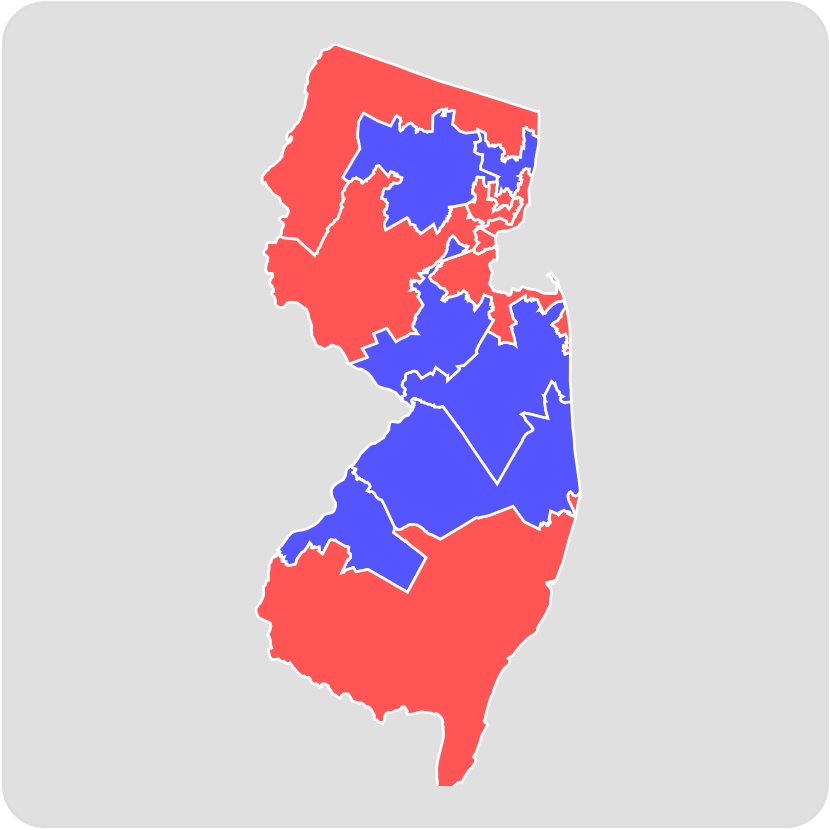


# Poverty in New Jersey by Congressional district

Congressional district landscape

- 6 Republican incumbents
- 6 Democratic incumbents



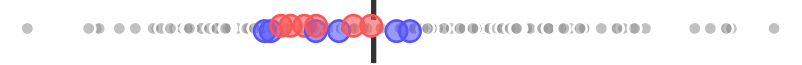
Poverty rate, 2010–14



Change in poor pop., 2000 to 2010–14



Change in poverty rate, 2000 to 2010–14



Poverty rates during 2010–14 and change in the number of poor from 2000 to 2010–14

District	Party	Representative	▼Poverty rate, 2010–14	Change in the poor pop., 2000 to 2010–14
NJ-10	R	Lance, Leonard	19.5%	+15.1%
NJ-08	R	Garrett, Scott	18.3%	+18.8%
NJ-09	D	Pallone, Frank, Jr.	15.3%	+41.9%
NJ-02	R	Frelinghuysen, Rodney P.	13.3%	+41.9%
NJ-01	D	Payne, Donald M., Jr.	11.9%	+31.8%
NJ-06	R	MacArthur, Thomas	10.2%	+27.3%
NJ-04	D	Norcross, Donald	9.8%	+79.8%
NJ-12	D	Pascrell, Bill, Jr.	9.3%	+42.2%
NJ-03	D	Watson Coleman, Bonnie	6.2%	+30.4%
NJ-05	R	LoBiondo, Frank A.	5.9%	+58.0%
NJ-07	R	Smith, Christopher H.	4.8%	+47.5%
NJ-11	D	Sires, Albio	4.3%	+37.5%

Source: Brookings Institution analysis of decennial census and American Community Survey 5-year estimates data  
\*Not statistically significant at the 90% confidence level