in municipal totals rather than county government totals.

** (Not Court-Related)

Quality of Life

Crime	Hamilton County	Florida
Crime rate, 2020 (index crimes per 100,000 population)	2,223.7	2,158.0
Admissions to prison FY 2022-23	64	27,209
Admissions to prison per 100,000 population FY 2022-23	468.1	120.2

State Infrastructure

Transportation	Hamilton County	Florida
State Highway		
Centerline Miles	90.6	12,123.4
Lane Miles	297.0	45,337.5
State Bridges		
Number	31	7,079

State Facilities

Buildings/Facilities (min. 300 Square Feet)		
Number	142	9,426
Square Footage	639,579	65,539,144

Conservation Land (land acres only)

State-Owned (includes partially-owned)	25,331	5,689,323
% of Total Conservation Land (CL)	98.1%	54.9%
% of Total Area Land	7.7%	16.6%
% of Florida State-Owned CL	0.4%	

Health Insurance Status

Percent Insured by Age Group	Hamilton County	Florida
Under 65 years	84.9%	84.9%
Under 19 years	93.3%	92.7%
18 to 64 years	81.4%	82.2%

State and Local Taxation

2023	Hamilton County	
	County-Wide	Not County-Wide*
County	10.0000	
School	5.6000	
Municipal		0.7708
Special Districts	0.3113	

*MSTU included in Not County-Wide "County" category

Education

Public Education Schools	Hamilton County	Florida
Traditional Setting (2023-24)	School District	
Total (state total includes special districts)	2	3,787
Elementary	1	1,877
Middle	0	565
Senior High	1	729
Combination	0	616

Educational attainment

Persons aged 25 and older	Hamilton County	Florida
% HS graduate or higher	77.1%	89.3%
% bachelor's degree or higher	9.2%	32.3%

Other County Profiles

Criminal Justice County Profiles
School District Profiles

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