

# District 89 -

Jackson  
Laurel  
Madison



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## WORKFORCE

	Labor Force Participation	Total Employment
Jackson	45%	1,614
Laurel	53%	26,763
Madison	62%	33,628
<b>Kentucky</b>	<b>59.3%</b>	<b>1,847,412</b>



## DISTRICT MEDICAID POPULATION

# 34.04%

Percent of the district population on Medicaid

# 56,116

Total Number of people in district on Medicaid

# 30%

Percent of Kentucky population on Medicaid

## JAIL CAPACITY

Jackson - 159%

Laurel - 186%

Madison - 192%

State Total -

24,671 / 20,644 = 120%

INMATES

BEDS



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

Jackson 11.2%

Laurel 12.5%

Madison 29.1%

**Kentucky 22.7%**



## WEEKLY WAGES

Jackson \$614

Laurel \$704

Madison \$764

**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 that 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/fact/table/ky/PST045217#viewtop> United States Department of Labor, October 2018 data: <https://www.bls.gov/eag/eag.ky.htm>