

Table 16
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Monthly Costs	Adult	Adult + infant	Adult + preschooler	Adult + school-age	Adult + teenager	Adult + infant + infant	Adult + infant + preschooler
Housing	625	750	750	750	750	750	750
Child Care	0	617	688	452	0	1234	1305
Food	236	350	358	420	448	461	469
Transportation	254	261	261	261	254	261	261
Health Care	153	376	374	385	408	391	390
Miscellaneous	127	235	243	227	186	310	317
Taxes	265	430	443	312	238	612	609
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-31	-5	-88	-208	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-63	-60	-68	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	\$9.25	\$15.96	\$16.68	\$14.40	\$11.13	\$21.13	\$21.60
Monthly	\$1,627	\$2,809	\$2,935	\$2,535	\$1,959	\$3,719	\$3,801
Annual	\$19,530	\$33,703	\$35,225	\$30,415	\$23,508	\$44,625	\$45,614

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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	261	261	261	261	261	261	261
Health Care	401	423	389	399	422	410	433
Miscellaneous	301	261	325	309	268	292	252
Taxes	522	353	607	528	371	433	235
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-152	0	0	-112	-10	-236
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	\$20.04	\$15.94	\$22.07	\$20.58	\$16.77	\$18.89	\$14.21
Monthly	\$3,526	\$2,806	\$3,884	\$3,623	\$2,951	\$3,324	\$2,501
Annual	\$42,315	\$33,667	\$46,602	\$43,472	\$35,409	\$39,891	\$30,009

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	Adult + teenager + teenager	Adult + infant + infant + infant +	Adult + infant + infant + preschooler	Adult + infant + infant + school-age +	Adult + infant + infant + teenager	Adult + infant + preschooler + preschooler	Adult + infant + preschooler + school-age
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	254	261	261	261	261	261	261
Health Care	455	407	405	416	439	404	415
Miscellaneous	211	408	415	399	358	423	406
Taxes	157	1056	1061	955	702	1067	961
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	-409	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	\$10.61	\$29.30	\$29.81	\$28.16	\$24.19	\$30.33	\$28.67
Monthly	\$1,867	\$5,158	\$5,247	\$4,956	\$4,258	\$5,337	\$5,046
Annual	\$22,405	\$61,890	\$62,969	\$59,469	\$51,099	\$64,048	\$60,549

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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	261	261	261	261	261	261	261
Health Care	438	426	448	471	403	414	436
Miscellaneous	366	389	349	309	431	414	374
Taxes	707	855	611	501	1071	966	713
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	-19	0	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-100	-53	-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	\$24.71	\$27.01	\$23.10	\$20.12	\$30.83	\$29.18	\$25.22
Monthly	\$4,348	\$4,754	\$4,066	\$3,540	\$5,426	\$5,136	\$4,438
Annual	\$52,179	\$57,047	\$48,793	\$42,486	\$65,117	\$61,628	\$53,259

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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	261	261	261	261	261	261	254
Health Care	424	447	470	435	458	480	503
Miscellaneous	397	357	316	380	340	299	258
Taxes	860	608	510	754	529	378	242
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	-106	-306
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-100	-50	-100	-100	-58	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	\$27.52	\$23.57	\$20.77	\$25.86	\$22.06	\$18.32	\$14.17
Monthly	\$4,844	\$4,148	\$3,655	\$4,552	\$3,883	\$3,225	\$2,494
Annual	\$58,127	\$49,775	\$43,865	\$54,626	\$46,590	\$38,700	\$29,933

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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	625	750	750	750	750	750	750
Child Care	0	617	688	452	0	1234	1305
Food	466	572	579	639	665	666	673
Transportation	493	500	500	500	493	500	500
Health Care	433	448	447	458	481	464	463
Miscellaneous	202	289	296	280	239	361	369
Taxes	350	496	492	401	323	648	652
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	-27	-151	0	0
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	0	-53	-53	-58	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	\$7.10	\$9.85	\$10.08	\$9.22	\$7.53	\$12.19	\$12.44
	<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	\$2,501	\$3,469	\$3,550	\$3,244	\$2,650	\$4,290	\$4,378
Annual	\$30,010	\$41,627	\$42,599	\$38,926	\$31,802	\$51,476	\$52,540

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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	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	474	496	462	472	495	483	506
Miscellaneous	352	312	377	360	319	343	303
Taxes	557	435	656	555	487	477	345
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	-75	0	0	-22	0	-149
Child Care Tax Credit (-)	-100	-53	-100	-100	-50	-100	-58
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	\$11.64	\$9.95	\$12.69	\$11.87	\$10.50	\$11.13	\$9.19
	<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	\$4,097	\$3,504	\$4,467	\$4,180	\$3,696	\$3,916	\$3,234
Annual	\$49,167	\$42,048	\$53,605	\$50,154	\$44,348	\$46,994	\$38,804

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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	493	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	528	479	478	489	512	477	488
Miscellaneous	262	458	465	448	408	473	456
Taxes	241	1090	1087	1006	762	1084	1003
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	-337	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	\$7.24	\$16.21	\$16.44	\$15.68	\$13.72	\$16.67	\$15.91
	<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	\$2,548	\$5,707	\$5,788	\$5,518	\$4,829	\$5,869	\$5,600
Annual	\$30,576	\$68,482	\$69,457	\$66,219	\$57,948	\$70,432	\$67,195

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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	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Health Care	510	499	521	544	476	487	509
Miscellaneous	415	439	398	358	481	463	423
Taxes	767	913	663	529	1081	1000	772
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	\$13.97	\$15.12	\$13.14	\$11.63	\$16.91	\$16.14	\$14.23
	<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	\$4,918	\$5,321	\$4,625	\$4,095	\$5,951	\$5,681	\$5,008
Annual	\$59,019	\$63,852	\$55,497	\$49,145	\$71,408	\$68,170	\$60,091

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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	500	500	500	500	500	500	493
Health Care	497	520	543	508	531	553	576
Miscellaneous	446	406	365	429	389	348	307
Taxes	919	666	525	811	561	428	312
Earned Income Tax Credit (-)	0	0	0	0	0	-51	-247
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	\$15.37	\$13.39	\$11.86	\$14.53	\$12.55	\$10.91	\$8.87
	<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	\$5,410	\$4,713	\$4,176	\$5,114	\$4,419	\$3,839	\$3,124
Annual	\$64,924	\$56,554	\$50,113	\$61,366	\$53,027	\$46,067	\$37,484