

Hamblen County, Tennessee – Fact Sheet

Census 200 Demographic Profile Highlights:

(X) Not Applicable

| General Characteristics | Number | Percent | U.S. |
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| Total Population* | 58,128 | | |
| Male | 28,636 | 49.3 | 49.1 % |
| Female | 29,492 | 50.7 | 50.9 % |
| Median age (years) | 37.1 | (X) | 35.3 |
| Under 5 years | 3,817 | 6.6 | 6.8 % |
| 18 years and over | 44,598 | 76.7 | 74.3 % |
| 65 years and over | 7,719 | 13.3 | 12.4 % |
| One race | 57,553 | 99.0 | 97.6 % |
| White | 52,732 | 90.7 | 75.1 % |
| Black or African American | 2,396 | 4.1 | 12.3 % |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 130 | 0.2 | 0.9 % |
| Asian | 335 | 0.6 | 3.6 % |
| Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander | 33 | 0.1 | 0.1 % |
| Some other race | 1,927 | 3.3 | 5.5 % |
| Two or more races | 575 | 1.0 | 2.4 % |
| Hispanic or Latino (of any race) | 3,299 | 5.7 | 12.5 % |
| Household population | 57,338 | 98.6 | 97.2 % |
| Group quarters population | 790 | 1.4 | 2.8 % |
| Average household size | 2.47 | (X) | 2.59 |
| Average family size | 2.91 | (X) | 3.14 |
| Total housing units | 24,693 | | |
| Occupied housing units | 23,211 | 94.0 | 91.0 % |
| Owner-occupied housing units | 16,845 | 72.6 | 66.2 % |
| Renter-occupied housing units | 6,366 | 27.4 | 33.8 % |
| Vacant housing units | 1,482 | 6.0 | 9.0 % |
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| Special Characteristics | | | |
| Population 25 years and over | 39,340 | | |
| High school graduate or higher | 27,278 | 96.3 | 80.4 % |
| Bachelor's degree or higher | 5,234 | 13.3 | 24.4 % |
| Civilian veterans | 5,937 | 13.3 | 12.7 % |
| Disability status (population 5 years and older) | 11,984 | 22.3 | 19.3 % |
| Foreign born | 3,080 | 5.3 | 11.1 % |
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| Economic Characteristics | | | |
| In labor force (population 16 years or older) | 28,662 | 62.0 | 63.9 % |
| Mean travel time to work in minutes (workers 16 yrs. and over) | 19.6 | (X) | 25.5 |
| Median Household Income in 1999 (dollars) | 32,350 | (X) | 41,994 |
| Median family income in 1999 (dollars) | 39,138 | (X) | 50,046 |
| Per capita income in 1999 (dollars) | 17,743 | (X) | 21,587 |
| Families below poverty level | 1,749 | 10.5 | 9.2 % |
| Individuals below poverty level | 8,236 | 14.4 | 12.4 % |
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| Housing Characteristics | | | |
| Single-family owner-occupied homes | 13,527 | | |
| Median value (dollars) | 85,300 | (X) | 119,600 |
| Median of selected monthly owner costs | (X) | (X) | |
| With a mortgage (dollars) | 748 | (X) | 1,088 |
| Not mortgaged (dollars) | 197 | (X) | 295 |
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* The City of Morristown has a population of 24,965. The MSA (including Hamblen, Grainger and Jefferson Counties) is 123,526.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau – Fast Facts for Congress