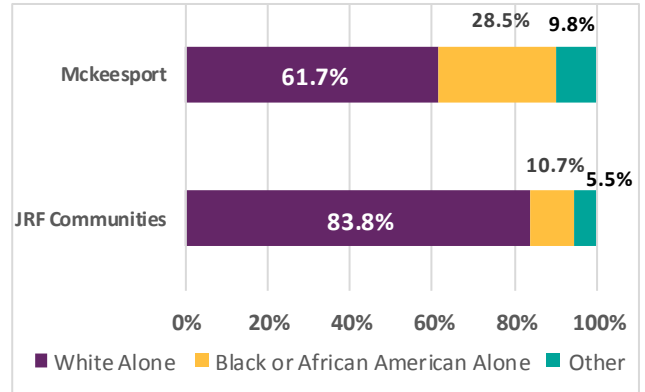


People

Population: 19,663

Population by Race/Ethnicity (2014)

- As of 2014, McKeesport's total population was estimated at 19,663. This is a decline from 24,040 reported in 2000¹.
- The racial/ethnic composition of McKeesport is 61.7% white, 28.5% African American and 9.8% other races.
- 18% of the total population is over age 65 — similar to JRF Communities (19%) higher than the City of Pittsburgh (14%). McKeesport residents ages 18–64 make up 61% of the population. Children under age 18 account for 20% of the population.
- The median age for McKeesport is 42. This is similar to JRF Communities (41) while the city of Pittsburgh median age is 33 and has decreased since 2000¹.



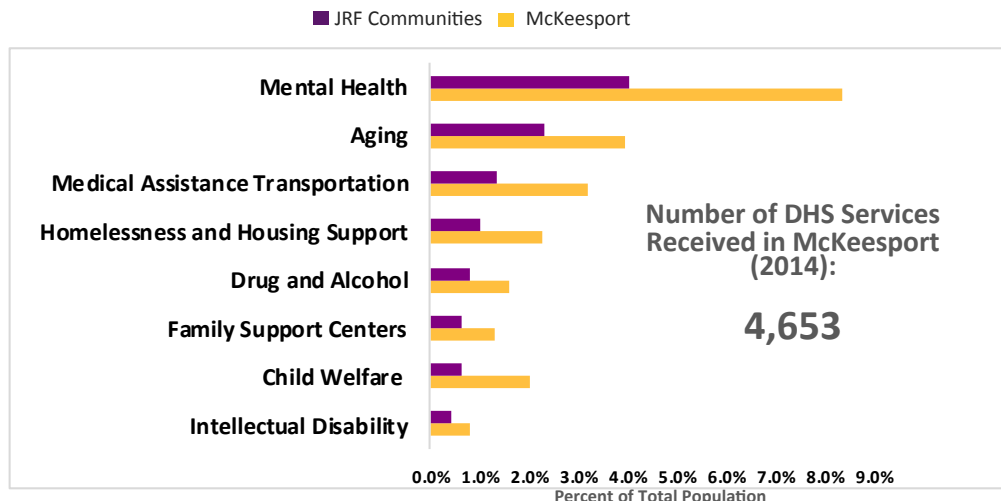
| Public Transportation | Median Household Income | College Education | Labor Force | Owner-Occupied Housing |
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| 9% JRF Communities: 8.5% | \$26,224 JRF Communities: \$49,773 | 12% JRF Communities: 26% | 55% JRF Communities: 63% | 53% JRF Communities: 70% |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9% of population age 16 and over take public transportation to work. 30% of McKeesport households do not have access to a vehicle. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On average, 10% of JRF Community families have income below the poverty level. 52% of those families are single mother families. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 12% of population 25 years old and over has completed a Bachelor's Degree or higher. High school degree is the highest level of education for 46% of residents. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 55% of population age 16 and over is in the labor force. The labor force for McKeesport City is 51% female, 49% male. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Of the 8,760 occupied housing units in McKeesport, 53% are owner occupied and 47% are renter occupied. 20% of housing units are vacant. |

Food Assistance²
26%
JRF Communities: 10%

- In 2014, 5,107 McKeesport residents (26% of the total population) received SNAP benefits.

Allegheny County Department of Human Services (DHS) provides human services to Allegheny County residents, including emergency help and long term needs. Below is break down of services provided by DHS by percent of total population. McKeesport is compared with the JRF Communities. Aging and Mental Health Services were the most utilized for McKeesport and the combined JRF Communities. McKeesport and a higher percentage of use than the JRF Communities in all service types.

Percent of Population Receiving DHS Services by Type (2014)²



Community

Overdose³
9
JRF Communities: 62

- In 2015, 9 residents of the zip codes that make up the McKeesport service area fatally overdosed.
- This is an increase from 8 deaths in 2008.

Sources: Unless noted, source is American Community Survey 5 year estimate (2014)

Please Note: The ACS is an estimate with a Margin of Error (MOE) — please visit profiles.ucsur.pitt.edu for more information about specific indicators and their MOE

1. United States Census Bureau (2000)

2. Allegheny County Department of Human Services

3. Allegheny County Health Department



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