

Table 6
The Self-Sufficiency Standard for
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Monthly Costs	Adult	Adult + infant	Adult + preschooler	Adult + school-age	Adult + teenager	Adult + infant + infant	Adult + infant + preschooler
Housing	626	750	750	750	750	750	750
Child Care	0	617	688	452	0	1234	1305
Food	236	350	358	420	448	461	469
Transportation	260	266	266	266	260	266	266
Health Care	159	396	395	405	428	411	410
Miscellaneous	128	238	246	229	189	312	320
Taxes	271	448	458	336	250	625	622
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-19	0	-74	-197	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-63	-60	-65	0	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	0	-83	-83	-83	-83	-167	-167
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$9.36	\$16.29	\$16.95	\$14.79	\$11.42	\$21.37	\$21.83
Monthly	\$1,647	\$2,867	\$2,984	\$2,603	\$2,010	\$3,761	\$3,843
Annual	\$19,761	\$34,404	\$35,803	\$31,238	\$24,121	\$45,126	\$46,115

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	750	750	750	750	750	750	750
Child Care	1069	617	1376	1140	688	903	452
Food	529	555	476	536	562	596	622
Transportation	266	266	266	266	266	266	266
Health Care	421	444	409	420	442	430	453
Miscellaneous	303	263	328	311	271	295	254
Taxes	535	374	620	542	392	447	249
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-134	0	0	-94	0	-219
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-105	-63	-100	-100	-60	-110	-68
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$20.27	\$16.32	\$22.30	\$20.82	\$17.15	\$19.19	\$14.54
Monthly	\$3,568	\$2,873	\$3,925	\$3,664	\$3,018	\$3,377	\$2,559
Annual	\$42,814	\$34,477	\$47,104	\$43,973	\$36,218	\$40,528	\$30,713

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	750	998	998	998	998	998	998
Child Care	0	1851	1922	1686	1234	1993	1757
Food	649	561	568	625	650	575	632
Transportation	260	266	266	266	266	266	266
Health Care	476	427	426	436	459	424	435
Miscellaneous	213	410	418	401	361	426	409
Taxes	170	1074	1079	973	720	1084	979
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	-393	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$10.93	\$29.57	\$30.08	\$28.42	\$24.46	\$30.59	\$28.93
Monthly	\$1,924	\$5,204	\$5,294	\$5,002	\$4,304	\$5,384	\$5,092
Annual	\$23,092	\$62,445	\$63,525	\$60,024	\$51,652	\$64,605	\$61,104

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	998	998	998	998	998	998	998
Child Care	1305	1520	1069	617	2064	1828	1376
Food	657	689	714	739	582	639	664
Transportation	266	266	266	266	266	266	266
Health Care	458	446	469	491	423	434	457
Miscellaneous	368	392	352	311	433	416	376
Taxes	725	872	624	526	1085	984	730
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-50	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$24.97	\$27.27	\$23.34	\$20.54	\$31.07	\$29.44	\$25.48
Monthly	\$4,394	\$4,800	\$4,108	\$3,615	\$5,469	\$5,182	\$4,484
Annual	\$52,733	\$57,602	\$49,295	\$43,385	\$65,623	\$62,184	\$53,813

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	998	998	998	998	998	998	998
Child Care	1591	1140	688	1355	903	452	0
Food	696	721	746	753	778	803	828
Transportation	266	266	266	266	266	266	260
Health Care	445	467	490	455	478	501	523
Miscellaneous	400	359	319	383	342	302	261
Taxes	878	624	523	772	542	404	256
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	-84	-289
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-50	-100	-100	-55	0
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33	-33
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$27.79	\$23.82	\$21.01	\$26.13	\$22.30	\$18.77	\$14.51
Monthly	\$4,890	\$4,193	\$3,697	\$4,598	\$3,924	\$3,304	\$2,554
Annual	\$58,683	\$50,311	\$44,366	\$55,180	\$47,093	\$39,648	\$30,642

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Monthly Costs	2 Adults	2 Adults + infant	2 Adults + preschooler	2 Adults + school-age	2 Adults + teenager	2 Adults + infant + infant	2 Adults + infant + preschooler
Housing	626	750	750	750	750	750	750
Child Care	0	617	688	452	0	1234	1305
Food	466	572	579	639	665	666	673
Transportation	504	511	511	511	504	511	511
Health Care	453	469	468	478	501	484	483
Miscellaneous	205	292	300	283	242	364	372
Taxes	360	511	515	426	340	668	673
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	-11	-137	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-53	-50	-55	0	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	0	-83	-83	-83	-83	-167	-167
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$7.24	\$10.00	\$10.26	\$9.44	\$7.72	\$12.34	\$12.59
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$2,547	\$3,518	\$3,610	\$3,323	\$2,716	\$4,345	\$4,433
Annual	\$30,569	\$42,221	\$43,323	\$39,871	\$32,590	\$52,136	\$53,200

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	750	750	750	750	750	750	750
Child Care	1069	617	1376	1140	688	903	452
Food	730	755	680	737	762	794	819
Transportation	511	511	511	511	511	511	511
Health Care	494	516	482	493	515	503	526
Miscellaneous	355	315	380	363	323	346	306
Taxes	572	513	677	575	490	492	360
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-32	0	0	-8	0	-129
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-50	-100	-100	-50	-100	-55
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167	-167
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$11.78	\$10.40	\$12.85	\$12.03	\$10.65	\$11.27	\$9.39
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$4,147	\$3,662	\$4,522	\$4,234	\$3,747	\$3,966	\$3,305
Annual	\$49,767	\$43,946	\$54,265	\$50,814	\$44,970	\$47,594	\$39,664

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	750	998	998	998	998	998	998
Child Care	0	1851	1922	1686	1234	1993	1757
Food	844	748	755	809	833	761	816
Transportation	504	511	511	511	511	511	511
Health Care	549	500	499	509	532	497	508
Miscellaneous	265	461	468	451	411	476	459
Taxes	257	1106	1103	1022	783	1101	1020
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	-318	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-167	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$7.44	\$16.36	\$16.59	\$15.82	\$13.88	\$16.82	\$16.05
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$2,618	\$5,758	\$5,839	\$5,569	\$4,885	\$5,920	\$5,651
Annual	\$31,412	\$69,095	\$70,070	\$66,832	\$58,619	\$71,046	\$67,807

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	998	998	998	998	998	998	998
Child Care	1305	1520	1069	617	2064	1828	1376
Food	839	870	893	917	768	822	846
Transportation	511	511	511	511	511	511	511
Health Care	531	519	541	564	496	507	530
Miscellaneous	418	442	401	361	484	467	426
Taxes	789	935	683	544	1098	1017	794
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-50	-100	-100	-100
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$14.13	\$15.28	\$13.29	\$11.78	\$17.05	\$16.28	\$14.39
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$4,974	\$5,377	\$4,680	\$4,145	\$6,002	\$5,732	\$5,064
Annual	\$59,691	\$64,525	\$56,158	\$49,745	\$72,021	\$68,783	\$60,763

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Monthly Costs							
Housing	998	998	998	998	998	998	998
Child Care	1591	1140	688	1355	903	452	0
Food	876	900	924	930	954	978	1002
Transportation	511	511	511	511	511	511	504
Health Care	518	540	563	528	551	574	596
Miscellaneous	449	409	368	432	392	351	310
Taxes	936	687	543	832	583	498	329
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	-12	-228
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-50	-100	-100	-50	0
Child Tax Credit (-)	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250	-250
Making Work Pay Tax Credit (-)	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67	-67
Self-Sufficiency Wage							
Hourly	\$15.52	\$13.55	\$12.01	\$14.69	\$12.71	\$11.31	\$9.07
	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>	<i>per adult</i>
Monthly	\$5,462	\$4,768	\$4,228	\$5,170	\$4,475	\$3,982	\$3,194
Annual	\$65,544	\$57,215	\$50,742	\$62,038	\$53,706	\$47,782	\$38,331