

SOUTH NASHVILLE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER

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Measures for Community Goals

Service Area: The South Nashville Family Resource Center (FRC) is located at 139 Thompson Lane. The FRC service area comprises census tracts 173, 174, and 175.

The area is bounded by I-440 and Interstate I-24 and includes the major thoroughfares of Thompson Lane, east of Nolensville Pike, and Nolensville Pike. The South Nashville FRC service area appears on the map below.

South Nashville Family Resource Center Service Area



History: Beginning July 1, 2004 the Vanderbilt Center for Health Services assumed the role of lead agency for the family resource center. During this period of transition, the Advisory Council chose to change the name of the FRC to the South Nashville Family Resource Center to reflect the broader community that it serves, which includes the Radnor and Glenclyff neighborhoods.

Residents of these adjacent neighborhoods have been active with the FRC for several years, and the FRC activities embrace all three neighborhoods.

The priority chosen for the FRC is "Frail Elderly Live in Supportive Communities" and Families and Children Are Healthy".

FRC Partners:

Partner agencies include:

Belmont University
Catholic Charities
Disability Pathfinder
Exchange Club Family Center
Flatrock Neighborhood Association
Glenclyff High School
Glenclyff Neighborhood Association
Glenclyff United Methodist Church
Goodwill Job Resource Center
Hispanic Community Group of TN
Kids on the Block
Maternal Infant Health Outreach
Matthews House
Metro Beautification
Metro Social Services (Refugee Services and Senior Division)
Music City People International
Neighborhoods Resource Center

NewSong Christian Fellowship
Nolensville Road Community Partnership
Outlook Nashville
Radnor Neighborhood Association
Senior Citizens, Inc.
Situdent Community Health Coalition
Sudanese Community and Women's Services
United Way of Metropolitan Nashville
UT College of Social Work
Vanderbilt University
Whitsitt Elementary School
Woodbine Community Organization
Woodbine Neighbors
Wright Middle School
Youth Encouragement Services
YWCA Domestic Violence Program

Goal: Frail Elderly Live in Supportive Communities

Measure: The percent of type of disability among the 65 and older population.

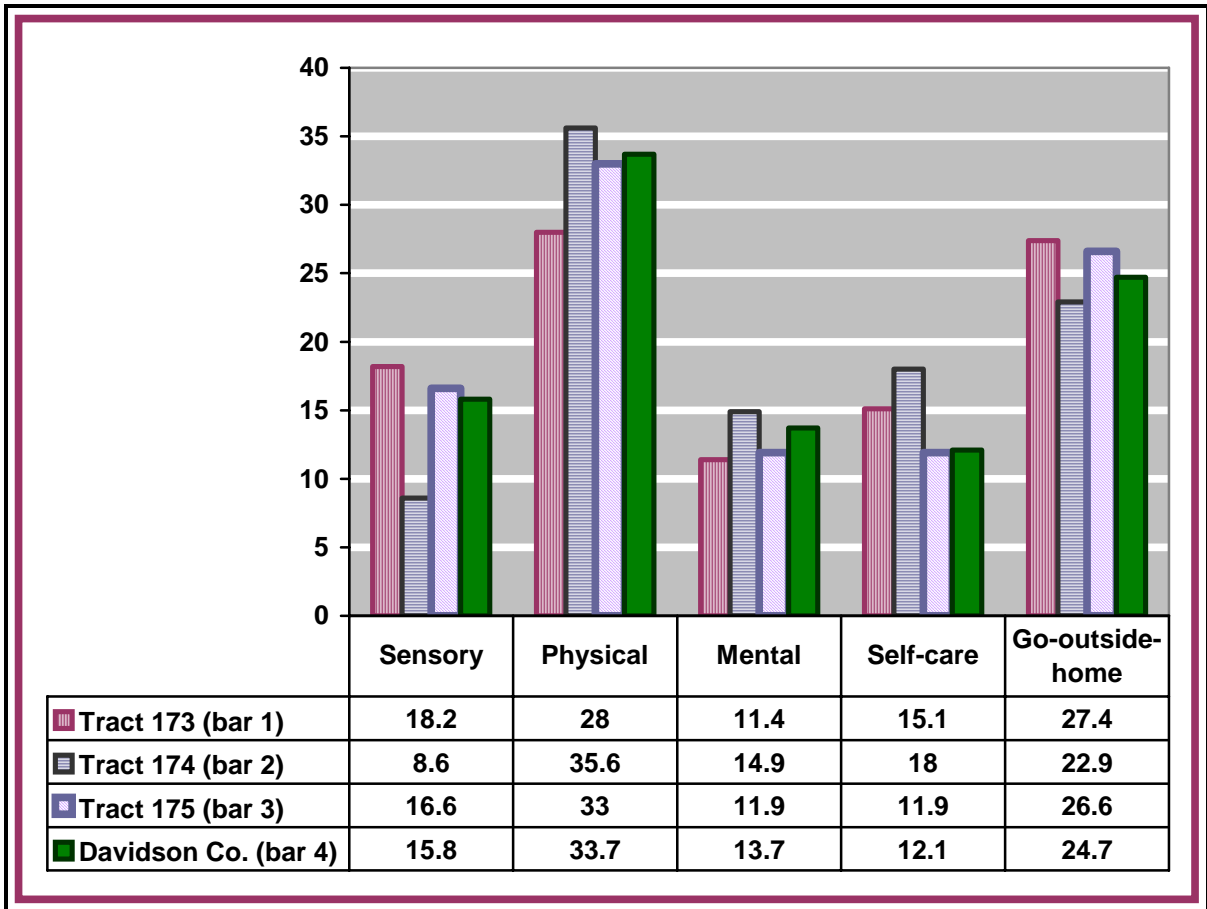
Description: Percents are based on the number of disabilities, rather than the number of people with disabilities. A single person may suffer from multiple disabilities.

What the data show: The percent of sensory, self-care and go-outside-the-home disabilities in census tract 173 exceeded the county, state, and national percentages.

Census tract 174 experienced higher percentages of physical, mental, and self-care disabilities than the county, state, and nation. Go-outside-the-home disability percentages for census tract 175 exceeded the county, state, and national percentages while sensory disability percentages exceeded the county and state percentages.

Measure implications: Disabilities hamper the performance of daily living functions, such as bathing, cooking, housekeeping, and shopping, and make it difficult for the elderly.

PERCENTAGES OF TYPES OF DISABILITIES REPORTED AMONG POPULATION 65 YEARS OR OLDER SOUTH NASHVILLE FRC AREA, CENSUS 2000



Source: U. S. Census Bureau, Census 2000

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Measure: The percent of the 65 and over population reported living in specific areas and the percent of reported households by presence of people 65 years and over.

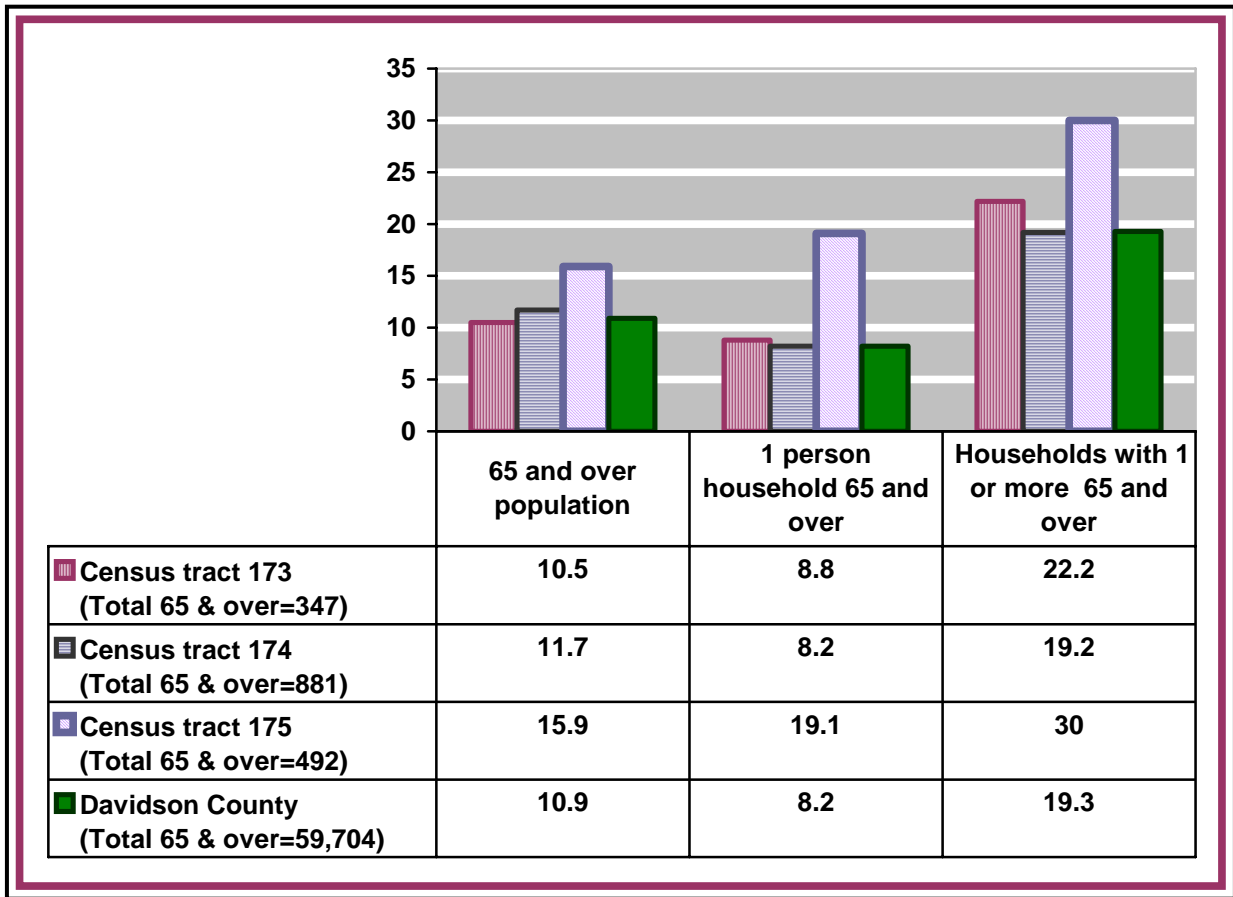
Description: A household includes all of the people who occupy a housing unit. A housing unit is a house, an apartment, a mobile home, a group of rooms, or a single room occupied as separate living quarters.

What the data show: Census tract 173 has slightly higher percentages of households with 1 person and 1 or more people 65 and over than the county.

Census tract 174 has more households that are comparable with county percentages. Census tract 175 percentages exceed county percentages for 65 and over population, households with 1 person 65 and over, and households with 1 or more people 65 years and over.

Measure implications: Possessing information about the number and location where elderly people live assists service providers in the support of their target population.

PERCENTAGES OF HOUSEHOLDS BY PRESENCE OF PEOPLE 65 YEARS AND OVER REPORTED IN THE SOUTH NASHVILLE FRC AREA, CENSUS 2000



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3

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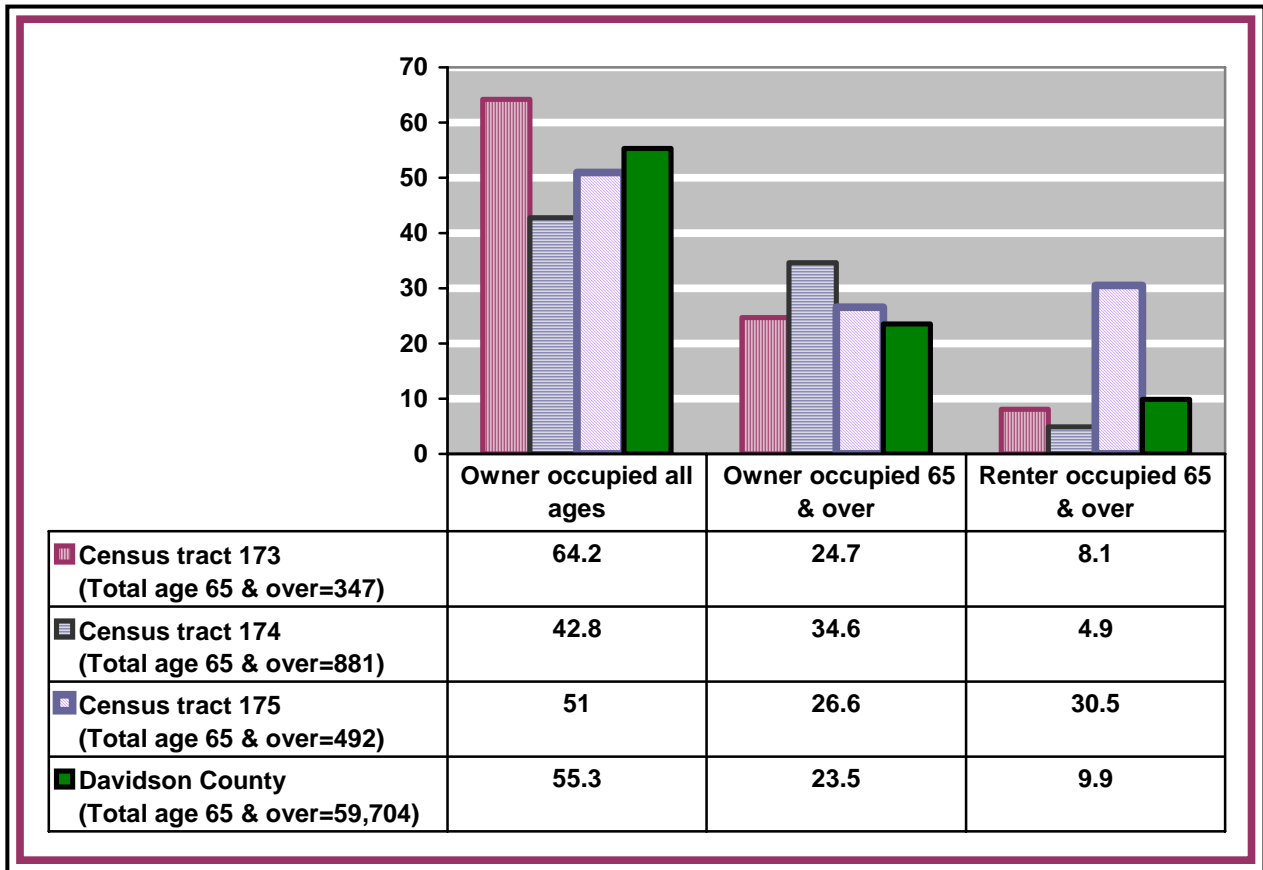
Measure: The percent of reported owner occupied housing units for all ages and age 65 years and over. The percent of reported renter occupied housing units with the householder age 65 and over.

Description: A housing unit is a house, an apartment, a mobile home, a group of rooms, or a single room occupied as separate living quarters. A housing unit is owner occupied if the owner or co-owner lives in the unit even if it is mortgaged or not fully paid for. All occupied housing units that are not owner occupied, whether they are rented for cash rent or occupied without payment of cash rent, are classified as renter occupied.

What the data show: Census tract 173 has the highest percentage of reported owner occupied housing units and exceeds the county percentage. Census tract 174 has the greatest percentage of reported owner occupied householders age 65 and over and exceeds the county percentage. Census tract 175 percentage of reported renter occupied units greatly exceeds the other census tracts as well as the county.

Measure implications: Possessing information about the number and location of owner occupied housing units, and those subgroups within, may assist service providers in developing possible outreach programs designed to involve and engage particular groups and identify target populations.

PERCENTAGES OF OWNER AND RENTER OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS REPORTED IN THE SOUTH NASHVILLE FRC AREA, CENSUS 2000



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3

NOTES RELATED TO CRIME DATA:

Crime reports were provided by Neighborhoods Resource Center using Metropolitan Nashville Police Department 2005, 2006, and 2007 Crime Incident Databases and United States Census Bureau "Census of Population and Housing, 2000 (Tennessee)."

Crime charts for 2005-2008 crimes against persons include Robbery rather than Offense Against the Family category due to extremely low incident rates for the latter. Due to the variation in crime data provided by Metropolitan Nashville Police Department for 2005-2008, trend comparisons are not possible with previous years. Therefore, crime charts for 2002-2005 years that utilized previously "reported" crime data appear in the Appendix for those Family Resource Centers that requested data during these years.

Crime Rate

The crime rate is the number of crimes per thousand persons.

Crime Incidents

Crime incidents refer to events in which a crime took place, a victim reported the crime, and an incident report was filed by a police officer. Multiple incidents may be filed by a single victim.

Restrictions

In 2008, the Metropolitan Nashville Police Department stopped providing public access to crime incident data for open investigations. Therefore, the tables summarize only those crime incidents that have been cleared by arrest, or cases in which prosecution was declined, or the victim refused to cooperate.

Goal: Families and Children are Safe

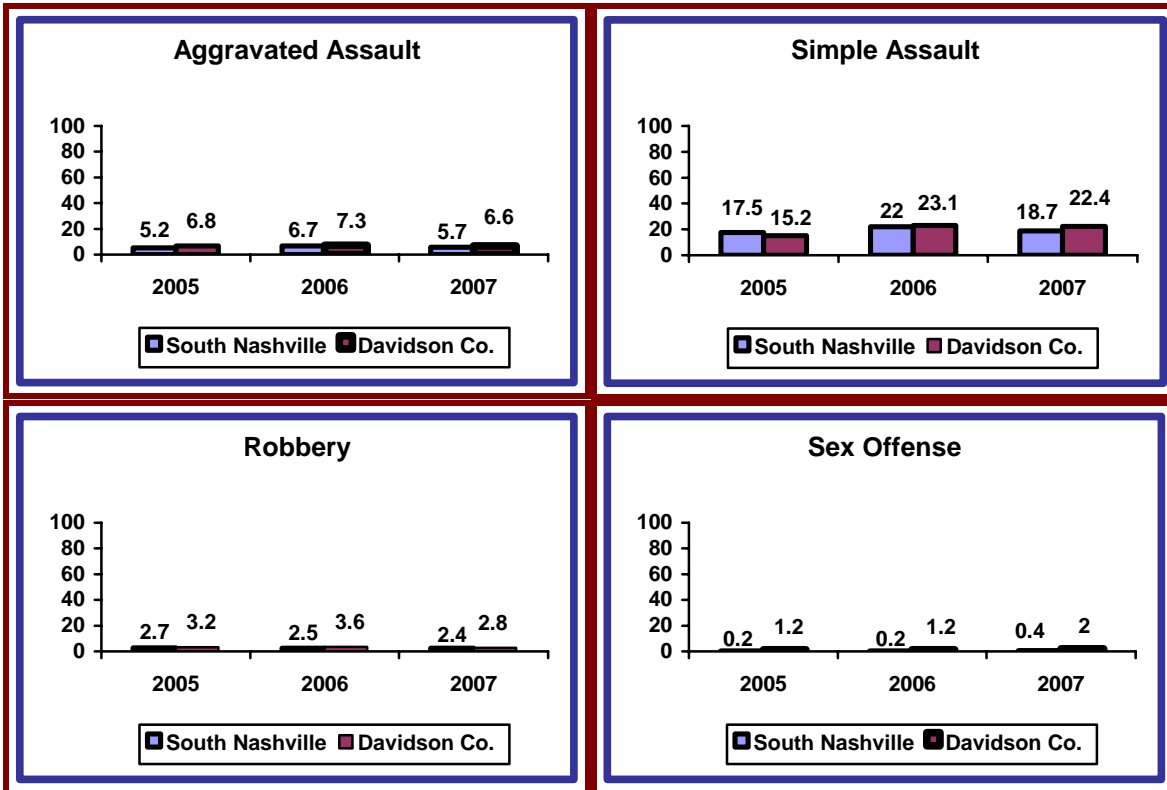
Measure: Crime incidents refer to events in which a crime took place, a victim reported the crime, and an incident report was filed by a police officer.

What the data show: From 2006 to 2007, crime incidents in all categories below except sex offense declined, although all remained below the county.

Description: Crimes against persons include violence against individuals, such as aggravated and simple assault, robbery, and sex offense.

Measure implications: Reduction in crime rates is essential to neighborhood safety.

RATES OF CLOSED CRIME INCIDENTS AGAINST PERSONS IN THE SOUTH NASHVILLE AREA 2005-2007



Source: Neighborhoods Resource Center

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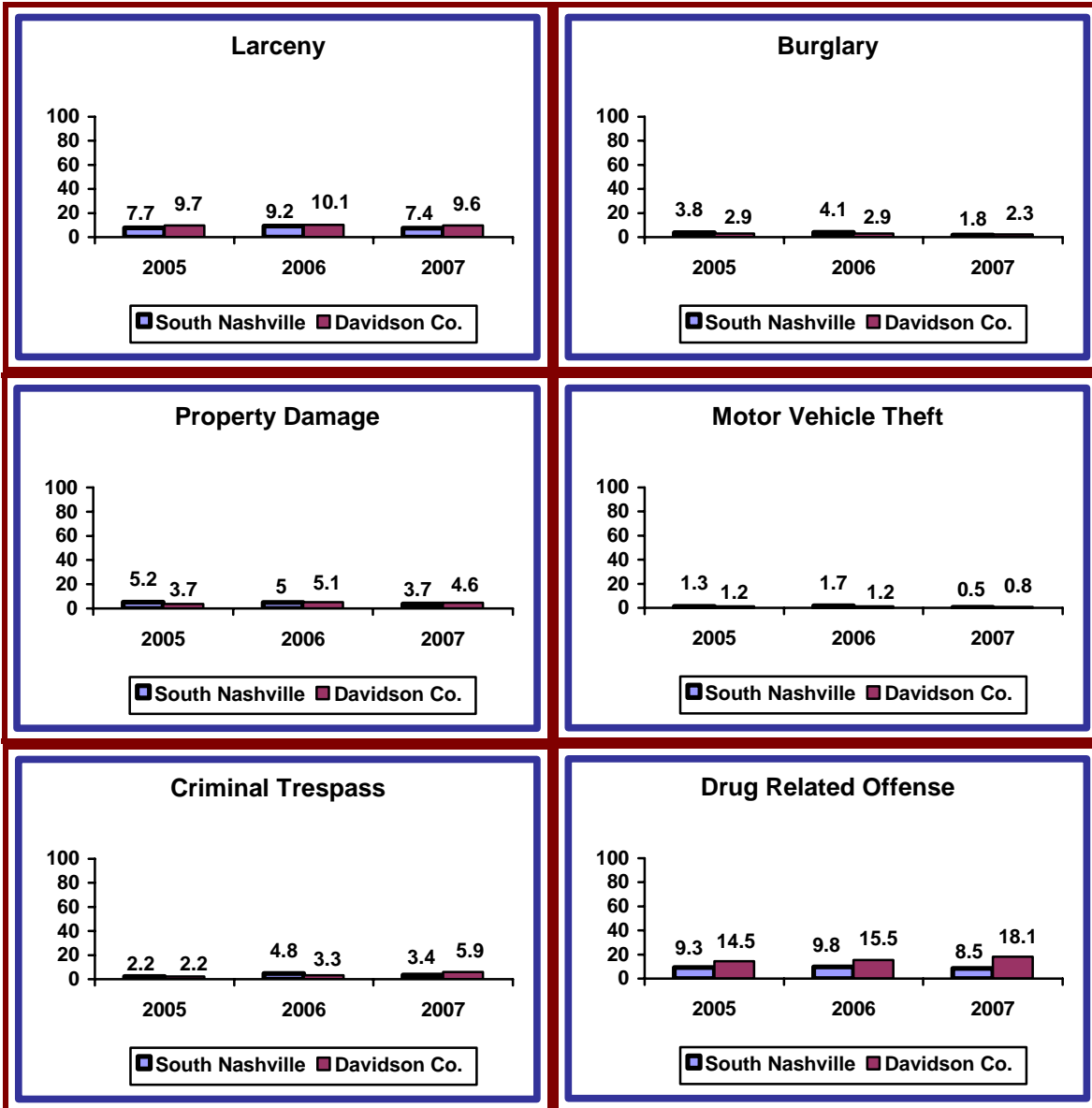
Measure: Crime incidents refer to events in which a crime took place, a victim reported the crime, and an incident report was filed by a police officer.

Description: Property/other crimes include larceny, property damage/vandalism, burglary, motor vehicle theft, harassment/criminal trespass, and drug related offense.

What the data show: Crime incidents in all of the following categories in the South Nashville area declined in 2007.

Measure implications: Reduction in crime rates is essential to neighborhood safety.

RATES CLOSED CRIME INCIDENTS AGAINST PROPERTY/OTHER IN SOUTH NASHVILLE AREA 2005-2007

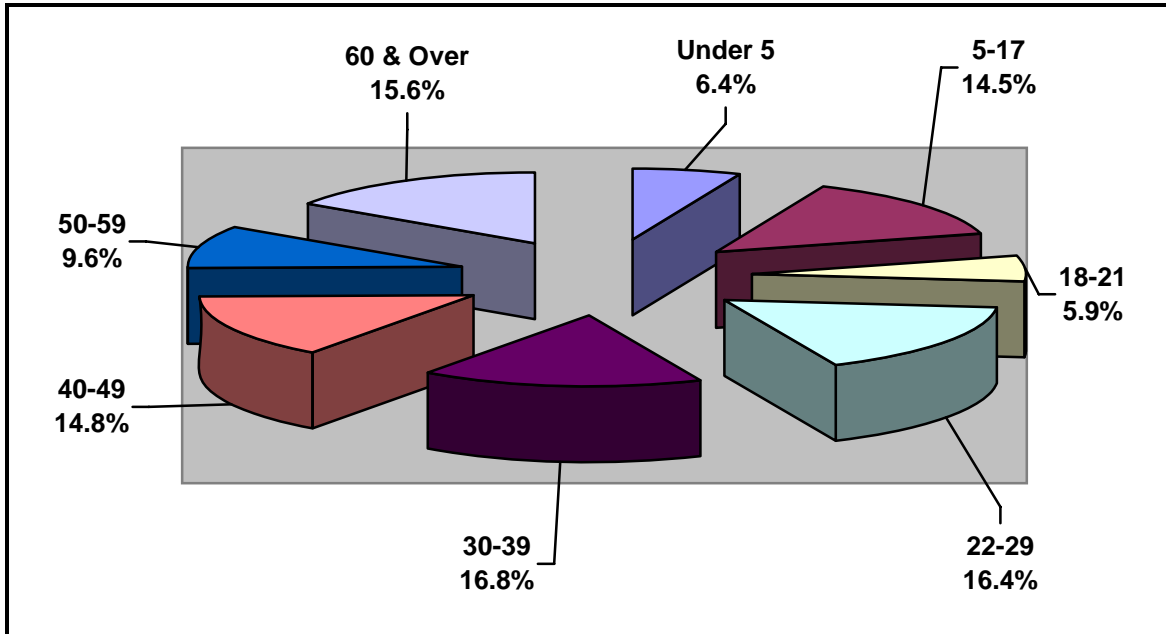


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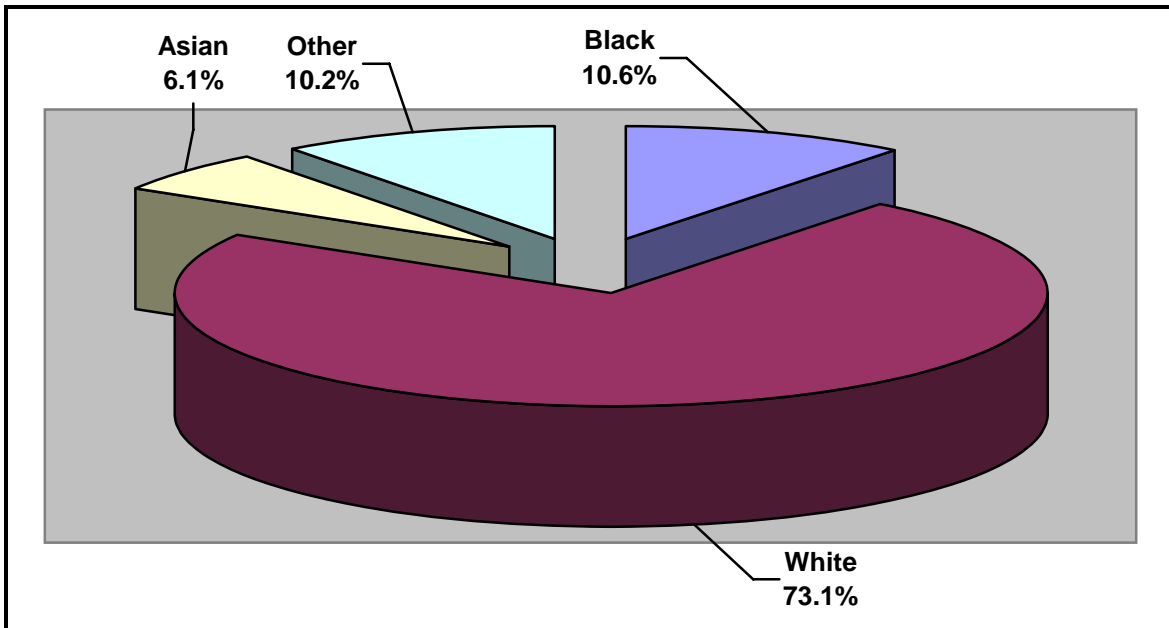
APPENDIX

SELECTED DEMOGRAPHICS: The charts on the following pages provide demographic information for the South Nashville FRC service area (census tracts 173, 174, and 175).

POPULATION BY AGE

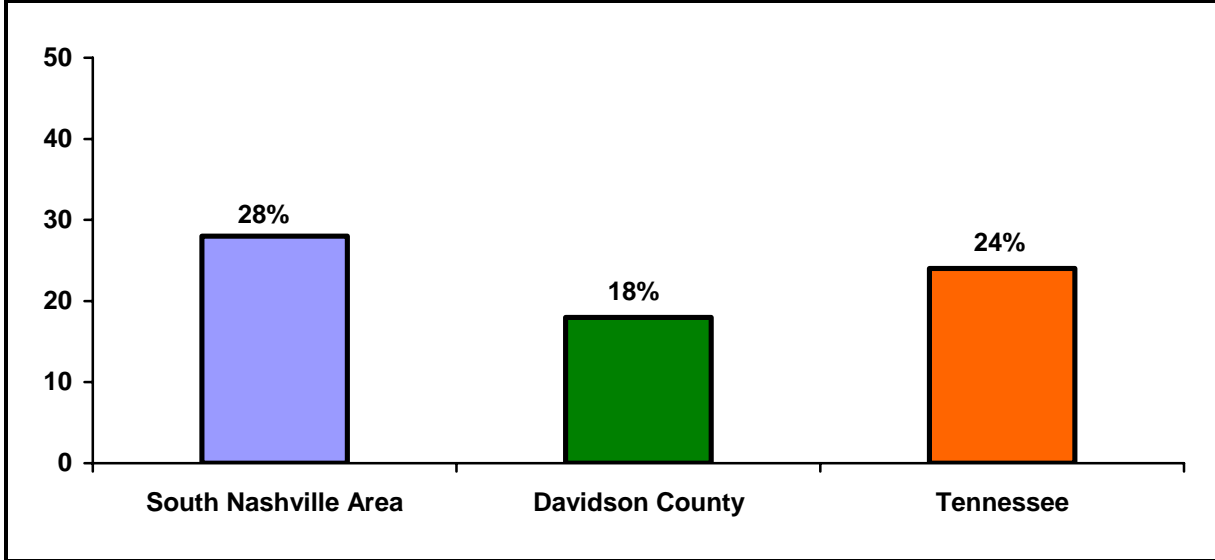


POPULATION BY RACE

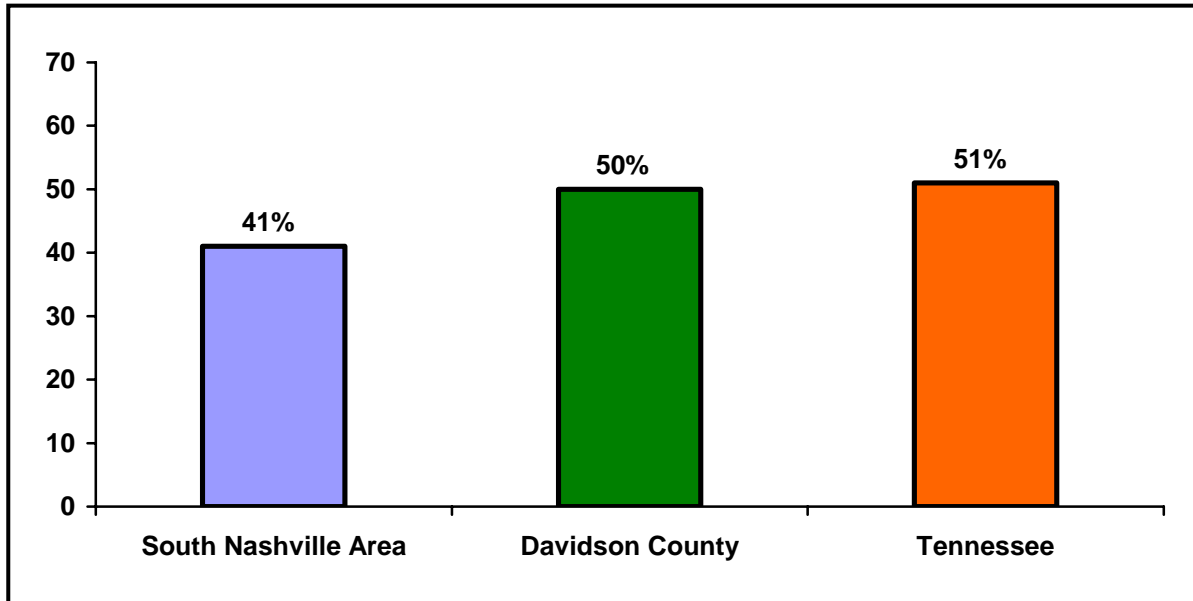


Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 1 (Age Data: Table P12; Race Data: Table P7)

PERCENT OF POPULATION AGE 25+ WITH LESS THAN A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR GED

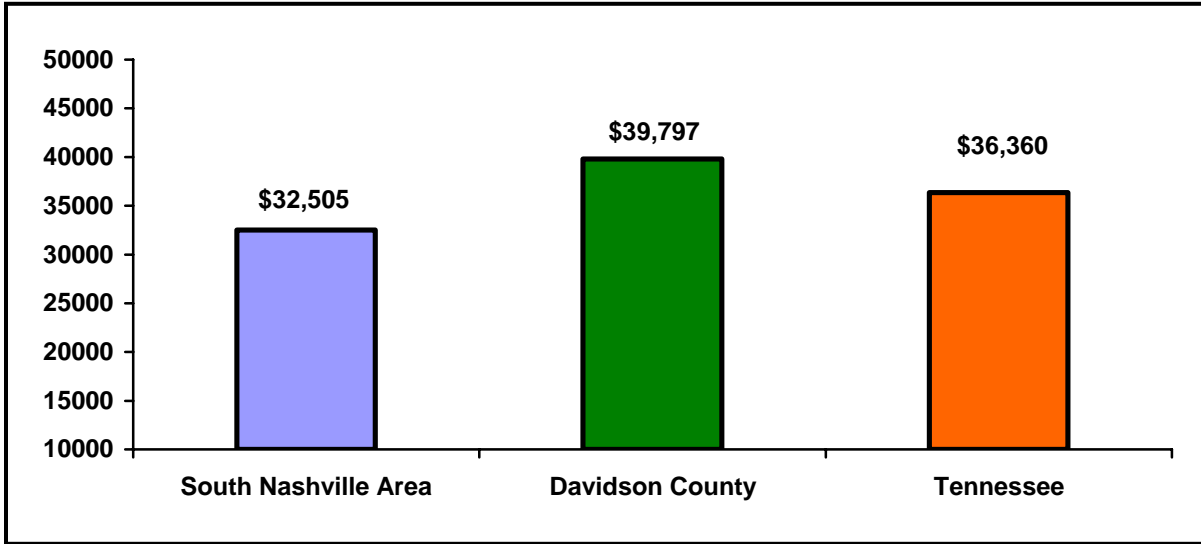


PERCENT OF GRANDPARENTS RESPONSIBLE FOR CARE OF GRANDCHILDREN (< AGE 18) RESIDING IN SAME HOUSEHOLD



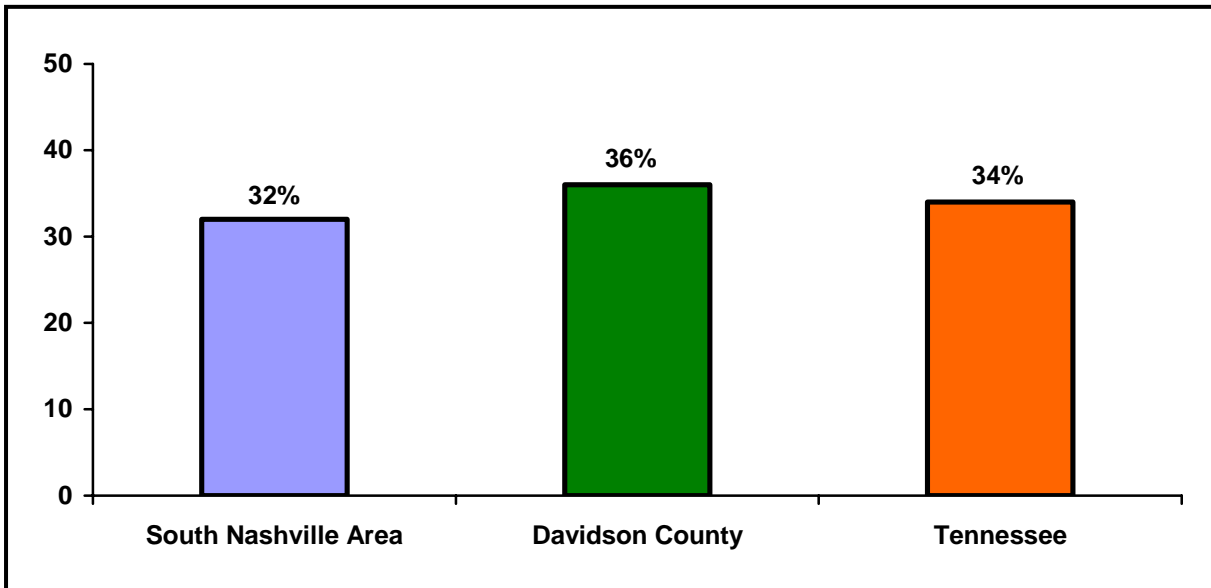
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Table DP-2)

MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME, 1999



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Table DP-3)

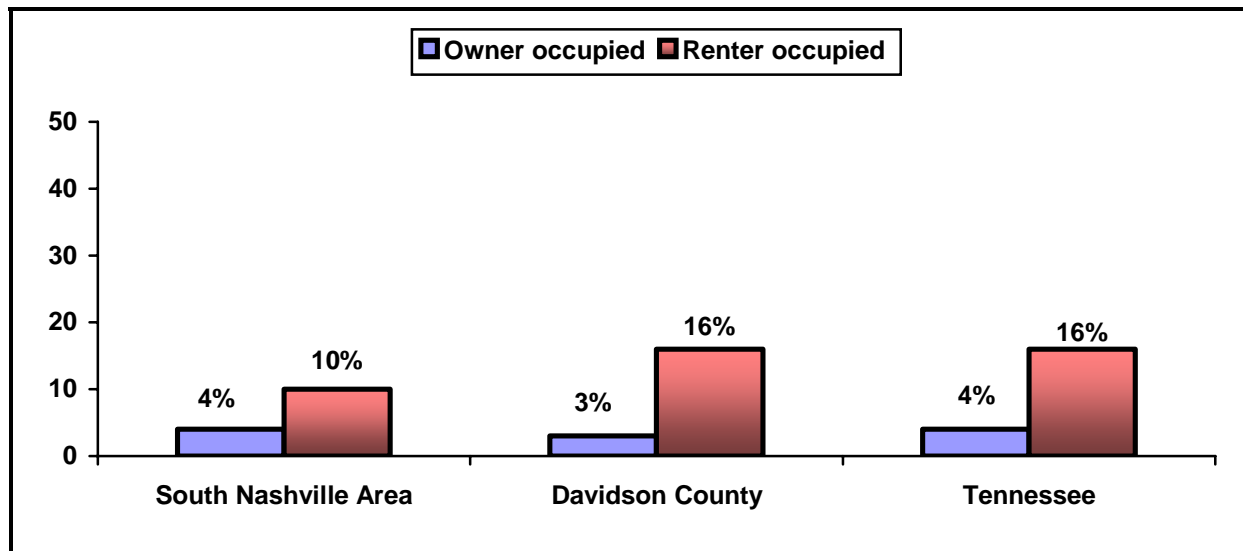
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES WITH RENT BURDEN



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Quick Table QT-H13)

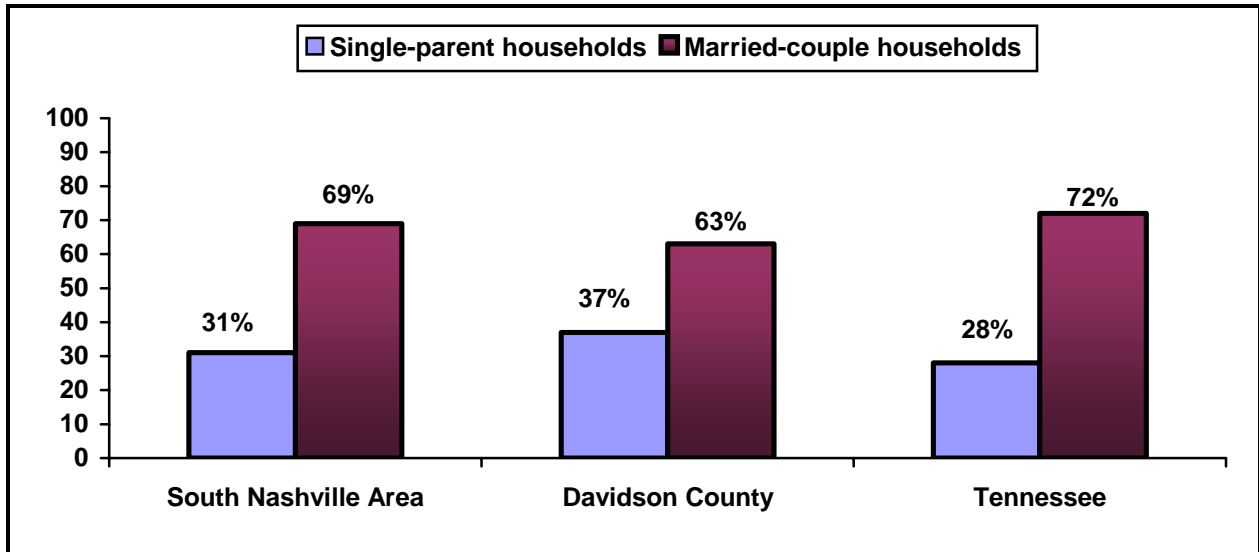
Notes: Households that spend more than 30% of their monthly income on rent are considered “rent burdened.” Rent-burdened families have less money available for present and future needs.

PERCENT OF HOUSEHOLDS WITH NO VEHICLES AVAILABLE



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Quick Table QT-H11)

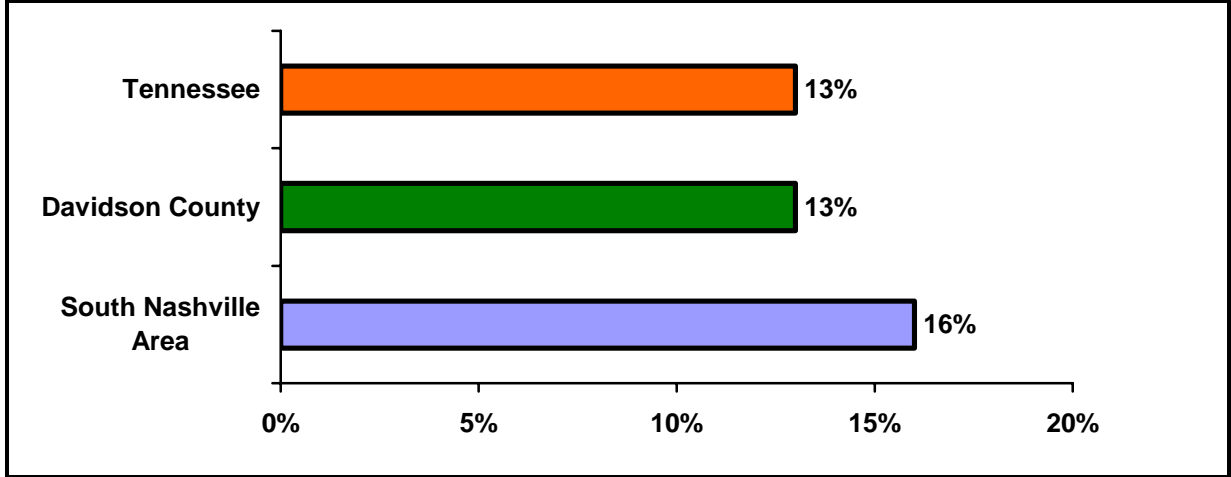
PERCENT OF SINGLE-PARENT AND MARRIED-COUPLE HOUSEHOLDS WITH CHILDREN AGES 18 AND UNDER



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Table P10)

Notes: Children who grow up in single-parent households are more likely to be poor.

POVERTY RATES, 1999



Source: U. S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Table P87)

EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

	South Nashville Area	Davidson County	Tennessee
Civilians ages 16 and over in the labor force	7,601	307,250	2,805,234
Percent of total civilian population ages 16 and over unemployed	4.5%	5.2%	5.5%

Source: U. S. Census Bureau, Census 2000, Summary File 3 (Table DP-3)