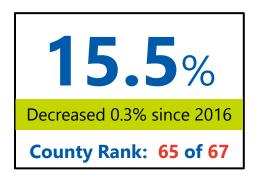
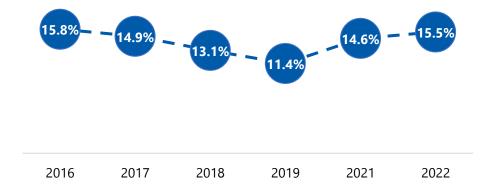
DEGREE ATTAINMENT PROFILE

Hamilton County



Residents aged 25-64 with a high-quality degree





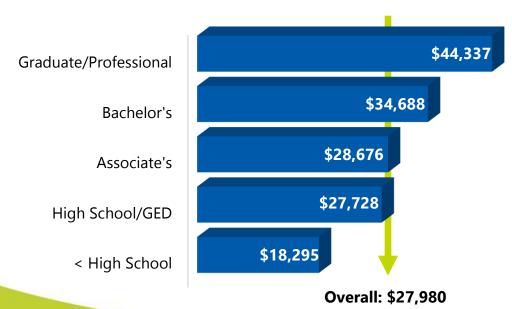
Statewide Rankings, Selected Criteria

Attainment Rate				
Rank	County	AA+		
63	DeSoto	15.8%		
64	Dixie	15.5%		
65	Hamilton	15.5%		
66	Calhoun	15.3%		
67	Lafayette	12.7%		

Attainment Rate by Population				
Rank	County	Total Pop.	AA+	
62	Glades	10,894	16.3%	
63	Franklin	10,730	23.2%	
64	Hamilton	10,680	15.5%	
65	Union	10,415	19.9%	
66	Lafayette	6,753	12.7%	

Percent Living Below Poverty Level				
Rank	County	% Below	AA+	
63	Putnam	22.8%	19.4%	
64	Gadsden	25.5%	26.3%	
65	DeSoto	26.4%	15.8%	
66	Hamilton	26.4%	15.5%	
67	Hardee	28.5%	16.6%	

Median Earnings by Education/Training Level



An annual dividend is paid to workers with education beyond a high school diploma or equivalency. In **Hamilton** County, a worker with a bachelor's degree earns **25.1% more per year** than a worker with a high school education.







