New Hanover County: Census 2020 Real-Time Response Rates - Week Ending M ay 17

## How is New Hanover County performing?

56.0\% of households in New Hanover County have self-responded to the 2020 Census between March 12 and May 17, 2020, above the state response rate of $\mathbf{5 5 . 7 \%}$. New Hanover County is currently ranked 34 out of 100 counties in NC.

How are people responding to the $\mathbf{2 0 2 0}$ Census in New Hanover County?
48.6\% of New Hanover households responded to the census online versus 44.1\% of all NC households.
7.4\% of New Hanover households responded to the census by phone or mail versus $11.6 \%$ of all NC households.

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

| Rank | Tract Number | Self-Response Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{1}$ | 121.03 | $75.7 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{2}$ | 120.04 | $73.7 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | 120.09 | $73.5 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{4}$ | 120.1 | $73.0 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{5}$ | 117.05 | $71.4 \%$ |

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

| Rank | Tract Number | Self-Response Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\mathbf{4 3}$ | 118 | $25.9 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{4 1}$ | 122.01 | $31.8 \%$ |
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| $\mathbf{4 0}$ | 113 | $34.7 \%$ |
| $\mathbf{3 9}$ | 105.01 | $35.6 \%$ |

How many households in New Hanover County self-responded in past census counts?
Historic census self-response rates for New Hanover County were 60.0\% in 1990, 61.0\% in 2000, and 68.5\% in 2010.

How are target groups responding in New Hanover County?
Young Children - 5.9\% of NC population ages 0-4

| \% Young Children | \# of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Less than $4.1 \%$ | 14 | $49.8 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ to $5.5 \%$ | 14 | $60.3 \%$ |
| $5.5 \%$ to $7.2 \%$ | 10 | $58.9 \%$ |
| $7.2 \%$ or higher | 5 | $47.2 \%$ |

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

| \% Foreign-Born Residents | \# of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Less than $2.9 \%$ | 14 | $48.9 \%$ |
| $2.9 \%$ to $5.7 \%$ | 16 | $56.7 \%$ |
| $5.7 \%$ to $9.8 \%$ | 10 | $63.4 \%$ |
| $9.8 \%$ or higher | 3 | $47.3 \%$ |

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 $14 \%$ | 18 | $58.0 \%$ |
| $14 \%$ to $28 \%$ | 13 | $56.9 \%$ |
| $28 \%$ to $50 \%$ | 6 | $51.4 \%$ |
| $50 \%$ or higher | 6 | $45.7 \%$ |

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

| \% HH with no Internet | \# of Tracts | Average Response Rate |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Less than $12 \%$ | 18 | $61.6 \%$ |
| $12 \%$ to $21 \%$ | 12 | $56.0 \%$ |
| $21 \%$ to $31 \%$ | 6 | $47.2 \%$ |
| $31 \%$ or higher | 7 | $43.2 \%$ |

