# **Brooklyn Community District 8**

Parking

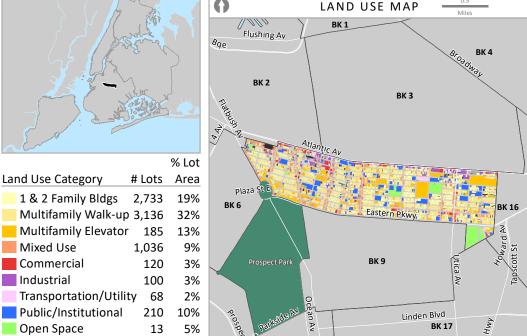
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**X** Other



Neighborhoods<sup>1</sup>: Crown Heights, Prospect Heights, Weeksville

POPULATION & DENSITY			
2000 <sup>2</sup>	201	O <sup>3</sup>	2000-2010
96,076	96,3	17	0%
2013-2017 Estimate <sup>4</sup>			131,395
Square Miles		1.6	
Population Density		60,198/sq mi	



#### COMMUNITY BOARD PERSPECTIVES

Top 3 pressing issues identified by Brooklyn Community Board 8 in 2019:

- 1. Land use trends
- 2. Parks
- 3. Infrastructure resiliency

To learn more, please read Brooklyn CD 8's Statement of Community District Needs and Community Board Budget Requests for Fiscal Year 2021.

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# A Snapshot of Key Community Indicators

138

248

COMMUNITY ASSETS⁵		
Public Schools	20	
Public Libraries	1	
Hospitals and Clinics	14	
Parks	8	
Click to visit the NVC Facilities Explorer		

Click to	visit the	<b>NYC Facilities</b>	Explorer

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Brooklyn CD 8	Brooklyn	
42	42 minutes	
minutes	NYC	
	41 minutes	

EDUCATIONAL ATTA	AINMENT <sup>4, 10</sup>

<b>39%</b>
of residents 25 years or
older have earned a
bachelor's degree or higher

**Brooklyn CD 8** 

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Brooklyn 35%	
NYC 37%	

RENT BURDEN <sup>4, 6</sup>		
Brooklyn CD 8 <b>44%</b>	Brooklyn 46%	

of households spend more of their income

8	Brooklyn 46%
35% or	NYC
on rent	45%

2%

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# LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENCY4

Brooklyn CD 8	Brooklyn
8%	23%
of residents 5 years or older have limited English proficiency	NYC 23%

Brooklyn CD 8	Brooklyn
5.1%	5.1%
of the civilian labor force	NYC
was unemployed on verage from 2013 to 2017	4.9%

## ACCESS TO PARKS7

**Brooklyn CD 8** 

92%

of residents live within walking distance of a park or open space

Citywide **Target** 85%

Map Source: PLUTO 19v2

# CRIME RATE9

Brooklyn CD 8

major felonies were reported per 1,000 residents in 2017

Brooklyn 11.2	
NYC 11.8	

## NYCgov POVERTY MEASURE11

Brooklyn CD 8	Brooklyn 21%
of residents have incomes below the NYCgov poverty threshold. See the federal poverty rate here.	NYC 20%

<sup>1</sup>Neighborhoods may be in multiple districts. Names and boundaries are not officially designated. <sup>2</sup>2000 US Census; <sup>3</sup>2010 US Census; <sup>4</sup>American Community Survey 2013-2017 5-Year Estimates, calculated for Public Use Microdata Areas (PUMAs). PUMAs are geographic approximations of community districts. 5NYC Dept of City Planning Facilites Database (2019); 6 Differences of less than 3 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. NYC Dept of Parks and Recreation (DPR) (2019). DPR considers walking distance to be 1/4 mile for parks less than 6 acres, and 1/2 mile for larger parks and pools. Differences of less than 2 minutes are not statistically meaningful. NYPD CompStat, Historic Complaint Data (2018); Differences of less than 2 percentage points are not statistically meaningful. 12013-2017 NYCgov Poverty Measure by PUMA. This metric from the Mayor's Office for Economic Opportunity accounts for NYC's high cost of housing, as well as other costs of living and anti-poverty benefits.