Figure 5. Poverty Rates Using the Official and Supplemental Poverty Measures by Age Group: 2009 to 2020



¹ Includes unrelated individuals under the age of 15.

Notes: The Supplemental Poverty Mesaure (SPM) estimates for 2019 and 2020 reflect the implementation of revised SPM methodology. More information is available in the report appendix. The data for 2017 and beyond reflect the implementation of an updated processing system. The data for 2013 and beyond reflect the implementation of the redesigned income questions. More information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, and definitions is available at <https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/cps/techdocs/cpsmar21.pdf>. Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, 2010 to 2021 Annual Social and Economic Supplements (CPS ASEC).