

# Missouri

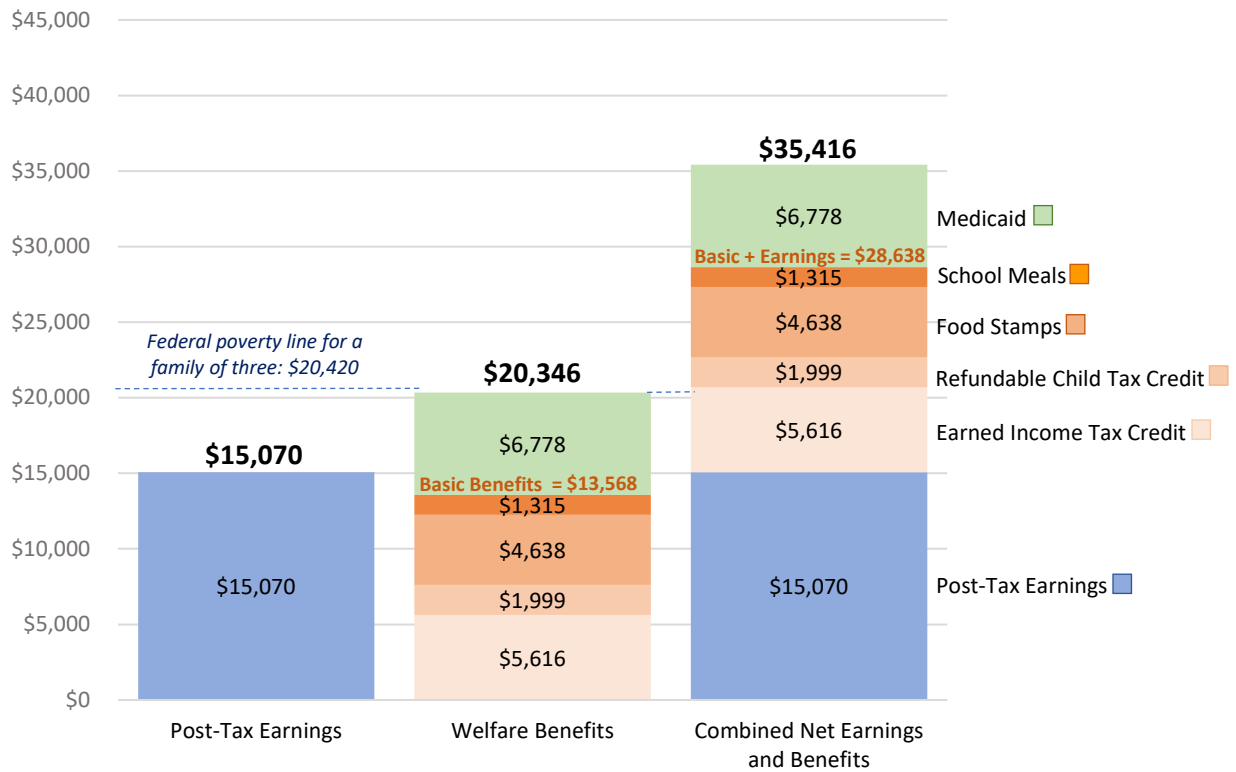
Minimum wage = \$7.85 per hour or \$16,328 annually.

The mom does not qualify for Medicaid, but the children do (estimated at \$3,389 each).

Missouri does not provide a match to the federal Earned Income Tax Credit.

CHART 1: MISSOURI

## Single Mother with Two Children Earning Minimum Wage for Full Year, Receiving Basic Cash, Food, and Medical Benefits in Missouri

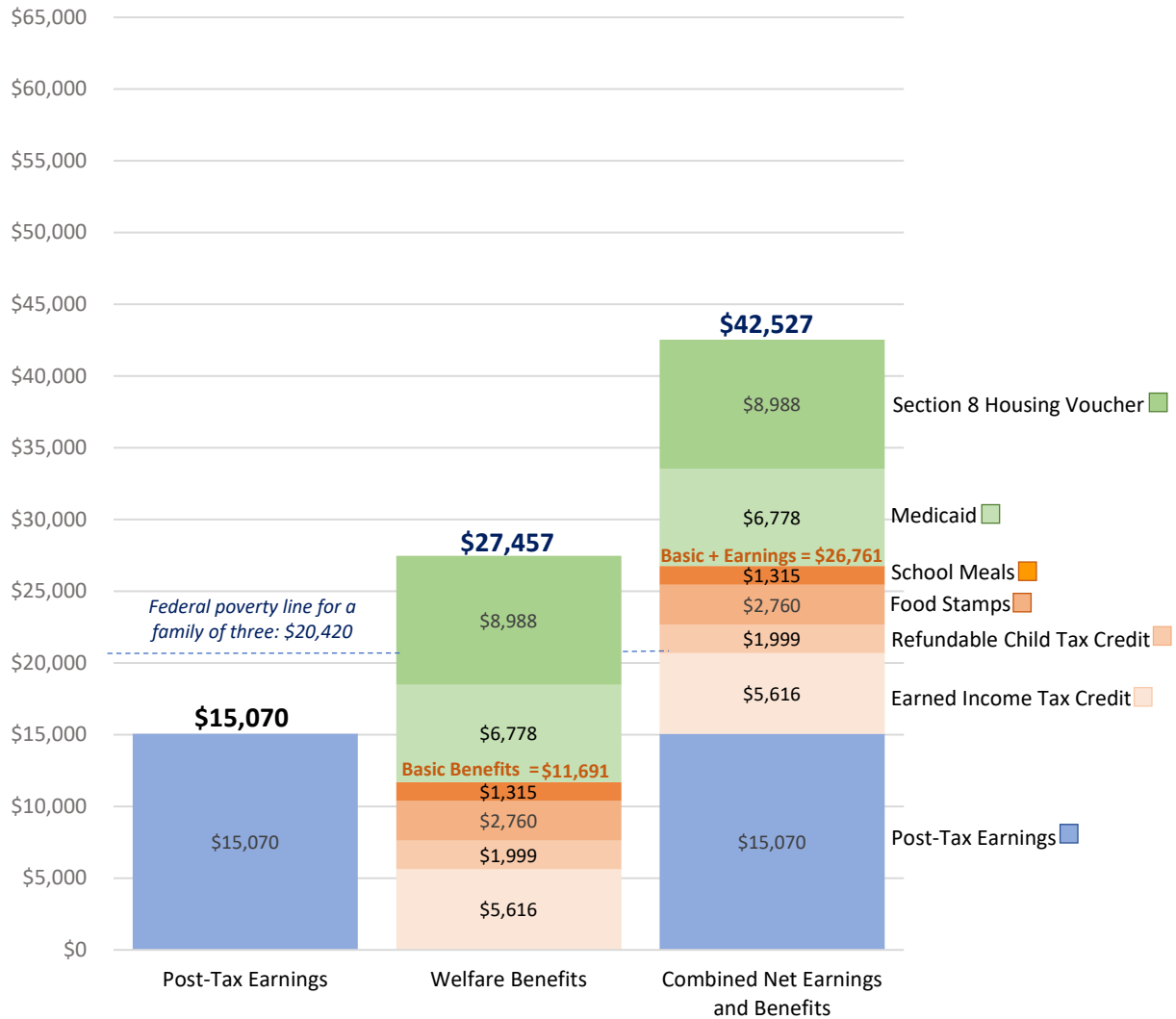


NOTES: 2017 data using minimum wage of \$7.85. The children are school-age, and mom's employer does not provide health insurance.

SOURCES: Author's calculations using data from the Missouri Labor and Industrial Relations Commission, IRS, Missouri Department of Revenue, FNS, and CMS.

CHART 2: MISSOURI

**Single Mother with Two Children Earning Minimum Wage for Full Year, Receiving Basic Cash, Food, Medical, and Housing Benefits in Missouri**



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