

## DataHaven Neighborhood Profile: West River

Indicator	West River		New Haven	
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<b><i>DP1: Age, sex, race, Hispanic/Latino origin, household relationship, whether residence is owned or rented</i></b>				
<b>Population</b>				
Total population	4,149	100.0	123,626	100.0
Male	1,834	44.2	59,185	47.9
Female	2,315	55.8	64,441	52.1
Under 5 years	331	8.0	8,749	7.1
Under 18 years	1,200	28.9	31,446	25.4
65 years and over	738	17.8	12,671	10.2
<b>Population by Race</b>				
Total population	4,149	100.0	123,626	100.0
White	848	20.4	53,723	43.5
Black or African American	2,647	63.8	46,181	37.4
Asian	17	0.4	4,819	3.9
Other	462	11.1	14,074	11.4
Two or more races	175	4.2	4,829	3.9
<b>Hispanic or Latino</b>				
Hispanic or Latino	707	17.0	26,443	21.4
<b>Household Relationship</b>				
Total population	4,149	100.0	123,626	100.0
Population in households	3,594	86.6	113,027	91.4
Householders	1,401	33.8	47,094	38.1
Children in Households	1,290	31.1	34,601	28.0
Own child under 18 years	1,013	24.4	26,507	21.4
<b>Household Types</b>				
Total Households	1,401	100.0	47,094	100.0
Family households	848	60.5	25,852	54.9
Householder 65 years and over	237	16.9	8,563	18.2
Householder 65 years and over living alone	151	10.8	4,949	10.5
<b>Family Households (two or more people)</b>				
Family households	848	100.0	25,852	100.0
Married-couple family	309	36.4	12,942	50.1
Male householder; no wife present	69	8.1	2,126	8.2
Female householder; no husband present	470	55.4	10,784	41.7
Married-couple family; With own children under 18 years	160	18.9	5,781	22.4
Male householder; no wife present; With own children under 18 years	30	3.5	901	3.5
Female householder; no husband present; With own children under 18 years	322	38.0	7,113	27.5
<b>Housing Occupancy</b>				

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Total housing units:	1,637	100.0	52,941	100.0
Occupied housing units	1,401	85.6	47,094	89.0
Vacant housing units	236	14.4	5,847	11.0
Owner-occupied housing units	288	20.6	13,927	29.6
Renter-occupied housing units	1,113	79.4	33,167	70.4

### ***DP2: Detailed population and housing data (such as place of birth, education)***

Indicator	West River	%	New Haven	%
<b>School Enrollment</b>				
Enrolled in School:	1,180	28.4	43,375	35.1
Enrolled in nursery school; preschool; or kindergarten	130	3.1	3,605	2.9
Enrolled in grade 1 to grade 8	581	14.0	15,233	12.3
Enrolled in grade 9 to grade 12	311	7.5	7,422	6.0
Enrolled in college, graduate or professional school	158	3.8	17,115	13.8
<b>Educational Attainment for the population 25 years and over</b>				
Population 25 years and over	2,596	100.0	72,171	100.0
Less than 9th grade	308	11.9	6,691	9.3
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	561	21.6	12,384	17.2
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	920	35.4	20,350	28.2
Some college, no degree	430	16.6	10,456	14.5
Associate degree	70	2.7	2,720	3.8
Bachelor's degree	200	7.7	8,566	11.9
Master's degree	79	3.0	6,469	9.0
Professional school degree	13	0.5	2,062	2.9
Doctorate degree	15	0.6	2,473	3.4
High school graduate or over	1,727	66.5	53,096	73.6
Bachelor's degree or higher	307	11.8	19,570	27.1
<b>Disability Status (Civilian noninstitutionalized population)</b>				
5 to 20 years	1,037	100.0	31,655	100.0
5 to 20 years; Disabled	142	13.7	3,315	10.5
21 to 64 years	2,005	100.0	68,911	100.0
21 to 64 years; Disabled	642	32.0	16,595	24.1
21 to 64 years; Disabled; Employed	216	33.6	7,802	47.0
<b>Mobility</b>				
Population 5 and over	3,859	100.0	115,106	100.0
Population 5 and over: Living in same house in 1995	1,647	42.7	50,785	44.1
<b>Nativity and Foreign Born</b>				
Total population	4,149	100.0	123,626	100.0

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Foreign born population	332	8.0	14,350	11.6
Foreign born population: Entered US 1990-2000	191	4.6	8,362	6.8
Foreign born, naturalized citizens	93	2.2	4,727	3.8
Foreign born, not citizens	239	5.8	9,623	7.8
<b>language spoken (5 years and over)</b>				
Speak only English	2,893	75.0	82,434	71.6
Non-English Home Language	966	25.0	32,672	28.4
Non-English Home Language; Speak English less than very well	385	10.0	13,985	12.1
Non-English Home Language; Speak English very well	581	15.1	18,687	16.2
Home Language Spanish	642	16.6	22,163	19.3
Home Language Spanish; Speak English less than very well	271	7.0	10,285	8.9

### ***DP3: Employment, poverty and income statistics***

<b>Employment Status of Population 16 years and over</b>				
Total	3,046	100.0	95,568	100.0
In labor force	1,464	48.1	57,314	60.0
In labor force; Civilian	1,464	48.1	57,265	59.9
In labor force; Civilian; Employed	1,222	40.1	49,358	51.6
In labor force; Civilian; Unemployed	242	7.9	7,907	8.3
In labor force; In Armed Forces	0	0.0	49	0.1
Not in labor force	1,582	51.9	38,254	40.0
Female	1,814	100.0	50,876	100.0
Female; In labor force	884	48.7	29,564	58.1
Female; In labor force; Civilian	884	48.7	29,559	58.1
Workers 16 years and over	1,142	100.0	47,857	100.0
Workers 16 years and over: Commuting to work - all forms of transport (including bike and walking)	1,099	96.2	46,592	97.4
Workers 16 years and over: Means of transportation to work; Public transportation (including taxicab)	131	11.5	5,295	11.1
<b>Children with parents in the Labor force</b>				
Children under 6 years in families	275	100.0	9,103	100.0
Children under 6 in families: Living with two parents	64	23.3	4,011	44.1
Children under 6 in families: Living with two parents; Both parents in labor force	38	13.8	2,015	22.1
Children under 6 in families: Living with one parent; Living with father	27	9.8	676	7.4
Children under 6 in families: Living with one parent; Living with father; In labor force	23	8.4	508	5.6
Children under 6 in families: Living with one parent; Living with mother	184	66.9	4,416	48.5
Children under 6 in families: Living with one parent; Living with mother; In labor force	141	51.3	2,991	32.9
Children 6 to 17 years years in families	724	100.0	18,764	100.0
Children 6 to 17 years years in families: Living with two parents	275	38.0	7,796	41.5

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Children 6 to 17 years years in families: Living with two parents; Both parents in labor force	107	14.8	4,341	23.1
Children 6 to 17 years years in families: Living with one parent; Living with father	39	5.4	1,321	7.0
Children 6 to 17 years years in families: Living with one parent; Living with father; In labor force	39	5.4	1,007	5.4
Children 6 to 17 years years in families: Living with one parent; Living with mother	410	56.6	9,647	51.4
Children 6 to 17 years years in families: Living with one parent; Living with mother; In labor force	286	39.5	6,750	36.0
<b>Occupations of employed population (civilian population 16 years and over)</b>				
Total Employed	1,222	100.0	49,358	100.0
Management; professional; and related occupations	221	18.1	18,411	37.3
Service occupations	302	24.7	9,272	18.8
Sales and office occupations	312	25.5	11,613	23.5
Farming; fishing; and forestry occupations	4	0.3	132	0.3
Construction; extraction; and maintenance occupations	81	6.6	2,924	5.9
Production; transportation; and material moving occupations	302	24.7	7,006	14.2
<b>Income in 1999</b>				
Households: Total	1,406	100.0	47,193	100.0
Households: Income less than \$10,000	427	30.4	9,447	20.0
Households: Income \$10,000 to \$14,999	172	12.2	4,335	9.2
Households: Income \$15,000 to \$24,999	241	17.1	7,041	14.9
Households: Income \$25,000 to \$34,999	169	12.0	5,895	12.5
Households: Income \$35,000 to \$49,999	172	12.2	6,999	14.8
Households: Income \$50,000 to \$74,999	99	7.0	6,924	14.7
Households: Income \$75,000 to \$99,999	61	4.3	3,314	7.0
Households: Income \$100,000 to \$149,999	49	3.5	2,052	4.3
Households: Income \$150,000 to \$199,999	0	0.0	561	1.2
Households: Income; \$200,000 or more	16	1.1	625	1.3
Households with earnings	985	70.1	35,730	75.7
Households with Social Security income	319	22.7	10,758	22.8
Households: With Social Security income: Average Social Security Income	\$8,417	N/A	\$9,998	N/A
Households with Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	177	12.6	3391	7.2
Households: With Supplemental Security Income (SSI): Average Supplemental Security Income	\$5,255	N/A	\$6,005	N/A
Households: With public assistance income	218	15.5	5,307	11.2
Households: With public assistance income: Average public assistance income	\$2,965	N/A	\$3,707	N/A
Households: With retirement income	182	12.9	5,148	10.9
Households: With retirement income: Average retirement income	\$8,035	N/A	\$15,628	N/A
Families: Total	868	100.0	26,272	100.0
Families: Income less than \$10,000	158	18.2	3,661	13.9
Families: Income \$10,000 to \$14,999	96	11.1	2,034	7.7

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Families: Income \$15,000 to \$24,999	187	21.5	3,871	14.7
Families: Income \$25,000 to \$34,999	137	15.8	3,258	12.4
Families: Income \$35,000 to \$49,999	107	12.3	3,968	15.1
Families: Income \$50,000 to \$74,999	66	7.6	4,501	17.1
Families: Income \$75,000 to \$99,999	62	7.1	2,522	9.6
Families: Income \$100,000 or more	55	6.3	2,457	9.4
<b>Poverty</b>				
Population for whom poverty status is determined	3,555	100.0	113,320	100.0
Income in 1999 below poverty level	1,006	28.3	27,613	24.4
Population for whom poverty status is determined: Under 18 years	1,144	100.0	30,577	100.0
Income in 1999 below poverty level; Under 18 years	324	28.3	9,963	32.6
Families: Income in 1999 below poverty level	231	26.6	5,381	20.5
Families for whom poverty status has been determined; Female householder; no husband present	451	100.0	10,241	100.0
Income in 1999 below poverty level; Female householder; no husband present	137	30.4	3,610	35.3
Families for whom poverty status has been determined; Female householder; no husband present; With related children under 18 years	375	100.0	7,898	100.0
Income in 1999 below poverty level; Female householder; no husband present; With related children under 18 years	124	33.1	3,333	42.2
Families: for whom poverty status is determined; Female householder; no husband present; With related children under 5 years	163	100.0	3,335	100.0
Income in 1999 below poverty level; Female householder; no husband present; With related children under 5 years	68	41.7	1,707	51.2
Population for whom poverty status is determined: Ratio of income in 1999 to poverty level; under 1.5	1,684	47.4	41,160	36.3

### DP4: Housing Data

Housing units				
Housing units: Total	1,637	100.0	52,941	100.0
Occupied housing units	1,401	100.0	47,094	100.0
Occupied housing units: Moved in 1999 to March 2000	353	25.2	12,217	25.9
Occupied housing units: No telephone service available	64	4.6	1,391	3.0
Occupied housing units: No vehicle available	588	42.0	14,005	29.7
Occupied housing units: 1 vehicle available	505	36.0	20,820	44.2
Occupied housing units: Lacking complete plumbing facilities	12	0.9	554	1.2
Occupied housing units: Lacking complete kitchen facilities	12	0.9	490	1.0
Occupied Housing units: 1.00 or less occupants per room	1,275	91.0	44,274	94.0
Occupied Housing units: 1.01 or more occupants per room	126	9.0	2,820	6.0

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<b>Owner Occupied Units</b>				
Specified owner-occupied housing units	133	100.0	8,479	100.0
Value is less than \$50,000	0	0.0	366	4.3
Value is \$50,000 to \$99,999	108	81.2	3,278	38.7
Value is \$100,000 to \$149,999	17	12.8	2,718	32.1
Value is \$150,000 to \$199,999	8	6.0	1,109	13.1
Value is \$200,000 or more	0	0.0	1,008	11.9
Housing units with a mortgage	97	72.9	6,134	72.3
Housing units with a mortgage; \$300 to \$499 monthly owner costs	0	0.0	53	0.6
Housing units with a mortgage; \$500 to \$699 monthly owner costs	8	6.0	375	4.4
Housing units with a mortgage; \$700 to \$999 monthly owner costs	9	6.8	1,347	15.9
Housing units with a mortgage; \$1,000 to \$1,499 monthly owner costs	56	42.1	2,494	29.4
Housing units with a mortgage; \$1,500 to \$1,999 monthly owner costs	24	18.0	1,230	14.5
Housing units with a mortgage; \$2,000 or more	0	0.0	629	7.4
Housing units without a mortgage	36	27.1	2,345	27.7
<b>Housing cost burden: Owner Occupied units in 1999</b>				
Specified owner-occupied housing units	133	100.0	8,479	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units: selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income: less than 25.0 percent	57	42.9	4,963	58.5
Owner-occupied housing units: selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income: 25.0 to 29.9 percent	15	11.3	880	10.4
Owner-occupied housing units: selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income: 30.0 to 34.9 percent	14	10.5	733	8.6
Owner-occupied housing units: selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income: 35.0 percent or more	47	35.3	1,843	21.7
<b>Housing Cost Burden: Renter-occupied units</b>				
Specified renter-occupied housing units	1,102	100.0	33,141	100.0
Renter-occupied housing units: Gross rent as a percentage of household income: less than 25.0 percent	321	29.1	12,525	37.8
Renter-occupied housing units: Gross rent as a percentage of household income: 25.0 to 29.9 percent	122	11.1	3,278	9.9
Renter-occupied housing units: Gross rent as a percentage of household income: 30.0 to 34.9 percent	94	8.5	2,671	8.1
Renter-occupied housing units: Gross rent as a percentage of household income: 35.0 percent or more	519	47.1	12,566	37.9
All Households paying more that 30.0% of income for housing	674	48.1	17,813	37.8

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