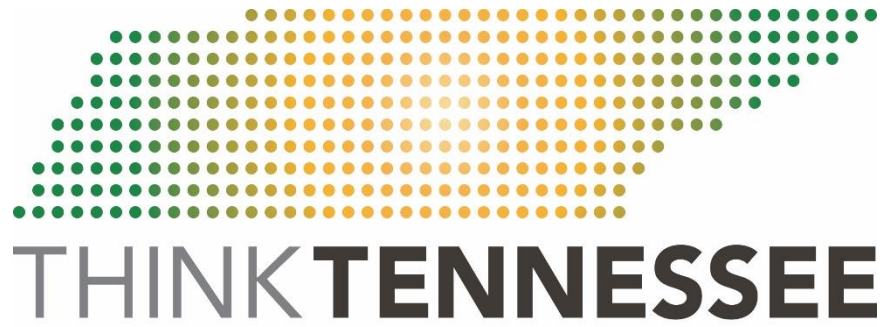




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August 18, 2020



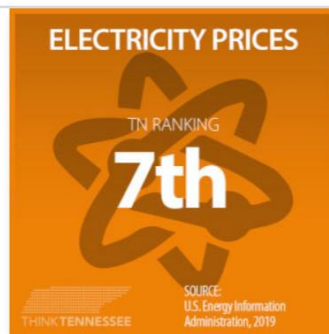
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How does TN stack up?

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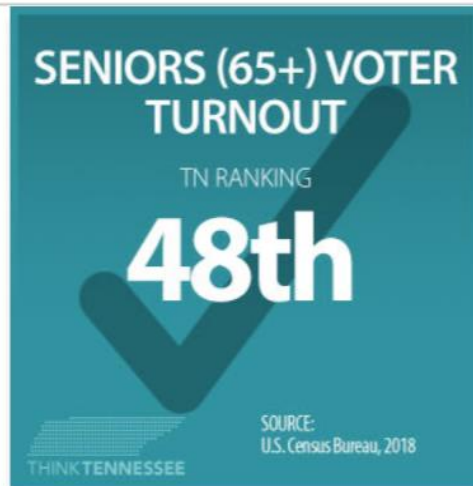
Gender Rankings



Education Rankings



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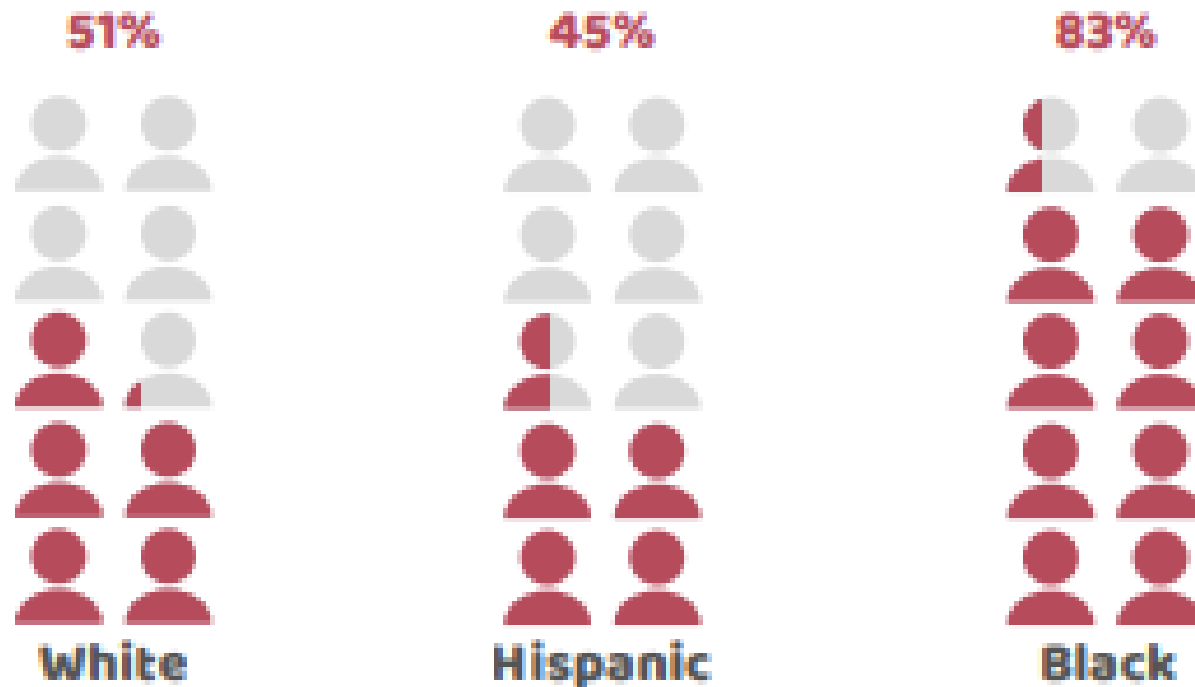


What % of Mothers in TN are Family Breadwinners?

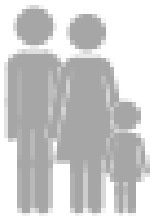


Most Mothers in TN are Family Breadwinners

Breadwinner Mothers in Tennessee, 2014

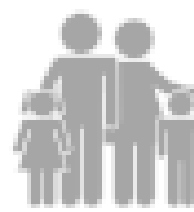


Annual Income Needed for Economic Security in TN



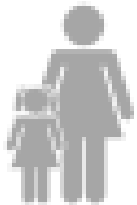
\$56,940

Two parents +
one child



\$62,628

Two parents +
two children



\$43,260

One parent +
one child



\$52,548

One parent +
two children

Women Don't Earn Enough to be Economically Secure (Statewide)

126,887 single-mother families have an annual income below \$40,000.

The median income for single mothers is **\$24,751.**

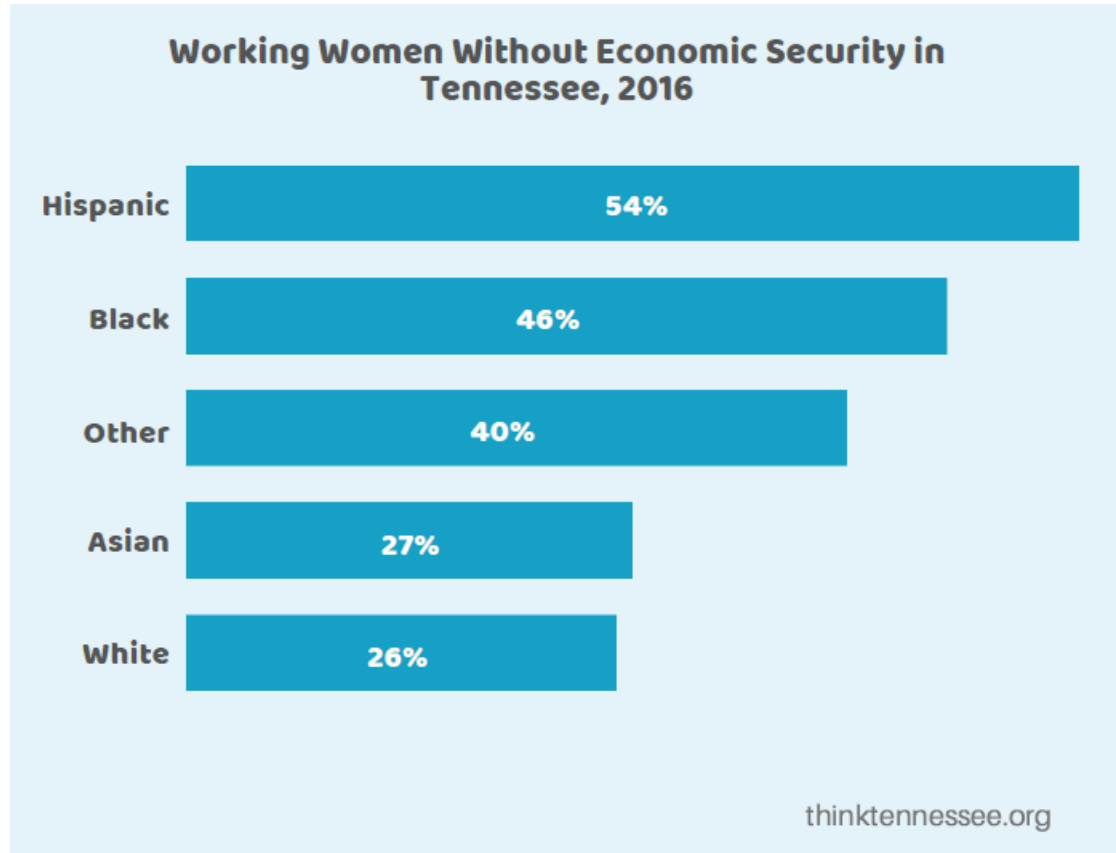
Women Don't Earn Enough to be Economically Secure (East TN)

36,356 single mothers in East TN have an annual income below \$50,000.

The median income for **single mothers** in TN's 1st, 2nd and 3rd Congressional Districts.

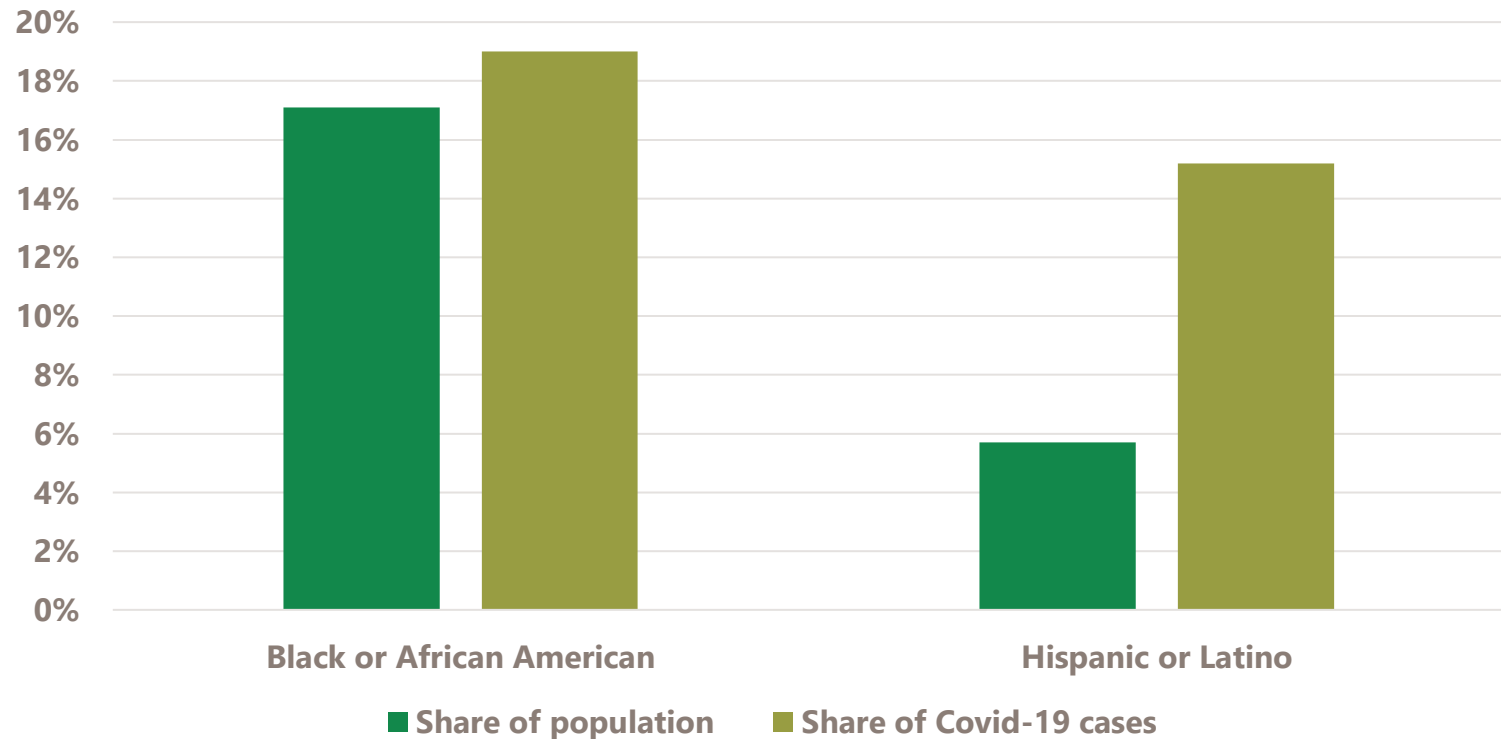
**\$20,496 -
\$30,769**

Women of Color are Less Economically Secure



Covid Hits Communities of Color Hardest

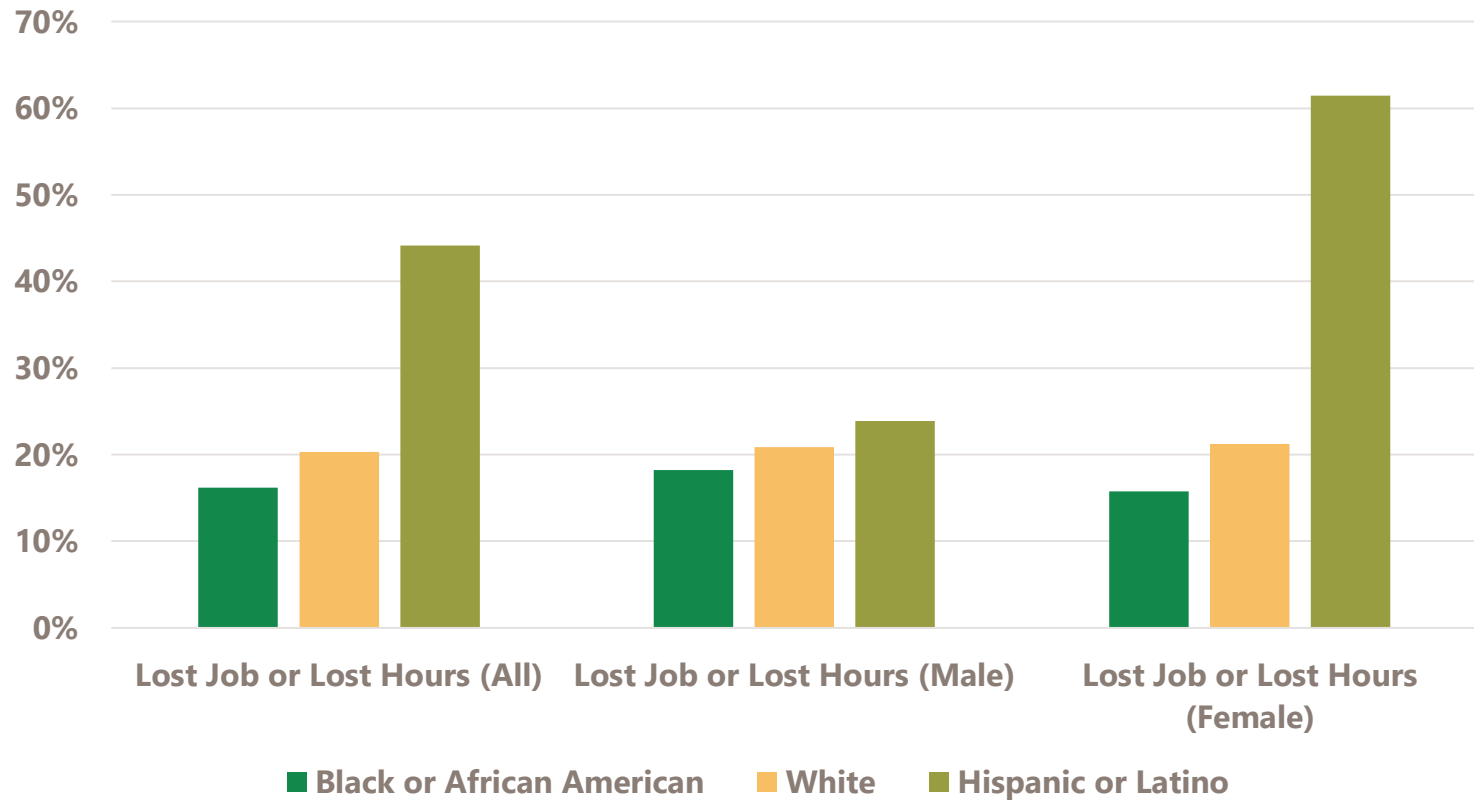
Communities of color make up a disproportionate share of Covid-19 cases



Source: U.S. Census Bureau and Tennessee Department of Health

Case Study: Nashville Community Needs Assessment

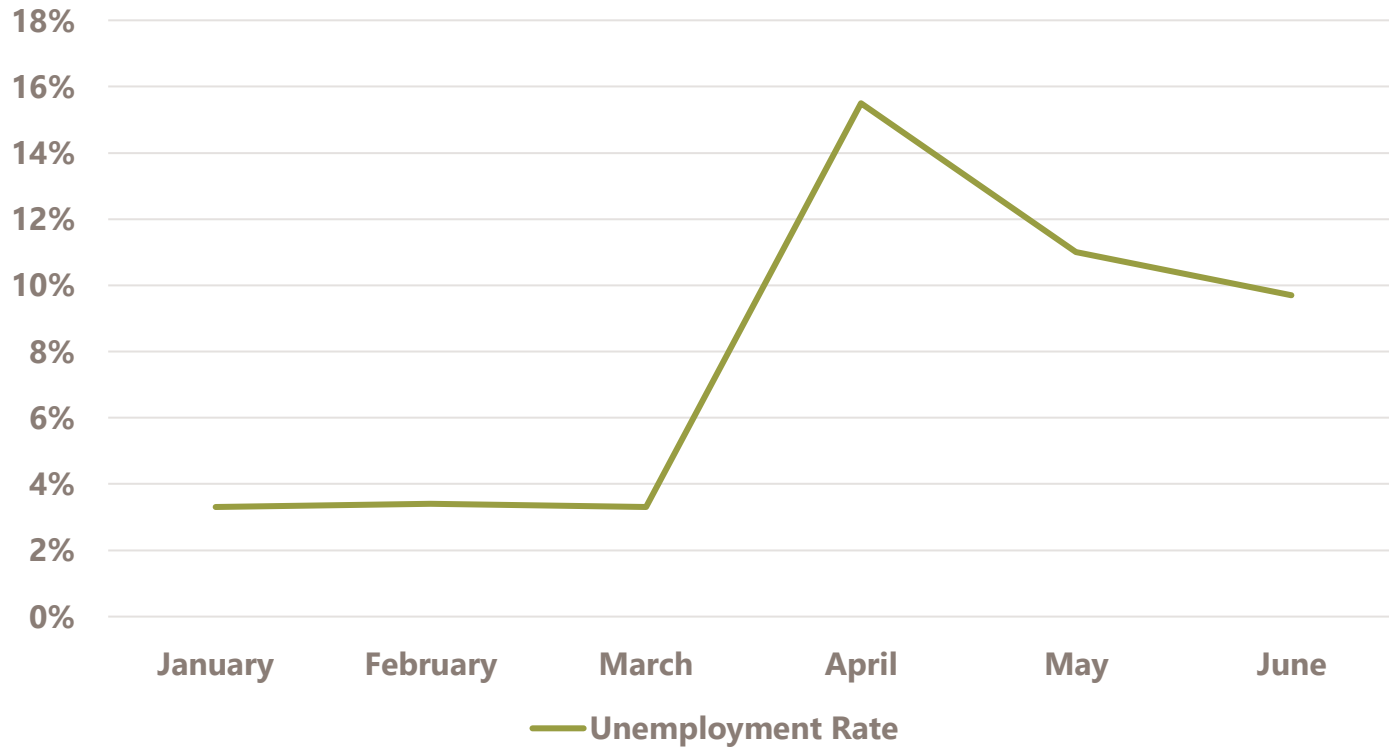
Crisis is hitting Nashville's Hispanic community particularly hard



Source: ThinkTennessee Analysis of Change Research survey data

Rising Unemployment Rate

Tennessee's unemployment rate shot up in April, remains elevated

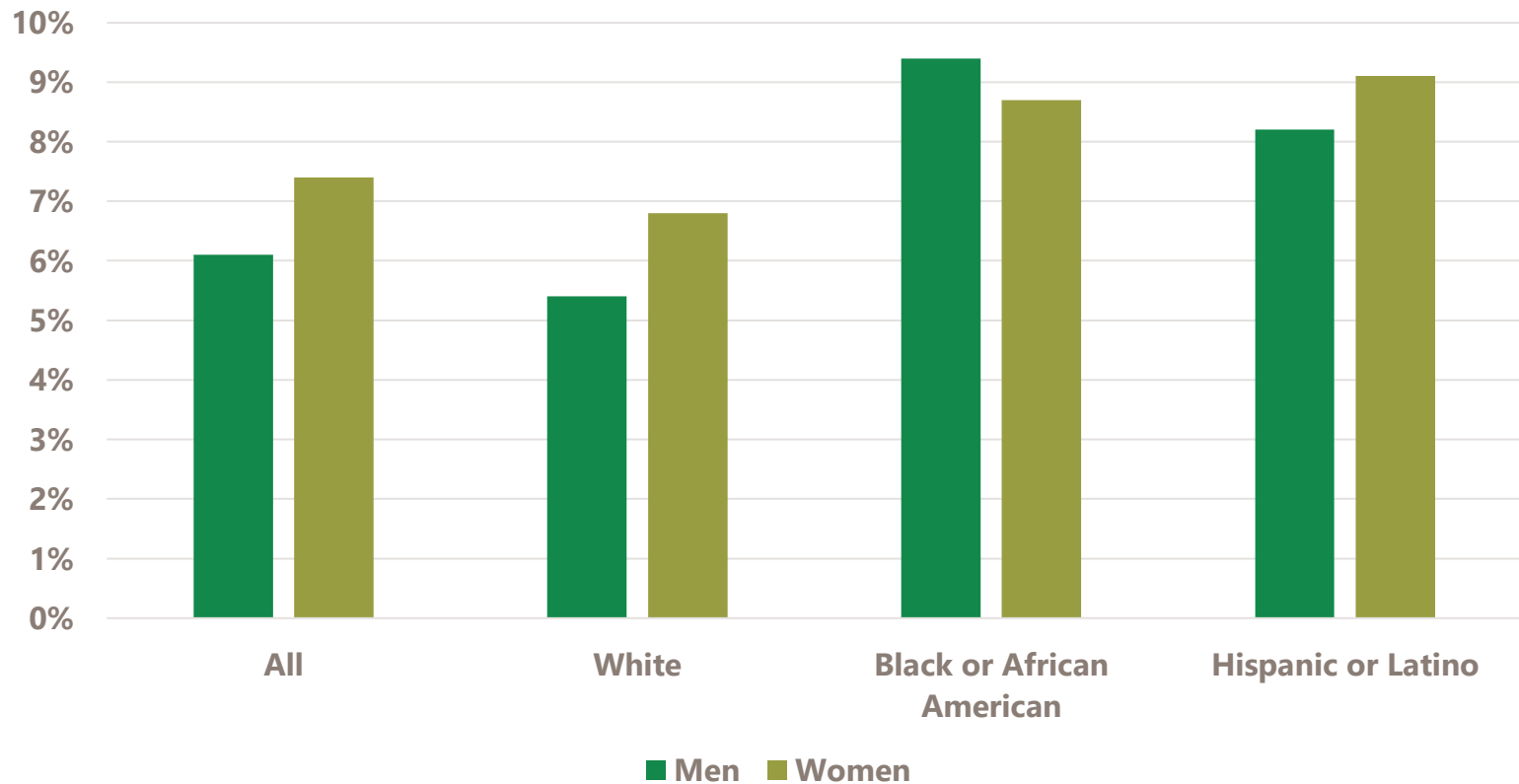


Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Labor Market Losses Affect Women Most

Increase in national unemployment rate since February



Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

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