

# District 25 -

Clay, Knox, Lee,  
Owsley, Whitley,  
Wolfe



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## WORKFORCE

	Labor Force Participation	Total Employment
Clay	38%	3,904
Knox	43%	8,028
Lee	33%	1,651
Owsley	38%	669
Whitley	49%	11,518
Wolfe	37%	1,245
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>59.3%</b>	<b>1,847,412</b>



## DISTRICT MEDICAID POPULATION

# 55.6%

Percent of the district population on Medicaid

# 56,584

Total Number of people in district on Medicaid

# 30%

Percent of Kentucky population on Medicaid

## JAIL CAPACITY

Clay - 126%

Whitley - 152%

State Total -

24,671 / 20,644 = 120%

INMATES

BEDS



## % OF THE POPULATION WITH BACHELORS DEGREE, AGE 25 +

Clay	10.6%
Knox	10.9%
Lee	7.6%
Owsley	17.4%
Whitley	17.9%
Wolfe	11.8%
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>22.7%</b>



## WEEKLY WAGES

Clay	\$665
Knox	\$635
Lee	\$601
Owsley	\$532
Whitley	\$708
Wolfe	\$548
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>\$910</b>
<b>National</b>	<b>\$1,152</b>

Pegasus Institute is first and foremost focused on promoting a better future for Kentucky. As we consider how to do that, a few policy areas and key statistics stand out. Kentucky's Labor Force Participation rate remains among the lowest in the nation, below 60 percent. Improving this number and getting more able bodied adults into the workforce should be the highest priority for the General Assembly. This District break down shines a light on the statistics that give us the most concern.

