

DARKE COUNTY, OH, 2016

ALICE HOUSEHOLD SURVIVAL BUDGET

	Single Adult	Married Couple	1 Adult, 1 School-Age Child	1 Adult, 1 Infant	2 Adult, 2 School-Age Children	2 Adults, 1 Infant, 1 Preschooler
Housing	\$537	\$540	\$540	\$540	\$658	\$658
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$232	\$727	\$465	\$1,375
Food	\$182	\$414	\$344	\$287	\$691	\$603
Transportation	\$349	\$418	\$418	\$418	\$697	\$697
Health Care	\$214	\$429	\$492	\$376	\$800	\$800
Miscellaneous	\$158	\$220	\$228	\$286	\$363	\$474
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$240	\$325	\$196	\$336	\$246	\$527
Monthly Total	\$1,735	\$2,421	\$2,505	\$3,025	\$3,995	\$5,209
Annual Total	\$20,820	\$29,052	\$30,060	\$36,300	\$47,940	\$62,508
Hourly Wage	\$10.41	\$14.53	\$15.03	\$18.15	\$23.97	\$31.25

Note: The budgets reflect different costs based on the age of children in the household; full-day care for infants and preschoolers (4-year-old) and after school care for school-age children. To create budgets for additional family types: For an additional infant, increase the total budget by 17 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Source: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; U.S. Department of Agriculture; Bureau of Labor Statistics; Internal Revenue Service; Tax Foundation; and Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, 2016.

ALICE HOUSEHOLD STABILITY BUDGET

	Single Adult	Married Couple	1 Adult, 1 School-Age Child	1 Adult, 1 Infant	2 Adult, 2 School-Age Children	2 Adults, 1 Infant, 1 Preschooler
Housing	\$675	\$823	\$823	\$823	\$940	\$940
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$215	\$848	\$430	\$1,577
Food	\$352	\$759	\$663	\$497	\$1,334	\$1,150
Transportation	\$360	\$721	\$721	\$721	\$1,201	\$1,201
Health Care	\$285	\$633	\$857	\$857	\$1,107	\$1,107
Miscellaneous	\$178	\$307	\$339	\$385	\$514	\$610
Savings	\$178	\$307	\$339	\$385	\$514	\$610
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$443	\$702	\$632	\$746	\$1,043	\$1,462
Monthly Total	\$2,580	\$4,381	\$4,698	\$5,371	\$7,212	\$8,786
Annual Total	\$30,960	\$52,572	\$56,376	\$64,452	\$86,544	\$105,432
Hourly Wage	\$15.48	\$26.29	\$28.19	\$32.23	\$43.27	\$52.72

Note: The budgets reflect different costs based on the age of children in the household; full-day care for infants and preschoolers (4-year-old) and after school care for school-age children. To create budgets for additional family types: For an additional infant, increase the total budget by 13 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Source: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; U.S. Department of Agriculture; Bureau of Labor Statistics; Internal Revenue Service; Tax Foundation; and Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, 2016.

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