

In Milwaukee County, 88.7% of individuals have a high school diploma or greater. This is greater than the national average of 87.7%, but lower than the Wisconsin average of 92.3% (**Table 8**). Educational attainment levels correlate with earnings and poverty level (**Table 9**). Although educational attainment levels in Milwaukee County are near the national average, there are disparities seen between races (**Table 10**).

Location	Less than HSD	HSD	Some College	Associates Degree	Bachelor's Degree or greater
Milwaukee County	11.4%	28.7%	20.9%	8.2%	30.7%
Wisconsin	7.9%	30.6%	20.5%	11.0%	30.0%
United States	11.7%	26.9%	20.3%	8.6%	32.6%

Source: US Census Bureau, 2018 American Community Survey, 1-year estimates, Table S1501

Educational Attainment Level	% living below poverty level	Median Earnings Last 12 months
Less than HSD	32.9%	\$24,020
HSD	19.1%	\$30,057
Some college or associate degree	13.0%	\$34,426
Bachelor's Degree or higher	5.0%	\$57,160

Source: US Census Bureau, 2018 American Community Survey, 1-year estimates, Table S1501

Race	High school diploma or higher	Bachelor's degree or higher
White	94.7%	40.5%
Black	84.4%	13.1%
American Indian	83.5%	14.7%
Asian	77.4%	41.4%
Some other race	65.0%	7.2%
Two races or more	93.2%	31.0%
Hispanic or Latino	69.3%	11.7%

Source US Census Bureau 2018 American Community Survey, 1-year estimates, Table S1501