

# District 78 -

Harrison  
Pendleton  
Scott



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## WORKFORCE

	Labor Force Participation	Total Employment
Harrison	56%	4,887
Pendleton	59%	2,381
Scott	70%	26,326
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>59.3%</b>	<b>1,847,412</b>



## DISTRICT MEDICAID POPULATION

# 24.31%

Percent of the district population on Medicaid

# 21,450

Total Number of people in district on Medicaid

# 30%

Percent of Kentucky population on Medicaid

## JAIL CAPACITY

# Scott- 122%

State Total -

24,671 / 20,644 = 120%

INMATES

BEDS



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

Harrison	15.4%
Pendleton	10.3%
Scott	28.4%
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>22.7%</b>



## WEEKLY WAGES

Harrison	\$795
Pendleton	\$765
Scott	\$948
<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.



Kentucky Department of Corrections, data from November 15, 2018: <https://corrections.ky.gov/About/researchandstats/Documents/Weekly%20Jail/2018/11-15-18.pdf> - Cabinet for Health and Family Services, data from November 5, 2018:

<https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dms/dafm/Medicaid%20Stats%20Documents/KY%20Data%20Warehouse%20Monthly%20Membership%20Counts%20by%20County2018-11-05-20-46-05.pdf> - United States Census Bureau, 2017 data: <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/table/ky/PST045217#viewtop> United States Department of Labor, October 2018 data: <https://www.bls.gov/eag/eag.ky.htm>