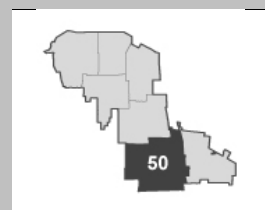


# Population Profile - 2005

## SPA 6 - District 50

(General Area: Compton-West Compton-Willowbrook)



### DEMOGRAPHICS

#### Race/Ethnicity

African American	55,745	38.7%
American Indian/Alaska Native	0	0.0%
Asian	915	0.6%
Hispanic or Latino	81,760	56.7%
Pacific Islander	2,865	2.0%
White	1,245	0.9%
Other	1,280	0.9%
Multi-racial	275	0.2%
Total population (in households)	144,095	100.0%

#### Age Structure

0 to 4 years	13,360	9.3%
5 to 9 years	13,950	9.7%
10 to 14 years	16,330	11.3%
15 to 19 years	14,475	10.0%
20 to 24 years	10,100	7.0%
25 to 34 years	18,080	12.5%
35 to 64 years	47,635	33.1%
65 years and over	10,145	7.0%
Child and youth population (<18 years)	52,455	36.4%

#### Immigration and Citizenship

U.S. Native	104,245	72.3%
Foreign born	39,845	27.7%
Naturalized U.S. citizen	10,855	7.5%
Not a U.S. citizen	28,990	20.1%
Immigrated since 2000	4,755	11.9%

#### English Language Ability (ages 5+)

Speak English Only	59,565	45.6%
Speak a language other than English	71,165	54.4%
Spanish	68,610	52.5%
Speak English less than "very well"	37,065	28.4%
Other Indo-European languages	315	0.2%
Speak English less than "very well"	50	0.0%
Asian or Pacific Islander languages	2,240	1.7%
Speak English less than "very well"	1,300	1.0%
Some other non-English languages	0	0.0%
Speak English less than "very well"	0	0.0%

### GOOD HEALTH

#### Persons with Disabilities

Ages 5 to 15 with a disability	2,760	8.3%
Ages 16 to 64 with a disability	11,105	12.7%
Ages 65 and older with a disability	5,255	51.8%
Total persons with a disability	19,120	14.6%

### SAFETY AND SURVIVAL

#### Housing

Occupied housing units	35,485	93.5%
Owner occupied	19,860	56.0%
Renter occupied	15,625	44.0%
With incomplete plumbing	185	0.5%
With incomplete kitchen facilities	0	0.0%
With no telephone service	705	2.0%
Unoccupied housing units	2,455	6.5%

#### Vehicle Availability by Household

No vehicle available	1,965	5.5%
One vehicle available	12,225	34.5%
Two or more vehicles available	21,295	60.0%

### ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

#### Poverty\*

Children and youth living in poverty	19,513	37.2%
All persons living in poverty	37,032	25.7%

#### Household Income

Less than \$25,000	12,600	35.5%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	11,240	31.7%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	6,355	17.9%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	3,505	9.9%
\$100,000 or more	1,785	5.0%
Median household income	\$34,986	
Spend 35% or more of income on housing	15,140	42.7%
Households with cash public assistance	4,405	12.4%
Households with food stamp benefits	6,120	17.2%

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\* The number of children and persons in poverty is estimated by applying the percent in poverty to the respective population total for each of these groups.

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### ECONOMIC WELL-BEING

#### Family Income

Less than \$25,000	8,875	30.5%
\$25,000 to \$49,999	9,820	33.7%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	5,565	19.1%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	3,435	11.8%
\$100,000 or more	1,435	4.9%
Median family income	\$38,082	

#### Employment Status (ages 16+)

In the labor force	56,465	57.9%
Employed	49,605	87.9%
Unemployed	6,855	12.1%
Not in the labor force	41,105	42.1%

#### Occupation of Employed Persons

Management/Professional	7,680	15.5%
Service occupations	10,715	21.6%
Sales/Office occupations	11,580	23.3%
Farming/Fishing/Forestry	160	0.3%
Construction/Extraction/Maintenance	5,440	11.0%
Production/Transportation/Moving	14,035	28.3%

#### Class of Worker

Private wage and salary workers	40,625	81.9%
Government workers	5,665	11.4%
Self employed (not incorporated)	3,270	6.6%
Unpaid family workers	50	0.1%

#### Commute to Work

Drove alone (car, truck, or van)	35,305	74.1%
Carpooled	5,595	11.7%
Public transportation (excluding taxis)	3,340	7.0%
Walked	480	1.0%
Other means	1,830	3.8%
Worked at home	1,105	2.3%

### SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING

#### Household Composition

Family households	29,130	82.1%
With own children under 18 years	16,855	47.5%
Married couple with own kids	9,855	58.5%
Female with own kids, no husband	4,770	28.3%
Male with own kids, no wife	2,230	13.2%
Non-family households	6,355	17.9%
Households with people under 18	21,290	60.0%

#### Children and Working Parents

Kids with all parents in family in labor force	24,085	52.1%
Under age 6, all parents in labor force	6,255	43.7%
Ages 6-17, all parents in labor force	17,830	55.9%

#### Residence One Year Ago

Lived in same house	130,060	91.5%
Lived in a different house (in U.S.)	12,015	8.5%
Lived abroad	90	0.1%

### EDUCATION/WORKFORCE READINESS

#### School Enrollment (ages 3+)

Nursery school, preschool	2,525	4.8%
Kindergarten	2,535	4.8%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	24,485	46.5%
High school (grades 9-12)	12,810	24.3%
College or graduate school	10,285	19.5%

#### Adult Educational Attainment (ages 25+)

Less than 9th grade	17,165	22.6%
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	12,055	15.9%
High school graduate (or equivalency)	24,350	32.1%
Some college, no degree	11,110	14.6%
Associate's degree	5,920	7.8%
Bachelor's degree	3,970	5.2%
Graduate or professional degree	1,295	1.7%

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