

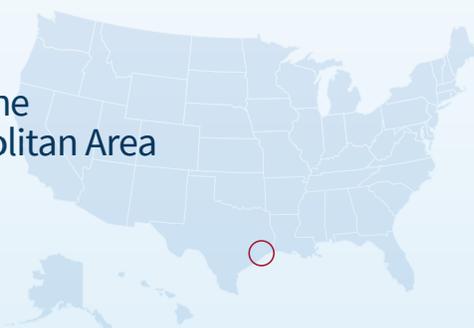


AMERICAN HOUSING SURVEY 2015 RESULTS

HOUSTON / THE WOODLANDS / SUGAR LAND METROPOLITAN AREA

2,243,700

Housing Units In the Houston/The Woodlands/Sugar Land Metropolitan Area



Neighborhood Assets

37%

of households agree "This neighborhood has good bus, subway or commuter bus service."

10%

of households agree "This neighborhood has a lot of serious crime."

89%

of households agree "This neighborhood has good schools."

35%

of households report that it is important to live near arts and cultural events

78% of these households are satisfied with the arts and cultural events in their neighborhood



Housing Quality



5% of households live in inadequate housing

717,800 households have made some home improvement in past 2 years



15% of households report their water is not safe to drink

30% of these households cite energy efficiency as a reason for improvements



5% of households have tobacco smoke inside the home daily

7% of households cite accessibility for elderly or disabled persons as a reason for improvements

Housing Costs

31,300 households received housing counseling

71% reported that their housing counseling was helpful

\$987 was the median monthly cost of housing

15% of households pay at least half their monthly income for housing



\$1,300 was the median expenditure on home improvement projects in past 2 years

29% of these households report food insecurity in the past 30 days

