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West Virginia

POPULATION

1,784,462

Total Population of West Virginia

1,873

Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander (NHPI) (Alone or In Combination)*

628

NH (Alone or In Combination)*

AGE DISTRIBUTION

Overall Population NHPI* Population

359,411

Under 18 years

1,015,404

18 to 64 years

368,989

65 years & older

683

Under 18 years

1,236

18 to 64 years

219

65 years & older

GENDER

894,306

Female Population

1,247

NHPI* Female

N/A

NH* Female

890,156

Male Population

891

NHPI* Male

N/A

NH* Male

EDUCATION

90.7%

High School Graduate or Higher

81.4%

NHPI* High School Graduate or Higher (2021)

26.6%

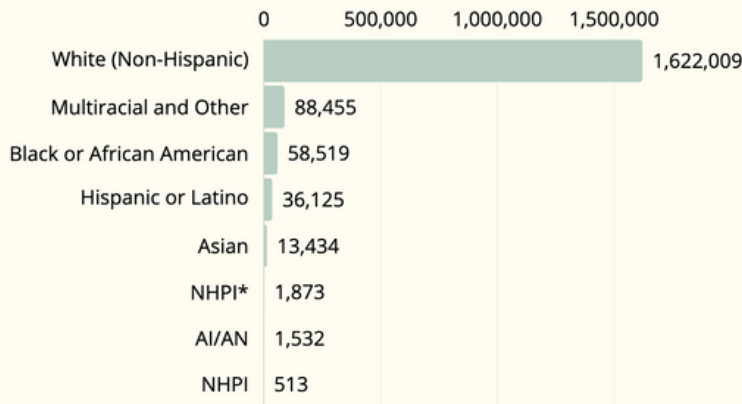
Bachelor's Degree or Higher

12.0%

NHPI* Bachelor's Degree or Higher (2021)



RACE & ETHNICITY



NH COUNTIES

Data unavailable

HOUSEHOLD

2023

721,448

Total Households

2021

N/A

Total NH* Households

2021

353

Total NHPI* Households

163,448

Families with Children Households

N/A

NH* Families with Children Households

106

NHPI* Families with Children Households

2.4

Average Household Size

N/A

Average NH* Household Size

5.81

Average NHPI* Household Size



INCOME & POVERTY

\$57,917

Median Household Income (2023)

N/A

NH* Median Household Income (2021)

\$62,188

NHPI* Median Household Income (2021)

287,660

Persons Below Poverty Line (2023)

N/A

NH* Persons Below Poverty Line (2021)

474

NHPI* Persons Below Poverty Line (2021)

Resources for Native Hawaiians in West Virginia

• Cultural Foods, Festivals, Programs, & Resources

- Hawaiian Food by Paradise Multimedia: <https://www.orderhawaiianfood.com/>
- Asian Pacific American Heritage Resources: <https://asianpacificheritage.gov/index.html>
- USGS Pacific Islander Indigenous Communities <https://www.usgs.gov/programs/climate-adaptation-science-centers/science/science-topics/pacific-islander-indigenous>
- West Virginia Humanities Council <https://wvhumanities.org/>
- AANHPI <https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/sis/resources/aanhpi-ff.pdf>
- NIFRSA Leaders in Collegiate Recreation <https://nirsa.net/2022/05/11/celebrate-asian-pacific-islander-desi-american-heritage-month/> Youtube video https://youtu.be/6bLwF_KFrLwF_KFrZht

• Educational Resources

- National Education Association - Teaching Asian American, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander Heritage: <https://www.nea.org/professional-excellence/student-engagement/tools-tips/teaching-asian-american-native-hawaiian-and-pacific-islander-heritage>
- Common Sense Education - NHPI learning resources: <https://www.common sense.org/education/articles/free-learning-resources-to-celebrate-native-hawaiian-and-pacific-islander>
- AAPI Data - <https://aapidata.com/>
- Asian Pacific Americans in Higher Education (APAHE): <http://apahenational.org/>
- National Pacific Islander Educator Network (NPIEN): <http://www.npien.com/>

• Social and Support Services

- National Association of Asian American Professionals (NAAAP): <https://www.naaap.org/>
- Center for Pan Asian Community Services (CPACS): <https://www.cpacs.org/>
- White House Initiative on Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Islanders (WHIAANHPI) - Resources: <https://www.hhs.gov/about/whiaanhpi/index.html>
- AANHPI census for communities <https://www.advancingjustice-aajc.org/sites/default/files/West%20Virginia%20Factsheet%20.pdf>

• Health and Wellness

- The National Asian American Pacific Islander Mental Health Association (NAAPIMHA): <https://www.naapimha.org>
- The AANHPI 'Ohana Center of Excellence: <https://aanhpi-ohana.org/>
- Association of Asian Pacific Community Health Organizations (AAPCHO): <https://aapcho.org/>
- Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum: <https://www.apiahf.org/>
- Papa Ola Lōkahi: <https://www.papaolalokahi.org/>

Resources for Native Hawaiians in West Virginia

• Advocacy and Legal Assistance

- Empowering Pacific Islander Communities (EPIC): <https://www.empoweredpi.org/>
- National Asian Pacific American Women's Forum (NAPAWF): <https://napawf.org/>
- National Queer Asian Pacific Islander Alliance: <https://www.nqapia.org/>
- OCA-Asian Pacific American Advocates: <https://www.ocanational.org/>
- Stop AAPI Hate: <https://stopaapihate.org/>
- Native Hawaiian Legal Corporation: <https://nativehawaiianlegalcorp.org/>
- Office of Hawaiian Affairs: <https://www.oha.org/>


• Finance, Business, and Labor Support


- Asian American Advocacy Fund: <https://asianamericanadvocacyfund.org/>
- Council for Native Hawaiian Advancement: <https://www.hawaiiancouncil.org/>
- Asian Pacific American Labor Alliance (APALA): <https://www.apalanet.org/>
- Native Hawaiian Organizations Association (NHOA): <https://www.nhoassociation.org/>


- [For more resources and information, visit polhi.org/Listening](https://polhi.org/Listening)


Stay updated on Native Hawaiian opportunities and resources:

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Data Sources:

- U.S. Census Bureau's QuickFacts and USAFacts websites
- American Community Survey
- All data sources are based on 2023 information unless noted otherwise

Abbreviations:

- NH: Native Hawaiian
- NH*: Native Hawaiian (Alone or in any combination)
- NHPI: Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islanders (Alone)
- NHPI*: Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islanders (Alone or In Combination)