

**Table 13.18-- MEDIAN INCOME OF FOUR-PERSON FAMILIES IN HAWAII AND THE UNITED STATES: 2005 TO 2021**

[Based on small samples and subject to considerable sampling variation. From surveys taken in March or April of following year. The methodology used to compute 4-person family median income by state uses the most recent data available from the March Current Population Survey (CPS), the American Community Survey and the decennial census of population conducted by the Census Bureau, as well as per capita personal income estimates produced by the Bureau of Economic Analysis. The Census Bureau recommends 2-year averages to evaluate changes in state estimates over time, and 3-year averages to compare the relative ranking of states. The U.S. Census Bureau did not release its standard 1-year estimates from the 2020 American Community Survey (ACS) because of the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on data collection. The Census Bureau released selected experimental estimates developed from 2020 ACS 1-year that are not reflected in *Data Book 2021*. For more information on the experimental data, please see <<https://www.census.gov/newsroom/press-releases/2021/experimental-2020-acs-1-year-data.html>>]

Calendar year 1/	Hawaii (dollars)	United States (dollars)	Hawaii rank 2/	Hawaii as percent of U.S.
2005	79,240	67,019	6	118.2
2006	84,472	70,354	6	120.1
2007	84,438	72,336	6	116.7
2008	91,483	75,782	6	120.7
2009	85,190	73,714	8	115.6
2010	82,726	72,767	11	113.7
2011	82,973	74,563	13	111.3
2012	83,538	76,049	15	109.8
2013	88,217	77,953	11	113.2
2014	91,096	80,545	10	113.1
2015	96,837	82,508	9	117.4
2016	97,849	86,877	12	112.6
2017	102,125	90,748	12	112.5
2018	112,345	94,593	7	118.8
2019	118,223	99,048	8	119.4
2021	116,313	105,901	14	109.8

1/ The term "calendar year" refers to the year the money income was received by the Current Population Survey respondents. Previous *Data Book's* tables included "fiscal year" (or, for this program, calendar year plus 3) which referred to the time period used for eligibility for the Department of Health and Human Services' Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). Estimates are as published in the *Federal Register*.

2/ Rank computed among the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Rank of 1 indicates the highest median income.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, "American Community Survey 1-Year Estimates, Table B19119. Median Family Income In The Past 12 Months (In Inflation-Adjusted Dollars) By Family Size" (annual) <<https://data.census.gov>> accessed January 10, 2023 and calculations by the Hawaii State Department of Business, Economic Development & Tourism.