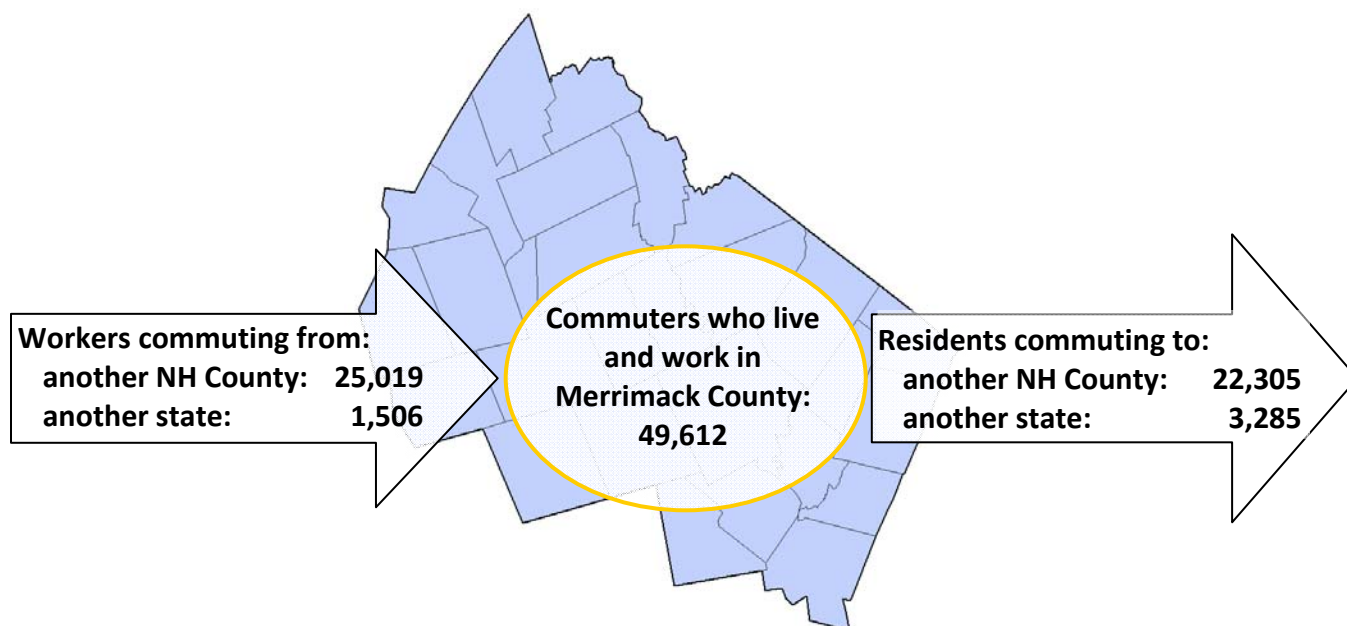


Merrimack County Commuting Patterns



Working in Merrimack County

- An average of 76,137 commuters age 16 and over travel to work in Merrimack County.
- Among those commuting to Merrimack County for work, 65.2 percent (49,612) also live in Merrimack County, 32.9 percent (25,019) live in some other New Hampshire county, and 2.0 percent (1,506) live out of state.
- Nearly all (94.3 percent) of Merrimack County workers who commute into the county from elsewhere live in another New Hampshire county. Of these workers, 43.6 percent live in Hillsborough County, 20.2 percent live in Belknap County, and 16.3 percent live in Rockingham County.
- Of the workers who commute into Merrimack County from out-of-state, 38.8 percent live in Massachusetts and 26.0 percent live in Maine.

Residents of Merrimack County

- An average of 75,202 Merrimack County residents age 16 and over commute to work.
- Among Merrimack County's working residents, 66.0 percent (49,612) commute to a job in Merrimack County, 29.6 percent (22,305)

commute to another New Hampshire county, and 4.4 percent (3,285) commute out-of-state.

- Over half (55.4 percent) of Merrimack County residents who commute to work in another New Hampshire county travel to Hillsborough County; more than half of these commuters work in Manchester.
- Of Merrimack County's working residents who commute to another New Hampshire county, close to the same share travel to Belknap County (15.5 percent) as those who travel to Rockingham County (14.9 percent).
- Nearly three-fourths (70.0 percent) of Merrimack County residents who commute out-of-state for work travel to Massachusetts.

Merrimack County, NH In-County Commuters

- There are 49,612 residents of Merrimack County age 16 and over who commute to work within the county.
- Among those who both live and work in Merrimack County, 54.0 percent commute to Concord, 8.1 percent commute to Hooksett, 4.5 percent commute to Bow, and 3.7 percent commute to New London.

Where Merrimack County Workers Live

Total commuters traveling to work in Merrimack County	76,137
<i>Commuters who work and live in Merrimack County</i>	<i>49,612</i>
Merrimack County workers commuting from residences outside the county:	26,525
Other New Hampshire counties	
Belknap County	5,045
Carroll County	440
Cheshire County	273
Coös County	146
Grafton County	1,485
Hillsborough County	10,907
Rockingham County	4,067
Strafford County	1,435
Sullivan County	1,221
Other states	
Connecticut	80
Maine	391
Massachusetts	584
New York	68
Rhode Island	103
Vermont	74
Other US states	206

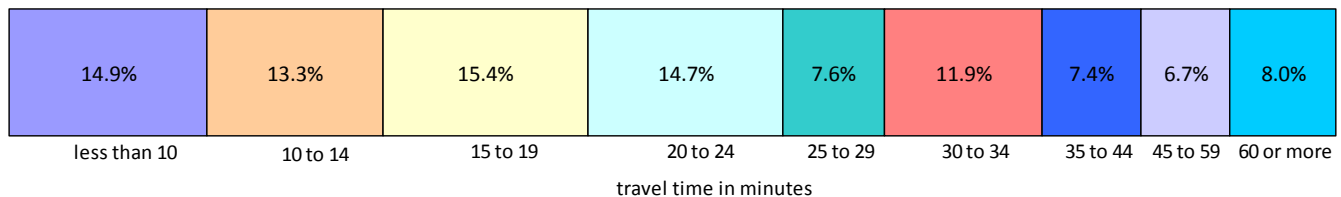
Where Merrimack County Residents Work

Merrimack County residents commuting to work	75,202
<i>Residents commuting to work in Merrimack County</i>	<i>49,612</i>
Residents commuting to work out of Merrimack County:	25,590
To other New Hampshire Counties:	
Belknap County	3,456
Carroll County	115
Cheshire County	208
Coös County	36
Grafton County	1,580
Hillsborough County	12,368
Rockingham County	3,322
Strafford County	575
Sullivan County	645
To other States:	
Connecticut	95
Maine	364
Massachusetts	2,298
New York	91
Rhode Island	98
Vermont	89
Other US States	223
To other countries/at sea	27

Travel Time to Work

Workers 16 years and older who did not work at home

Mean Travel Time to Work: 25.2 minutes



About the American Community Survey

The American Community Survey (ACS) is an ongoing survey conducted by the US Census Bureau, designed to provide more current data than available through a decennial Census. Commuting data were compiled from ACS survey responses gathered over a five-year period, from 2006 to 2010. Respondents were asked if they worked, where they worked, and how long it usually took for them to go from home to work, among other questions.

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