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Key Indicators of Entrenched Poverty

	New Orleans, LA		Jefferson Parish, LA		Biloxi, MS	
	Black	White	Black	White	Black	White
2004 (Census)						
Population	302,041	124,591	117,657	303,992	9,643	36,177
Percent	68%	28%	25%	68%	19%	71%
2000 (Census)						
Households	113,136	67,518	33,964	131,745	3,498	14,909
Households with no car	39,340	10,286	6,385	9,158	536	942
Percent of households with no car	34.8%	15.2%	18.8%	7.0%	15.3%	6.3%
Home owner	43.2%	62.1%	49.0%	74.8%	23.0%	56.6%
Renter	56.7%	37.9%	51.0%	25.2%	71.0%	43.4%
2005 (HUD)						
Race of Public Housing Residents	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	0.0%	52.0%	36.0%
Public Subsidized Housing - units	17,913		2,842		818	
Length of stay - total families in public housing						
20+ years	31%		20%		6%	
10-20 years	29%		17%		20%	
1999 (Census)						
Number of families below poverty	24,611	1,422	6,935	5,165	530	683
Percent	31.3%	4.7%	27.1%	6.0%	22.8%	7.3%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

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