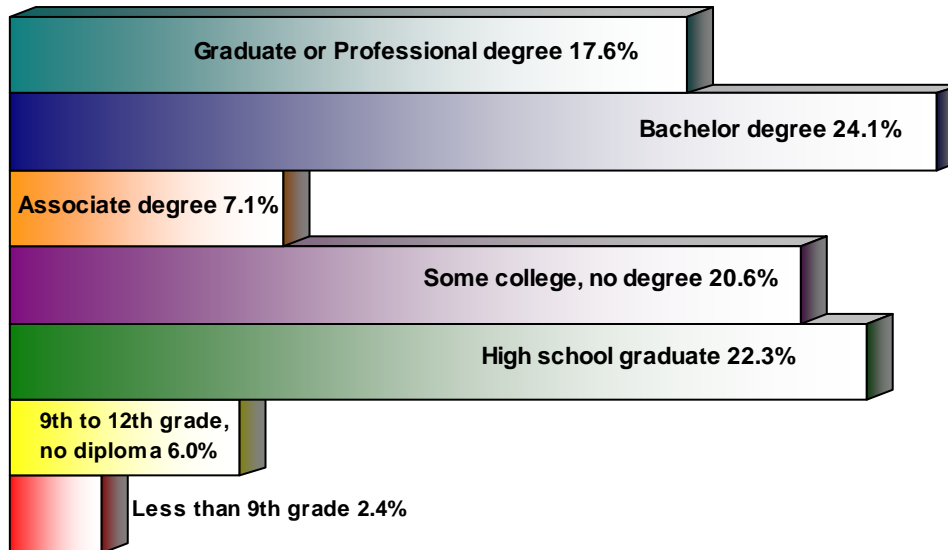


EDUCATION

Educational Attainment

Oakland County Educational Attainment*



- ◆ More than 91% of Oakland County residents have at least a high school diploma; Almost 70% of Oakland County residents have completed at least some college course credits.
- ◆ Nearly 42% of Oakland County residents have earned a bachelor or graduate/professional degree.
- ◆ Over 21% of the all bachelor and graduate/professional degrees in the state of Michigan are held by Oakland County residents.
- ◆ There are eighty-eight public and private institutions of higher learning in southeast Michigan, with twenty nine of those (33%) located within Oakland County.
- ◆ Degree granting institutions with campuses in Oakland County offer students 1,023 undergraduate programs and 700 graduate programs.
- ◆ There are over 65,400 students enrolled in the 17 degree granting institutions located in Oakland County.
- ◆ Colleges and universities with campuses in Oakland County awarded more than 39,800 degrees in 2007-08.

*Based on the population of Oakland County residents age 25 and over.

Source: American Community Survey 2005-2007

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