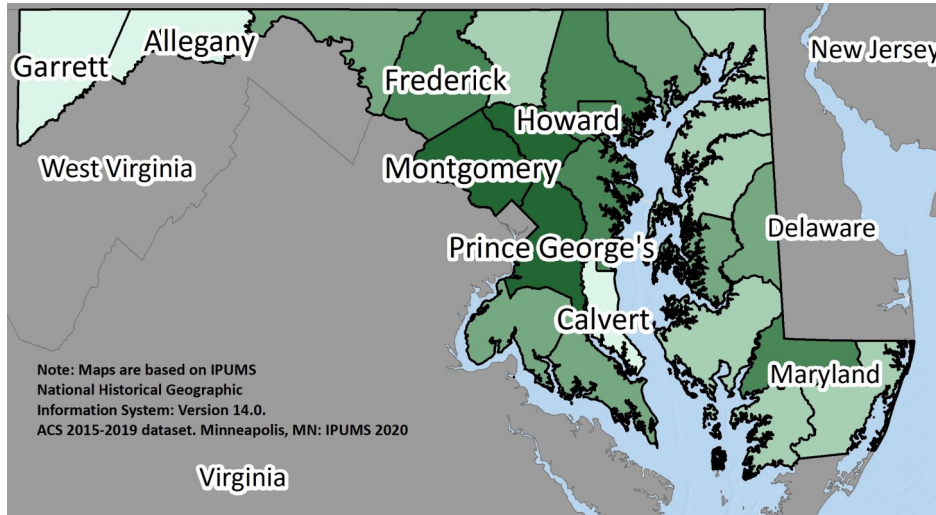
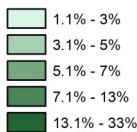


Immigrants in Frederick County, MD

Figure 1. Immigrants in the State of Maryland



Foreign Born as Percentage of Total County Population



2019 NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

- **44,032,500:** Approximate number of immigrants¹ living in the U.S. (14% of the population)
- **6,018,800:** Approximate number of immigrants living in Maryland State (15% of the state's population)
- **26,992:** Approximate number of immigrants living in Frederick County, MD (11% of the county's population)
- **37%:** Estimated Increase in the number of immigrants living in Frederick County, MD over the past 10 years.
- **9th:** Rank of the State of Maryland among the 50 states and the District of Columbia in terms of immigrants as a percentage of the state's total population.

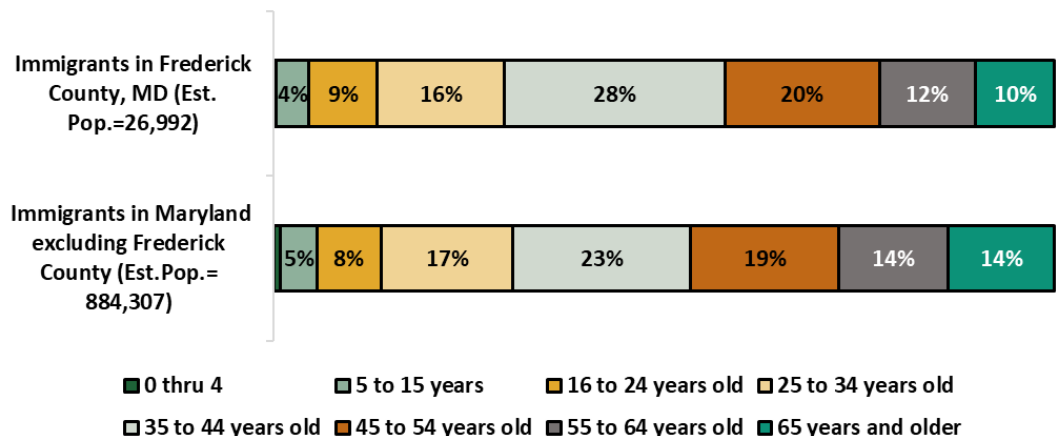
Distribution of Immigrants in Maryland State

Figure 1 shows where immigrants live in Maryland State as a percent of the county's population. Montgomery (32 percent), Prince George's (23 percent), and Howard (21 percent) Counties reported the highest percentages of immigrants in this state. Garrett, Allegany, and Lewis Counties reported the lowest percentages of immigrants in the state with all of them having less than 3 percent.

Age

Figure 2 shows that foreign-born individuals living in Frederick County, MD are more likely to be 44 years old or younger (58 percent) compared to all other immigrants in Maryland (53 percent). Also, immigrants in Frederick County are less likely to be 55 years or older (22 percent) than all other immigrants in Maryland (28 percent). The median age for immigrants in Frederick County, MD is 42 years, which is one year younger than that of immigrants in the rest of Maryland.

Figure 2. Age among Immigrants²

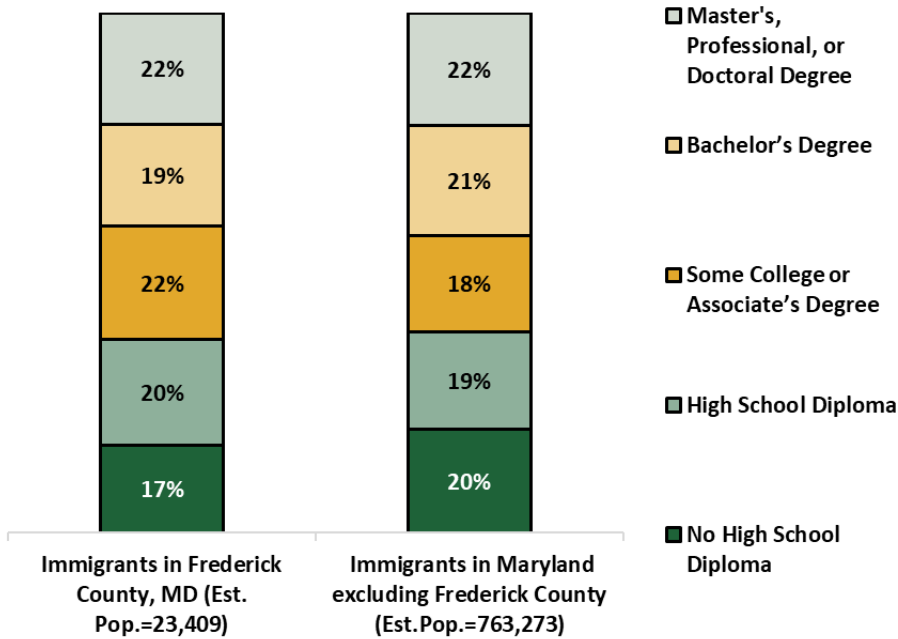


All analysis in this fact sheet is based on source data from the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey, 2015-2019 distributed through IPUMS-USA, University of Minnesota, www.ipums.org, unless otherwise noted.

¹Please note that the terms "immigrant" and "foreign born" are used interchangeably throughout this fact sheet. Foreign born refers to individuals who are not a U.S. citizen at birth or who were born outside the U.S., Puerto Rico or other U.S. territories and whose parents are not U.S. citizens. The foreign born may include naturalized U.S. citizens, Legal Permanent Residents, temporary residents, refugees and asylees, and others. Additionally, native born includes those who are U.S. citizens at birth, those born in the United States, Puerto Rico, or other U.S. territories, and those born abroad to a parent who is a U.S. citizen.

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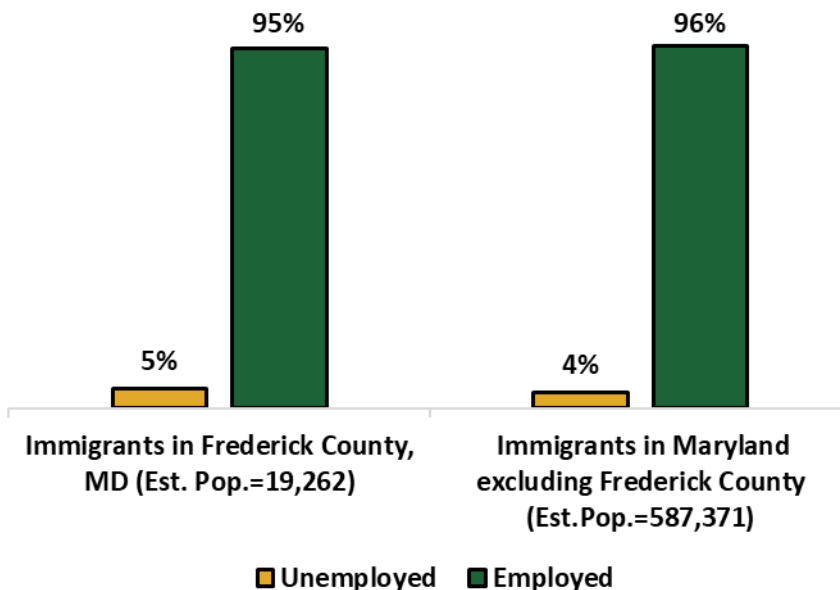
Figure 3. Educational Attainment Among Immigrants
Foreign-Born Individuals Ages 25+



Educational Attainment

Immigrants in Frederick County, MD are slightly less likely to have a Bachelor's Degree or higher (41 percent) than all other immigrants in Maryland (43 percent). However, immigrants in Frederick County, MD are slightly less likely to have a High School Diploma or less (37 percent) compared to all other immigrants in Maryland (39 percent). Also, immigrants in Frederick County, MD are more likely to have some College or Associate's Degree (22 percent) compared to immigrants in the rest of Maryland (18 percent).


Figure 4. Employment among Foreign-Born Individuals
Foreign-Born Individuals in the Labor Force, Ages 16-65

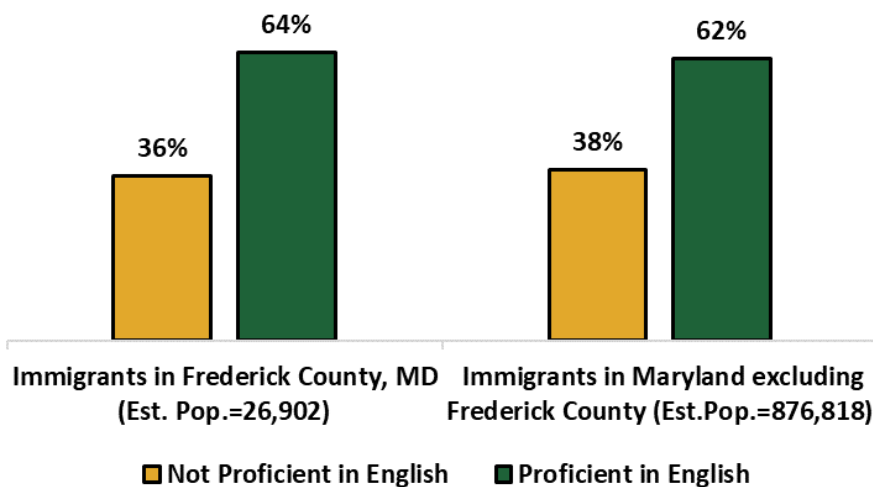


Employment

Figure 4 shows that the majority of foreign-born individuals in Frederick County, MD are employed (95 percent). Immigrants from Frederick County are also slightly more likely to be unemployed (5 percent) than all other immigrants in Maryland (4 percent).

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 **Figure 5. English Proficiency in Foreign-Born Individuals**
Foreign-Born Individuals Ages 5+



English Proficiency

Figure 5 shows that the majority of immigrants in Maryland are proficient in English (speak English well or very well). Moreover, immigrants in Frederick County, MD, are slightly more likely to be proficient in English (64 percent) than all other immigrants in Maryland (62 percent).

 **Figure 6. Race and Ethnicity among Foreign-Born Individuals²**

Race and Ethnicity

Figure 6 shows that the foreign born in Frederick County, MD are more likely to be White (47 percent) than all other immigrants in Maryland (27 percent). Also, immigrants in Frederick County, MD are less likely to identify as Black (15 percent) than in the rest of the State of Maryland (25 percent). With regard to ethnicity, foreign-born individuals in Frederick County, MD are more likely to identify as Hispanic (38 percent) than all other immigrants in Maryland (31 percent).

	Frederick County	Maryland excluding Frederick County
White	47%	27%
Asian	28%	29%
Black	15%	25%
Other Race	7%	17%
Two or More Races	3%	2%
Not Hispanic	62%	69%
Hispanic	38%	31%
Estimated Immigrant Population	26,992	884,307

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