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Since 2001, this website has been the most widely used source for information about New Orleans' 73 neighborhoods. We've got easy-to-use Census 2000 data-including households without cars, poverty, age of housing stock and other demographics, as well as historical snapshots for every New Orleans neighborhood.

For New Orleans neighborhoods, click on an area below... (Scroll down to find data for the GNO 10-Parish area.)



Updates for Katrina

Our staff (from our various locations) are still working hard on a daily basis to connect you with up-to-date, reliable information about New Orleans neighborhoods.

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Status of electricity, water, hospitals, re-entry guidelines

[Looking for New Orleans evacuees?](#)

Maps of New Orleans:

- [Poverty Map](#) (PDF)
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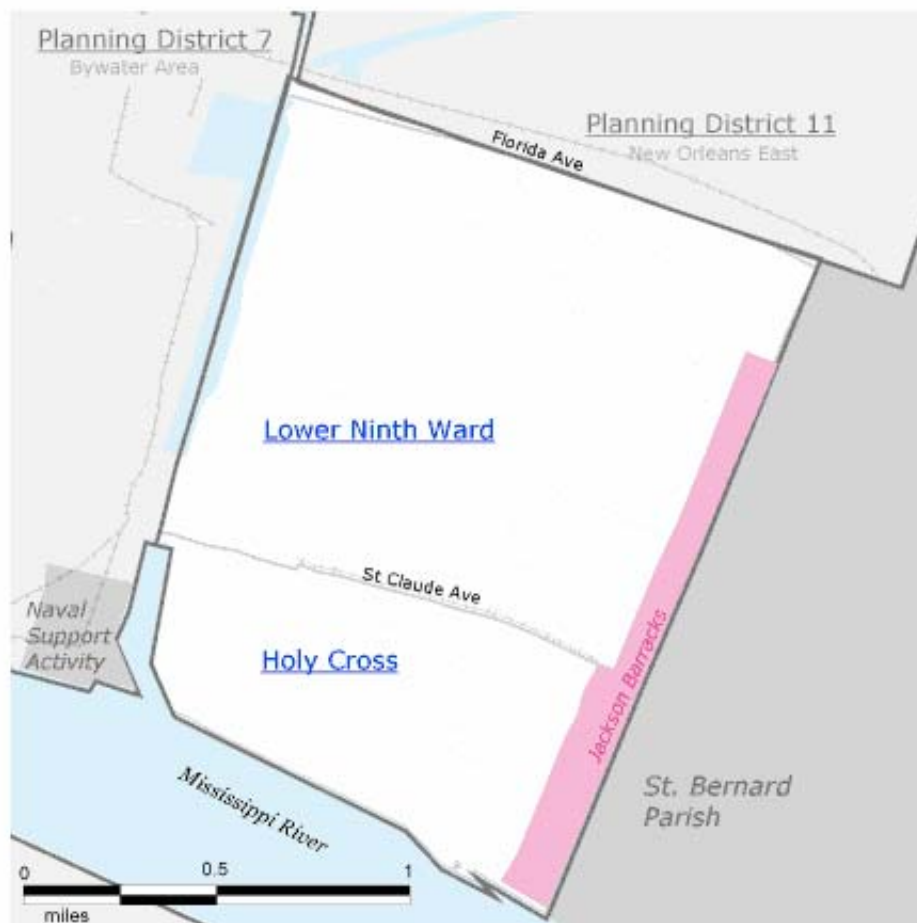
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Lower 9th Ward District (Planning District 8)

Click on a neighborhood below to see data about it...



The Lower 9th Ward

This whole area is commonly referred to as the "Lower 9th Ward," but it's worth keeping in mind that it contains both a neighborhood of that name as well as a second neighborhood - Holy Cross.

How is my neighborhood defined?

Articles on writing needs assessments:

[Using neighborhood data: a case study](#) In this fictional (but realistic) story, see the process that one might go through in creating a persuasive Statement of Need for a grant proposal.

[Numbers talk... and at the neighborhood level they may talk even louder!](#) By using data about your specific neighborhood compared to the surrounding area, you can make a compelling case for funding.

[What data do funders want to see in Problem Statements?](#) Quick tips on what types of numbers are helpful and not helpful for

Data Tables:

(Is this data current?)

[People & Household Characteristics](#)

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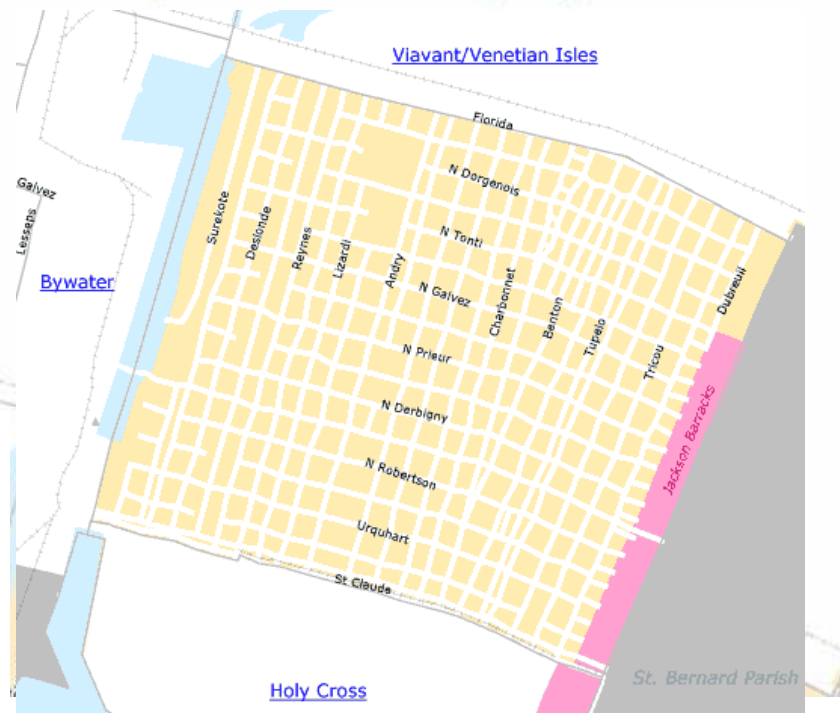
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Lower Ninth Ward Neighborhood

“The Lower Ninth Ward consists of two distinct neighborhoods, [Holy Cross](#) and this neighborhood, the Lower Ninth Ward, called by some, *The Lower 9*. The neighborhood is rich with small businesses, barber and beauty shops, corner stores, eateries, day care centers, as well as public schools and some say, far too many churches. It has a resilient history of survival and activism.” [Read more in the [Neighborhood Snapshot](#)]

Street map with links to nearby neighborhoods:





Lower Ninth Ward Neighborhood: People & Household Characteristics

Data Tables: **People & Household Characteristics**, [Housing & Housing Costs](#), [Income & Poverty](#), [Transportation](#), [Employment](#), [Educational Attainment](#), [Immigration & Language](#), [Disabilities](#), [Neighborhood Characteristics](#)

Finding the information you need within long rows of numbers is a tricky task, even under the best of conditions. When the terms used by the U.S. Census are different from everyday usage, the task becomes even harder.

For this reason, we've added a variety of side notes to these data tables, as well as links to the technical definition for each indicator. Our aim is to explain definitions that are sometimes misleading, and also to point you to additional information that you may find useful for program planning and grantwriting.

[Definitions and source links](#)

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	Lower Ninth Ward	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Total numbers (2000)				
Population	14,008	484,674	4,468,976	281,421,906
Total households	4,820	188,251	1,656,053	105,480,101
Family households	3,467	112,977	1,156,438	71,787,347

Source Citation: U.S. Census Bureau. *Census 2000 Full-count Characteristics (SF1)*. From a compilation by the GNO Community Data Center. <<http://www.gnocdc.org>>

What's the difference between households and families? The Census definition of *familu* is people living together who are "related... by

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Data Tables: [People & Household Characteristics](#), [Transportation](#), [Employment](#), [Education](#), [Neighborhood Characteristics](#)

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[Definitions and source links](#)

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What's the difference between the Census definition of *family* and other definitions?

How does racial diversity of the Lower Ninth Ward neighborhood compare to other Orleans neighborhoods?

In order to better visualize patterns of racial segregation in New Orleans, we mapped percent of population of different races by Census block group. (A block group is smaller than a neighborhood, and typically contains between 600 and 3,000 people.) Looking at this information by block group allows one to not only analyze racial composition across neighborhoods, but also look at smaller patterns of segregation within a given neighborhood.

On the maps linked below, you'll see the Lower Ninth Ward neighborhood highlighted in orange.



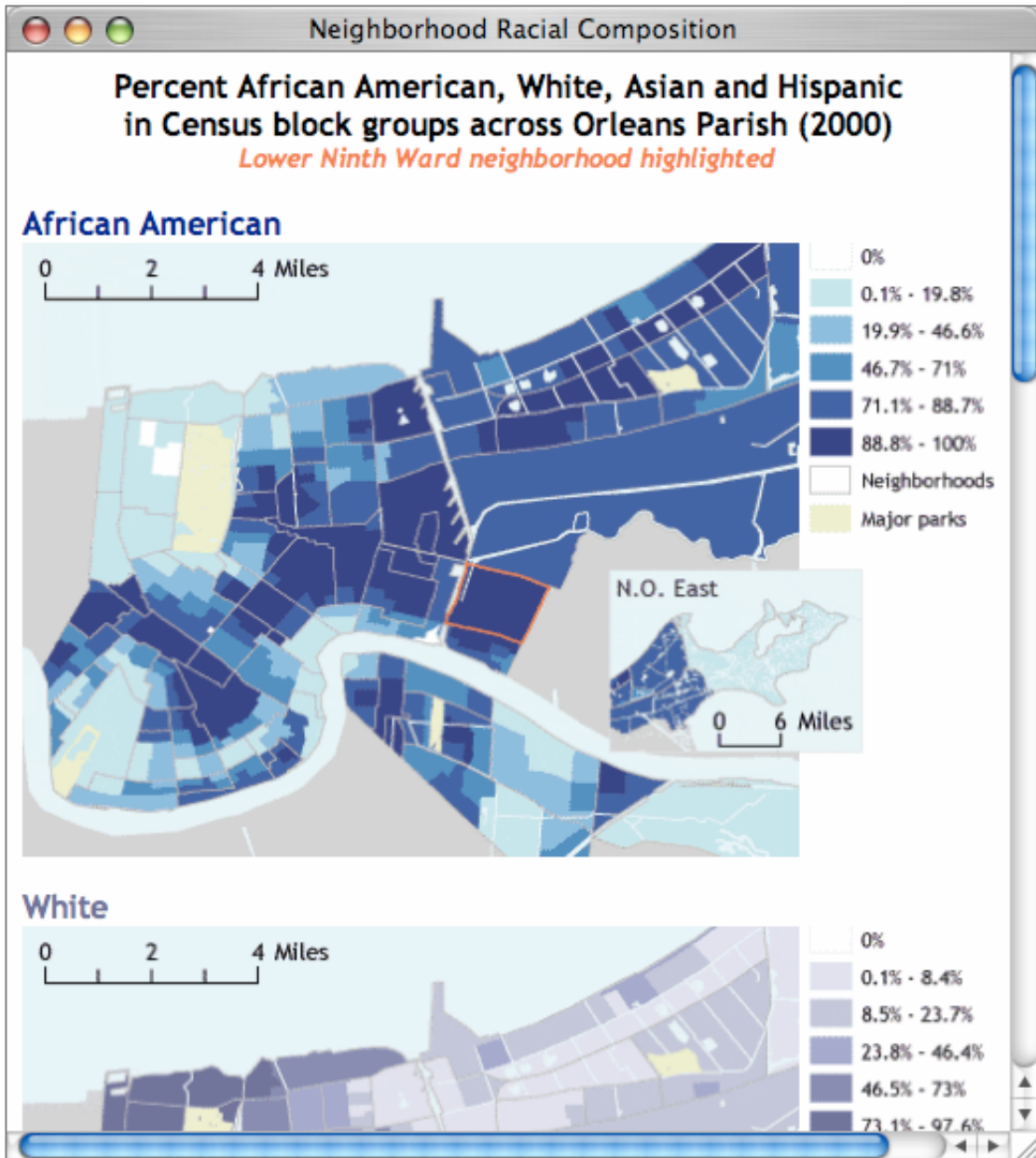
[View maps of racial composition in the Lower Ninth Ward and the whole city...](#)

The percentages in these maps come from the number of people who checked either *African American*, *White*, *Hispanic* or *Asian* on their 2000 Census form.

Marital status and other partnerships

The Census depends primarily on self-reported marital status. *Married*, for example, includes couples who live together who chose this category to represent their relationship. But many respondents may have indicated only their legally-recognized marital status. The limited number of categories offered by the Census does not capture living arrangements such as unmarried opposite-sex or same-sex couples.

If you want to conduct a more thorough analysis of the patterns of residential segregation across *all* Orleans neighborhoods, [follow this link](#).





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Lower Ninth Ward Neighborhood: Housing & Housing Costs

Data Tables: [People & Household Characteristics](#), **Housing & Housing Costs**, [Income & Poverty](#), [Transportation](#), [Employment](#), [Educational Attainment](#), [Immigration & Language](#), [Disabilities](#), [Neighborhood Characteristics](#)

Housing characteristics

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	Lower Ninth Ward	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Occupancy status (2000)				
Total housing units (<i>full count</i>)	5,601	215,091	1,847,181	115,904,641
Occupied housing units	86.1%	87.5%	89.7%	91.0%
Vacant housing units	13.9%	12.5%	10.3%	9.0%
Renters and owners (2000)				
Total occupied housing units	4,820	188,251	1,656,053	105,480,101
Owner occupied	59.0%	46.5%	67.9%	66.2%
Renter occupied	41.0%	53.5%	32.1%	33.8%

The Lower Ninth Ward has a higher rate of homeownership than the city as a whole. Why is that, and what does it mean for the neighborhood? [Read these insights from Lower Ninth Ward residents...](#)

59% of the housing units in the Lower Ninth Ward are owner-occupied compared to 46.5% in Orleans Parish overall. What do you think accounts for this difference?

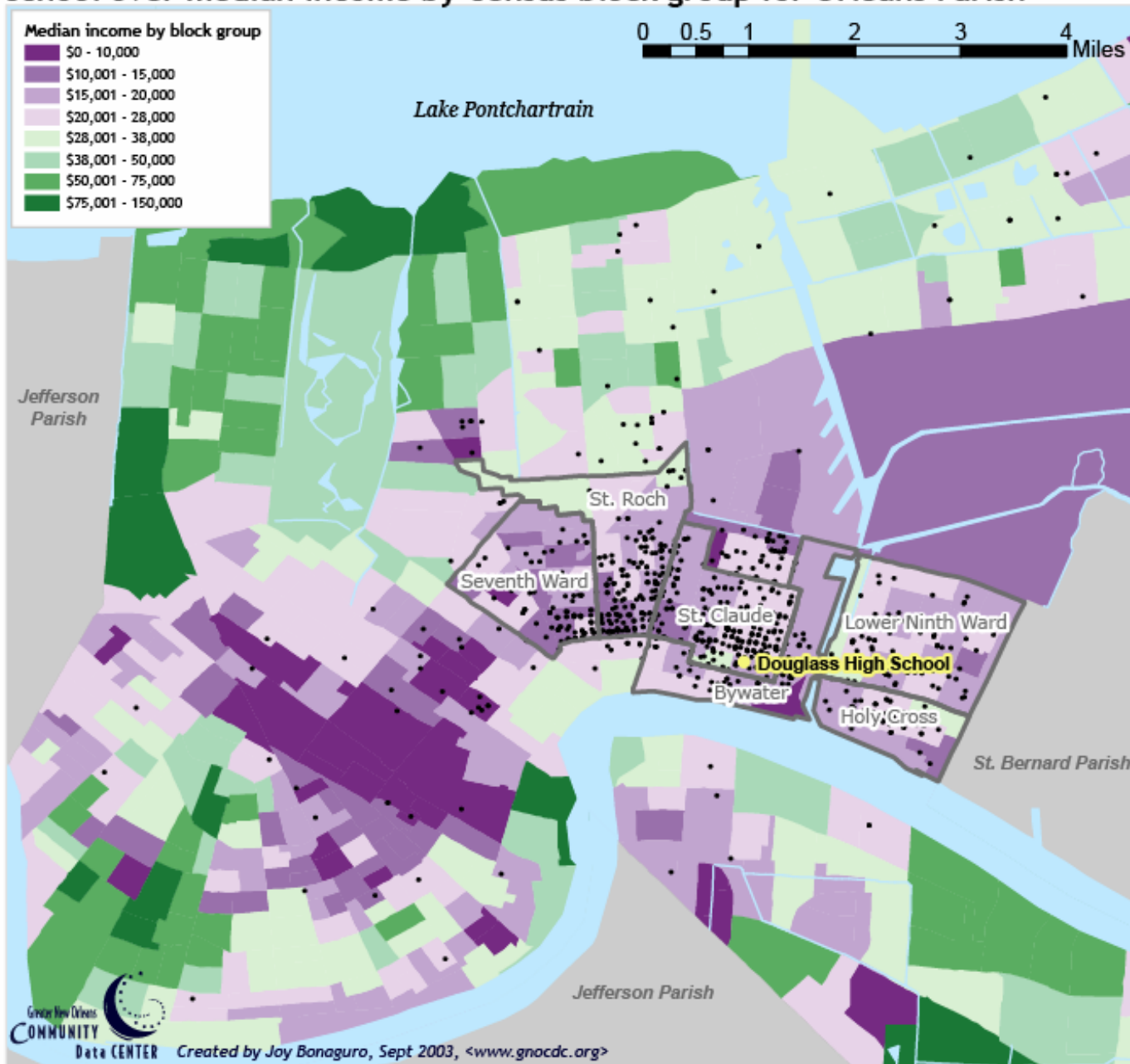
“This was one of the first subdivisions that was designated for African Americans. The idea was just so wonderful to be able to buy a lot for \$250, to build a house and be a homeowner. When my family first came here, we cut a street, a path really, to get back to this lot. In the Ninth Ward, you've got a group of people who have stayed because we wanted to - because we've got an investment in this community.”

— 75 year old African American social worker (Fall 2003)

**Local uses of small area
Census data...**

(pre-Katrina)

Six-neighborhood target area with student addresses for Douglass High school over median income by Census block group for Orleans Parish



St. Roch Neighborhood: Educational Attainment

Data Tables: [People & Household Characteristics](#), [Housing & Housing Costs](#), [Income & Poverty](#), [Transportation](#), [Employment](#), **Educational Attainment**, [Immigration & Language](#), [Disabilities](#), [Neighborhood Characteristics](#)

Educational attainment

[Definitions and source links](#)

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Level of schooling (2000)	St. Roch	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Total population 18 years and over	8,259	355,507	3,250,523	209,279,149
Less than 9th grade	8.5%	7.2%	8.4%	7.1%
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	30.4%	18.2%	17.2%	13.2%
High school diploma or GED	29.0%	24.0%	32.0%	28.6%
Some college or Associate degree	23.3%	27.5%	25.6%	28.8%
Bachelor's degree to higher	8.8%	23.1%	16.8%	22.3%

Teens without high school diplomas (2000)	St. Roch	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Total population 16-19	833	30,841	289,111	15,930,458
% not enrolled in school and not a high school graduate	19.9%	10.2%	11.7%	9.8%

Source Citation: U.S. Census Bureau. *Census 2000 Sample Characteristics (SF3)*. From a compilation by the GNO Community Data Center. <<http://www.gnocdc.org>>

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Household Characteristics

Which number do you need? There are many ways to look at household characteristics. To get a more complete perspective, we recommend you take a look at households by type, and also scroll down to view data on what types of households children and the elderly live in. Note, we have chosen to look at 'households' rather than 'families' because of the Census' narrow definition of 'family.'

[Definitions and source links](#)

	St. Roch	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Households by type (2000)				
Total households	4,336	188,251	1,656,053	105,480,101
Female householder (no husband present) with children under 18	25.3%	17.7%	11.9%	8.4%
Male householder (no wife present) with children under 18	3.6%	2.5%	2.6%	2.4%
Married-couple family, with children under 18	12.8%	14.8%	24.3%	24.9%
Nonfamily households, with children under 18	0.5%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%
Households with no people under 18 years	57.8%	64.7%	60.8%	63.9%

	St. Roch	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Children in households (2000)				
Population under 18 years in households	3,711	128,785	1,214,204	71,970,901
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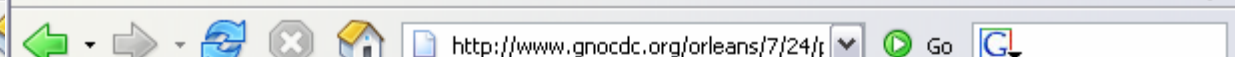
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Grandparents as caregivers

Recently, there has been a lot of interest in understanding the role of grandparents as caregivers. Census 2000 data focuses on the number of grandparents who have responsibility for a grandchild (or grandchildren) in the household they live in, but does not give us information on the number of children who have grandparents as caregivers.

[Definitions and source links](#)

	St. Roch	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Grandparents as caregivers (2000)				
Total grandparents living in households with grandchildren under 18	708	17,338	122,240	5,771,671
Grandparent responsible for grandchildren under 18	53.4%	54.7%	54.9%	42.0%
Grandparent not responsible for own grandchildren under 18	46.6%	45.3%	45.1%	58.0%

Source Citation: U.S. Census Bureau. *Census 2000 Sample Characteristics (SF3)*. From a compilation by the GNO Community Data Center. <<http://www.gnocdc.org>>

Find related data...

For data on **houses people live in**, whether they **rent or own**, etc., visit the [Housing and Housing Costs](#) data page.

You'll find data on **family income** and **people living in poverty**, in the [Income & Poverty](#) data tables.

Go to the [Educational Attainment](#) page to find



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English as a second language (2000)	Village de l'Est	Orleans Parish	Louisiana	United States
Total population 5 to 17 years	3,505	96,232	902,844	53,096,003
Native English speaker or speaks English as a second language "well" or "very well"	98.1%	99.5%	99.4%	97.5%
Speaks Spanish at home and speaks English "not well" or "not at all"	0.1%	0.3%	0.3%	2.0%
Speaks other languages at home and speaks English "not well" or "not at all"	1.8%	0.2%	0.3%	0.5%
Total population 18 to 64 years	7,497	298,706	2,732,426	174,300,177
Native English speaker or speaks English as a second language "well" or "very well"	87.9%	98.5%	98.9%	95.2%
Speaks Spanish at home and speaks English "not well" or "not at all"	0.1%	0.7%	0.5%	3.6%
Speaks other languages at home and speaks English "not well" or "not at all"	12.0%	0.8%	0.6%	1.2%
Total population 65 years and over	741	56,801	518,097	34,978,972
Native English speaker or speaks English as a second language "well" or "very well"	61.4%	98.2%	98.5%	96.1%
Speaks Spanish at home and speaks English "not well" or "not at all"	0.0%	0.9%	0.4%	1.9%
Speaks other languages at home and speaks English "not well" or "not at all"	38.6%	0.9%	1.1%	2.0%

Source Citation: U.S. Census Bureau. *Census 2000 Sample Characteristics (SF3)*. From a compilation by the GNO

United Way for the Greater New Orleans Area Application Technical Rating Form

A. COMMUNITY NEED &

1. **Background about**
a) Write a sentence that identifies the problem.
b) If data that documents the level of need is relatively high in the target area, document the level of need in the target area by providing (available) comparative data for larger geographic areas.

2. **Target geographic area and magnitude of need in target area**
Define the geographic area from which most participants are or will be recruited, and documented the level of need in this target geographic area. Demonstrated that the level of need is relatively high in the target area by providing (available) comparative data for larger geographic areas.

3. **Segmenting and targeting population**
Of the entire population you are targeting, what percentage of the population has a need for the program?

4. **Similar services in the community**
What other programs or services are providing similar services to the population you serve?

5. **Understanding of community behaviors and needs**
Demonstrate an understanding of the community's behaviors and needs (based on published data and other external sources).

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AGENCY: _____ PROGRAM: _____

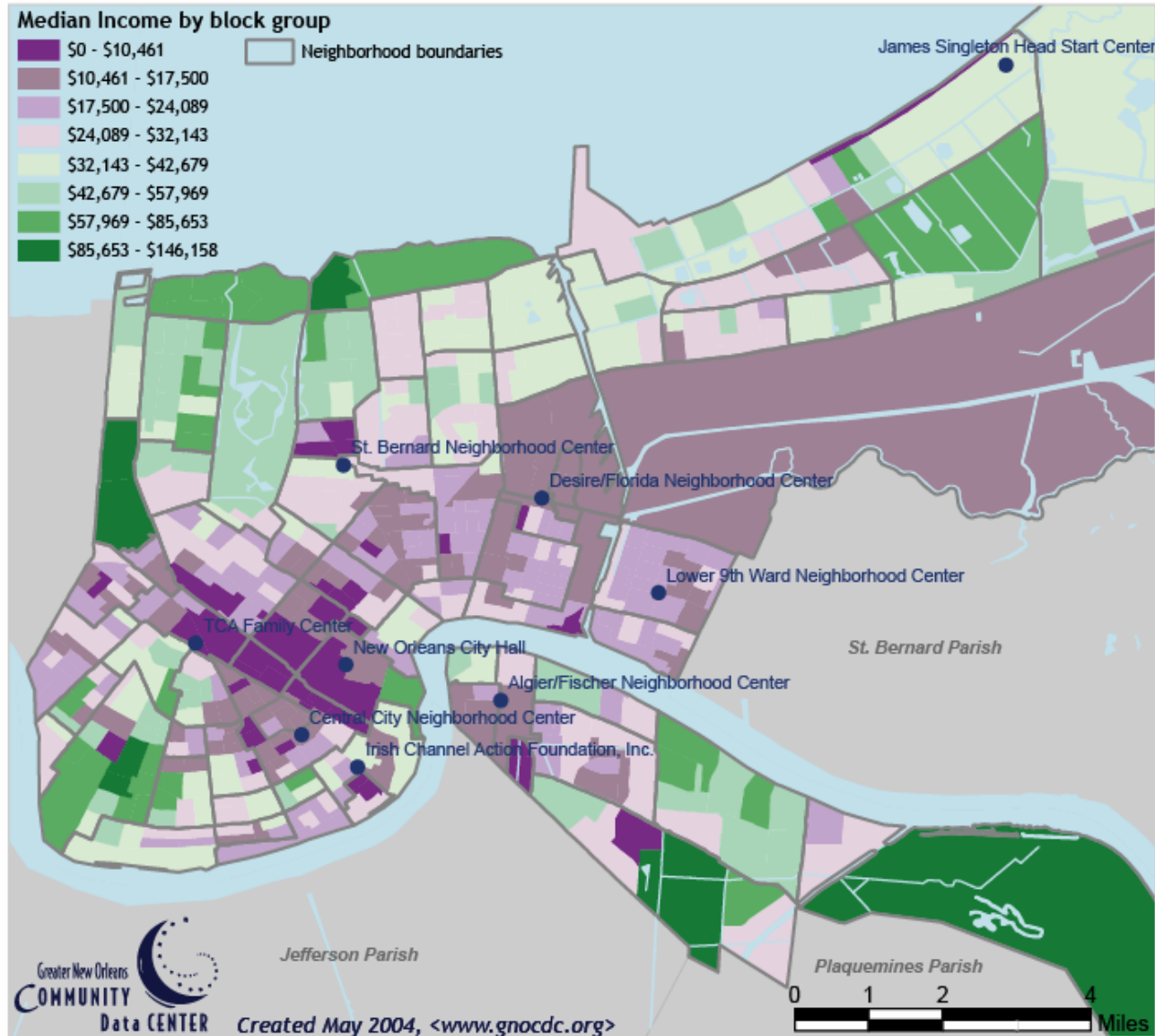
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Instructions: Each of the standards written below is meant as a minimum standard. A proposal should be given a score of 2 if it complies with all the behaviors corresponding to "2." A proposal should be given a score of 1 if it complies with all the behaviors corresponding to "1." If a proposal complies with all of the behaviors corresponding to "1" but only some of the behaviors corresponding to "2," it should be given a score of 1. If a proposal complies with all of the behaviors corresponding to "0" but only some of the behaviors corresponding to "1," it should be given a score of 0.

A. COMMUNITY NEED & TARGET POPULATION

		Rating	WEIGHT
1	Background about measuring the problem		1
	Identified the problem, identified data source that measures the problem or type of data that is proven to be strongly related to the problem and cited published evidence of the relationship. Provided <i>only</i> data sources that are relevant to the program and did not name all types of data related to the problem.	2	
	Identified the problem, identified data source that measures the problem or type of data that is proven to be strongly related to the problem and cited published evidence of the relationship. However, they identified irrelevant data sources or they provided a "data dump."	1	
	Did not clearly identify the problem or data that measures the problem or data strongly related to the problem.	0	
2	Target geographic area and magnitude of need in target area		1
	Defined a geographic area from which most participants are or will be recruited, and documented the level of need in this target geographic area. Demonstrated that the level of need is relatively high in the target area by providing (available) comparative data for larger geographic areas.	2	
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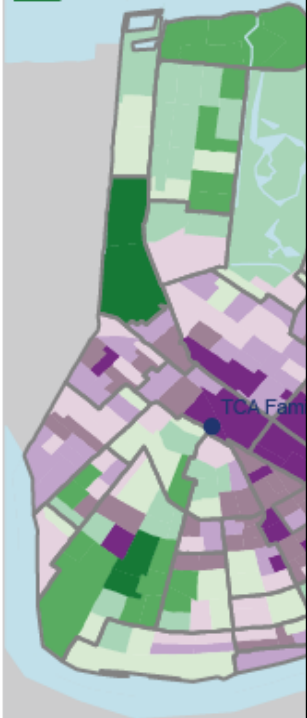
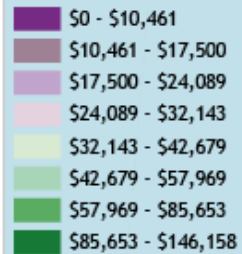
Income disparity and location of TCA VITA sites



Map sources: Total Community Action (VITA sites), City of New Orleans Planning Commission (neighborhood boundaries), Census Tiger files (block groups, income levels, and parish and natural boundaries)

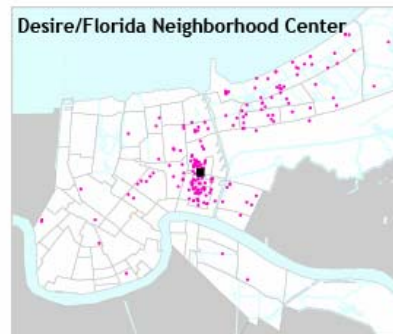
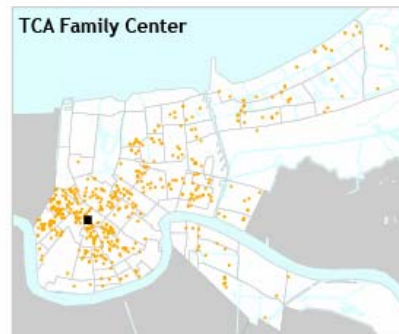
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Median Income by block group



Client addresses by VITA site

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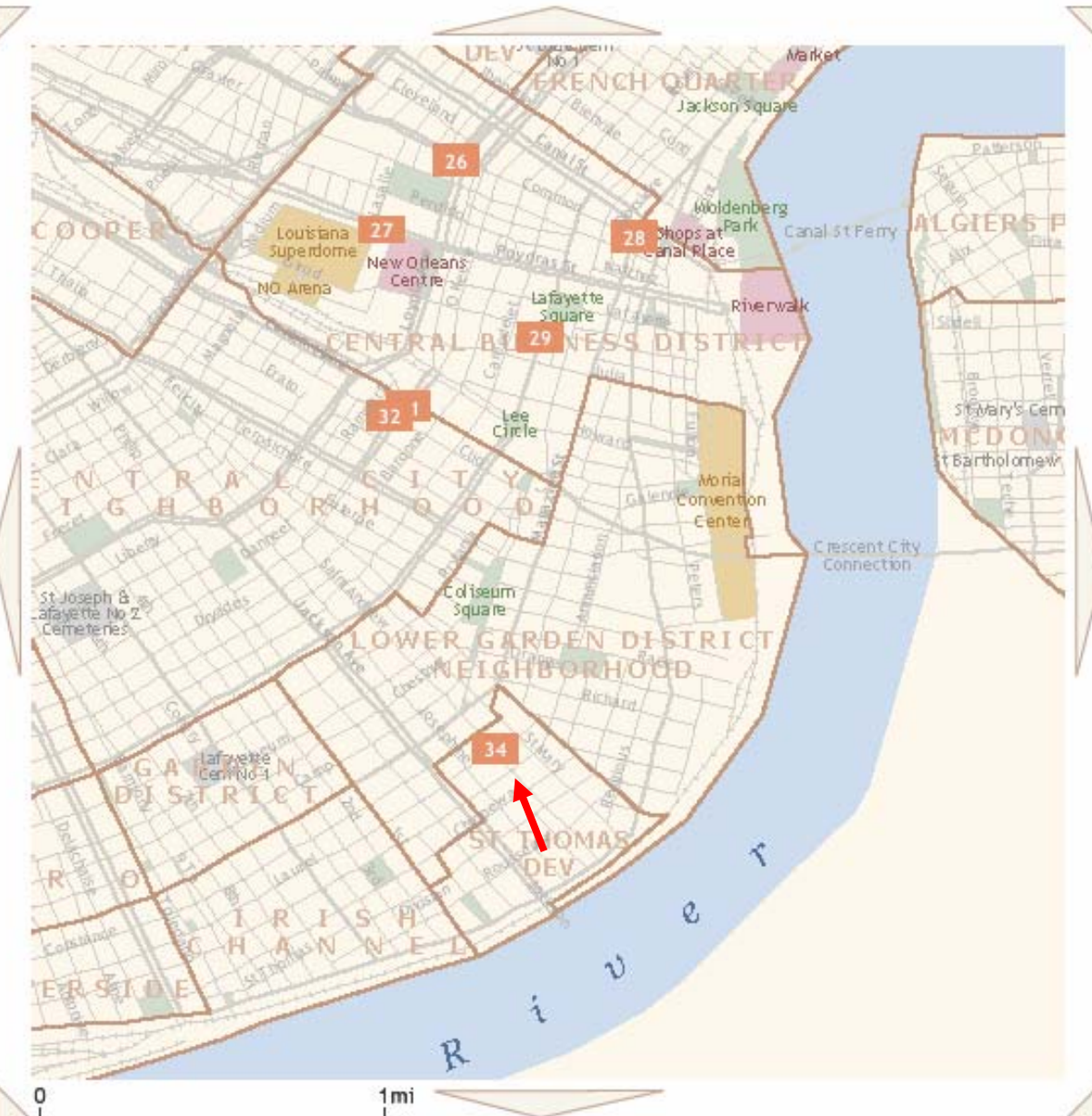




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What kind of literacy services are offered in this area?



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- 28** [Brantley Baptist Educational Service](#)
- 29** [Probation & Parole](#)
- 31** [New Orleans Mission Learning Center](#)
- 32** [St. John's Adult Education](#)
- 34** [Hope House Adult Learning Center](#)

[Quick compare](#)



What's the need for literacy services in this area? Get educational attainment, English fluency and other Census data about neighborhoods at www.qnocdc.org.

Are you on the map? [Add or correct](#) information about your adult literacy agency...

[Please tell us](#) how you're using this mapping system in your work...

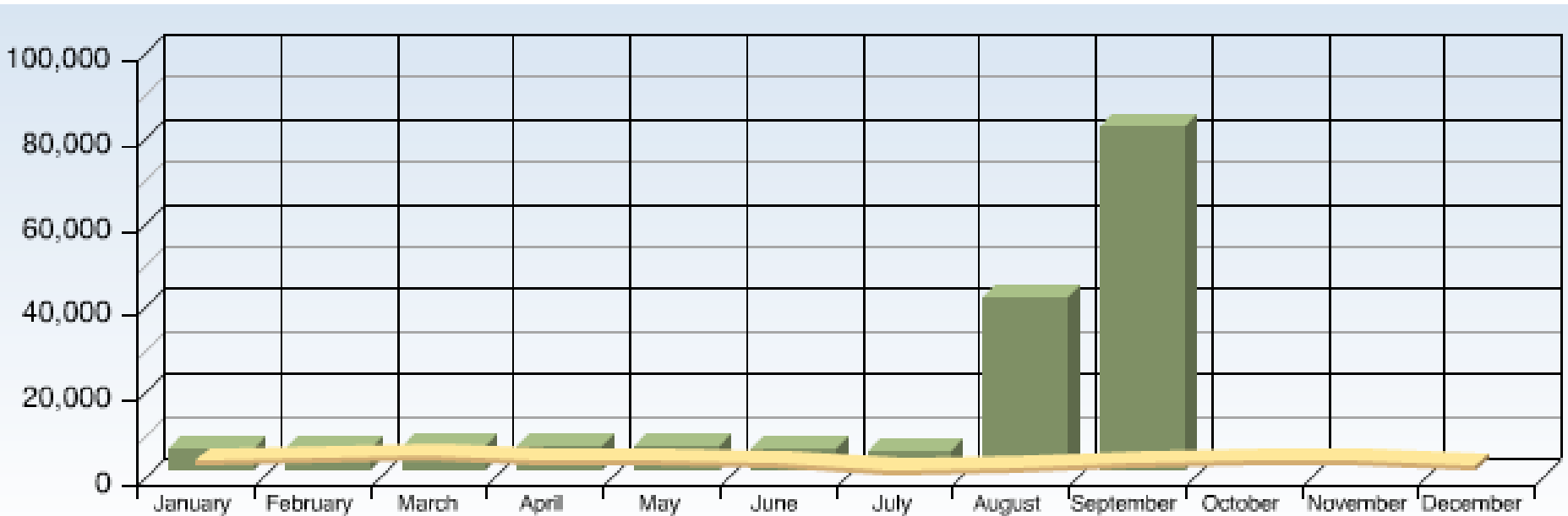
Level of schooling (2000)	Algiers Point	Audubon	B. W. Cooper Apts	Bayou St. John	Behrman	Black Pearl	Broadmoor
Total population 18 years and over	1,915	12,668	2,240	3,558	7,044	1,404	
Less than 9th grade	3.3%	1.6%	13.3%	8.2%	7.9%	3.9%	
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	9.2%	3.2%	37.4%	19.8%	23.6%	9.3%	
High school diploma or GED	23.4%	8.3%	29.8%	25.4%	32.9%	16.6%	
Some college or Associate degree	34.2%	33.9%	18.5%	26.0%	26.9%	30.0%	
Bachelor's degree to higher	29.9%	53.0%	1.0%	20.6%	8.7%	40.2%	

Residents without high school diplomas (2000)	Algiers Point	Audubon	B. W. Cooper Apts	Bayou St. John	Behrman	Black Pearl	Broadmoor
Total population 16-19	99	1,899	315	209	757	80	
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After Katrina...

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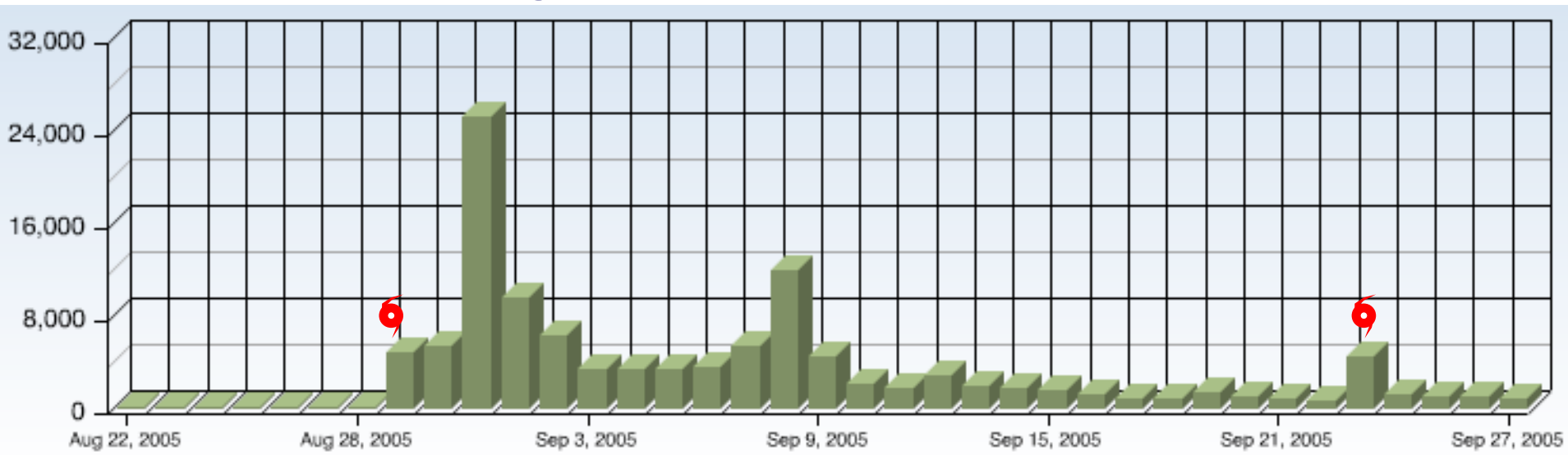
Baseline 5,000 visits/month

40,000
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80,000
visits

Daily visits to gnocdc.org

Aug 22-Sep 27, 2005



Baseline: 200 visits/day

1,000 visits/day

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Neighborhoods That Were Hit Hard And Those That Weren't

Rebuilding New Orleans will take years or decades and cost untold sums. While large swaths of the city may have to be bulldozed, a strip of unflooded land containing hospitals, government buildings, schools, historic homes and tourism sites suffered minimal damage.

The people who lived in the areas of New Orleans that were still flooded days after Hurricane Katrina struck were more likely to be black, have more children, earn less money and be less educated than those in the rest of the city. The flooded areas were home to about 346,000 people — 71 percent of the city's population — and contained more than two-thirds of the city's homes.

The map shows the extent of the flooding on Sept. 2, after the water level had stopped rising, but several days before crews were able to plug breaches in levees and start pumping water out.

DATA FROM 2000 U.S. CENSUS

Areas with significant flooding	Population	Areas with little or no flooding
346,000		138,000

Race and ethnicity

76%	BLACK	43%
18	WHITE	49
3	HISPANIC	4
2	ASIAN	2
1	OTHER	2

Age

PERCENTAGE OF RESIDENTS THAT WERE:		
28%	UNDER 18	22%
11%	OLDER THAN 65	12%

Single-parent families

29%	PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES WITH SINGLE PARENTS	21%
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Education

72%	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	82%
21%	BACHELOR'S DEGREE OR HIGHER	38%

Income

\$25,759	MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME (1999)	\$31,455
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\$4.9	TOTAL AMOUNT EARNED BY ALL RESIDENTS	\$3.2
29%	POVERTY RATE	25%

PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH INCOMES OF:

56%	LESS THAN \$30,000	48%
6%	MORE THAN \$100,000	13%

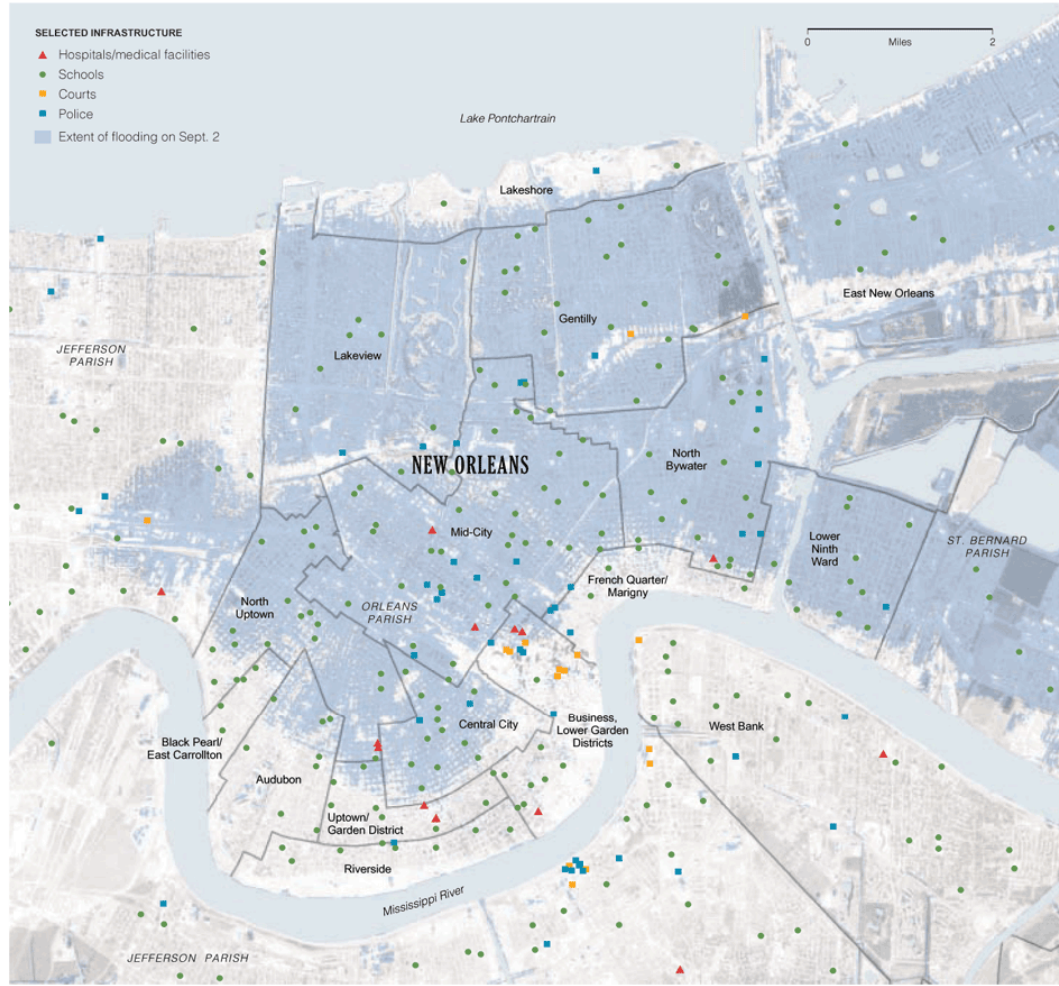
Houses

145,000	NUMBER OF HOUSING UNITS	70,000
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23%	HOUSES BUILT BEFORE 1940	44%
52%	OCCUPIED BY RENTERS	56%

Transportation

29%	HOUSEHOLDS WITH NO VEHICLE	24%
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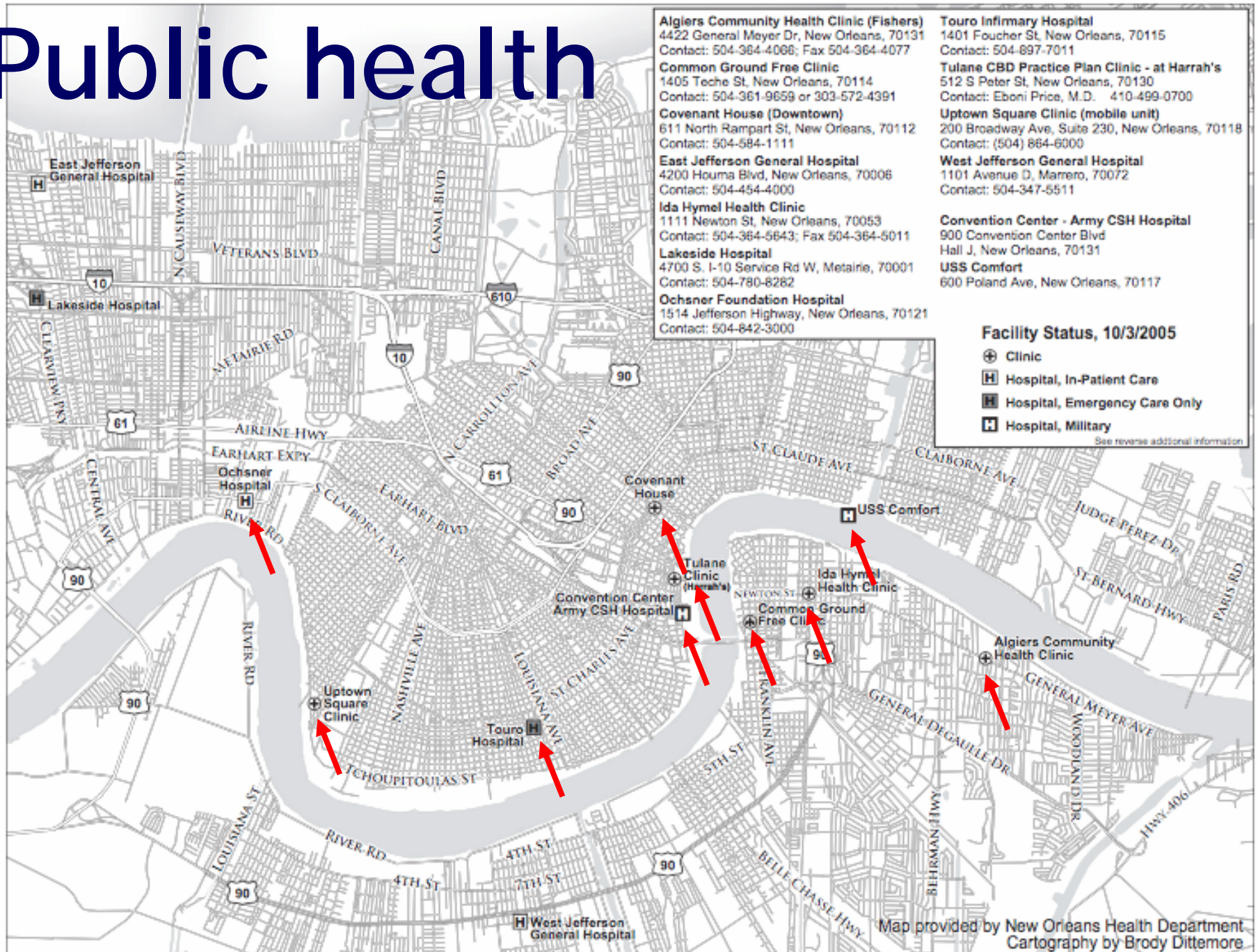
Areas with significant flooding

AREA	POPULATION	AVG. INCOME	Description
North Uptown	38,700	\$38,530	Residential and commercial area home to middle and working class; houses range from mansions to small shotgun houses.
Lakeview	22,300	\$69,777	Moderately to very wealthy area with beautiful homes, large park, city art museum and lavish cemetery.
Mid-City	76,900	\$26,583	Mostly working-class and low-income housing; includes Xavier University, historic cemeteries and industrial area.
Central City	26,600	\$26,962	Home to low- and middle-class families, who mostly rent; many homes are shotgun houses built on brick piers.
Gentilly	42,000	\$43,272	Mostly middle-class area with high rate of home ownership; includes historic district and 200-acre park.
North Bywater	32,900	\$27,720	Mostly low-income and working-class housing with large industrial area; of historical significance to African-American history.
Lower Ninth Ward	19,500	\$28,826	Mostly middle-to low-income families who rent; large number of small businesses, schools and churches.
East New Orleans	96,400	\$41,997	Moderate-income area with subdivisions, large business and manufacturing areas and a wildlife refuge.

Areas with little or no flooding

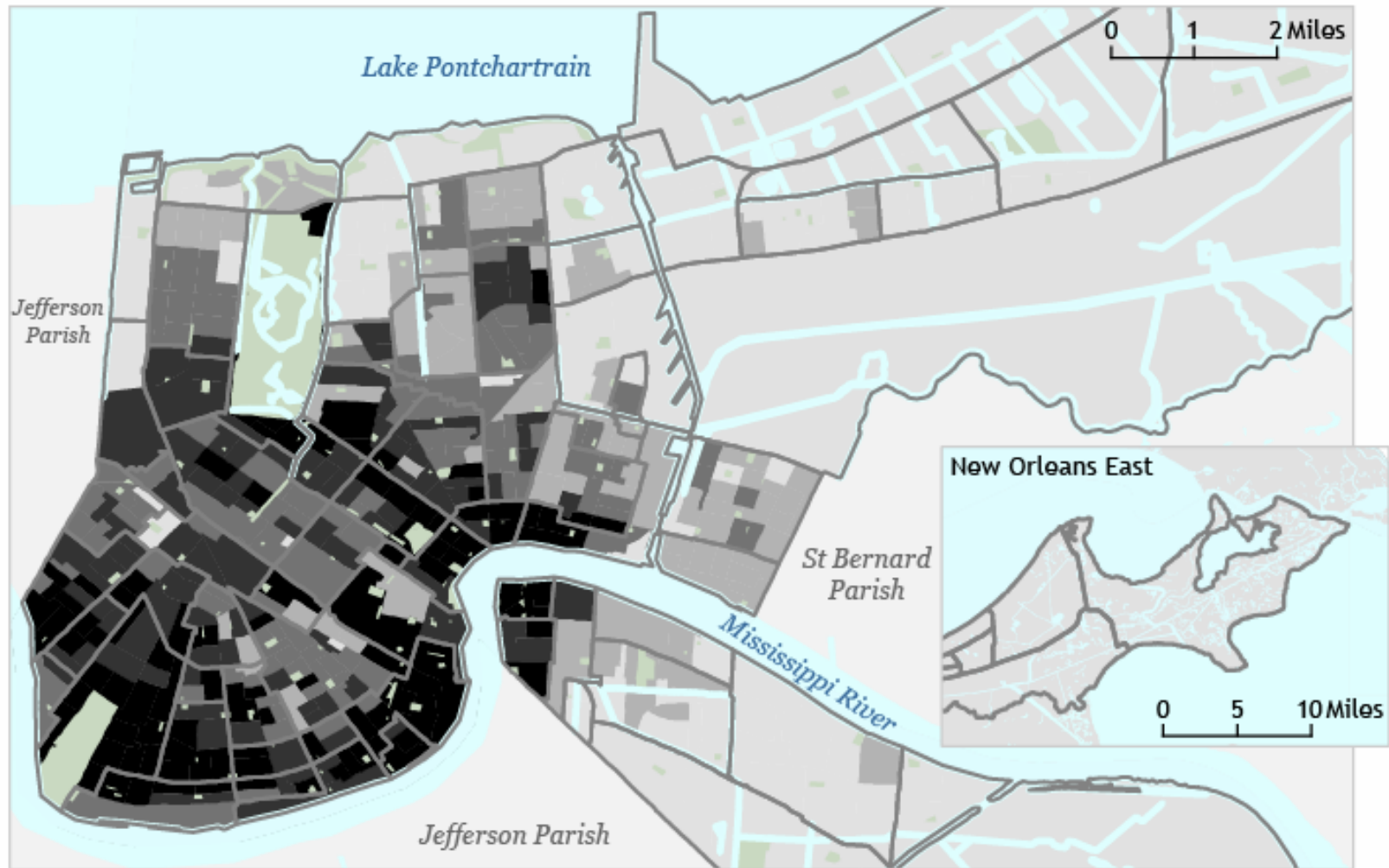
AREA	POPULATION	AVG. INCOME	Description
Black Pearl/East Carrollton	6,200	\$52,336	Mostly middle-class homes and apartment buildings; contains oldest operating street railway line.
Audubon	14,900	\$108,964	Includes a 127-acre park, Tulane and Loyola universities, historic mansions and the city zoo.
Riverside	12,700	\$38,149	Residential area of moderate-income families of various ethnicities; contains a few historic parks.
Uptown/Garden District	11,900	\$59,203	Home to wealthy and middle-class families, with architecture ranging from mansions to single shotgun houses.
Business, Lower Garden Districts	10,900	\$47,985	Contains main commercial, business, government and recreation facilities, along with art galleries and historic buildings.
French Quarter/Marigny	4,200	\$58,571	Oldest part of New Orleans and main tourist destination; contains many hotels, bars, shops and historic homes.
West Bank	58,800	\$45,249	Industrial and residential area, including a large military installation, small businesses and subdivisions.
Lakeshore	5,800	\$112,094	Wealthiest residential area of the city; includes popular entertainment district and the University of New Orleans.

Public health

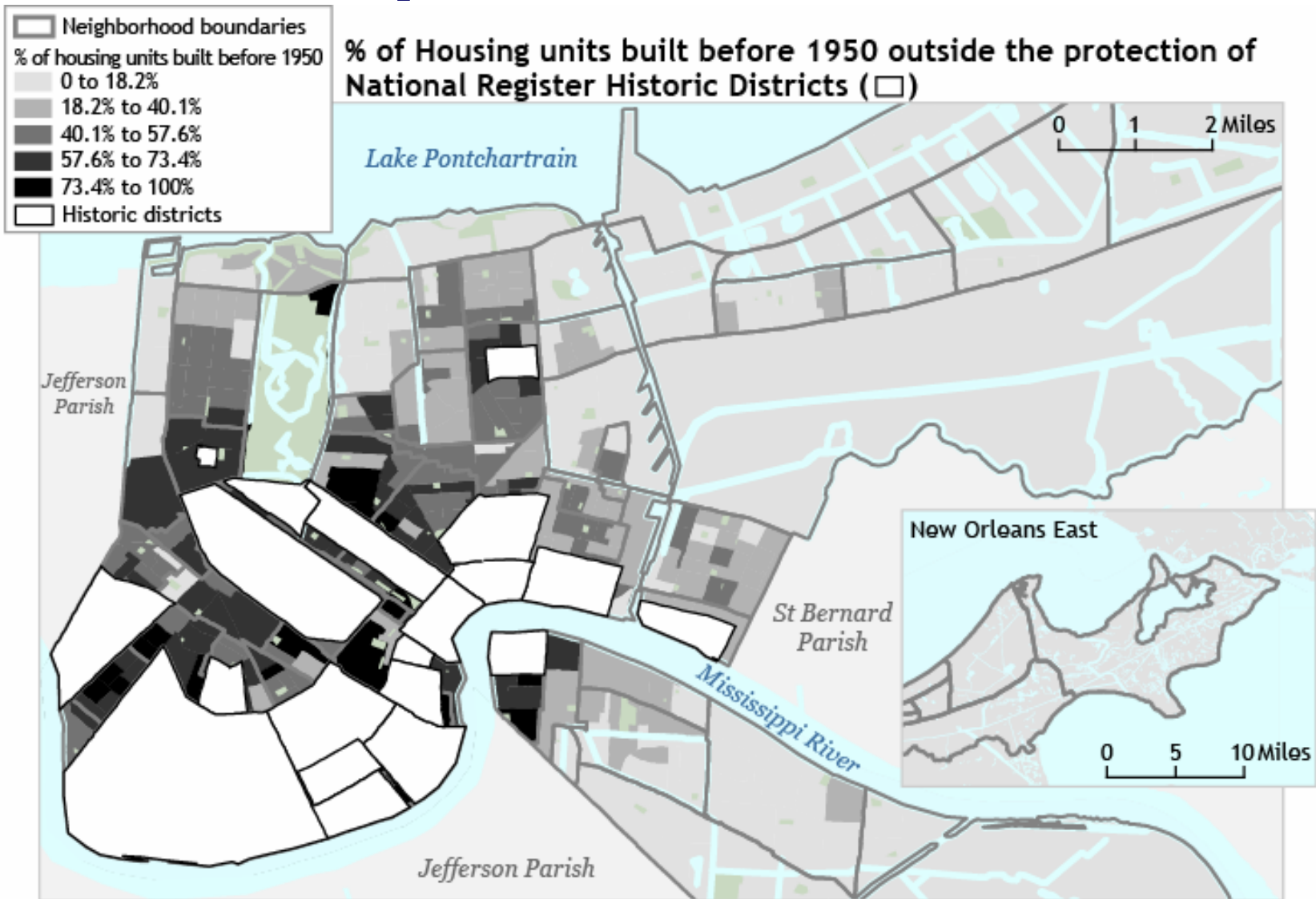


Historic preservation

% of Housing units built before 1950 by Census Block Group in Orleans Parish



Historic preservation



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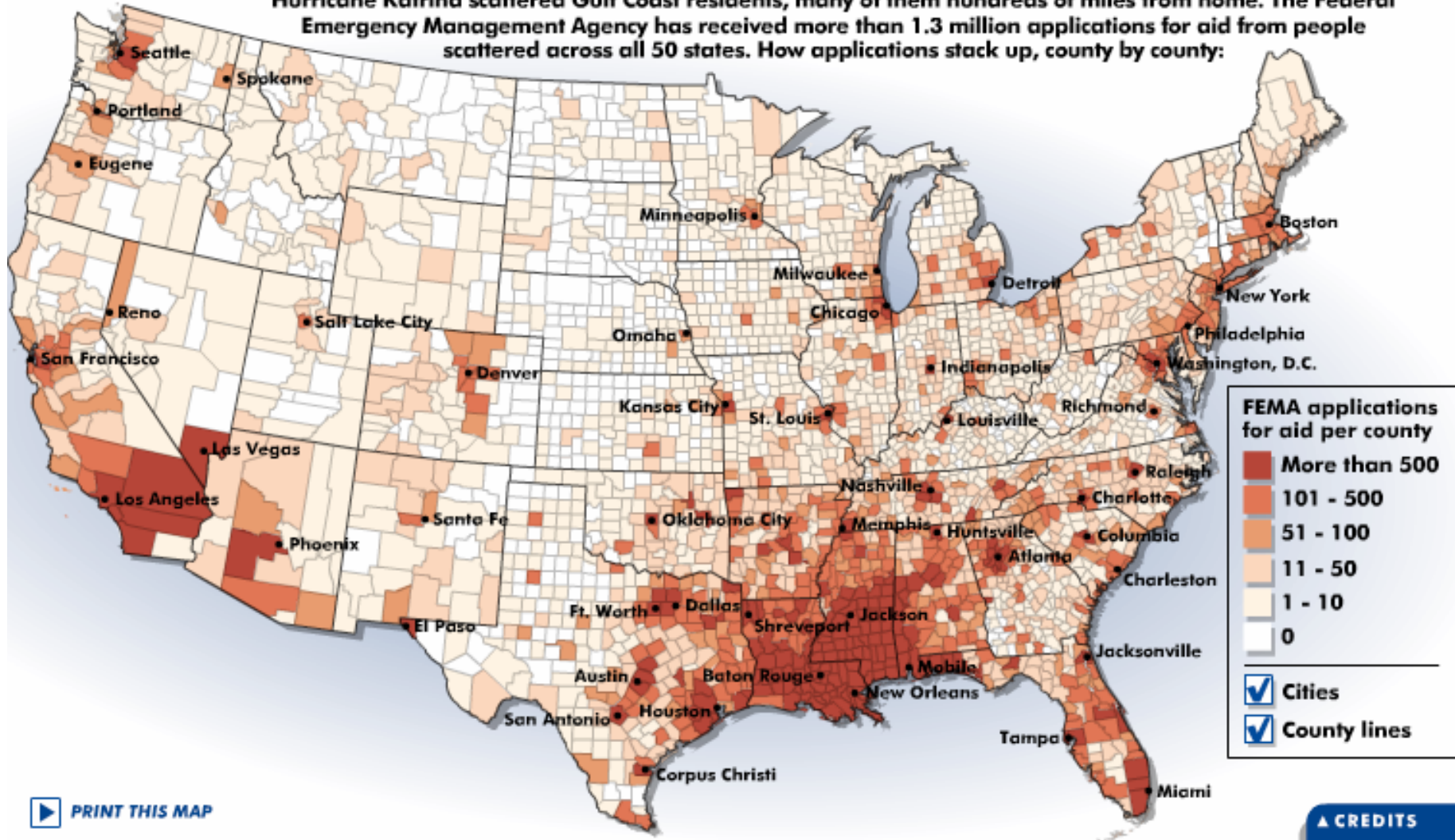
Desire Development Neighborhood

“In recent years, many housing developments in New Orleans have undergone massive renovations and redevelopment. **The numbers from the 2000 Census for this neighborhood are no longer accurate.** Please check with the Housing Authority of New Orleans and the Desire Resident Council for the most current status.” [Read more in the [Neighborhood Snapshot](#)]

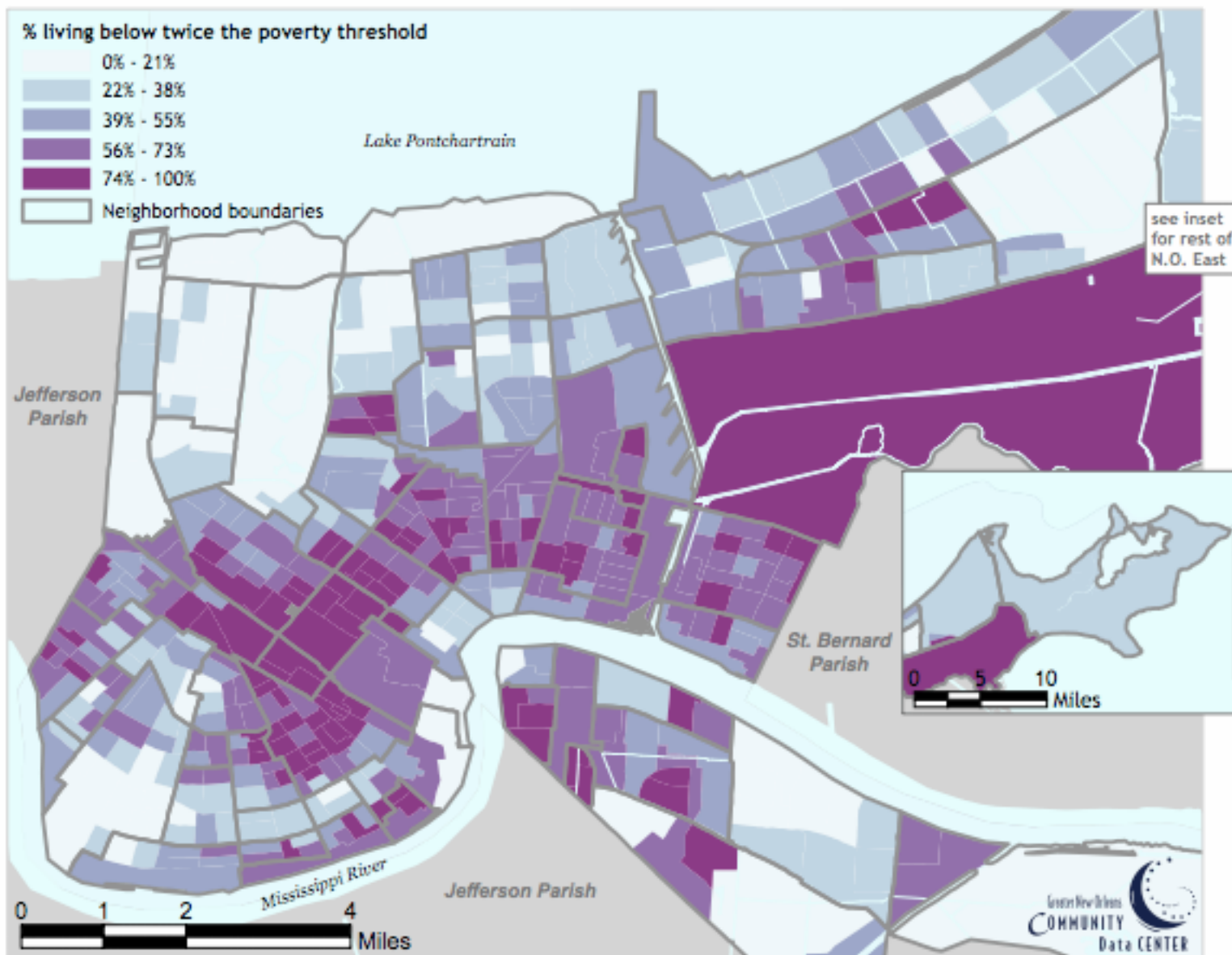


Katrina's evacuees dispersed across the U.S.A.

Hurricane Katrina scattered Gulf Coast residents, many of them hundreds of miles from home. The Federal Emergency Management Agency has received more than 1.3 million applications for aid from people scattered across all 50 states. How applications stack up, county by county:



Percent of people living below twice the poverty threshold by Census block group in Orleans Parish



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Data sources: Poverty rates (Census 2000), water & parish boundaries (Census Tiger files), neighborhood boundaries (adapted from City Planning Commission of New Orleans)

New Orleans Neighborhoods: Flooding by Extreme Poverty

0 0.5 1 Miles

- Neighborhood boundaries
- Census Tracts with 40% or more of the population in poverty in flooded neighborhoods
- Flooded neighborhoods with extreme poverty
- Flooded neighborhoods without extreme poverty
- Dry neighborhoods without extreme poverty
- Dry neighborhoods with extreme poverty

Note: A neighborhood contains extreme poverty if one or more of its Census Tracts has a population where 40% or more of the population is living in poverty

