

District 28 – Clark, Fayette, Montgomery



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WORKFORCE

	Labor Force Participation	Total Employment
Clark	60%	14,579
Fayette	68%	191,435
Montgomery	56%	10,367
Kentucky	59.3%	1,847,412

DISTRICT MEDICAID POPULATION

23.5%

Percent of the district population on Medicaid

90,898

Total Number of people in district on Medicaid

30%

Percent of Kentucky population on Medicaid

JAIL CAPACITY

Clark - 174%

Fayette - 118%

Montgomery - 143%

State Total -

24,671 / 20,644 = 120%

INMATES

BEDS

% OF THE POPULATION WITH BACHELORS DEGREE, AGE 25 +

Clark	20.5%
Fayette	41.4%
Montgomery	16.6%
Kentucky	22.7%

WEEKLY WAGES

Clark	\$789
Fayette	\$925
Montgomery	\$766
Kentucky	\$910
National	\$1,152

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.

