

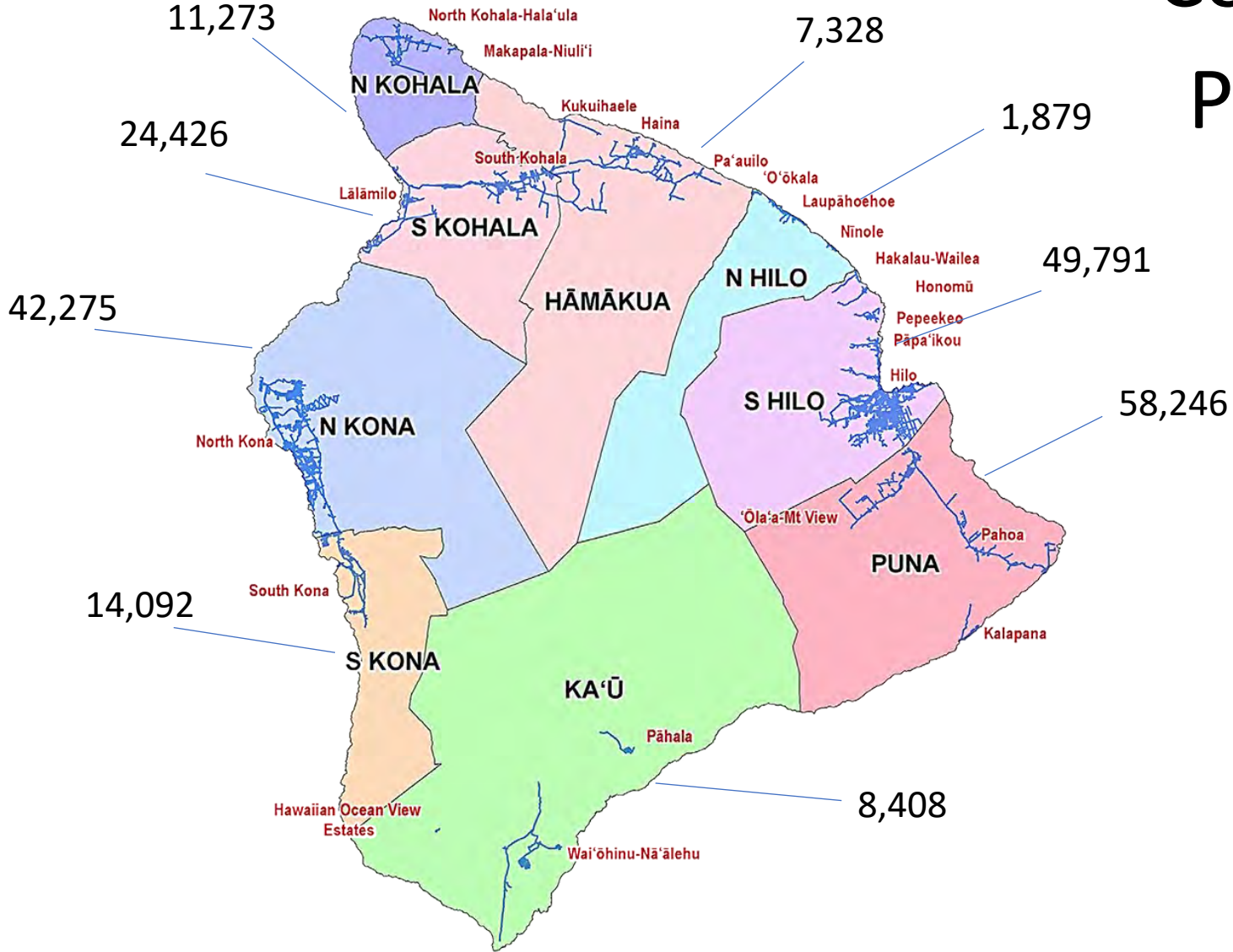
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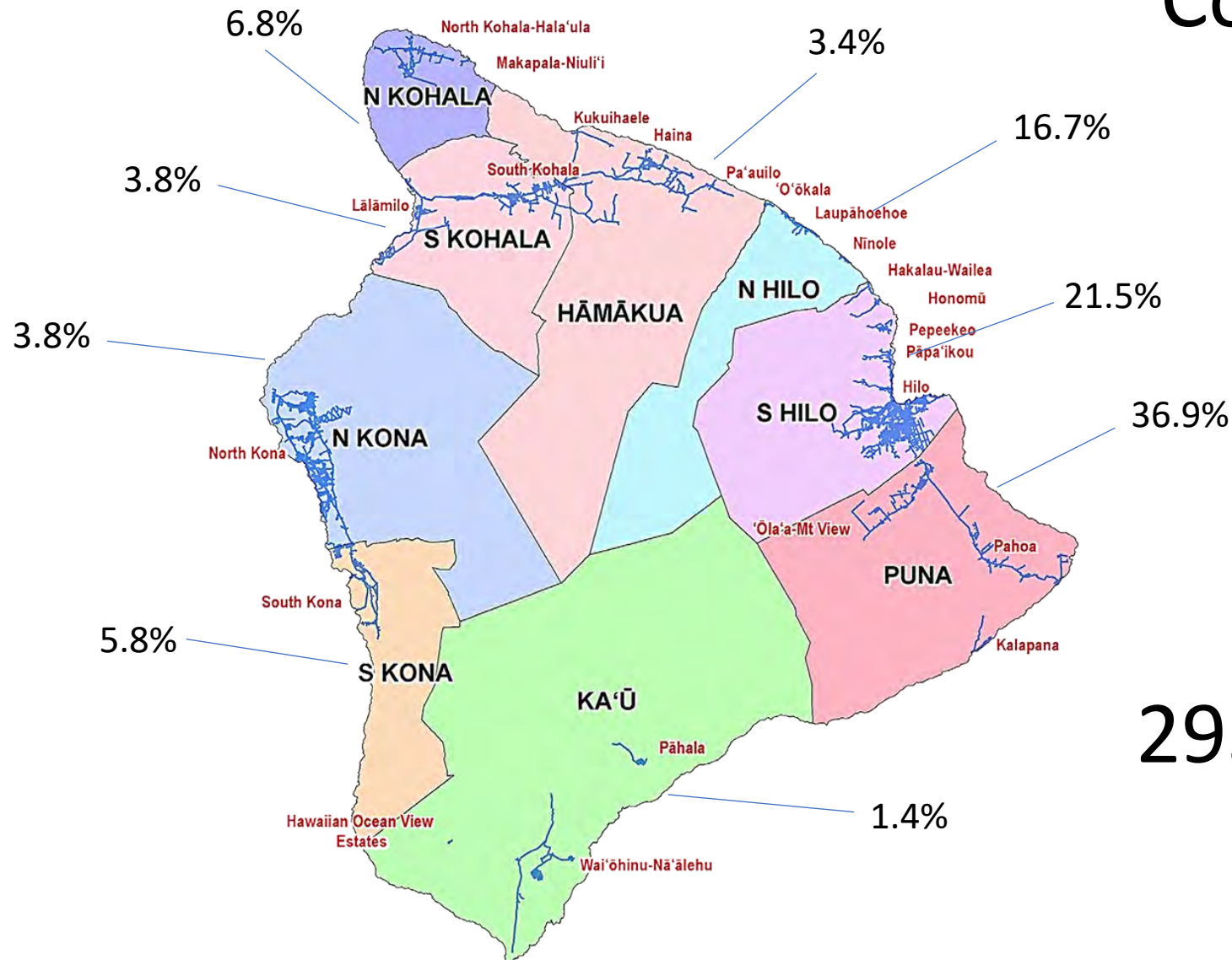
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County of Hawai'i 2020 Population By District

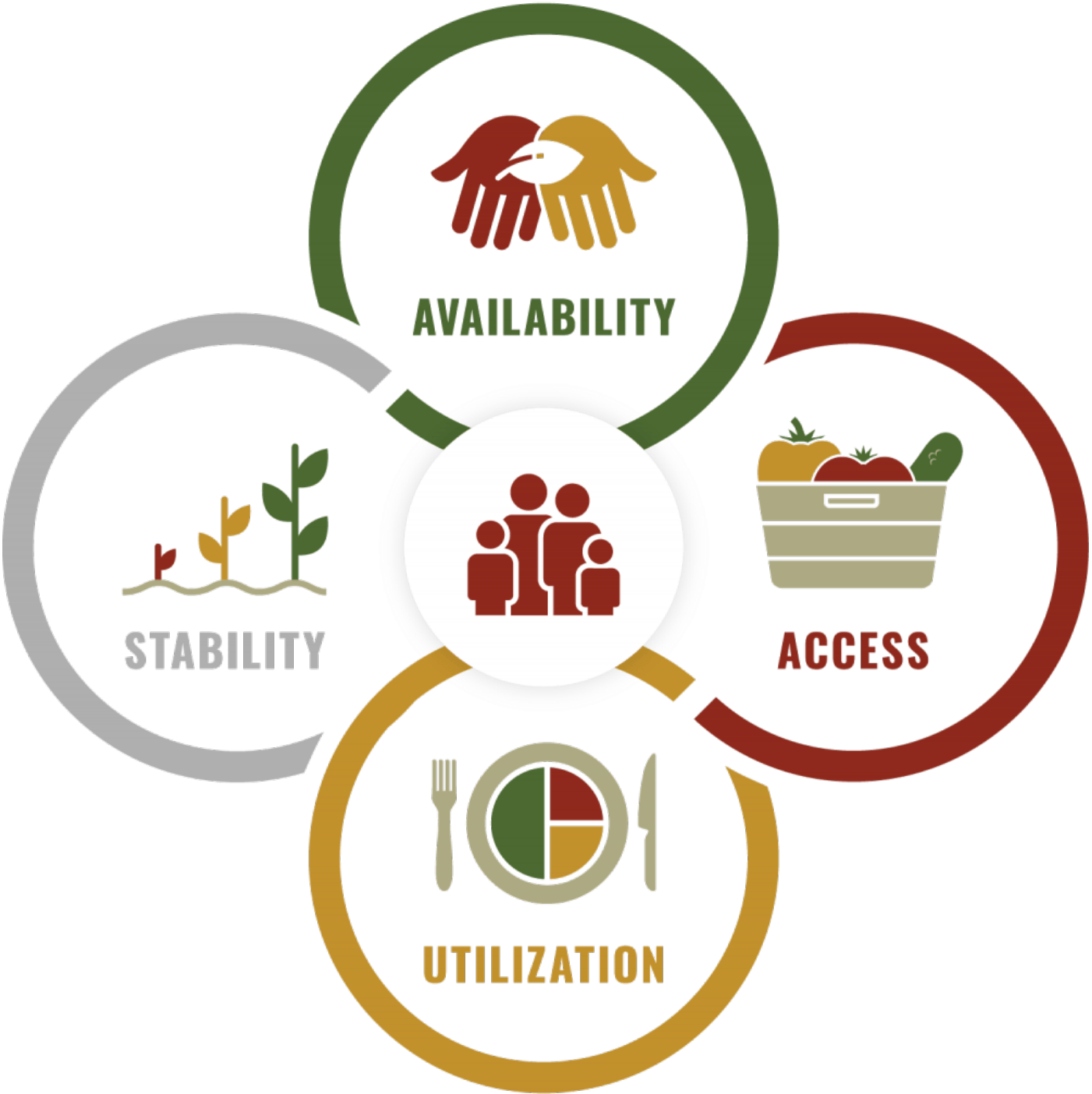


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293 Survey Respondents

Four Pillars of Food Security



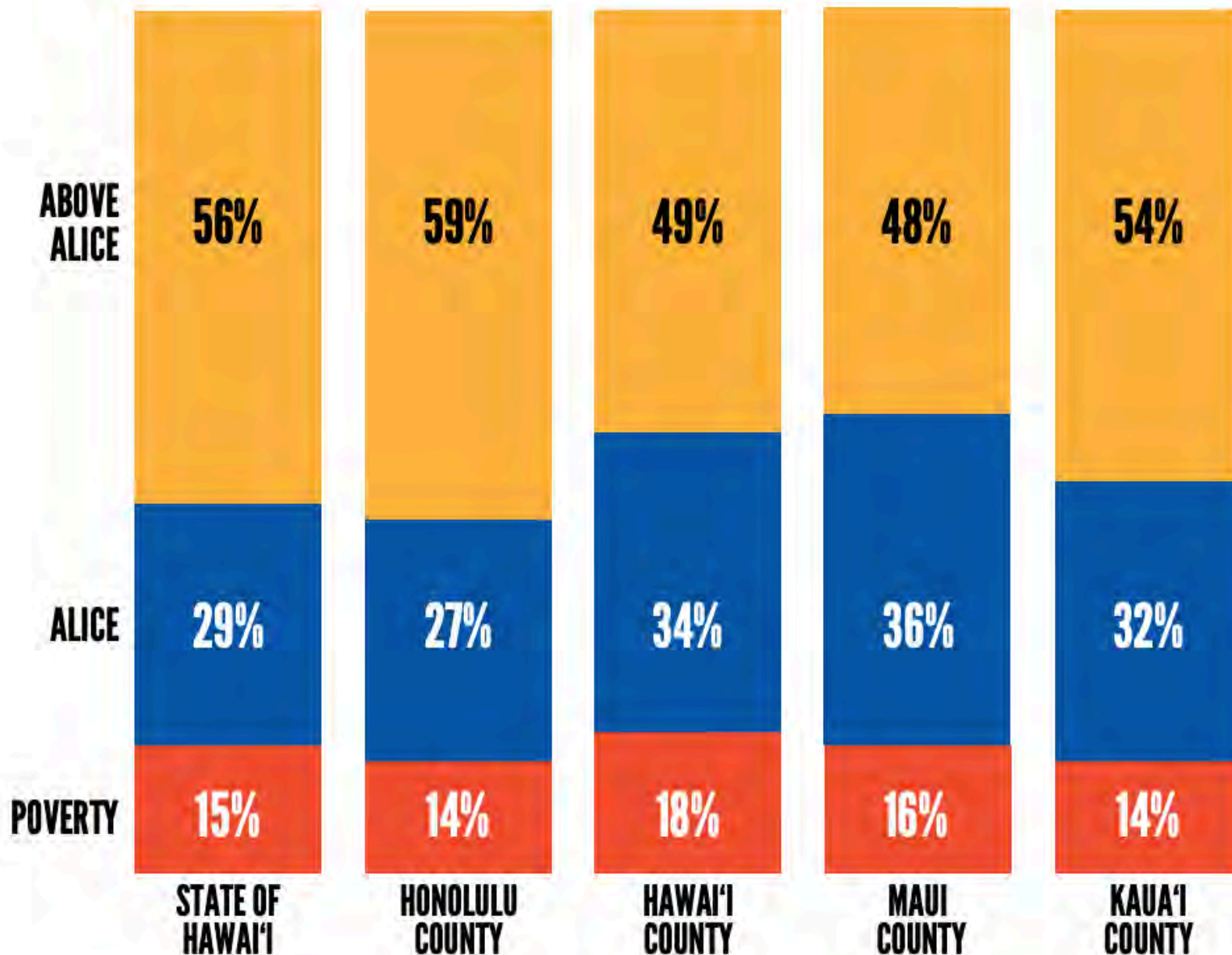


ACCESS

People have sufficient income or resources to purchase or barter for appropriate and nutritious foods.

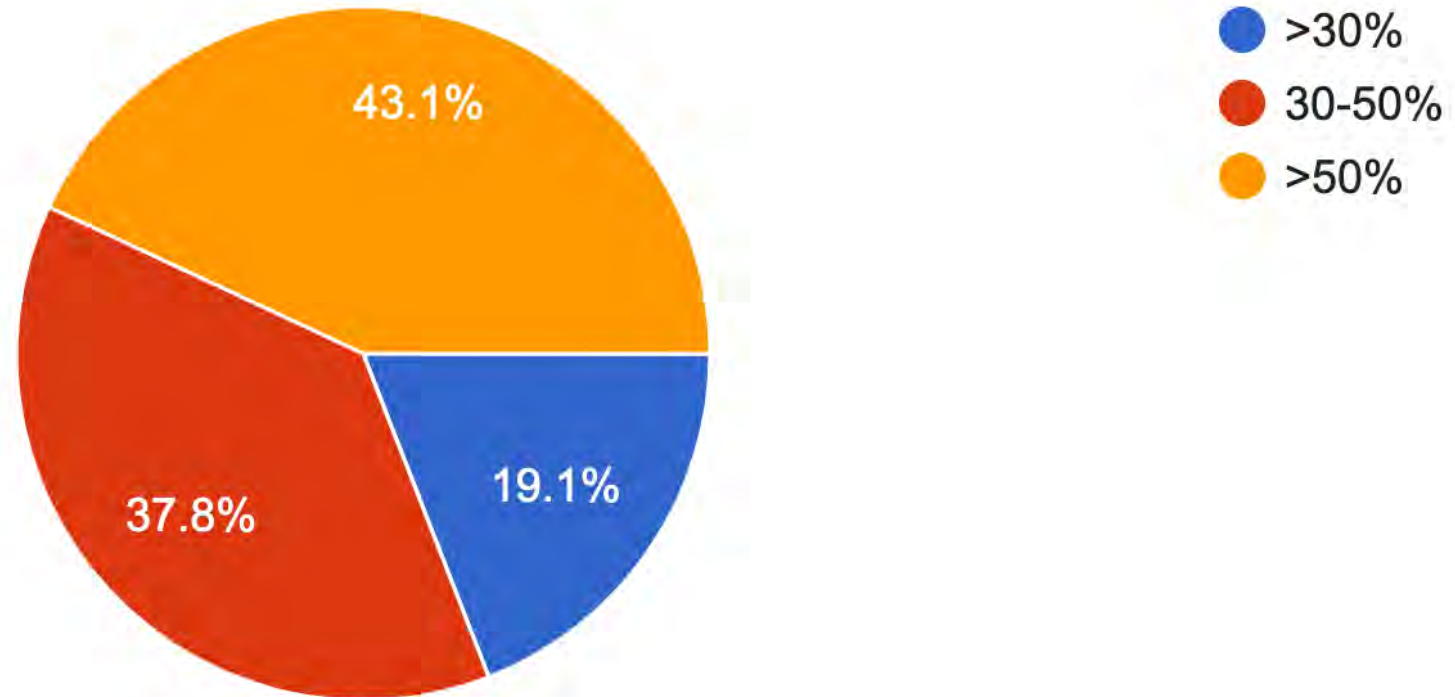
Access to food can be direct by the ability of people to produce their own food, or indirect by their capacity to purchase food.

Percentage of ALICE Households by County



What percentage of your income do you spend on housing and utilities?

288 responses



Hawaii Island Grocery Sites



Hawai'i Island Food Pantry's



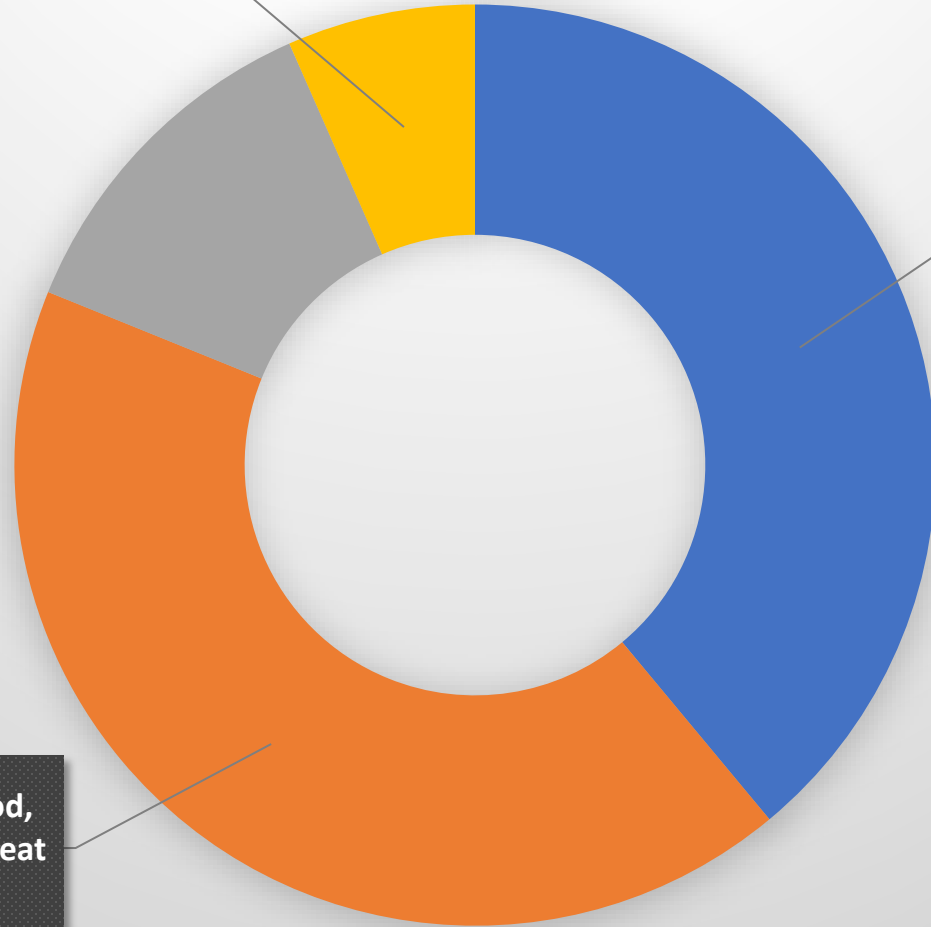
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I often can't access enough food
7%

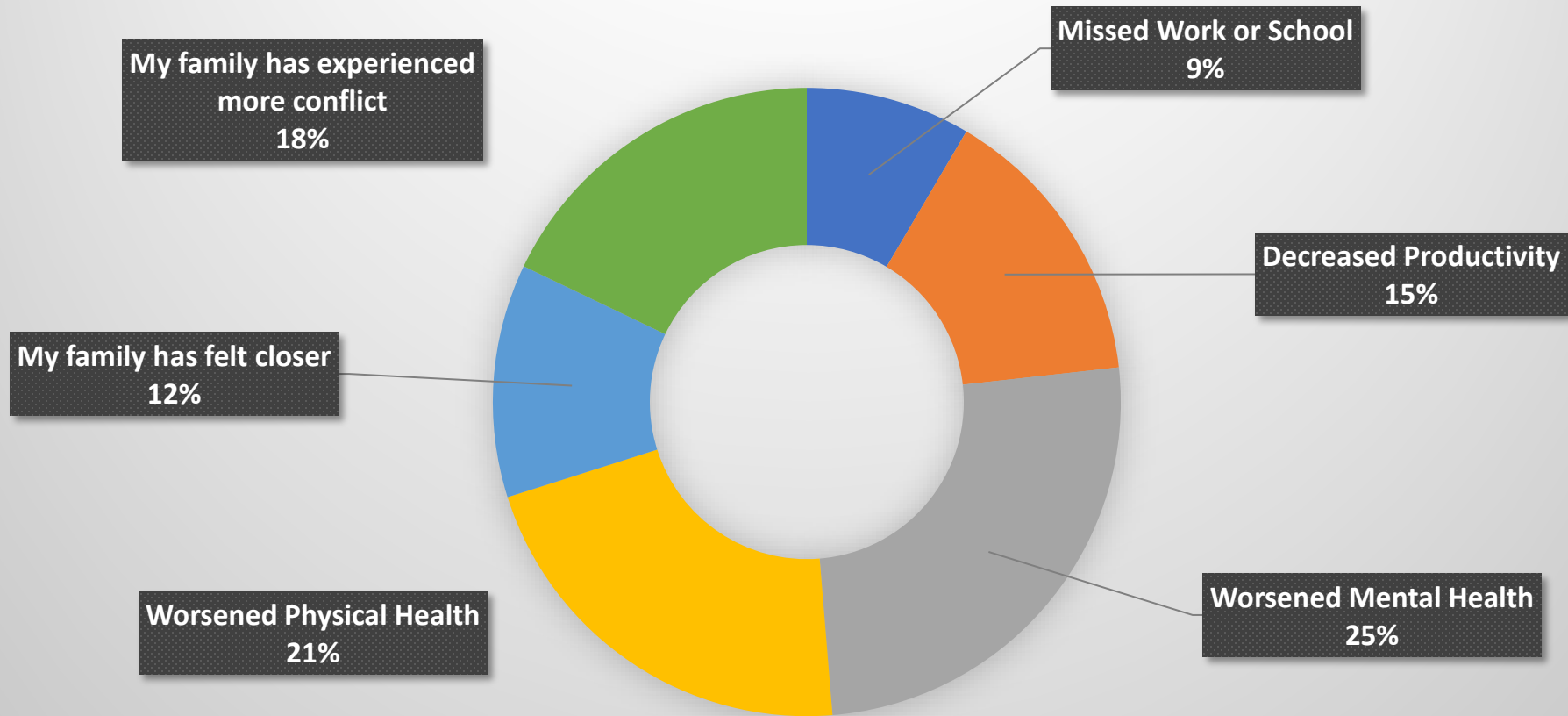
I sometimes can't access enough food
12%

I am able to access enough food,
but not the food that I want to eat
42%

I am able to access the foods
that I want to eat
39%

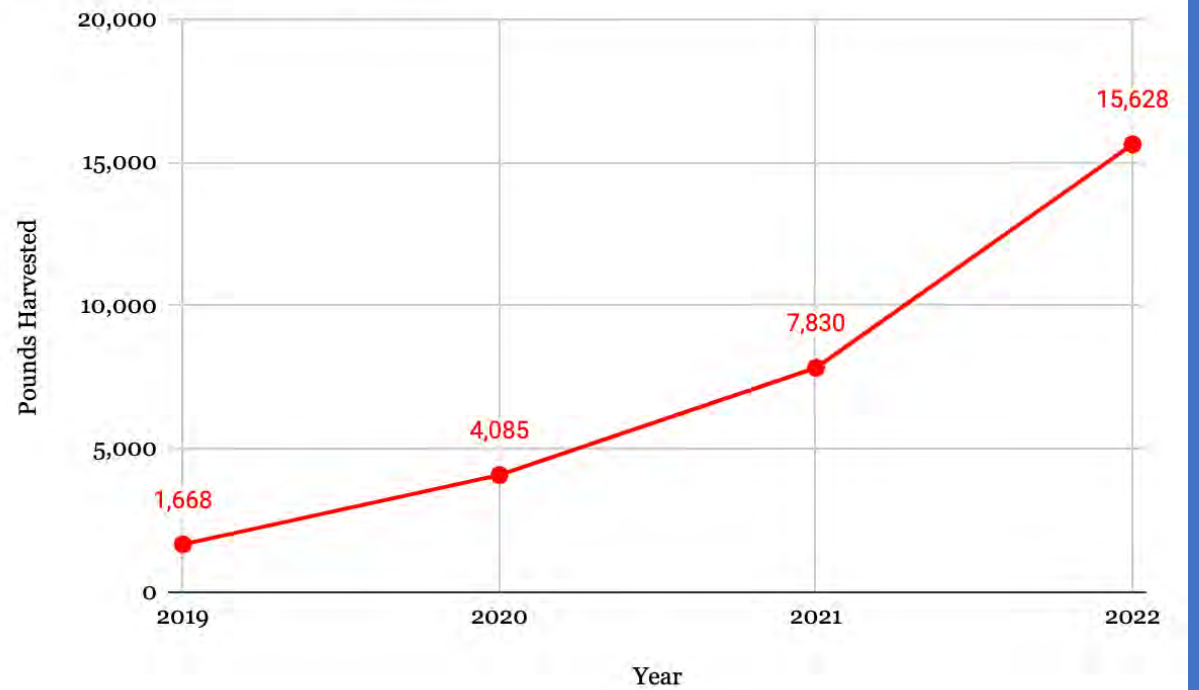


Impacts of Limited Food Access





Pounds Harvested per Year



A scenic view of a tropical farm. In the foreground, there are several raised vegetable garden beds with green plants. To the right, a small house with a grey roof is visible. The middle ground is filled with lush greenery, including palm trees and various tropical plants. In the background, there are rolling hills and mountains under a cloudy sky. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and idyllic.

Mahalo!