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People

Population: 13,931

- As of 2014, Whitehall’s total population was estimated at 13,931. This is a decline of 3.6% from a total of 14,444 reported in 2000.

- The racial/ethnic composition of Whitehall is similar to Jefferson Regional Foundation (JRF) Communities, but the African-American population is 4.9% African American and 8.6% other races.

- 23% of the total population is over age 65 — higher than the JRF Communities as a whole (19%), Allegheny County (17%) and the City of Pittsburgh (14%). Age 18—64 makes up 58% of West Mifflin and under 18 accounts for 19% of the population.

- The median age for Whitehall is 44 similar to other JRF communities (43) and higher than the city of Pittsburgh (33).

Public Transportation 13%

- 13% of population age 16 and over take public transportation to work.

- 11% of Whitehall households do not have access to a vehicle.

Median Household Income $56,196

- On average, 8% of Munhall families have income below the poverty level.

College Education 22%

- 22% of population 25 years old and over has completed a Bachelor’s Degree or higher.

- High School Graduate is the highest level of education for 34% of residents.

Labor Force 64%

- 64% of population age 16 and over is in the labor force.

- The labor force for Munhall is 49% female, 51% male.

Owner-Occupied Housing 72%

- Of the 6,112 occupied housing units, 72% are owner occupied and 28% are renter occupied.

- 3% of housing units are vacant.

Food Assistance 4.5%

- In 2014, 623 Whitehall residents (4.5% of the total population) received SNAP benefits.

Overdose 10

- In 2015, 10 residents of the zip codes 15236 and 15227 fatally accidentally overdosed.

- This is an increase from 9 deaths in 2008.

Community

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Percent of Population Receiving DHS Services by Type (2014)

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Number of DHS Services Received in Whitehall (2014): 903

Percent of Total Population

Sources: Unless noted, source is American Community Survey (ACS) 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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