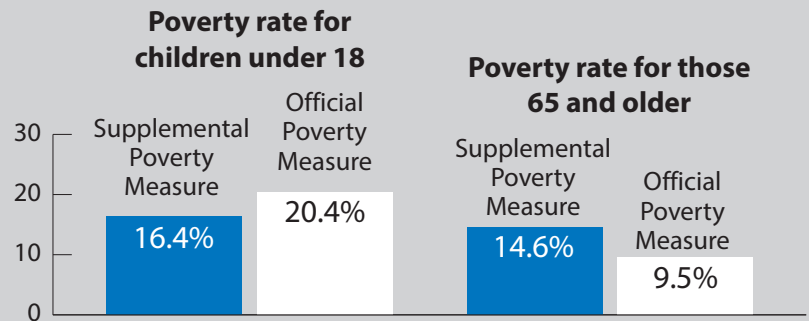


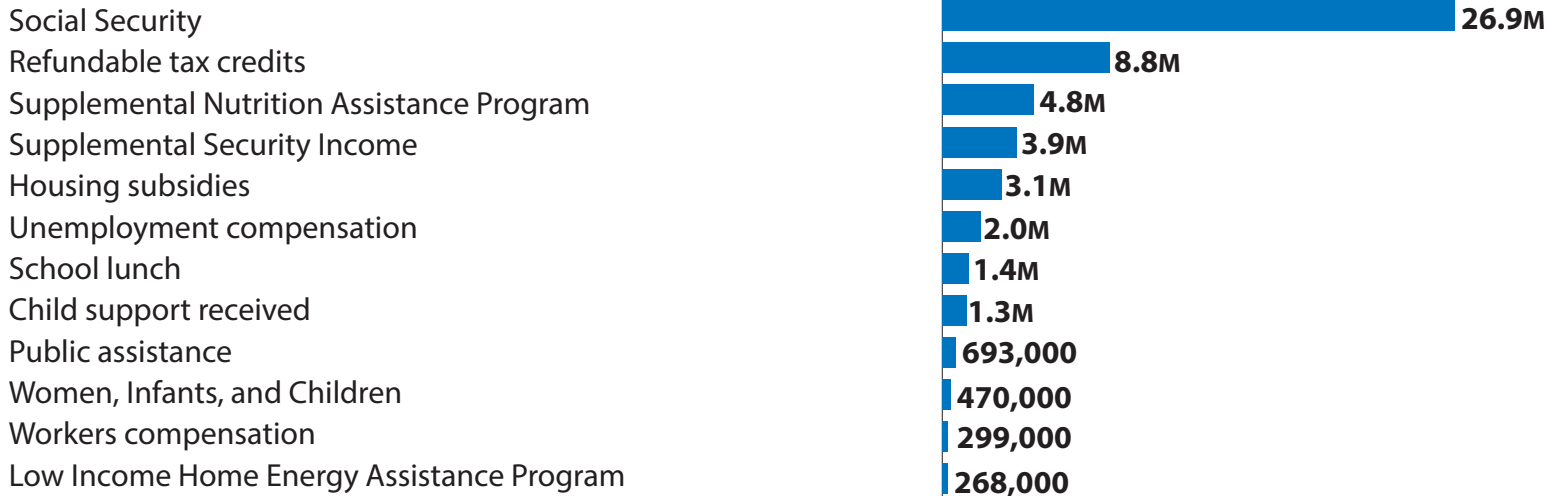
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Supplemental Poverty Measure

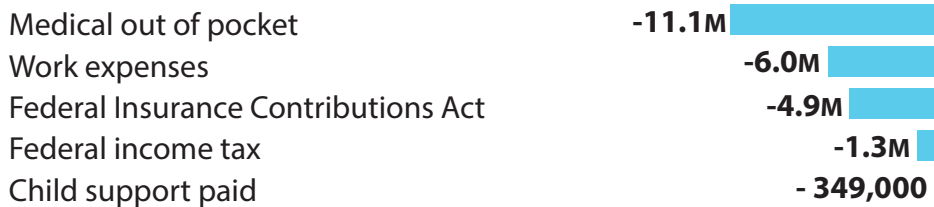
The official poverty rate is based on pretax money income. The supplemental poverty measure also factors in costs for critical goods and services and government benefits to determine the number of people living in poverty.



People kept out of poverty by ...



People falling into poverty due to ...



A person may receive more than one of the above benefits and may have more than one of the above expenses.