

PENNSYLVANIA, 2017

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	\$592	\$665	\$665	\$665	\$827	\$827
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$221	\$640	\$442	\$1,229
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$309	\$371	\$371	\$371	\$617	\$617
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$318	\$626	\$617
Miscellaneous	\$157	\$219	\$218	\$266	\$357	\$450
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$260	\$351	\$208	\$321	\$294	\$526
Monthly Total	\$1,730	\$2,411	\$2,399	\$2,924	\$3,930	\$4,945
Annual Total	\$20,760	\$28,932	\$28,788	\$35,088	\$47,160	\$59,340
Hourly Wage	\$10.38	\$14.47	\$14.39	\$17.54	\$23.58	\$29.67

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$813	\$1,011	\$1,011	\$1,011	\$1,044	\$1,044
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$254	\$792	\$508	\$1,468
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$525	\$1,359	\$1,175
Transportation	\$509	\$626	\$626	\$626	\$1,042	\$1,042
Health Care	\$158	\$313	\$306	\$304	\$642	\$774
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$285	\$298	\$337	\$472	\$563
Savings	\$197	\$285	\$298	\$337	\$472	\$563
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$552	\$682	\$569	\$660	\$1,180	\$1,522
Monthly Total	\$2,914	\$4,101	\$4,146	\$4,701	\$6,848	\$8,280
Annual Total	\$34,968	\$49,212	\$49,752	\$56,412	\$82,176	\$99,360
Hourly Wage	\$17.48	\$24.61	\$24.88	\$28.21	\$41.09	\$49.68

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: UnitedForALICE.org

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ADAMS COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$626	\$680	\$680	\$680	\$874	\$874
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$190	\$560	\$380	\$1,067
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$163	\$222	\$217	\$258	\$359	\$434
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$273	\$355	\$205	\$301	\$296	\$485
Monthly Total	\$1,792	\$2,444	\$2,390	\$2,840	\$3,953	\$4,771
Annual Total	\$21,504	\$29,328	\$28,680	\$34,080	\$47,436	\$57,252
Hourly Wage	\$10.75	\$14.66	\$14.34	\$17.04	\$23.72	\$28.63

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Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$850	\$1,093	\$1,093	\$1,093	\$1,204	\$1,204
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$249	\$794	\$498	\$1,458
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$202	\$292	\$305	\$345	\$487	\$581
Savings	\$202	\$292	\$305	\$345	\$487	\$581
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$572	\$709	\$594	\$678	\$1,275	\$1,634
Monthly Total	\$2,995	\$4,211	\$4,256	\$4,814	\$7,119	\$8,608
Annual Total	\$35,940	\$50,532	\$51,072	\$57,768	\$85,428	\$103,296
Hourly Wage	\$17.97	\$25.27	\$25.54	\$28.88	\$42.71	\$51.65

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Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$566	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$822	\$822
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$263	\$755	\$527	\$1,457
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$134	\$134
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$125	\$181	\$185	\$241	\$307	\$411
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$187	\$270	\$136	\$257	\$184	\$426
Monthly Total	\$1,370	\$1,993	\$2,037	\$2,649	\$3,382	\$4,525
Annual Total	\$16,440	\$23,916	\$24,444	\$31,788	\$40,584	\$54,300
Hourly Wage	\$8.22	\$11.96	\$12.22	\$15.89	\$20.29	\$27.15

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 20 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 19 percent; and for a school-age child, by 8 percent.

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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	\$821	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,053	\$1,053
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$327	\$1,019	\$655	\$1,892
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$161	\$462	\$462	\$462	\$770	\$770
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$163	\$271	\$290	\$344	\$460	\$582
Savings	\$163	\$271	\$290	\$344	\$460	\$582
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$420	\$628	\$541	\$669	\$1,259	\$1,668
Monthly Total	\$2,374	\$3,879	\$4,020	\$4,797	\$6,779	\$8,651
Annual Total	\$28,488	\$46,548	\$48,240	\$57,564	\$81,348	\$103,812
Hourly Wage	\$14.24	\$23.27	\$24.12	\$28.78	\$40.67	\$51.91

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ARMSTRONG COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$488	\$527	\$527	\$527	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$213	\$604	\$426	\$1,172
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$145	\$203	\$201	\$244	\$341	\$422
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$231	\$314	\$170	\$264	\$256	\$454
Monthly Total	\$1,594	\$2,231	\$2,209	\$2,680	\$3,748	\$4,640
Annual Total	\$19,128	\$26,772	\$26,508	\$32,160	\$44,976	\$55,680
Hourly Wage	\$9.56	\$13.39	\$13.25	\$16.08	\$22.49	\$27.84

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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	\$659	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$938	\$938
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$686	\$475	\$1,320
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$183	\$270	\$282	\$310	\$458	\$541
Savings	\$183	\$270	\$282	\$310	\$458	\$541
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$498	\$624	\$514	\$571	\$1,153	\$1,429
Monthly Total	\$2,692	\$3,862	\$3,899	\$4,287	\$6,650	\$7,919
Annual Total	\$32,304	\$46,344	\$46,788	\$51,444	\$79,800	\$95,028
Hourly Wage	\$16.15	\$23.17	\$23.39	\$25.72	\$39.90	\$47.51

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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BEAVER COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$566	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$822	\$822
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$245	\$746	\$489	\$1,398
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$220	\$221	\$281	\$361	\$477
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$253	\$357	\$214	\$360	\$300	\$598
Monthly Total	\$1,704	\$2,421	\$2,435	\$3,089	\$3,971	\$5,245
Annual Total	\$20,448	\$29,052	\$29,220	\$37,068	\$47,652	\$62,940
Hourly Wage	\$10.22	\$14.53	\$14.61	\$18.53	\$23.83	\$31.47

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

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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	\$821	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,001	\$1,001
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$260	\$765	\$521	\$1,459
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$287	\$300	\$335	\$469	\$561
Savings	\$199	\$287	\$300	\$335	\$469	\$561
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$692	\$575	\$664	\$1,163	\$1,505
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,141	\$4,173	\$4,686	\$6,791	\$8,237
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,692	\$50,076	\$56,232	\$81,492	\$98,844
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.85	\$25.04	\$28.12	\$40.75	\$49.42

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BEDFORD COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$563	\$583	\$583	\$583	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$186	\$517	\$372	\$1,013
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$154	\$209	\$204	\$239	\$334	\$400
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$252	\$324	\$178	\$253	\$241	\$397
Monthly Total	\$1,699	\$2,303	\$2,249	\$2,633	\$3,672	\$4,402
Annual Total	\$20,388	\$27,636	\$26,988	\$31,596	\$44,064	\$52,824
Hourly Wage	\$10.19	\$13.82	\$13.49	\$15.80	\$22.03	\$26.41

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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	\$729	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$962	\$962
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$188	\$630	\$376	\$1,131
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$190	\$270	\$277	\$304	\$451	\$508
Savings	\$190	\$270	\$277	\$304	\$451	\$508
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$525	\$624	\$497	\$548	\$1,015	\$1,195
Monthly Total	\$2,803	\$3,862	\$3,822	\$4,196	\$6,423	\$7,288
Annual Total	\$33,636	\$46,344	\$45,864	\$50,352	\$77,076	\$87,456
Hourly Wage	\$16.82	\$23.17	\$22.93	\$25.18	\$38.54	\$43.73

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BERKS COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$606	\$722	\$722	\$722	\$955	\$955
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$222	\$715	\$445	\$1,308
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$353	\$424	\$424	\$424	\$707	\$707
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$165	\$234	\$232	\$291	\$382	\$492
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$278	\$387	\$238	\$387	\$350	\$638
Monthly Total	\$1,814	\$2,572	\$2,554	\$3,202	\$4,202	\$5,414
Annual Total	\$21,768	\$30,864	\$30,648	\$38,424	\$50,424	\$64,968
Hourly Wage	\$10.88	\$15.43	\$15.32	\$19.21	\$25.21	\$32.48

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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	\$903	\$1,194	\$1,194	\$1,194	\$1,139	\$1,139
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$274	\$929	\$548	\$1,659
Food	\$381	\$775	\$680	\$530	\$1,368	\$1,184
Transportation	\$605	\$725	\$725	\$725	\$1,209	\$1,209
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$216	\$312	\$328	\$380	\$503	\$612
Savings	\$216	\$312	\$328	\$380	\$503	\$612
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$626	\$788	\$672	\$802	\$1,379	\$1,823
Monthly Total	\$3,216	\$4,533	\$4,608	\$5,367	\$7,413	\$9,168
Annual Total	\$38,592	\$54,396	\$55,296	\$64,404	\$88,956	\$110,016
Hourly Wage	\$19.30	\$27.20	\$27.65	\$32.20	\$44.48	\$55.01

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BLAIR COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$553	\$589	\$589	\$589	\$725	\$725
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$188	\$448	\$375	\$948
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$153	\$210	\$205	\$231	\$340	\$397
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$249	\$325	\$180	\$236	\$254	\$390
Monthly Total	\$1,685	\$2,311	\$2,260	\$2,545	\$3,738	\$4,371
Annual Total	\$20,220	\$27,732	\$27,120	\$30,540	\$44,856	\$52,452
Hourly Wage	\$10.11	\$13.87	\$13.56	\$15.27	\$22.43	\$26.23

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 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$736	\$906	\$906	\$906	\$951	\$951
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$230	\$684	\$460	\$1,297
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$190	\$275	\$287	\$315	\$458	\$540
Savings	\$190	\$275	\$287	\$315	\$458	\$540
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$528	\$645	\$531	\$579	\$1,075	\$1,355
Monthly Total	\$2,813	\$3,948	\$3,973	\$4,358	\$6,570	\$7,833
Annual Total	\$33,756	\$47,376	\$47,676	\$52,296	\$78,840	\$93,996
Hourly Wage	\$16.88	\$23.69	\$23.84	\$26.15	\$39.42	\$47.00

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$534	\$538	\$538	\$538	\$715	\$715
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$203	\$573	\$406	\$1,115
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$151	\$204	\$201	\$241	\$342	\$419
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$244	\$316	\$170	\$257	\$260	\$445
Monthly Total	\$1,659	\$2,245	\$2,210	\$2,650	\$3,767	\$4,605
Annual Total	\$19,908	\$26,940	\$26,520	\$31,800	\$45,204	\$55,260
Hourly Wage	\$9.95	\$13.47	\$13.26	\$15.90	\$22.60	\$27.63

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$673	\$894	\$894	\$894	\$997	\$997
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$231	\$692	\$463	\$1,308
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$184	\$274	\$286	\$314	\$463	\$545
Savings	\$184	\$274	\$286	\$314	\$463	\$545
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$503	\$640	\$527	\$584	\$1,115	\$1,393
Monthly Total	\$2,713	\$3,929	\$3,956	\$4,357	\$6,669	\$7,938
Annual Total	\$32,556	\$47,148	\$47,472	\$52,284	\$80,028	\$95,256
Hourly Wage	\$16.28	\$23.57	\$23.74	\$26.14	\$40.01	\$47.63

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$845	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$251	\$677	\$503	\$1,347
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$353	\$424	\$424	\$424	\$707	\$707
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$320	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$270	\$274	\$324	\$424	\$532
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$361	\$465	\$342	\$474	\$460	\$744
Monthly Total	\$2,168	\$2,967	\$3,014	\$3,565	\$4,668	\$5,855
Annual Total	\$26,016	\$35,604	\$36,168	\$42,780	\$56,016	\$70,260
Hourly Wage	\$13.01	\$17.80	\$18.08	\$21.39	\$28.01	\$35.13

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,616	\$1,616
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$353	\$1,116	\$706	\$2,058
Food	\$381	\$775	\$680	\$530	\$1,368	\$1,184
Transportation	\$605	\$725	\$725	\$725	\$1,209	\$1,209
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$801	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$226	\$314	\$338	\$401	\$583	\$700
Savings	\$226	\$314	\$338	\$401	\$583	\$700
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$665	\$795	\$705	\$876	\$1,730	\$2,392
Monthly Total	\$3,375	\$4,561	\$4,757	\$5,687	\$8,725	\$10,789
Annual Total	\$40,500	\$54,732	\$57,084	\$68,244	\$104,700	\$129,468
Hourly Wage	\$20.25	\$27.37	\$28.54	\$34.12	\$52.35	\$64.73

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$566	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$822	\$822
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$231	\$621	\$462	\$1,237
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$220	\$220	\$264	\$358	\$455
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$253	\$353	\$210	\$316	\$292	\$541
Monthly Total	\$1,704	\$2,417	\$2,416	\$2,903	\$3,933	\$5,005
Annual Total	\$20,448	\$29,004	\$28,992	\$34,836	\$47,196	\$60,060
Hourly Wage	\$10.22	\$14.50	\$14.50	\$17.42	\$23.60	\$30.03

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$821	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,232	\$1,232
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$294	\$930	\$588	\$1,713
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$287	\$303	\$354	\$499	\$610
Savings	\$199	\$287	\$303	\$354	\$499	\$610
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$692	\$587	\$711	\$1,322	\$1,750
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,141	\$4,225	\$4,956	\$7,308	\$9,065
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,692	\$50,700	\$59,472	\$87,696	\$108,780
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.85	\$25.35	\$29.74	\$43.85	\$54.39

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$538	\$559	\$559	\$559	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$179	\$481	\$358	\$957
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$151	\$206	\$200	\$232	\$332	\$393
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$245	\$317	\$169	\$237	\$237	\$378
Monthly Total	\$1,664	\$2,269	\$2,205	\$2,550	\$3,652	\$4,320
Annual Total	\$19,968	\$27,228	\$26,460	\$30,600	\$43,824	\$51,840
Hourly Wage	\$9.98	\$13.61	\$13.23	\$15.30	\$21.91	\$25.92

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$699	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$901	\$901
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$209	\$612	\$417	\$1,168
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$187	\$270	\$279	\$302	\$449	\$505
Savings	\$187	\$270	\$279	\$302	\$449	\$505
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$513	\$624	\$504	\$540	\$1,028	\$1,201
Monthly Total	\$2,755	\$3,862	\$3,854	\$4,166	\$6,412	\$7,264
Annual Total	\$33,060	\$46,344	\$46,248	\$49,992	\$76,944	\$87,168
Hourly Wage	\$16.53	\$23.17	\$23.12	\$25.00	\$38.47	\$43.58

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$517	\$590	\$590	\$590	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$172	\$542	\$344	\$1,000
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$149	\$210	\$203	\$244	\$330	\$398
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$239	\$326	\$176	\$264	\$233	\$392
Monthly Total	\$1,635	\$2,313	\$2,239	\$2,681	\$3,632	\$4,382
Annual Total	\$19,620	\$27,756	\$26,868	\$32,172	\$43,584	\$52,584
Hourly Wage	\$9.81	\$13.88	\$13.43	\$16.09	\$21.79	\$26.29

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$738	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$837	\$837
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$219	\$625	\$438	\$1,208
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$270	\$280	\$304	\$444	\$503
Savings	\$191	\$270	\$280	\$304	\$444	\$503
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$528	\$624	\$508	\$546	\$1,009	\$1,195
Monthly Total	\$2,817	\$3,862	\$3,870	\$4,189	\$6,340	\$7,230
Annual Total	\$33,804	\$46,344	\$46,440	\$50,268	\$76,080	\$86,760
Hourly Wage	\$16.90	\$23.17	\$23.22	\$25.13	\$38.04	\$43.38

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$659	\$815	\$815	\$815	\$1,038	\$1,038
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$167	\$240	\$241	\$299	\$388	\$501
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$284	\$401	\$256	\$409	\$366	\$661
Monthly Total	\$1,840	\$2,643	\$2,648	\$3,293	\$4,268	\$5,510
Annual Total	\$22,080	\$31,716	\$31,776	\$39,516	\$51,216	\$66,120
Hourly Wage	\$11.04	\$15.86	\$15.89	\$19.76	\$25.61	\$33.06

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,019	\$1,298	\$1,298	\$1,298	\$982	\$982
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$210	\$625	\$421	\$1,186
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$219	\$312	\$322	\$348	\$457	\$532
Savings	\$219	\$312	\$322	\$348	\$457	\$532
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$638	\$789	\$650	\$710	\$1,138	\$1,433
Monthly Total	\$3,266	\$4,536	\$4,512	\$4,888	\$6,623	\$7,815
Annual Total	\$39,192	\$54,432	\$54,144	\$58,656	\$79,476	\$93,780
Hourly Wage	\$19.60	\$27.22	\$27.07	\$29.33	\$39.74	\$46.89

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$776	\$777	\$777	\$777	\$940	\$940
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$201	\$597	\$401	\$1,132
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$183	\$235	\$231	\$277	\$365	\$457
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$324	\$383	\$235	\$350	\$308	\$545
Monthly Total	\$2,013	\$2,582	\$2,542	\$3,046	\$4,013	\$5,024
Annual Total	\$24,156	\$30,984	\$30,504	\$36,552	\$48,156	\$60,288
Hourly Wage	\$12.08	\$15.49	\$15.25	\$18.28	\$24.08	\$30.14

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$971	\$1,175	\$1,175	\$1,175	\$1,257	\$1,257
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$317	\$1,093	\$634	\$1,938
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$214	\$300	\$320	\$385	\$506	\$634
Savings	\$214	\$300	\$320	\$385	\$506	\$634
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$620	\$741	\$645	\$804	\$1,312	\$1,843
Monthly Total	\$3,190	\$4,341	\$4,487	\$5,421	\$7,383	\$9,456
Annual Total	\$38,280	\$52,092	\$53,844	\$65,052	\$88,596	\$113,472
Hourly Wage	\$19.14	\$26.05	\$26.92	\$32.53	\$44.30	\$56.74

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$845	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$319	\$969	\$639	\$1,820
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$353	\$424	\$424	\$424	\$707	\$707
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$320	\$298	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$271	\$283	\$361	\$443	\$596
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$361	\$476	\$367	\$570	\$509	\$912
Monthly Total	\$2,168	\$2,979	\$3,116	\$3,968	\$4,872	\$6,560
Annual Total	\$26,016	\$35,748	\$37,392	\$47,616	\$58,464	\$78,720
Hourly Wage	\$13.01	\$17.87	\$18.70	\$23.81	\$29.23	\$39.36

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 19 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,696	\$1,696
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$403	\$1,297	\$806	\$2,371
Food	\$381	\$775	\$680	\$530	\$1,368	\$1,184
Transportation	\$605	\$725	\$725	\$725	\$1,209	\$1,209
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$801	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$226	\$314	\$343	\$419	\$601	\$739
Savings	\$226	\$314	\$343	\$419	\$601	\$739
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$665	\$795	\$722	\$949	\$1,809	\$2,625
Monthly Total	\$3,375	\$4,561	\$4,834	\$5,977	\$9,020	\$11,493
Annual Total	\$40,500	\$54,732	\$58,008	\$71,724	\$108,240	\$137,916
Hourly Wage	\$20.25	\$27.37	\$29.00	\$35.86	\$54.12	\$68.96

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$517	\$590	\$590	\$590	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$211	\$594	\$422	\$1,156
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$149	\$211	\$208	\$251	\$340	\$420
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$239	\$330	\$186	\$282	\$254	\$448
Monthly Total	\$1,635	\$2,318	\$2,293	\$2,758	\$3,741	\$4,616
Annual Total	\$19,620	\$27,816	\$27,516	\$33,096	\$44,892	\$55,392
Hourly Wage	\$9.81	\$13.91	\$13.76	\$16.55	\$22.45	\$27.70

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$738	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$872	\$872
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$221	\$723	\$442	\$1,312
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$270	\$280	\$313	\$448	\$533
Savings	\$191	\$270	\$280	\$313	\$448	\$533
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$528	\$624	\$509	\$581	\$1,016	\$1,306
Monthly Total	\$2,817	\$3,862	\$3,873	\$4,340	\$6,394	\$7,706
Annual Total	\$33,804	\$46,344	\$46,476	\$52,080	\$76,728	\$92,472
Hourly Wage	\$16.90	\$23.17	\$23.24	\$26.04	\$38.36	\$46.24

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$549	\$665	\$665	\$665	\$796	\$796
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$164	\$454	\$328	\$891
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$153	\$220	\$212	\$242	\$343	\$399
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$248	\$345	\$194	\$260	\$260	\$395
Monthly Total	\$1,680	\$2,417	\$2,333	\$2,662	\$3,771	\$4,392
Annual Total	\$20,160	\$29,004	\$27,996	\$31,944	\$45,252	\$52,704
Hourly Wage	\$10.08	\$14.50	\$14.00	\$15.97	\$22.63	\$26.35

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 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$831	\$995	\$995	\$995	\$838	\$838
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$216	\$662	\$432	\$1,237
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$200	\$284	\$292	\$322	\$444	\$506
Savings	\$200	\$284	\$292	\$322	\$444	\$506
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$565	\$679	\$549	\$599	\$999	\$1,208
Monthly Total	\$2,965	\$4,089	\$4,054	\$4,459	\$6,325	\$7,279
Annual Total	\$35,580	\$49,068	\$48,648	\$53,508	\$75,900	\$87,348
Hourly Wage	\$17.79	\$24.53	\$24.32	\$26.75	\$37.95	\$43.67

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$571	\$575	\$575	\$575	\$764	\$764
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$156	\$210	\$210	\$267	\$358	\$464
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$254	\$334	\$190	\$323	\$292	\$564
Monthly Total	\$1,711	\$2,306	\$2,311	\$2,935	\$3,935	\$5,102
Annual Total	\$20,532	\$27,672	\$27,732	\$35,220	\$47,220	\$61,224
Hourly Wage	\$10.27	\$13.84	\$13.87	\$17.61	\$23.61	\$30.61

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$719	\$955	\$955	\$955	\$978	\$978
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$209	\$613	\$418	\$1,169
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$189	\$280	\$287	\$313	\$456	\$530
Savings	\$189	\$280	\$287	\$313	\$456	\$530
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$521	\$664	\$533	\$593	\$1,090	\$1,337
Monthly Total	\$2,787	\$4,026	\$3,981	\$4,346	\$6,566	\$7,694
Annual Total	\$33,444	\$48,312	\$47,772	\$52,152	\$78,792	\$92,328
Hourly Wage	\$16.72	\$24.16	\$23.89	\$26.08	\$39.40	\$46.16

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 11 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$603	\$671	\$671	\$671	\$831	\$831
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$227	\$677	\$453	\$1,281
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$160	\$222	\$221	\$273	\$358	\$462
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$265	\$358	\$213	\$340	\$292	\$560
Monthly Total	\$1,758	\$2,438	\$2,430	\$3,006	\$3,933	\$5,084
Annual Total	\$21,096	\$29,256	\$29,160	\$36,072	\$47,196	\$61,008
Hourly Wage	\$10.55	\$14.63	\$14.58	\$18.04	\$23.60	\$30.50

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$839	\$1,039	\$1,039	\$1,039	\$993	\$993
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$232	\$683	\$463	\$1,300
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$201	\$286	\$298	\$328	\$462	\$544
Savings	\$201	\$286	\$298	\$328	\$462	\$544
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$568	\$688	\$569	\$638	\$1,087	\$1,387
Monthly Total	\$2,978	\$4,124	\$4,146	\$4,575	\$6,635	\$7,918
Annual Total	\$35,736	\$49,488	\$49,752	\$54,900	\$79,620	\$95,016
Hourly Wage	\$17.87	\$24.74	\$24.88	\$27.45	\$39.81	\$47.51

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$580	\$607	\$607	\$607	\$760	\$760
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$195	\$538	\$391	\$1,059
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$157	\$213	\$209	\$245	\$346	\$417
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$257	\$334	\$187	\$269	\$268	\$441
Monthly Total	\$1,724	\$2,341	\$2,296	\$2,700	\$3,809	\$4,588
Annual Total	\$20,688	\$28,092	\$27,552	\$32,400	\$45,708	\$55,056
Hourly Wage	\$10.34	\$14.05	\$13.78	\$16.20	\$22.85	\$27.53

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$759	\$950	\$950	\$950	\$855	\$855
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$268	\$889	\$537	\$1,604
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$193	\$280	\$293	\$340	\$456	\$561
Savings	\$193	\$280	\$293	\$340	\$456	\$561
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$537	\$662	\$551	\$659	\$1,091	\$1,464
Monthly Total	\$2,851	\$4,019	\$4,065	\$4,737	\$6,563	\$8,195
Annual Total	\$34,212	\$48,228	\$48,780	\$56,844	\$78,756	\$98,340
Hourly Wage	\$17.11	\$24.11	\$24.39	\$28.42	\$39.38	\$49.17

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: UnitedForALICE.org

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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	\$609	\$737	\$737	\$737	\$918	\$918
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$276	\$848	\$552	\$1,583
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$161	\$231	\$235	\$305	\$382	\$515
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$267	\$384	\$245	\$425	\$350	\$698
Monthly Total	\$1,767	\$2,539	\$2,591	\$3,360	\$4,201	\$5,664
Annual Total	\$21,204	\$30,468	\$31,092	\$40,320	\$50,412	\$67,968
Hourly Wage	\$10.60	\$15.23	\$15.55	\$20.16	\$25.21	\$33.98

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 19 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$921	\$1,148	\$1,148	\$1,148	\$1,236	\$1,236
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$300	\$968	\$601	\$1,769
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$209	\$297	\$316	\$369	\$500	\$615
Savings	\$209	\$297	\$316	\$369	\$500	\$615
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$600	\$730	\$630	\$777	\$1,307	\$1,767
Monthly Total	\$3,110	\$4,297	\$4,420	\$5,210	\$7,312	\$9,152
Annual Total	\$37,320	\$51,564	\$53,040	\$62,520	\$87,744	\$109,824
Hourly Wage	\$18.66	\$25.78	\$26.52	\$31.26	\$43.87	\$54.91

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: UnitedForALICE.org

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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	\$609	\$737	\$737	\$737	\$918	\$918
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$235	\$711	\$470	\$1,338
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$161	\$230	\$230	\$287	\$371	\$482
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$267	\$378	\$234	\$376	\$322	\$611
Monthly Total	\$1,767	\$2,532	\$2,534	\$3,156	\$4,080	\$5,299
Annual Total	\$21,204	\$30,384	\$30,408	\$37,872	\$48,960	\$63,588
Hourly Wage	\$10.60	\$15.19	\$15.20	\$18.94	\$24.48	\$31.79

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$921	\$1,148	\$1,148	\$1,148	\$1,132	\$1,132
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$273	\$953	\$546	\$1,680
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$209	\$297	\$313	\$368	\$485	\$596
Savings	\$209	\$297	\$313	\$368	\$485	\$596
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$600	\$730	\$620	\$762	\$1,247	\$1,686
Monthly Total	\$3,110	\$4,297	\$4,377	\$5,178	\$7,063	\$8,840
Annual Total	\$37,320	\$51,564	\$52,524	\$62,136	\$84,756	\$106,080
Hourly Wage	\$18.66	\$25.78	\$26.26	\$31.07	\$42.38	\$53.04

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$845	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$254	\$856	\$509	\$1,535
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$67	\$67	\$67	\$67	\$111	\$111
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$159	\$224	\$226	\$300	\$352	\$477
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$262	\$365	\$225	\$410	\$280	\$598
Monthly Total	\$1,745	\$2,464	\$2,491	\$3,299	\$3,871	\$5,246
Annual Total	\$20,940	\$29,568	\$29,892	\$39,588	\$46,452	\$62,952
Hourly Wage	\$10.47	\$14.78	\$14.95	\$19.79	\$23.23	\$31.48

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 20 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,380	\$1,380
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$323	\$1,052	\$647	\$1,914
Food	\$381	\$775	\$680	\$530	\$1,368	\$1,184
Transportation	\$134	\$491	\$491	\$491	\$818	\$818
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$178	\$290	\$311	\$371	\$498	\$623
Savings	\$178	\$290	\$311	\$371	\$498	\$623
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$481	\$704	\$614	\$770	\$1,520	\$2,019
Monthly Total	\$2,622	\$4,188	\$4,348	\$5,223	\$7,493	\$9,491
Annual Total	\$31,464	\$50,256	\$52,176	\$62,676	\$89,916	\$113,892
Hourly Wage	\$15.73	\$25.13	\$26.09	\$31.34	\$44.96	\$56.95

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$509	\$512	\$512	\$512	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$208	\$573	\$415	\$1,126
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$148	\$201	\$198	\$237	\$339	\$416
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$237	\$309	\$164	\$249	\$253	\$437
Monthly Total	\$1,624	\$2,209	\$2,180	\$2,612	\$3,732	\$4,571
Annual Total	\$19,488	\$26,508	\$26,160	\$31,344	\$44,784	\$54,852
Hourly Wage	\$9.74	\$13.25	\$13.08	\$15.67	\$22.39	\$27.43

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$640	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$821	\$821
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$195	\$552	\$391	\$1,073
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$181	\$270	\$278	\$296	\$438	\$488
Savings	\$181	\$270	\$278	\$296	\$438	\$488
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$490	\$624	\$500	\$529	\$1,008	\$1,141
Monthly Total	\$2,661	\$3,862	\$3,834	\$4,083	\$6,264	\$6,995
Annual Total	\$31,932	\$46,344	\$46,008	\$48,996	\$75,168	\$83,940
Hourly Wage	\$15.97	\$23.17	\$23.00	\$24.50	\$37.58	\$41.97

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 11 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$579	\$594	\$594	\$594	\$757	\$757
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$220	\$645	\$440	\$1,232
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$157	\$211	\$210	\$258	\$352	\$440
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$257	\$335	\$190	\$301	\$280	\$502
Monthly Total	\$1,723	\$2,327	\$2,312	\$2,839	\$3,873	\$4,842
Annual Total	\$20,676	\$27,924	\$27,744	\$34,068	\$46,476	\$58,104
Hourly Wage	\$10.34	\$13.96	\$13.87	\$17.03	\$23.24	\$29.05

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$743	\$946	\$946	\$946	\$977	\$977
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$274	\$855	\$548	\$1,586
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$279	\$293	\$336	\$469	\$571
Savings	\$191	\$279	\$293	\$336	\$469	\$571
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$530	\$660	\$552	\$655	\$1,203	\$1,571
Monthly Total	\$2,824	\$4,011	\$4,068	\$4,687	\$6,834	\$8,426
Annual Total	\$33,888	\$48,132	\$48,816	\$56,244	\$82,008	\$101,112
Hourly Wage	\$16.94	\$24.07	\$24.41	\$28.12	\$41.00	\$50.56

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$566	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$822	\$822
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$234	\$625	\$469	\$1,250
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$220	\$220	\$264	\$358	\$457
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$253	\$353	\$211	\$317	\$294	\$545
Monthly Total	\$1,704	\$2,417	\$2,420	\$2,908	\$3,942	\$5,024
Annual Total	\$20,448	\$29,004	\$29,040	\$34,896	\$47,304	\$60,288
Hourly Wage	\$10.22	\$14.50	\$14.52	\$17.45	\$23.65	\$30.14

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$821	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$839	\$839
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$242	\$721	\$483	\$1,365
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$287	\$298	\$331	\$449	\$535
Savings	\$199	\$287	\$298	\$331	\$449	\$535
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$692	\$569	\$645	\$1,012	\$1,319
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,141	\$4,145	\$4,615	\$6,400	\$7,743
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,692	\$49,740	\$55,380	\$76,800	\$92,916
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.85	\$24.87	\$27.69	\$38.40	\$46.46

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 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$541	\$541	\$541	\$719	\$719
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$151	\$205	\$206	\$262	\$352	\$458
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$245	\$324	\$180	\$310	\$280	\$548
Monthly Total	\$1,663	\$2,257	\$2,263	\$2,879	\$3,872	\$5,035
Annual Total	\$19,956	\$27,084	\$27,156	\$34,548	\$46,464	\$60,420
Hourly Wage	\$9.98	\$13.54	\$13.58	\$17.27	\$23.23	\$30.21

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$676	\$899	\$899	\$899	\$704	\$704
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$295	\$947	\$590	\$1,734
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$184	\$275	\$290	\$341	\$446	\$559
Savings	\$184	\$275	\$290	\$341	\$446	\$559
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$504	\$642	\$543	\$674	\$1,003	\$1,391
Monthly Total	\$2,717	\$3,938	\$4,027	\$4,761	\$6,357	\$8,097
Annual Total	\$32,604	\$47,256	\$48,324	\$57,132	\$76,284	\$97,164
Hourly Wage	\$16.30	\$23.63	\$24.16	\$28.57	\$38.14	\$48.58

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$538	\$638	\$638	\$638	\$848	\$848
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$191	\$562	\$382	\$1,070
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$151	\$217	\$212	\$253	\$356	\$431
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$245	\$344	\$194	\$287	\$289	\$477
Monthly Total	\$1,664	\$2,386	\$2,333	\$2,781	\$3,919	\$4,737
Annual Total	\$19,968	\$28,632	\$27,996	\$33,372	\$47,028	\$56,844
Hourly Wage	\$9.98	\$14.32	\$14.00	\$16.69	\$23.51	\$28.42

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$798	\$1,060	\$1,060	\$1,060	\$1,153	\$1,153
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$233	\$706	\$466	\$1,327
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$288	\$300	\$333	\$479	\$563
Savings	\$197	\$288	\$300	\$333	\$479	\$563
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$552	\$696	\$577	\$642	\$1,202	\$1,510
Monthly Total	\$2,913	\$4,157	\$4,180	\$4,633	\$6,947	\$8,266
Annual Total	\$34,956	\$49,884	\$50,160	\$55,596	\$83,364	\$99,192
Hourly Wage	\$17.48	\$24.94	\$25.08	\$27.80	\$41.68	\$49.60

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$517	\$590	\$590	\$590	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$149	\$211	\$212	\$269	\$347	\$453
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$239	\$336	\$194	\$328	\$269	\$534
Monthly Total	\$1,635	\$2,324	\$2,332	\$2,957	\$3,818	\$4,978
Annual Total	\$19,620	\$27,888	\$27,984	\$35,484	\$45,816	\$59,736
Hourly Wage	\$9.81	\$13.94	\$13.99	\$17.74	\$22.91	\$29.87

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$738	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$1,028	\$1,028
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$203	\$583	\$406	\$1,125
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$270	\$279	\$299	\$460	\$530
Savings	\$191	\$270	\$279	\$299	\$460	\$530
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$528	\$624	\$503	\$550	\$1,109	\$1,350
Monthly Total	\$2,817	\$3,862	\$3,847	\$4,141	\$6,631	\$7,713
Annual Total	\$33,804	\$46,344	\$46,164	\$49,692	\$79,572	\$92,556
Hourly Wage	\$16.90	\$23.17	\$23.08	\$24.85	\$39.79	\$46.28

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 11 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 10 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$563	\$576	\$576	\$576	\$682	\$682
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$255	\$679	\$509	\$1,358
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$154	\$209	\$212	\$260	\$351	\$452
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$252	\$332	\$195	\$306	\$279	\$534
Monthly Total	\$1,699	\$2,304	\$2,336	\$2,862	\$3,865	\$4,976
Annual Total	\$20,388	\$27,648	\$28,032	\$34,344	\$46,380	\$59,712
Hourly Wage	\$10.19	\$13.82	\$14.02	\$17.17	\$23.19	\$29.86

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 17 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$720	\$853	\$853	\$853	\$874	\$874
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$285	\$837	\$570	\$1,597
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$189	\$270	\$287	\$325	\$461	\$562
Savings	\$189	\$270	\$287	\$325	\$461	\$562
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$521	\$625	\$531	\$626	\$1,101	\$1,457
Monthly Total	\$2,788	\$3,865	\$3,975	\$4,525	\$6,635	\$8,202
Annual Total	\$33,456	\$46,380	\$47,700	\$54,300	\$79,620	\$98,424
Hourly Wage	\$16.73	\$23.19	\$23.85	\$27.15	\$39.81	\$49.21

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$551	\$554	\$554	\$554	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$176	\$490	\$352	\$958
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$153	\$206	\$199	\$232	\$331	\$393
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$248	\$316	\$167	\$238	\$235	\$378
Monthly Total	\$1,682	\$2,263	\$2,194	\$2,555	\$3,643	\$4,321
Annual Total	\$20,184	\$27,156	\$26,328	\$30,660	\$43,716	\$51,852
Hourly Wage	\$10.09	\$13.58	\$13.16	\$15.33	\$21.86	\$25.93

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$693	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$977	\$977
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$230	\$662	\$459	\$1,274
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$186	\$270	\$281	\$307	\$460	\$540
Savings	\$186	\$270	\$281	\$307	\$460	\$540
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$511	\$624	\$512	\$555	\$1,064	\$1,331
Monthly Total	\$2,745	\$3,862	\$3,887	\$4,241	\$6,588	\$7,812
Annual Total	\$32,940	\$46,344	\$46,644	\$50,892	\$79,056	\$93,744
Hourly Wage	\$16.47	\$23.17	\$23.32	\$25.45	\$39.53	\$46.87

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$600	\$629	\$629	\$629	\$726	\$726
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$210	\$559	\$419	\$1,118
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$159	\$216	\$213	\$251	\$346	\$421
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$264	\$340	\$197	\$283	\$266	\$450
Monthly Total	\$1,753	\$2,372	\$2,347	\$2,763	\$3,801	\$4,626
Annual Total	\$21,036	\$28,464	\$28,164	\$33,156	\$45,612	\$55,512
Hourly Wage	\$10.52	\$14.23	\$14.08	\$16.58	\$22.81	\$27.76

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$786	\$908	\$908	\$908	\$886	\$886
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$252	\$736	\$503	\$1,407
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$195	\$275	\$287	\$320	\$456	\$544
Savings	\$195	\$275	\$287	\$320	\$456	\$544
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$547	\$646	\$531	\$602	\$1,120	\$1,434
Monthly Total	\$2,892	\$3,951	\$3,975	\$4,445	\$6,589	\$7,965
Annual Total	\$34,704	\$47,412	\$47,700	\$53,340	\$79,068	\$95,580
Hourly Wage	\$17.35	\$23.71	\$23.85	\$26.67	\$39.53	\$47.79

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 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$543	\$546	\$546	\$546	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$210	\$561	\$421	\$1,122
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$152	\$205	\$203	\$240	\$340	\$415
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$246	\$318	\$174	\$255	\$254	\$436
Monthly Total	\$1,671	\$2,256	\$2,231	\$2,643	\$3,740	\$4,565
Annual Total	\$20,052	\$27,072	\$26,772	\$31,716	\$44,880	\$54,780
Hourly Wage	\$10.03	\$13.54	\$13.39	\$15.86	\$22.44	\$27.39

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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	\$683	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$857	\$857
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$187	\$579	\$373	\$1,076
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$185	\$270	\$277	\$299	\$440	\$492
Savings	\$185	\$270	\$277	\$299	\$440	\$492
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$507	\$624	\$497	\$537	\$1,002	\$1,150
Monthly Total	\$2,729	\$3,862	\$3,821	\$4,124	\$6,280	\$7,051
Annual Total	\$32,748	\$46,344	\$45,852	\$49,488	\$75,360	\$84,612
Hourly Wage	\$16.37	\$23.17	\$22.93	\$24.74	\$37.68	\$42.31

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 10 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$511	\$543	\$543	\$543	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$148	\$205	\$206	\$262	\$347	\$453
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$237	\$324	\$181	\$310	\$269	\$534
Monthly Total	\$1,626	\$2,259	\$2,266	\$2,881	\$3,818	\$4,978
Annual Total	\$19,512	\$27,108	\$27,192	\$34,572	\$45,816	\$59,736
Hourly Wage	\$9.76	\$13.55	\$13.60	\$17.29	\$22.91	\$29.87

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

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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	\$679	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$986	\$986
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$229	\$708	\$458	\$1,319
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$185	\$270	\$281	\$312	\$461	\$546
Savings	\$185	\$270	\$281	\$312	\$461	\$546
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$505	\$624	\$512	\$587	\$1,092	\$1,379
Monthly Total	\$2,723	\$3,862	\$3,886	\$4,329	\$6,626	\$7,926
Annual Total	\$32,676	\$46,344	\$46,632	\$51,948	\$79,512	\$95,112
Hourly Wage	\$16.34	\$23.17	\$23.32	\$25.97	\$39.76	\$47.56

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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LACKAWANNA COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$553	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$802	\$802
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$231	\$667	\$461	\$1,281
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$153	\$220	\$219	\$270	\$361	\$458
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$249	\$354	\$210	\$332	\$299	\$549
Monthly Total	\$1,685	\$2,418	\$2,415	\$2,971	\$3,967	\$5,040
Annual Total	\$20,220	\$29,016	\$28,980	\$35,652	\$47,604	\$60,480
Hourly Wage	\$10.11	\$14.51	\$14.49	\$17.83	\$23.80	\$30.24

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

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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	\$821	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,065	\$1,065
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$264	\$840	\$527	\$1,543
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$285	\$298	\$340	\$476	\$576
Savings	\$199	\$285	\$298	\$340	\$476	\$576
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$683	\$568	\$673	\$1,227	\$1,601
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,103	\$4,141	\$4,755	\$6,939	\$8,511
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,236	\$49,692	\$57,060	\$83,268	\$102,132
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.62	\$24.85	\$28.53	\$41.63	\$51.07

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$629	\$749	\$749	\$749	\$944	\$944
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$204	\$673	\$409	\$1,218
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$163	\$231	\$228	\$283	\$366	\$469
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$274	\$379	\$228	\$367	\$311	\$577
Monthly Total	\$1,796	\$2,546	\$2,507	\$3,117	\$4,029	\$5,158
Annual Total	\$21,552	\$30,552	\$30,084	\$37,404	\$48,348	\$61,896
Hourly Wage	\$10.78	\$15.28	\$15.04	\$18.70	\$24.17	\$30.95

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	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	\$936	\$1,180	\$1,180	\$1,180	\$1,193	\$1,193
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$288	\$1,030	\$576	\$1,798
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$211	\$300	\$318	\$379	\$494	\$614
Savings	\$211	\$300	\$318	\$379	\$494	\$614
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$606	\$743	\$637	\$791	\$1,339	\$1,820
Monthly Total	\$3,135	\$4,348	\$4,451	\$5,338	\$7,264	\$9,189
Annual Total	\$37,620	\$52,176	\$53,412	\$64,056	\$87,168	\$110,268
Hourly Wage	\$18.81	\$26.09	\$26.71	\$32.03	\$43.58	\$55.13

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$447	\$544	\$544	\$544	\$701	\$701
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$260	\$747	\$521	\$1,441
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$140	\$206	\$209	\$266	\$355	\$466
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$220	\$327	\$187	\$320	\$287	\$570
Monthly Total	\$1,537	\$2,264	\$2,298	\$2,922	\$3,908	\$5,128
Annual Total	\$18,444	\$27,168	\$27,576	\$35,064	\$46,896	\$61,536
Hourly Wage	\$9.22	\$13.58	\$13.79	\$17.53	\$23.45	\$30.77

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 17 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

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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	\$680	\$876	\$876	\$876	\$939	\$939
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$277	\$832	\$554	\$1,570
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$185	\$272	\$286	\$327	\$466	\$566
Savings	\$185	\$272	\$286	\$327	\$466	\$566
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$506	\$633	\$529	\$636	\$1,129	\$1,479
Monthly Total	\$2,725	\$3,900	\$3,964	\$4,557	\$6,722	\$8,270
Annual Total	\$32,700	\$46,800	\$47,568	\$54,684	\$80,664	\$99,240
Hourly Wage	\$16.35	\$23.40	\$23.78	\$27.34	\$40.33	\$49.62

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$609	\$613	\$613	\$613	\$779	\$779
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$224	\$695	\$449	\$1,293
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$161	\$214	\$213	\$268	\$356	\$457
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$267	\$342	\$196	\$326	\$289	\$545
Monthly Total	\$1,767	\$2,356	\$2,344	\$2,947	\$3,917	\$5,024
Annual Total	\$21,204	\$28,272	\$28,128	\$35,364	\$47,004	\$60,288
Hourly Wage	\$10.60	\$14.14	\$14.06	\$17.68	\$23.50	\$30.14

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$766	\$974	\$974	\$974	\$1,117	\$1,117
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$272	\$829	\$543	\$1,554
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$193	\$282	\$296	\$336	\$483	\$582
Savings	\$193	\$282	\$296	\$336	\$483	\$582
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$539	\$671	\$561	\$661	\$1,264	\$1,632
Monthly Total	\$2,860	\$4,056	\$4,109	\$4,695	\$7,058	\$8,617
Annual Total	\$34,320	\$48,672	\$49,308	\$56,340	\$84,696	\$103,404
Hourly Wage	\$17.16	\$24.34	\$24.65	\$28.17	\$42.35	\$51.70

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$659	\$815	\$815	\$815	\$1,038	\$1,038
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$221	\$695	\$443	\$1,286
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$167	\$240	\$238	\$295	\$383	\$491
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$284	\$399	\$251	\$398	\$354	\$635
Monthly Total	\$1,840	\$2,641	\$2,623	\$3,248	\$4,217	\$5,400
Annual Total	\$22,080	\$31,692	\$31,476	\$38,976	\$50,604	\$64,800
Hourly Wage	\$11.04	\$15.85	\$15.74	\$19.49	\$25.30	\$32.40

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$1,019	\$1,298	\$1,298	\$1,298	\$1,193	\$1,193
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$269	\$829	\$537	\$1,545
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$219	\$312	\$328	\$371	\$490	\$589
Savings	\$219	\$312	\$328	\$371	\$490	\$589
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$638	\$789	\$670	\$773	\$1,342	\$1,748
Monthly Total	\$3,266	\$4,536	\$4,603	\$5,221	\$7,220	\$8,814
Annual Total	\$39,192	\$54,432	\$55,236	\$62,652	\$86,640	\$105,768
Hourly Wage	\$19.60	\$27.22	\$27.62	\$31.33	\$43.32	\$52.88

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$553	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$802	\$802
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$221	\$719	\$442	\$1,307
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$153	\$220	\$218	\$277	\$358	\$462
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$249	\$354	\$208	\$350	\$293	\$559
Monthly Total	\$1,685	\$2,418	\$2,402	\$3,048	\$3,939	\$5,080
Annual Total	\$20,220	\$29,016	\$28,824	\$36,576	\$47,268	\$60,960
Hourly Wage	\$10.11	\$14.51	\$14.41	\$18.29	\$23.63	\$30.48

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$821	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$989	\$989
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$236	\$739	\$473	\$1,369
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$285	\$295	\$330	\$463	\$551
Savings	\$199	\$285	\$295	\$330	\$463	\$551
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$683	\$558	\$644	\$1,149	\$1,471
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,103	\$4,097	\$4,605	\$6,705	\$8,081
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,236	\$49,164	\$55,260	\$80,460	\$96,972
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.62	\$24.58	\$27.63	\$40.23	\$48.49

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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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	\$679	\$683	\$683	\$683	\$835	\$835
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$204	\$548	\$407	\$1,091
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$170	\$222	\$219	\$257	\$358	\$432
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$291	\$355	\$210	\$298	\$293	\$479
Monthly Total	\$1,870	\$2,447	\$2,414	\$2,827	\$3,937	\$4,748
Annual Total	\$22,440	\$29,364	\$28,968	\$33,924	\$47,244	\$56,976
Hourly Wage	\$11.22	\$14.68	\$14.48	\$16.96	\$23.62	\$28.49

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$854	\$1,044	\$1,044	\$1,044	\$989	\$989
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$215	\$685	\$431	\$1,260
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$202	\$287	\$297	\$329	\$459	\$540
Savings	\$202	\$287	\$297	\$329	\$459	\$540
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$573	\$690	\$565	\$631	\$1,128	\$1,422
Monthly Total	\$3,000	\$4,133	\$4,128	\$4,577	\$6,634	\$7,901
Annual Total	\$36,000	\$49,596	\$49,536	\$54,924	\$79,608	\$94,812
Hourly Wage	\$18.00	\$24.80	\$24.77	\$27.46	\$39.80	\$47.41

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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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	\$439	\$541	\$541	\$541	\$692	\$692
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$156	\$417	\$313	\$833
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$139	\$204	\$195	\$221	\$328	\$378
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$218	\$310	\$158	\$214	\$227	\$339
Monthly Total	\$1,526	\$2,242	\$2,148	\$2,434	\$3,604	\$4,153
Annual Total	\$18,312	\$26,904	\$25,776	\$29,208	\$43,248	\$49,836
Hourly Wage	\$9.16	\$13.45	\$12.89	\$14.60	\$21.62	\$24.92

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 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$676	\$865	\$865	\$865	\$811	\$811
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$210	\$640	\$421	\$1,201
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$184	\$271	\$281	\$306	\$440	\$499
Savings	\$184	\$271	\$281	\$306	\$440	\$499
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$504	\$629	\$510	\$548	\$1,001	\$1,177
Monthly Total	\$2,717	\$3,883	\$3,879	\$4,224	\$6,281	\$7,171
Annual Total	\$32,604	\$46,596	\$46,548	\$50,688	\$75,372	\$86,052
Hourly Wage	\$16.30	\$23.30	\$23.27	\$25.34	\$37.69	\$43.03

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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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	\$514	\$546	\$546	\$546	\$713	\$713
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$222	\$646	\$443	\$1,237
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$148	\$205	\$204	\$252	\$347	\$435
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$238	\$322	\$177	\$285	\$269	\$488
Monthly Total	\$1,630	\$2,260	\$2,247	\$2,770	\$3,816	\$4,784
Annual Total	\$19,560	\$27,120	\$26,964	\$33,240	\$45,792	\$57,408
Hourly Wage	\$9.78	\$13.56	\$13.48	\$16.62	\$22.90	\$28.70

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 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$683	\$891	\$891	\$891	\$911	\$911
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$286	\$870	\$572	\$1,633
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$185	\$274	\$289	\$332	\$465	\$569
Savings	\$185	\$274	\$289	\$332	\$465	\$569
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$507	\$639	\$537	\$641	\$1,113	\$1,478
Monthly Total	\$2,729	\$3,925	\$4,002	\$4,625	\$6,694	\$8,310
Annual Total	\$32,748	\$47,100	\$48,024	\$55,500	\$80,328	\$99,720
Hourly Wage	\$16.37	\$23.55	\$24.01	\$27.75	\$40.16	\$49.86

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$542	\$546	\$546	\$546	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$152	\$206	\$206	\$262	\$347	\$453
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$246	\$325	\$182	\$311	\$269	\$534
Monthly Total	\$1,670	\$2,264	\$2,270	\$2,885	\$3,818	\$4,978
Annual Total	\$20,040	\$27,168	\$27,240	\$34,620	\$45,816	\$59,736
Hourly Wage	\$10.02	\$13.58	\$13.62	\$17.31	\$22.91	\$29.87

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$683	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$928	\$928
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$221	\$723	\$443	\$1,313
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$185	\$270	\$280	\$313	\$454	\$539
Savings	\$185	\$270	\$280	\$313	\$454	\$539
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$507	\$624	\$509	\$592	\$1,075	\$1,363
Monthly Total	\$2,729	\$3,862	\$3,873	\$4,351	\$6,522	\$7,832
Annual Total	\$32,748	\$46,344	\$46,476	\$52,212	\$78,264	\$93,984
Hourly Wage	\$16.37	\$23.17	\$23.24	\$26.11	\$39.13	\$46.99

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$833	\$943	\$943	\$943	\$1,192	\$1,192
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$267	\$792	\$534	\$1,504
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$257	\$262	\$326	\$416	\$541
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$344	\$441	\$310	\$478	\$440	\$768
Monthly Total	\$2,098	\$2,828	\$2,880	\$3,584	\$4,581	\$5,955
Annual Total	\$25,176	\$33,936	\$34,560	\$43,008	\$54,972	\$71,460
Hourly Wage	\$12.59	\$16.97	\$17.28	\$21.50	\$27.49	\$35.73

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,179	\$1,490	\$1,490	\$1,490	\$1,217	\$1,217
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$255	\$794	\$510	\$1,474
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$235	\$331	\$345	\$386	\$489	\$584
Savings	\$235	\$331	\$345	\$386	\$489	\$584
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$701	\$863	\$731	\$835	\$1,356	\$1,766
Monthly Total	\$3,521	\$4,840	\$4,876	\$5,470	\$7,229	\$8,775
Annual Total	\$42,252	\$58,080	\$58,512	\$65,640	\$86,748	\$105,300
Hourly Wage	\$21.13	\$29.04	\$29.26	\$32.82	\$43.37	\$52.65

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$845	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$283	\$836	\$567	\$1,591
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$353	\$424	\$424	\$424	\$707	\$707
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$320	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$270	\$278	\$346	\$433	\$565
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$361	\$471	\$354	\$530	\$483	\$831
Monthly Total	\$2,168	\$2,973	\$3,062	\$3,802	\$4,764	\$6,219
Annual Total	\$26,016	\$35,676	\$36,744	\$45,624	\$57,168	\$74,628
Hourly Wage	\$13.01	\$17.84	\$18.37	\$22.81	\$28.58	\$37.31

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,576	\$1,576
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$381	\$1,218	\$761	\$2,233
Food	\$381	\$775	\$680	\$530	\$1,368	\$1,184
Transportation	\$605	\$725	\$725	\$725	\$1,209	\$1,209
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$801	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$226	\$314	\$340	\$411	\$585	\$713
Savings	\$226	\$314	\$340	\$411	\$585	\$713
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$665	\$795	\$714	\$916	\$1,718	\$2,450
Monthly Total	\$3,375	\$4,561	\$4,798	\$5,849	\$8,732	\$11,008
Annual Total	\$40,500	\$54,732	\$57,576	\$70,188	\$104,784	\$132,096
Hourly Wage	\$20.25	\$27.37	\$28.79	\$35.09	\$52.39	\$66.05

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$691	\$747	\$747	\$747	\$980	\$980
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$263	\$701	\$526	\$1,403
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$172	\$232	\$235	\$287	\$387	\$499
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$295	\$384	\$244	\$376	\$363	\$656
Monthly Total	\$1,888	\$2,550	\$2,587	\$3,156	\$4,255	\$5,488
Annual Total	\$22,656	\$30,600	\$31,044	\$37,872	\$51,060	\$65,856
Hourly Wage	\$11.33	\$15.30	\$15.52	\$18.94	\$25.53	\$32.93

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$934	\$1,225	\$1,225	\$1,225	\$1,137	\$1,137
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$312	\$925	\$624	\$1,756
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$210	\$305	\$325	\$373	\$493	\$604
Savings	\$210	\$305	\$325	\$373	\$493	\$604
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$605	\$760	\$660	\$782	\$1,216	\$1,656
Monthly Total	\$3,130	\$4,420	\$4,557	\$5,257	\$7,131	\$8,907
Annual Total	\$37,560	\$53,040	\$54,684	\$63,084	\$85,572	\$106,884
Hourly Wage	\$18.78	\$26.52	\$27.34	\$31.54	\$42.79	\$53.44

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$659	\$815	\$815	\$815	\$1,038	\$1,038
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$247	\$771	\$495	\$1,431
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$167	\$240	\$242	\$306	\$390	\$511
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$284	\$403	\$260	\$425	\$372	\$687
Monthly Total	\$1,840	\$2,645	\$2,662	\$3,362	\$4,294	\$5,617
Annual Total	\$22,080	\$31,740	\$31,944	\$40,344	\$51,528	\$67,404
Hourly Wage	\$11.04	\$15.87	\$15.97	\$20.17	\$25.76	\$33.70

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,019	\$1,298	\$1,298	\$1,298	\$1,224	\$1,224
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$270	\$831	\$540	\$1,551
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$219	\$312	\$328	\$371	\$493	\$592
Savings	\$219	\$312	\$328	\$371	\$493	\$592
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$638	\$789	\$671	\$780	\$1,395	\$1,805
Monthly Total	\$3,266	\$4,536	\$4,605	\$5,230	\$7,313	\$8,914
Annual Total	\$39,192	\$54,432	\$55,260	\$62,760	\$87,756	\$106,968
Hourly Wage	\$19.60	\$27.22	\$27.63	\$31.38	\$43.88	\$53.48

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$491	\$557	\$557	\$557	\$705	\$705
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$190	\$542	\$379	\$1,047
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$145	\$206	\$201	\$239	\$338	\$408
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$232	\$319	\$171	\$253	\$249	\$417
Monthly Total	\$1,598	\$2,269	\$2,217	\$2,632	\$3,715	\$4,488
Annual Total	\$19,176	\$27,228	\$26,604	\$31,584	\$44,580	\$53,856
Hourly Wage	\$9.59	\$13.61	\$13.30	\$15.79	\$22.29	\$26.93

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$696	\$881	\$881	\$881	\$851	\$851
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$235	\$721	\$470	\$1,348
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$186	\$273	\$285	\$316	\$449	\$535
Savings	\$186	\$273	\$285	\$316	\$449	\$535
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$512	\$635	\$524	\$586	\$1,059	\$1,346
Monthly Total	\$2,749	\$3,909	\$3,942	\$4,379	\$6,446	\$7,765
Annual Total	\$32,988	\$46,908	\$47,304	\$52,548	\$77,352	\$93,180
Hourly Wage	\$16.49	\$23.45	\$23.65	\$26.27	\$38.68	\$46.59

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.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$609	\$737	\$737	\$737	\$918	\$918
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$188	\$500	\$375	\$1,000
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$596	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$161	\$229	\$224	\$258	\$359	\$431
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$267	\$369	\$220	\$300	\$295	\$477
Monthly Total	\$1,767	\$2,522	\$2,467	\$2,836	\$3,946	\$4,737
Annual Total	\$21,204	\$30,264	\$29,604	\$34,032	\$47,352	\$56,844
Hourly Wage	\$10.60	\$15.13	\$14.80	\$17.02	\$23.68	\$28.42

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 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$921	\$1,148	\$1,148	\$1,148	\$1,147	\$1,147
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$265	\$830	\$530	\$1,537
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$209	\$297	\$312	\$356	\$484	\$583
Savings	\$209	\$297	\$312	\$356	\$484	\$583
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$600	\$730	\$618	\$710	\$1,196	\$1,581
Monthly Total	\$3,110	\$4,297	\$4,365	\$4,979	\$7,009	\$8,581
Annual Total	\$37,320	\$51,564	\$52,380	\$59,748	\$84,108	\$102,972
Hourly Wage	\$18.66	\$25.78	\$26.19	\$29.87	\$42.05	\$51.49

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$845	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$269	\$850	\$538	\$1,567
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$67	\$67	\$67	\$67	\$111	\$111
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$159	\$224	\$228	\$299	\$356	\$481
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$262	\$366	\$229	\$408	\$288	\$610
Monthly Total	\$1,745	\$2,465	\$2,512	\$3,290	\$3,912	\$5,294
Annual Total	\$20,940	\$29,580	\$30,144	\$39,480	\$46,944	\$63,528
Hourly Wage	\$10.47	\$14.79	\$15.07	\$19.74	\$23.47	\$31.76

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 20 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 17 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,003	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,211	\$1,129	\$1,129
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$305	\$1,011	\$610	\$1,824
Food	\$381	\$775	\$680	\$530	\$1,368	\$1,184
Transportation	\$134	\$491	\$491	\$491	\$818	\$818
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$178	\$290	\$309	\$367	\$469	\$588
Savings	\$178	\$290	\$309	\$367	\$469	\$588
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$481	\$704	\$608	\$759	\$1,099	\$1,555
Monthly Total	\$2,622	\$4,188	\$4,320	\$5,163	\$6,726	\$8,616
Annual Total	\$31,464	\$50,256	\$51,840	\$61,956	\$80,712	\$103,392
Hourly Wage	\$15.73	\$25.13	\$25.92	\$30.98	\$40.36	\$51.70

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$726	\$861	\$861	\$861	\$1,144	\$1,144
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$303	\$379	\$379	\$379	\$606	\$606
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$174	\$246	\$246	\$305	\$398	\$511
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$302	\$414	\$271	\$424	\$392	\$688
Monthly Total	\$1,917	\$2,705	\$2,711	\$3,357	\$4,380	\$5,623
Annual Total	\$23,004	\$32,460	\$32,532	\$40,284	\$52,560	\$67,476
Hourly Wage	\$11.50	\$16.23	\$16.27	\$20.14	\$26.28	\$33.74

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$1,076	\$1,430	\$1,430	\$1,430	\$1,236	\$1,236
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$264	\$863	\$529	\$1,568
Food	\$380	\$772	\$678	\$527	\$1,363	\$1,179
Transportation	\$421	\$527	\$527	\$527	\$843	\$843
Health Care	\$160	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$215	\$316	\$331	\$377	\$473	\$576
Savings	\$215	\$316	\$331	\$377	\$473	\$576
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$622	\$802	\$681	\$799	\$1,233	\$1,649
Monthly Total	\$3,198	\$4,590	\$4,649	\$5,327	\$6,914	\$8,557
Annual Total	\$38,376	\$55,080	\$55,788	\$63,924	\$82,968	\$102,684
Hourly Wage	\$19.19	\$27.54	\$27.89	\$31.96	\$41.48	\$51.34

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$517	\$576	\$576	\$576	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$189	\$507	\$378	\$1,010
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$149	\$208	\$204	\$237	\$334	\$400
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$239	\$323	\$176	\$249	\$242	\$396
Monthly Total	\$1,635	\$2,294	\$2,243	\$2,610	\$3,679	\$4,398
Annual Total	\$19,620	\$27,528	\$26,916	\$31,320	\$44,148	\$52,776
Hourly Wage	\$9.81	\$13.76	\$13.46	\$15.66	\$22.07	\$26.39

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$720	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$908	\$908
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$177	\$589	\$353	\$1,060
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$189	\$270	\$276	\$300	\$443	\$495
Savings	\$189	\$270	\$276	\$300	\$443	\$495
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$521	\$624	\$494	\$535	\$1,024	\$1,181
Monthly Total	\$2,788	\$3,862	\$3,806	\$4,134	\$6,339	\$7,123
Annual Total	\$33,456	\$46,344	\$45,672	\$49,608	\$76,068	\$85,476
Hourly Wage	\$16.73	\$23.17	\$22.84	\$24.80	\$38.03	\$42.74

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 10 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: UnitedForALICE.org

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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	\$600	\$604	\$604	\$604	\$745	\$745
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$197	\$526	\$395	\$1,052
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$159	\$212	\$208	\$243	\$345	\$414
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$264	\$332	\$187	\$263	\$265	\$434
Monthly Total	\$1,753	\$2,335	\$2,294	\$2,677	\$3,794	\$4,556
Annual Total	\$21,036	\$28,020	\$27,528	\$32,124	\$45,528	\$54,672
Hourly Wage	\$10.52	\$14.01	\$13.76	\$16.06	\$22.76	\$27.34

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$755	\$931	\$931	\$931	\$908	\$908
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$195	\$615	\$391	\$1,136
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$192	\$278	\$286	\$311	\$447	\$503
Savings	\$192	\$278	\$286	\$311	\$447	\$503
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$535	\$655	\$527	\$571	\$1,044	\$1,222
Monthly Total	\$2,843	\$3,989	\$3,957	\$4,298	\$6,405	\$7,256
Annual Total	\$34,116	\$47,868	\$47,484	\$51,576	\$76,860	\$87,072
Hourly Wage	\$17.06	\$23.93	\$23.74	\$25.79	\$38.43	\$43.54

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$567	\$595	\$595	\$595	\$747	\$747
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$212	\$213	\$269	\$355	\$461
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$253	\$339	\$195	\$330	\$288	\$558
Monthly Total	\$1,705	\$2,333	\$2,339	\$2,964	\$3,911	\$5,076
Annual Total	\$20,460	\$27,996	\$28,068	\$35,568	\$46,932	\$60,912
Hourly Wage	\$10.23	\$14.00	\$14.03	\$17.78	\$23.47	\$30.46

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$744	\$934	\$934	\$934	\$1,019	\$1,019
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$224	\$690	\$447	\$1,286
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$278	\$287	\$318	\$463	\$545
Savings	\$191	\$278	\$287	\$318	\$463	\$545
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$531	\$656	\$530	\$609	\$1,140	\$1,428
Monthly Total	\$2,826	\$3,993	\$3,972	\$4,428	\$6,700	\$7,973
Annual Total	\$33,912	\$47,916	\$47,664	\$53,136	\$80,400	\$95,676
Hourly Wage	\$16.96	\$23.96	\$23.83	\$26.57	\$40.20	\$47.84

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$490	\$527	\$527	\$527	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$227	\$542	\$453	\$1,146
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$145	\$203	\$202	\$235	\$344	\$418
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$232	\$314	\$173	\$245	\$263	\$444
Monthly Total	\$1,597	\$2,231	\$2,227	\$2,590	\$3,785	\$4,600
Annual Total	\$19,164	\$26,772	\$26,724	\$31,080	\$45,420	\$55,200
Hourly Wage	\$9.58	\$13.39	\$13.36	\$15.54	\$22.71	\$27.60

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$659	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$908	\$908
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$183	\$531	\$365	\$1,017
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$183	\$270	\$277	\$294	\$444	\$491
Savings	\$183	\$270	\$277	\$294	\$444	\$491
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$498	\$624	\$496	\$524	\$1,016	\$1,142
Monthly Total	\$2,692	\$3,862	\$3,816	\$4,053	\$6,345	\$7,033
Annual Total	\$32,304	\$46,344	\$45,792	\$48,636	\$76,140	\$84,396
Hourly Wage	\$16.15	\$23.17	\$22.90	\$24.32	\$38.07	\$42.20

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 11 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 10 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$479	\$550	\$550	\$550	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$144	\$206	\$207	\$263	\$347	\$453
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$229	\$326	\$183	\$313	\$269	\$534
Monthly Total	\$1,582	\$2,269	\$2,276	\$2,892	\$3,818	\$4,978
Annual Total	\$18,984	\$27,228	\$27,312	\$34,704	\$45,816	\$59,736
Hourly Wage	\$9.49	\$13.61	\$13.66	\$17.35	\$22.91	\$29.87

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 18 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$688	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$1,047	\$1,047
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$234	\$729	\$469	\$1,354
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$186	\$270	\$282	\$314	\$468	\$555
Savings	\$186	\$270	\$282	\$314	\$468	\$555
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$509	\$624	\$513	\$593	\$1,085	\$1,386
Monthly Total	\$2,738	\$3,862	\$3,894	\$4,360	\$6,705	\$8,047
Annual Total	\$32,856	\$46,344	\$46,728	\$52,320	\$80,460	\$96,564
Hourly Wage	\$16.43	\$23.17	\$23.36	\$26.16	\$40.23	\$48.28

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$615	\$618	\$618	\$618	\$758	\$758
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$188	\$510	\$375	\$1,010
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$161	\$214	\$209	\$243	\$344	\$410
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$269	\$335	\$188	\$263	\$263	\$423
Monthly Total	\$1,775	\$2,354	\$2,301	\$2,675	\$3,784	\$4,512
Annual Total	\$21,300	\$28,248	\$27,612	\$32,100	\$45,408	\$54,144
Hourly Wage	\$10.65	\$14.12	\$13.81	\$16.05	\$22.70	\$27.07

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$773	\$948	\$948	\$948	\$1,034	\$1,034
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$239	\$755	\$478	\$1,392
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$194	\$279	\$290	\$326	\$468	\$558
Savings	\$194	\$279	\$290	\$326	\$468	\$558
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$542	\$661	\$541	\$616	\$1,143	\$1,464
Monthly Total	\$2,872	\$4,014	\$4,018	\$4,530	\$6,759	\$8,156
Annual Total	\$34,464	\$48,168	\$48,216	\$54,360	\$81,108	\$97,872
Hourly Wage	\$17.23	\$24.08	\$24.11	\$27.18	\$40.55	\$48.94

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$481	\$645	\$645	\$645	\$746	\$746
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$189	\$494	\$378	\$997
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$144	\$217	\$213	\$245	\$343	\$407
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$229	\$341	\$196	\$266	\$260	\$414
Monthly Total	\$1,584	\$2,390	\$2,341	\$2,691	\$3,771	\$4,475
Annual Total	\$19,008	\$28,680	\$28,092	\$32,292	\$45,252	\$53,700
Hourly Wage	\$9.50	\$14.34	\$14.05	\$16.15	\$22.63	\$26.85

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$806	\$933	\$933	\$933	\$1,044	\$1,044
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$200	\$660	\$401	\$1,194
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$278	\$287	\$315	\$461	\$539
Savings	\$197	\$278	\$287	\$315	\$461	\$539
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$555	\$655	\$530	\$583	\$1,106	\$1,381
Monthly Total	\$2,924	\$3,991	\$3,969	\$4,365	\$6,641	\$7,847
Annual Total	\$35,088	\$47,892	\$47,628	\$52,380	\$79,692	\$94,164
Hourly Wage	\$17.54	\$23.95	\$23.81	\$26.19	\$39.85	\$47.08

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 10 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$587	\$591	\$591	\$591	\$785	\$785
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$195	\$521	\$391	\$1,042
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$158	\$211	\$207	\$241	\$349	\$418
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$259	\$330	\$182	\$257	\$274	\$444
Monthly Total	\$1,734	\$2,319	\$2,273	\$2,651	\$3,843	\$4,600
Annual Total	\$20,808	\$27,828	\$27,276	\$31,812	\$46,116	\$55,200
Hourly Wage	\$10.40	\$13.91	\$13.64	\$15.91	\$23.06	\$27.60

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Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$739	\$981	\$981	\$981	\$1,131	\$1,131
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$258	\$854	\$516	\$1,542
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$191	\$283	\$295	\$339	\$481	\$582
Savings	\$191	\$283	\$295	\$339	\$481	\$582
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$529	\$674	\$558	\$658	\$1,237	\$1,603
Monthly Total	\$2,819	\$4,068	\$4,097	\$4,730	\$7,014	\$8,590
Annual Total	\$33,828	\$48,816	\$49,164	\$56,760	\$84,168	\$103,080
Hourly Wage	\$16.91	\$24.41	\$24.58	\$28.38	\$42.08	\$51.54

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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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	\$535	\$569	\$569	\$569	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$209	\$568	\$419	\$1,126
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$151	\$208	\$206	\$244	\$340	\$416
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$244	\$324	\$180	\$266	\$254	\$437
Monthly Total	\$1,660	\$2,288	\$2,262	\$2,688	\$3,738	\$4,571
Annual Total	\$19,920	\$27,456	\$27,144	\$32,256	\$44,856	\$54,852
Hourly Wage	\$9.96	\$13.73	\$13.57	\$16.13	\$22.43	\$27.43

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Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$711	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$818	\$818
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$260	\$748	\$521	\$1,442
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$188	\$270	\$284	\$316	\$451	\$541
Savings	\$188	\$270	\$284	\$316	\$451	\$541
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$518	\$624	\$522	\$587	\$1,039	\$1,346
Monthly Total	\$2,774	\$3,862	\$3,933	\$4,377	\$6,448	\$7,838
Annual Total	\$33,288	\$46,344	\$47,196	\$52,524	\$77,376	\$94,056
Hourly Wage	\$16.64	\$23.17	\$23.60	\$26.26	\$38.69	\$47.03

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 6 percent.

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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	\$558	\$586	\$586	\$586	\$681	\$681
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$179	\$494	\$357	\$970
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$154	\$210	\$204	\$237	\$332	\$394
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$250	\$324	\$176	\$248	\$237	\$382
Monthly Total	\$1,692	\$2,307	\$2,243	\$2,606	\$3,651	\$4,338
Annual Total	\$20,304	\$27,684	\$26,916	\$31,272	\$43,812	\$52,056
Hourly Wage	\$10.15	\$13.84	\$13.46	\$15.64	\$21.91	\$26.03

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$733	\$851	\$851	\$851	\$833	\$833
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$203	\$596	\$407	\$1,138
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$320	\$298	\$635	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$190	\$270	\$279	\$301	\$441	\$495
Savings	\$190	\$270	\$279	\$301	\$441	\$495
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$526	\$624	\$503	\$536	\$1,006	\$1,173
Monthly Total	\$2,808	\$3,862	\$3,847	\$4,144	\$6,296	\$7,118
Annual Total	\$33,696	\$46,344	\$46,164	\$49,728	\$75,552	\$85,416
Hourly Wage	\$16.85	\$23.17	\$23.08	\$24.86	\$37.78	\$42.71

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 12 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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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	\$566	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$822	\$822
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$247	\$692	\$494	\$1,350
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$220	\$222	\$273	\$362	\$470
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$253	\$356	\$215	\$341	\$301	\$581
Monthly Total	\$1,704	\$2,420	\$2,439	\$3,008	\$3,978	\$5,173
Annual Total	\$20,448	\$29,040	\$29,268	\$36,096	\$47,736	\$62,076
Hourly Wage	\$10.22	\$14.52	\$14.63	\$18.05	\$23.87	\$31.04

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 16 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$821	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,106	\$1,106
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$309	\$961	\$618	\$1,784
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$287	\$305	\$357	\$489	\$604
Savings	\$199	\$287	\$305	\$357	\$489	\$604
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$692	\$592	\$725	\$1,243	\$1,682
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,141	\$4,249	\$5,007	\$7,113	\$8,930
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,692	\$50,988	\$60,084	\$85,356	\$107,160
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.85	\$25.49	\$30.04	\$42.68	\$53.58

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 15 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 13 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$513	\$700	\$700	\$700	\$808	\$808
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$191	\$510	\$383	\$1,021
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$316	\$641	\$596
Miscellaneous	\$148	\$224	\$220	\$254	\$351	\$419
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$238	\$357	\$211	\$291	\$279	\$445
Monthly Total	\$1,629	\$2,468	\$2,420	\$2,796	\$3,865	\$4,604
Annual Total	\$19,548	\$29,616	\$29,040	\$33,552	\$46,380	\$55,248
Hourly Wage	\$9.77	\$14.81	\$14.52	\$16.78	\$23.19	\$27.62

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 14 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

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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	\$875	\$1,010	\$1,010	\$1,010	\$1,122	\$1,122
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$234	\$752	\$468	\$1,376
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$204	\$286	\$295	\$332	\$476	\$565
Savings	\$204	\$286	\$295	\$332	\$476	\$565
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$582	\$685	\$560	\$636	\$1,196	\$1,533
Monthly Total	\$3,034	\$4,114	\$4,104	\$4,621	\$6,906	\$8,311
Annual Total	\$36,408	\$49,368	\$49,248	\$55,452	\$82,872	\$99,732
Hourly Wage	\$18.20	\$24.68	\$24.62	\$27.73	\$41.44	\$49.87

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 11 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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WESTMORELAND COUNTY, PA, 2017

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	\$566	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$822	\$822
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$233	\$656	\$465	\$1,277
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$220	\$220	\$269	\$358	\$460
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$253	\$354	\$211	\$328	\$293	\$555
Monthly Total	\$1,704	\$2,418	\$2,419	\$2,955	\$3,937	\$5,064
Annual Total	\$20,448	\$29,016	\$29,028	\$35,460	\$47,244	\$60,768
Hourly Wage	\$10.22	\$14.51	\$14.51	\$17.73	\$23.62	\$30.38

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 16 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 15 percent; and for a school-age child, by 7 percent.

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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	\$821	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$1,028	\$997	\$997
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$273	\$847	\$546	\$1,576
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$287	\$301	\$343	\$471	\$572
Savings	\$199	\$287	\$301	\$343	\$471	\$572
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$692	\$580	\$683	\$1,167	\$1,544
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,141	\$4,193	\$4,803	\$6,820	\$8,411
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,692	\$50,316	\$57,636	\$81,840	\$100,932
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.85	\$25.16	\$28.82	\$40.92	\$50.47

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 6 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2016—Individual Income; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; Telogical Systems, 2016; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans. Reference: [UnitedForALICE.org](#)

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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	\$553	\$657	\$657	\$657	\$802	\$802
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$238	\$725	\$477	\$1,360
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$153	\$220	\$220	\$278	\$357	\$469
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$249	\$356	\$212	\$352	\$291	\$577
Monthly Total	\$1,685	\$2,420	\$2,425	\$3,057	\$3,926	\$5,158
Annual Total	\$20,220	\$29,040	\$29,100	\$36,684	\$47,112	\$61,896
Hourly Wage	\$10.11	\$14.52	\$14.55	\$18.34	\$23.56	\$30.95

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 7 percent.

Sources: BLS, 2017—Consumer Expenditure Surveys; Consumer Reports, 2017—Best Low-Cost Cell-Phone; HUD, 2017—Fair Market Rents; IRS, 2017—SOI Tax Stats; Office of Child Development and Early Learning, 2018; Tax Foundation, 2017, 2018; USDA, 2017—Official USDA Food Plans.

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	\$821	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,003	\$1,060	\$1,060
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$250	\$736	\$500	\$1,403
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$320	\$298	\$298	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$199	\$285	\$296	\$330	\$473	\$561
Savings	\$199	\$285	\$296	\$330	\$473	\$561
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$561	\$683	\$563	\$646	\$1,190	\$1,520
Monthly Total	\$2,949	\$4,103	\$4,118	\$4,604	\$6,864	\$8,255
Annual Total	\$35,388	\$49,236	\$49,416	\$55,248	\$82,368	\$99,060
Hourly Wage	\$17.69	\$24.62	\$24.71	\$27.62	\$41.18	\$49.53

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.

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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	\$570	\$686	\$686	\$686	\$892	\$892
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$210	\$613	\$419	\$1,171
Food	\$199	\$414	\$345	\$288	\$692	\$604
Transportation	\$318	\$382	\$382	\$382	\$636	\$636
Health Care	\$158	\$316	\$316	\$320	\$596	\$635
Miscellaneous	\$155	\$223	\$220	\$267	\$361	\$456
Technology	\$55	\$75	\$55	\$55	\$75	\$75
Taxes	\$254	\$360	\$212	\$323	\$300	\$542
Monthly Total	\$1,709	\$2,456	\$2,426	\$2,934	\$3,971	\$5,011
Annual Total	\$20,508	\$29,472	\$29,112	\$35,208	\$47,652	\$60,132
Hourly Wage	\$10.25	\$14.74	\$14.56	\$17.60	\$23.83	\$30.07

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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	\$858	\$1,115	\$1,115	\$1,115	\$1,185	\$1,185
Child Care	\$-	\$-	\$268	\$858	\$536	\$1,573
Food	\$379	\$770	\$675	\$524	\$1,358	\$1,174
Transportation	\$523	\$628	\$628	\$628	\$1,046	\$1,046
Health Care	\$158	\$298	\$298	\$318	\$635	\$801
Miscellaneous	\$203	\$294	\$309	\$355	\$489	\$591
Savings	\$203	\$294	\$309	\$355	\$489	\$591
Technology	\$109	\$129	\$109	\$109	\$129	\$129
Taxes	\$575	\$717	\$608	\$716	\$1,329	\$1,724
Monthly Total	\$3,008	\$4,245	\$4,319	\$4,978	\$7,196	\$8,814
Annual Total	\$36,096	\$50,940	\$51,828	\$59,736	\$86,352	\$105,768
Hourly Wage	\$18.05	\$25.47	\$25.91	\$29.87	\$43.18	\$52.88

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 14 percent; for an additional 4-year-old, by 12 percent; and for a school-age child, by 5 percent.

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