

# Workforce Investment Area 6

**Population**  
July 1, 2008 Estimate **380,391**

## Links

[www.workforcewv.org/lmi/wia/wia6.htm](http://www.workforcewv.org/lmi/wia/wia6.htm)

## Occupational Data

[www.workforcewv.org/lmi/SBP/skillproj.htm](http://www.workforcewv.org/lmi/SBP/skillproj.htm)  
[www.workforcewv.org/lmi/occproj/shortoccproj.HTM](http://www.workforcewv.org/lmi/occproj/shortoccproj.HTM)  
[www.workforcewv.org/lmi/occproj/OPMENU.HTM](http://www.workforcewv.org/lmi/occproj/OPMENU.HTM)

## Income

Total Personal Income (2006)*	\$10,547,460	
PerCapita Personal Income (2006)	\$27,901	
Household Income 2000	Number	Percentage
Less than \$10,000	24,869	7%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	15,854	4%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	27,125	7%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	22,756	6%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	24,129	6%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	20,820	5%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	8,261	2%
\$100,000 to \$149,000	4,438	1%
\$150,000 or more	2,294	1%
Median Household Income (1999)	\$26,861	

*\*thousands of dollars*

## Housing (2000 Census)

Total Housing Units	173,847
Occupied Housing Units	150,378
Owner Occupied	110,030
Renter Occupied	40,348
Total Vacant Units	23,469
For Sale Only	4,178
For Rent	2,785
Median Value	\$65,715
Median Rent Asked	\$287

## Demographics (2000 Census)

Total Population 2000	
Total Population 1990	365,291
Total Population 1980	391,516
Total Population 1970	347,282

Sex and Age	
Male	183,234
Female	190,033
Ages 14 and below	65,183
Ages 15 to 19	29,260
Ages 20 to 24	31,739
Ages 25 to 34	47,876
Ages 35 to 44	54,072
Ages 45 to 54	52,693
Ages 55 to 64	36,558
Ages 65 and older	55,786
Median Age	38.4

Race	
White	358,692
Black or African American	6,647
American Indian and Alaska Native	773
Asian	3,054
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific	96
Some other race	651
Two or more races	3,354

  

Households	
Total Households	150,378
Family Households	99,310
Non-Family Households	51,068
Persons 65 and Over, Living Alone	17,762
Average Household Size	2.4

## Utilities

Electricity:	Private:	20	Municipal:	1			
Water:	Private:	5	Municipal:	40	PSD:	45	
Sewer:	Private:	4	Municipal:	36	PSD:	25	
Combined Water & Sewer:	Private:	3	Municipal:	5	PSD:	0	
Combined Electricity & Water:	Private:	0					
Water Associations & Authorities:		16					
Natural Gas:		38	Telephone Service:	23	Cellular:		Telegraph:

## Industrial Sites and Buildings

	Number:	Total Available:	Largest available:
Industrial Sites	0	Acres: 0	Site (acres): 0
Industrial Parks	0	Acres: 0	Parcel (acres): 0
Industrial Buildings	0	SF: 0	Bld (SF): 0

## Labor Force

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Civilian Labor Force	170.5	171.3	171.8	175.3	178.8	179.7	179.2
Employment	160.5	161.5	163.4	167.4	171.3	172.5	172.5
Unemployment	10.0	9.8	8.4	7.8	7.5	7.2	6.7
Unemployment Rate	5.8	5.7	4.9	4.5	4.2	4.0	3.8

## Employment and Wages

Annual Averages	2008			2007		
	Emp.	Total Wages	Ann. Wage	Emp	Total Wages	Ann. Wage
Total, All Industries	153,186	5,337,744,858	34,845	153,614	5,001,641,032	32,560
Total, Private Sector	118,841	3,895,030,547	32,775	117,662	3,640,281,897	30,938
Natural Resources & Mining	6,107	382,711,188	62,668	5,739	333,978,942	58,195
Construction	8,326	317,681,374	38,155	7,757	270,979,541	34,934
Manufacturing	11,605	497,188,056	42,843	12,343	516,762,116	41,867
Trade, Transportation, & Utilities	28,744	842,654,940	29,316	28,474	774,178,322	27,189
Wholesale Trade	3,918	164,120,367	41,889	3,888	151,893,448	39,067
Retail Trade	19,610	411,653,028	20,992	19,871	398,300,346	20,044
Information	1,951	79,980,310	40,995	1,995	73,284,675	36,734
Financial Activities	9,913	171,024,163	34,811	4,986	163,718,377	32,836
Professional & Business Services	11,434	412,917,427	36,113	11,567	382,958,354	33,108
Education & Health Services	26,465	914,447,151	34,553	25,708	862,715,708	33,558
Leisure & Hospitality	14,973	181,655,519	12,132	14,862	174,043,430	11,711
Government	34,346	1,442,714,311	42,005	35,952	1,361,359,135	37,866
Federal Government	6,809	440,498,816	64,694	6,762	414,250,736	61,262
State Government	12,104	516,953,296	42,709	14,146	488,091,731	34,504
Local Government	15,433	485,262,199	31,443	15,044	459,016,668	30,512

## Worker Commuting Patterns - 2000

Resides in County/ Works in County	112,584
Resides in County/ Works in another WV County	30,627
Resides in County/Works in another State	5,559
Resides in County/Works in another Country	25
Resides in another WV Co/Works in County	32,490
Resides in another State/Works in County	5,062
Net Commutation (in minus out)	1,341

## Financial Institutions

Banks: including branches	124
Savings and Loans: including branches	0

## Top 10 Private Employers

West Virginia United Healthcare System
Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.
Mylan Pharmaceuticals Inc.
West Virginia University Medical Company
Monongalia General Hospital
Consolidation Coal Company
Allegheny Power Service Corporation
Aegis Communications Group, Inc.
The Kroger Company
Davis Memorial Hospital

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## Transportation

Highway Service				
Interstates:	I-68, I-79			
US Routes:	19, 33, 50, 119, 219, 250			
WV Routes:	4, 5, 7, 15, 18, 20, 23, 24, 26, 32, 38, 47, 57, 58, 72, 74, 76, 92, 93, 98, 100, 131, 218, 270, 310, 705			
Motor Freight Carriers	33			
Railroads	Daily/Other	Seasonal	As needed	Bus Service:
Freight Carrier:	12	0	5	Local Public Transit:
Passenger Carrier:	0	3	0	Interstate:
Nearest Navigable River	Monongahela (33 mi)			
Airports	General Aviation	Phillip-Barbour Reg, Simpson, Braxton Co, Wade F. Maley, Upshur Co., Fairmont Municipal, Elkins-Randolph Co, Roy Airfield		
	Commercial Service	Harrison-Marion Regional, Morgantown Municipal		
	International	Pittsburgh International Airport		

