

Essex County, NJ

Household SURVIVAL Budget, Essex County, NJ, 2014						
	Single Adult	Married Couple	Adult, One Child	Adult, One Child Care	Two Adults, 2 Children	Two Adults, 2 Child Care
Housing	\$1,022	\$1,059	\$1,059	\$1,059	\$1,265	\$1,265
Childcare	0	0	\$462	\$633	\$925	\$1,235
Food	\$202	\$420	\$413	\$318	\$701	\$612
Transportation	\$108	\$108	\$108	\$108	\$173	\$173
Healthcare	\$131	\$262	\$328	\$328	\$525	\$525
Miscellaneous	\$175	\$218	\$268	\$278	\$393	\$423
Tax	\$290	\$326	\$307	\$332	\$342	\$416
Monthly Total	\$1,928	\$2,393	\$2,945	\$3,056	\$4,324	\$4,649
Annual Total	\$23,136	\$28,716	\$35,340	\$36,672	\$51,888	\$55,788

Note: One childcare refers to an infant; two childcare refers to one infant and one 4 year old. For an additional infant add 2 percent; for an additional 4 year old add 2 percent; and for an additional child add 2 percent.

Sources: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD); U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA); Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS); Internal Revenue Service (IRS), State of New Jersey Department of the Treasury, and New Jersey Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies.

Household STABILITY Budget, Essex County, NJ, 2014						
	Single Adult	Married Couple	Adult, One Child	Adult, One Child Care	Two Adults, 2 Children	Two Adults, 2 Child Care
Housing	\$1,324	\$1,581	\$1,581	\$1,581	\$1,832	\$1,832
Childcare	0	0	\$337	\$815	\$674	\$1,517
Food	\$378	\$769	\$716	\$556	\$1,353	\$1,168
Transportation	\$256	\$531	\$531	\$531	\$849	\$849
Healthcare	\$233	\$531	\$703	\$703	\$900	\$900
Miscellaneous	\$219	\$341	\$387	\$419	\$561	\$627
Savings	\$219	\$341	\$387	\$419	\$561	\$627
Cell Phone	\$64	\$99	\$82	\$64	\$123	\$99
Tax	\$610	\$1,054	\$1,122	\$867	\$2,215	\$2,412
Monthly Total	\$3,303	\$5,247	\$5,925	\$5,955	\$9,068	\$10,031
Annual Total	\$39,636	\$62,964	\$71,100	\$71,460	\$108,816	\$120,372

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