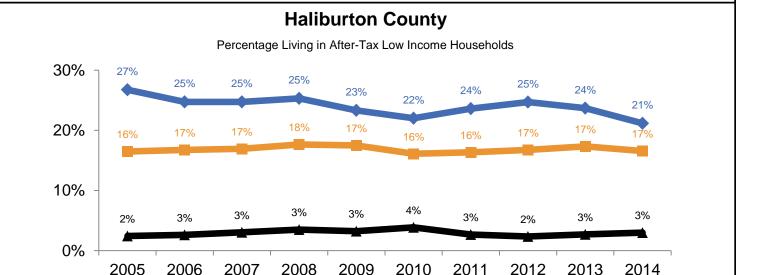
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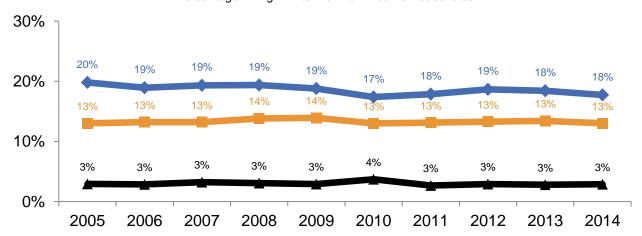
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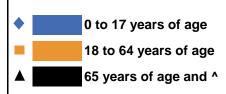
These graphs show a disturbing trend. Children 17 and under are at a much greater risk of living in a household where the total income is less than 50% of median income for their family type and size. The environment and experiences that children grown up in has a tremendous impact on their development. Children growing up in poverty face many additional barriers to achievement.



## **City of Kawartha Lakes**

Percentage Living in After-Tax Low Income Households





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## What is After-Tax Low Income?

Low-Income Measures (LIMs) are a relative measure of low income. A family is considered low income when their total income is less than 50% of median income for their family type and size. Income after tax is used for the After-Tax LIM.

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