



LOUISIANA Housing Corporation

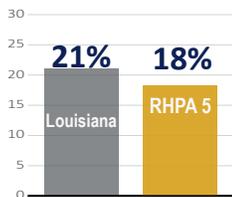
RHPA 5 Lake Charles



The Regional Housing Planning Area 5 (RHPA 5) is comprised of Allen, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, and Jefferson Davis Parishes.

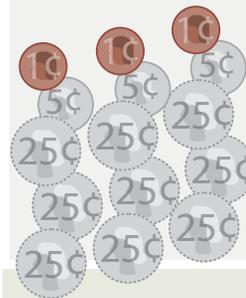
In **Louisiana**, a person earning the **minimum wage** working **40 hours** a week without taking any unpaid leave (a total of 2,080 hours a year) would earn slightly more than **\$15,000** annually.

Poverty Rate



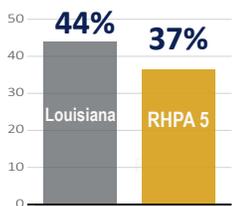
Rent stressed households are households expending more than 35% of their monthly income on gross rent. Severe rent stress, defined by households expending more than half of their monthly income on gross rent, leaving very little of their remaining income for health expenses, food, or savings.

61% of Elderly households are low-income in **Jefferson Davis Parish**.



1 of 10 households in **Cameron Parish** are poverty stricken

Rent Stressed Renters



of housing units in **Allen Parish** were built before 1980

40% of **Renters** in **Calcasieu Parish** are rent stressed.



Only **3%** of Renters in **Cameron Parish** are Rent stressed

