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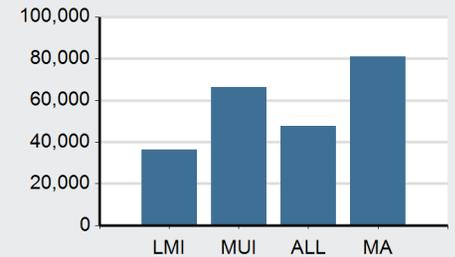
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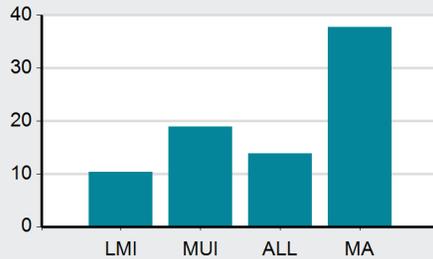
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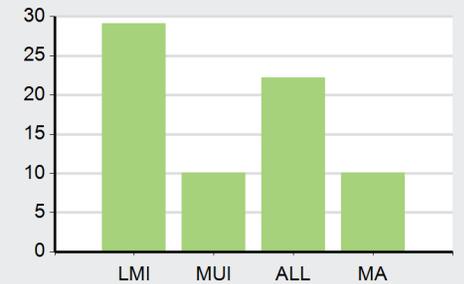
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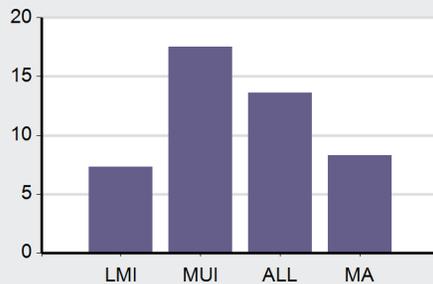
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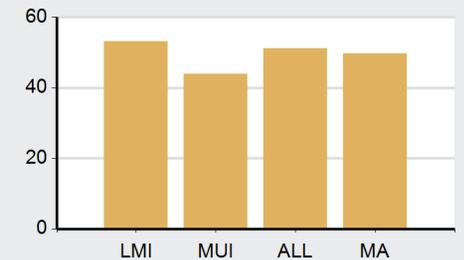
2009 Hispanic Population (Percent)



2009 HOUSING-COST BURDENED HOUSEHOLDS



2009 Housing-cost Burdened Renter Households (Percent)



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New England City Data

New Bedford 2009 City Summary

	2000			2009			Percent change 2000 – 2009		
	LMI	MUI	ALL	LMI	MUI	ALL	ALL		
Area income									
Area population	71,469	22,299	93,768	62,311	28,930	91,339		-2.6	
Average real median family income (2009 dollars)	38,407	63,095	45,967	36,317	66,331	47,531		3.4	
Number of census tracts	25	6	—	23	8	—		—	
								Percentage point change 2000 – 2009	
Economic characteristics									
Poverty rate	24.5	8.6	20.2	29.1	10.1	22.2		2.0	
Labor force participation rate	55.7	61.5	57.7	57.8	67.2	61.7		4.0	
Unemployment rate	5.6	3.8	5.0	6.8	4.8	6.0		1.0	
Social and demographic characteristics									
Educational attainment (percentage of population 25 years and older)									
High school graduate or higher	53.5	66.8	57.6	60.7	73.1	65.6		8.0	
Bachelor's degree or higher	8.0	17.9	10.7	10.3	18.9	13.8		3.1	
Percent foreign born	20.8	16.8	19.6	22.0	17.3	20.6		1.0	
Percent who speak English less than very well	19.6	12.2	17.3	19.9	11.9	17.0		-0.3	
Percent 16 years old and under	22.1	20.1	21.8	22.6	18.3	21.4		-0.4	
Race and ethnicity (percent of total population)									
Hispanic	12.7	3.8	10.3	7.3	17.5	13.6		3.3	
Non-Hispanic White	69.7	89.1	75.2	81.5	65.0	70.8		-4.4	
Non-Hispanic Black	4.5	1.7	3.7	4.5	8.3	7.2		3.5	
Non-Hispanic Asian	0.6	0.8	0.6	1.2	1.2	1.3		0.7	
Non-Hispanic Other	12.5	4.6	10.2	5.5	8.0	7.1		-3.1	
Housing characteristics									
Homeownership rate	35.2	69.9	43.8	35.2	64.2	45.3		1.5	
Percent housing cost-burdened households									
Owner	25.3	20.2	23.2	49.7	38.8	43.9		20.7	
Renter	39.4	30.1	38.9	53.1	44.0	51.2		12.3	

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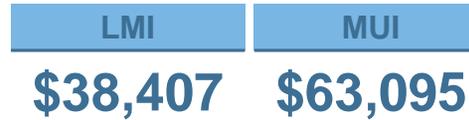
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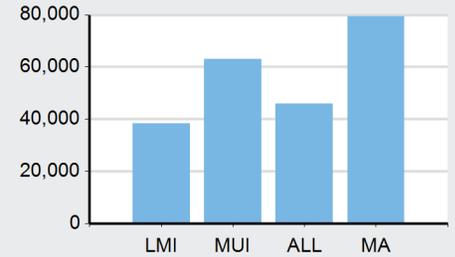
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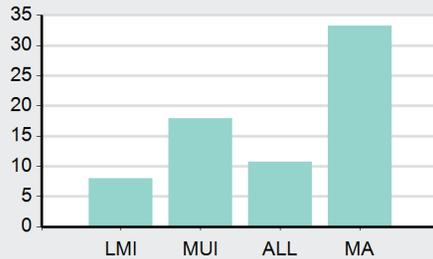
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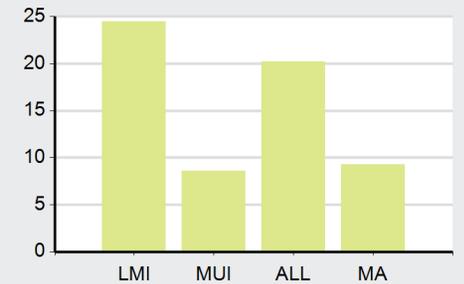
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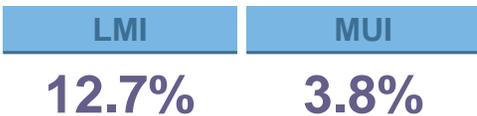
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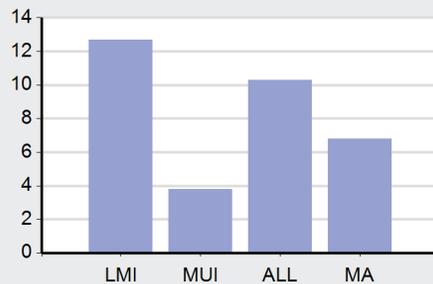
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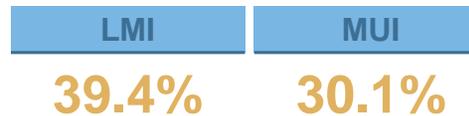
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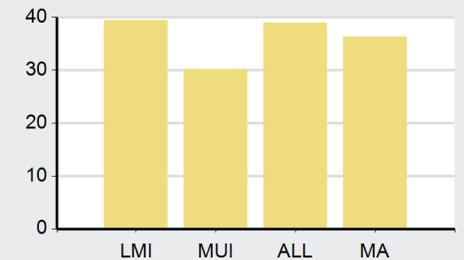
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