

Dare County: Census 2020 Real-Time Response Rates - Week Ending July 5

How is Dare County performing?

33.7% of households in Dare County have self-responded to the 2020 Census between March 12 and July 5, 2020, **below** the state response rate of **58.1%**. Dare County is currently ranked 96 out of 100 counties in NC.

How are people responding to the 2020 Census in Dare County?

28.0% of Dare households responded to the census online versus 45.4% of all NC households.

5.7% of Dare households responded to the census by phone or mail versus 12.7% of all NC households.

Where are people responding in Dare County? (Top 5 Tracts)

| Rank | Tract Number | Self-Response Rate |
|------|--------------|--------------------|
| 1 | 9706.01 | 47.5% |
| 2 | 9706.02 | 47.1% |
| 3 | 9701.02 | 40.2% |
| 4 | 9703 | 39.2% |
| 5 | 9702 | 38.7% |

Where are people not responding in Dare County? (Bottom 5 Tracts)

| Rank | Tract Number | Self-Response Rate |
|------|--------------|--------------------|
| 9 | 9705.02 | 21.1% |
| 8 | 9704 | 21.9% |
| 7 | 9705.01 | 31.3% |
| 6 | 9701.01 | 34.7% |
| 5 | 9702 | 38.7% |

Dare County is unique in that many housing units are vacant; to see self-response rates that have been adjusted for local vacancies, please visit: <https://www.darenc.com/government/2020-census>

How many households in Dare County self-responded in past census counts?

Historic census self-response rates for Dare County were 41.0% in 1990, 36.0% in 2000, and 45.6% in 2010.



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How are target groups responding in Dare County?

Young Children - 5.9% of NC population ages 0-4

| % Young Children | # of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Less than 4.1% | 5 | 33.2% |
| 4% to 5.5% | 2 | 30.5% |
| 5.5% to 7.2% | 1 | 47.5% |
| 7.2% or higher | 1 | 47.1% |

Immigrant Population - 7.9% of NC population is foreign-born

| % Foreign-Born Residents | # of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
|--------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Less than 2.9% | 2 | 28.3% |
| 2.9% to 5.7% | 4 | 32.9% |
| 5.7% to 9.8% | 3 | 44.4% |
| 9.8% or higher | 0 | n.a. |

Minority Population - 34% of NC population is American Indian, Asian/Pacific Islander, Black, or Hispanic/Latinx

| % Minority Residents | # of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
|----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Less than 14% | 6 | 32.6% |
| 14% to 28% | 3 | 42.0% |
| 28% to 50% | 0 | n.a. |
| 50% or higher | 0 | n.a. |

No Internet - 21% of NC households do not have Internet at home

| % HH with no Internet | # of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Less than 12% | 6 | 37.0% |
| 12% to 21% | 2 | 26.2% |
| 21% to 31% | 1 | 47.1% |
| 31% or higher | 0 | n.a. |



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