

ALICE Survival Budget Thresholds: Single-Adult Households (2020)

Household Composition (Single Adult Households)	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	6	6	6	7
	Single Adult	1 Adult 1 Infant	1 Adult 1 pre-school	1 Adult 1 school-age	1 Adult 2 infants	1 Adult 1 pre-school 1 school-age	1 Adult 2 school-age	1 Adult 1 Infant 2 pre-school	1 Adult 1 Infant 1 pre-school 1 school-age	1 Adult 3 school-age	1 Adult 1 Infant 2 pre-school 1 school-age	1 Adult 2 pre-school 2 school-age	1 Adult 4 school-age	1 Adult 2 pre-school 3 school-age	1 Adult 1 Infant 2 pre-school 2 school-age	1 Adult 5 school-age	1 Adult 1 Infant 2 pre-school 2 school-age
Anne Arundel County	\$38,832	\$58,815	\$57,291	\$51,595	\$78,798	\$70,054	\$64,358	\$95,733	\$90,037	\$77,121	\$108,496	\$101,276	\$89,884	\$114,039	\$121,259	\$102,647	\$121,259
Baltimore County	\$33,156	\$53,139	\$51,615	\$45,919	\$73,122	\$64,378	\$58,682	\$90,057	\$84,361	\$71,445	\$102,820	\$95,600	\$84,208	\$108,363	\$115,583	\$96,971	\$115,583
Carroll County	\$31,908	\$51,891	\$50,367	\$44,671	\$71,874	\$63,130	\$57,434	\$88,809	\$83,113	\$70,197	\$101,572	\$94,352	\$82,960	\$107,115	\$114,335	\$95,723	\$114,335
Harford County	\$32,652	\$52,635	\$51,111	\$45,415	\$72,618	\$63,874	\$58,178	\$89,553	\$83,857	\$70,941	\$102,316	\$95,096	\$83,704	\$107,859	\$115,079	\$96,467	\$115,079
Howard County	\$40,956	\$60,939	\$59,415	\$53,719	\$80,922	\$72,178	\$66,482	\$97,857	\$92,161	\$79,245	\$110,620	\$103,400	\$92,008	\$116,163	\$123,383	\$104,771	\$123,383
Baltimore City	\$30,264	\$50,247	\$48,723	\$43,027	\$70,230	\$61,486	\$55,790	\$87,165	\$81,469	\$68,553	\$99,928	\$92,708	\$81,316	\$105,471	\$112,691	\$94,079	\$112,691

Additional Household Members	Add 1 Infant	Add 1 Preschooler	Add 1 School-Age Child	Add 1 Adult	Add 1 Senior (65+)
Anne Arundel County	\$19,983	\$18,459	\$12,763	\$17,083	\$19,021
Baltimore County	\$19,983	\$18,459	\$12,763	\$17,083	\$19,021
Carroll County	\$19,983	\$18,459	\$12,763	\$17,083	\$19,021
Harford County	\$19,983	\$18,459	\$12,763	\$17,083	\$19,021
Howard County	\$19,983	\$18,459	\$12,763	\$17,083	\$19,021
Baltimore City	\$19,983	\$18,459	\$12,763	\$17,083	\$19,021

Adding Seniors (65+) to Household Survival Budget

If you wish to add 1 senior (65+) to the single-adult household types listed above, you will need to **add \$19,021 per senior**. This will result in the accurate total ALICE Household Survival Budget for the household type you've selected. **For two seniors, you will need to double this number (\$38,042)**. For further information, see the *methodology* section on page #3 of this backgrounder.

Age-group definitions	
Infant	Child between 6 weeks and 2 years
Preschool	Child between 2-5 years and not yet in kindergarten
School-age	Kindergarten and older
Senior	65 and older
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ALICE Survival Budget Thresholds: Two-Adult Households (2020)

Household Composition (Two-Adult Households)	2	3	3	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	6	6	6	7	7	7	8
	Two Adults	Two Adults 1 Infant	Two Adults 1 pre-school	Two Adults 1 school-age	Two Adults 2 infants	Two Adults 1 pre-school 1 school-age	Two Adults 2 school-age	Two Adults 1 Infant 2 pre-school	Two Adults 1 Infant 1 pre-school 1 school-age	Two Adults 3 school-age	Two Adults 1 Infant 2 pre-school 2 school-age	Two Adults 4 school-age	Two Adults 2 pre-school 3 school-age	Two Adults 1 Infant 5 school-age	Two Adults 2 pre-school 2 school-age	Two Adults 1 Infant 2 school-age	Two Adults 1 Infant 2 pre-school 2 school-age
Anne Arundel County	\$57,288	\$77,271	\$75,747	\$70,051	\$97,254	\$88,510	\$82,814	\$114,189	\$108,493	\$95,577	\$126,952	\$119,732	\$108,340	\$132,495	\$139,715	\$121,103	\$139,715
Baltimore County	\$49,932	\$69,915	\$68,391	\$62,695	\$89,898	\$81,154	\$75,458	\$106,833	\$101,137	\$88,221	\$119,596	\$112,376	\$100,984	\$125,139	\$132,359	\$113,747	\$132,359
Carroll County	\$48,852	\$68,835	\$67,311	\$61,615	\$88,818	\$80,074	\$74,378	\$105,753	\$100,057	\$87,141	\$118,516	\$111,296	\$99,904	\$124,059	\$131,279	\$112,667	\$131,279
Harford County	\$49,524	\$69,507	\$67,983	\$62,287	\$89,490	\$80,746	\$75,050	\$106,425	\$100,729	\$87,813	\$119,188	\$111,968	\$100,576	\$124,731	\$131,951	\$113,339	\$131,951
Howard County	\$60,600	\$80,583	\$79,059	\$73,363	\$100,566	\$91,822	\$86,126	\$117,501	\$111,805	\$98,889	\$130,264	\$123,044	\$111,652	\$135,807	\$143,027	\$124,415	\$143,027
Baltimore City	\$46,620	\$66,603	\$65,079	\$59,383	\$86,586	\$77,842	\$72,146	\$103,521	\$97,825	\$84,909	\$116,284	\$109,064	\$97,672	\$121,827	\$129,047	\$110,435	\$129,047

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Adding Seniors (65+) to Household Survival Budget

If you wish to add 1 senior (65+) to the two-adult household types listed above, you will need to **add \$19,021 per senior**. This will result in the accurate total ALICE Household Survival Budget for the household type you've selected. **For two seniors, you will need to double this number (\$38,042)**. For further information, see the *methodology* section on page #3 of this background.

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ALICE Income Thresholds 2020 (Methodology)

United for Alice. "ALICE Research Methodology. Overview & Rationale." Biennial Update 2020. page #12. [Variation in Household Composition: Costs of Additional Household Members]

https://unitedforalice.org/Attachments/Methodology/2020ALICE_Methodology_FINAL.pdf

***** Guidance from United for Alice in New Jersey (Email Correspondence) *****

How do I add additional family members to the Household Survival Budget?

- Go to the Household Budget tab on your state overview page
- Enter the county or counties you are interested in in the county selection box. If you enter more than one county, the table will provide an average budget for the counties selected.
- Start with the budget that is closest to the one you are trying to create, without going over. For example, to create a 3-person family budget, adult with preschooler and child, you would start with the 1 adult budget.
- Take that annual budget and scroll down to the "**Additional Household Sizes, Selected Counties, State, 2018**" table.
- Then add the one preschooler, and the one school age child annual amounts to the one adult total to find the annual total for the family of 3 (1 adult, 1 preschooler, one school age child)
- To come up with the hourly wage, divide the new annual total by 40, and then 50. The note under the table also provides this calculation.

Copied from your state web page (<https://www.unitedforalice.org/maryland>):

Additional Household Sizes, Survival Budget, Maryland, 2018

The ALICE Household Survival Budget can also be customized for different household sizes using the numbers below:

Add 1 Adult	\$17,083
Add 1 Senior (65+)	\$19,021
Add 1 Infant	\$19,983
Add 1 Preschooler	\$18,459

ALICE Demographic Data 2020 (Maryland)

Year	GEO.id2	GEO.display_label	County	State	State Abbr	Household	Poverty Household	ALICE Household	Above ALICE Household	UWCM
2018	24003	Anne Arundel County, Maryland	Anne Arundel	Maryland	MD	212,687	14,402	58,875	139,410	UWCM
2018	24005	Baltimore County, Maryland	Baltimore	Maryland	MD	313,259	30,101	93,196	189,962	UWCM
2018	24013	Carroll County, Maryland	Carroll	Maryland	MD	60,371	4,537	12,451	43,383	UWCM
2018	24025	Harford County, Maryland	Harford	Maryland	MD	94,802	6,759	23,519	64,524	UWCM
2018	24027	Howard County, Maryland	Howard	Maryland	MD	116,903	5,732	27,310	83,861	UWCM
2018	24510	Baltimore city, Maryland	Baltimore city	Maryland	MD	237,204	44,886	86,381	105,937	UWCM
2018	24001	Allegany County, Maryland	Allegany	Maryland	MD	27,190	4,820	10,008	12,362	
2018	24009	Calvert County, Maryland	Calvert	Maryland	MD	31,726	1,509	9,036	21,181	
2018	24011	Caroline County, Maryland	Caroline	Maryland	MD	12,081	1,490	3,610	6,981	
2018	24015	Cecil County, Maryland	Cecil	Maryland	MD	36,930	3,077	11,518	22,335	
2018	24017	Charles County, Maryland	Charles	Maryland	MD	55,903	3,553	17,722	34,628	
2018	24019	Dorchester County, Maryland	Dorchester	Maryland	MD	13,264	1,926	4,032	7,306	
2018	24021	Frederick County, Maryland	Frederick	Maryland	MD	95,903	5,356	29,935	60,612	
2018	24023	Garrett County, Maryland	Garrett	Maryland	MD	12,073	1,372	3,891	6,810	
2018	24029	Kent County, Maryland	Kent	Maryland	MD	7,910	849	2,585	4,476	
2018	24031	Montgomery County, Maryland	Montgomery	Maryland	MD	368,334	24,639	99,329	244,366	
2018	24033	Prince George's County, Maryland	Prince George's	Maryland	MD	315,759	23,172	111,368	181,219	
2018	24035	Queen Anne's County, Maryland	Queen Anne's	Maryland	MD	18,148	997	6,025	11,126	
2018	24037	St. Mary's County, Maryland	St. Mary's	Maryland	MD	40,332	3,016	9,529	27,787	
2018	24039	Somerset County, Maryland	Somerset	Maryland	MD	8,383	1,694	3,127	3,562	
2018	24041	Talbot County, Maryland	Talbot	Maryland	MD	16,627	1,623	4,111	10,893	
2018	24043	Washington County, Maryland	Washington	Maryland	MD	56,306	5,970	16,086	34,250	
2018	24045	Wicomico County, Maryland	Wicomico	Maryland	MD	38,084	5,118	11,440	21,526	
2018	24047	Worcester County, Maryland	Worcester	Maryland	MD	21,672	2,101	6,450	13,121	

ALICE Demographic Data 2020 (Baltimore City)

<u>Neighborhood</u>	<u>Total Households</u>	<u>% Below ALICE Threshold</u>
Allendale/Irvington/S. Hilton	6,072	69%
Beechfield/Ten Hills/West Hills	5,272	49%
Belair-Edison	6,120	67%
Brooklyn/Curtis Bay/Hawkins Point	4,363	68%
Canton	3,865	20%
Cedonia/Frankford	9,136	62%
Cherry Hill	3,025	80%
Chinquapin Park/Belvedere	3,278	51%
Claremont/Armistead	3,624	73%
Clifton, Berea	3,100	74%
Cross-Country/Cheswolde	5,135	50%
Dickeyville/Franklintown	1,884	64%
Dorchester/Ashburton	4,335	63%
Downtown/Seton Hill	3,750	51%
Edmondson Village	2,840	64%
Fells Point	4,500	28%
Forest Park/Walbrook	4,126	60%
Glen-Fallstaff	6,159	59%
Greater Charles Village/Barclay	6,359	65%
Greater Govans	3,971	62%
Greater Mondawmin	3,253	67%
Greater Roland Park/Poplar Hill	3,129	23%
Greater Rosemont	5,812	70%
Greenmount East	2,882	82%
Hamilton	5,022	41%
Harbor East/Little Italy	2,215	57%
Harford/Echodale	6,619	52%
Highlandtown	3,424	35%
Howard Park/West Arlington	4,075	53%
Inner Harbor/Federal Hill	6,481	30%
Lauraville	4,319	40%
Loch Raven	6,661	60%
Madison/East End	2,046	73%
Medfield/Hampden/Woodberry/Remington	7,740	42%
Midtown	8,918	55%
Midway/Coldstream	2,924	69%
Morrell Park/Violetville	3,288	63%
Mount Washington/Coldspring	2,316	34%
North Baltimore/Guilford/Homeland	5,857	32%
Northwood	5,523	52%
Oldtown/Middle East	4,008	80%
Orangeville/East Highlandtown	3,373	54%
Patterson Park North & East	5,169	42%
Penn North, Reservoir Hill	4,139	72%
Pimlico/Arlington/Hilltop	3,894	68%
Poppleton/The Terraces/Hollins Market	2,088	78%
Sandtown-Winchester/Harlem Park	4,528	77%
South Baltimore	3,482	20%
Southeastern	2,220	67%
Southern Park Heights	4,654	79%
Southwest Baltimore	5,798	77%
The Waverlies	3,221	65%
Upton/Druid Heights	3,847	80%
Washington Village	2,303	57%
Westport/Mt. Winans/Lakeland	2,294	66%