# CLEVELAND WARD 9 FACT SHEET 2026



24,727
TOTAL POPULATION



# **EDUCATION**



**14.0%** of residents in Ward 9 have a Bachelor's degree or more, compared to 21.3% in Cleveland.

Source: American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates

# **EMPLOYMENT**

About **7 in 10** (67.0%) working age residents (16-64) in Ward 9 have worked at all in the last 12 months compared to **71.1%** in Cleveland.





WARD 9

Source: American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates

# Residents

DEMOGRAPHICS	WAF	RD 9
Under 5 years	1,776	7.2%
5 - 17 years	4,830	19.5%
18 - 64 years	13,916	56.3%
65 years and over	4,204	17.0%
Race and ethnicity	Count	Percent
American Indian   Alaskan Native alone or in combination	266	1.1%
Asian alone or in combination	347	1.4%
Black   African American alone or in combination	22,899	92.6%
Native Hawaiian   Pacific Islander alone or in combination	<15	-
White alone, non-Hispanic	1,190	4.8%
Some other race alone or in combination	171	<1%
Hispanic or Latino of any race	356	1.4%
Black   Indigenous   People of Color	23,537	>95%

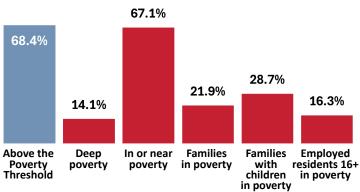
**Note:** Individuals could select multiple racial/ethnic identities, therefore categories do not add up to 100%

Source: American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates

# **Economic Stability**

	WAR	D 9	CLEVELAND
Poverty	Count	Percent	Percent
Residents above the Federal Poverty Threshold	16,519	68.4%	69.2%
Residents in deep poverty (income is below 50% of the Federal Poverty Threshold)	3,407	14.1%	14.5%
Residents in or near poverty (income is below 200% of the Federal Poverty Threshold)	16,205	67.1%	54.4%

Source: American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates



# **ECONOMIC SUPPORT**

	WARD 9		CLEVELAND
	Count	Percent	Percent
Residents who are food secure	19,091	77.9%	75.9%
Households receiving SNAP benefits (self-reported)	4,507	43.3%	31.5%
Residents with public health coverage (Medicare, Medicaid, Tri-care, etc.)	17,786	72.1%	57.2%

Source: Map the Meal Gap 2024, American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates

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### Income

	WARD 9		CLEVELAND
	Count	Percent	Percent
Households earning income	6,403	61.5%	67.5%
Households earning more than \$200,000	119	1.1%	34.7%
Households earning less than \$25,000	4,093	39.3%	3.0%

Source: American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates

# MEAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME

WARD 9	CLEVELAND

\$43,703 \$56,900

## **Tree Canopy**

Percent of Land Area with Tree Canopy



According to the Cuyahoga County Planning Commission, tree canopies benefit the community by:

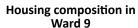
- Saving energy
- Improving water quality
- Enhancing property values
- Reducing erosion and air pollution
- Lowering city temperatures
   Offering social, educational, & aesthetic benefits

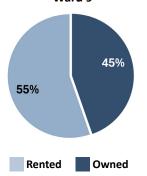
Source: Cuyahoga County Planning Commission's 2019 Urban Tree Canopy Assessment

# Neighborhood, Built Environment, and Housing

# HOUSING AFFORDABILITY

About 4 in 10 houses in Ward 9 are owned, and 6 in 10 houses are rented. Of those occupied by homeowners, about 70.5% live in housing that is affordable to them, meaning their housing costs do not exceed 30% of the household income, compared to 42.8% of renters who live in affordable housing.



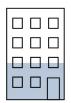


#### Residents in Ward 9 who live in affordable housing



**70.5**%

RENTERS



Source: American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates

	WARD 9		CLEVELAND
	Count	Percent	Percent
Residents who reported being unable to pay their mortgage, rent, or utility bills in the last 12 months	7,417	43.0%	27.3%
Residents who reported having a utility company threaten to shut off their services in the last 12 months	7,486	43.4%	21.3%

Source: Cleveland Health Survey 2025

# TRANSPORTATION

Unreliable transportation has kept 38.9% of Ward 9 residents from their medical appointments, work, and/or getting the things they needed in the last year.

Source: Cleveland Health Survey 2025

## Health

	WARD 9		CLEVELAND
	Count	Percent	Percent
Adults who saw a doctor for a routine health check up in the last year	15,120	83.4%	79.4%
Adults who participated in physical activity in the last month	11,279	62.2%	67.3%
Residents who are insured	23,299	94.4%	92.3%
Source: The Centers for Disease Control PLACES 2024 Data and American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates			

# TIMATED AVERAGE LIFE EXPECTANCY

This estimate is a measure of how long a baby born in 2019 is, on average, expected to live and is derived from population and death data from the National Center for Health Statistics.

74.1 years	77.0 years
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Source: The Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation's 2022 dataset. Cuyahoga County estimates were adjusted for local geographies by race and sex, using American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates.

# POOR MENTAL HEALTH STATUS IN THE LAST MONTH



14 days or fewer



15 or more days



14 days or fewer



FAITH STATUS IN THE LAST MONTH

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Source: The Centers for Disease Control PLACES 2024 Data and American Community Survey 2023 5-year estimates