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Summary of Relevant Report for Data Collection

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Summary of Major Findings

1. Ventura County Cal Fresh Recipients
2. Ventura County Medical Recipients
3. Ventura County Schools – Free & Reduced-Price Meals
4. Cal Lutheran (CLU) SCAG Digital Divide Report & Addendum

Summary of Conclusions

1. Additional research is necessary to determine the correlation of computers, literacy, and levels of adoption related to CalFresh/Medical Recipients.
2. Data related to the linking socio-economic need to the deployment of hot spots does not appear to exist. The best data to indicate the disadvantaged populations may be the school lunch program.
3. The CLU data is significant in that it is self-reported (census) pre-pandemic census data. As such, the number of households absent the Internet and computers is significant.
4. Each of these data sets are only a first step and analyses should follow.

Relevance of Findings and Conclusions: Potential to Reduce Trip Generation

There is a belief that while pandemics result in a drop of commuters to the workplace, within disadvantaged communities, essential workers reside. Analysis of these populations is required to provide a foundation both for upskilling as well as developing a better understanding of the traffic patterns and alternative solutions which may exist.

Indicator Location Data for Low-Income Households	Total Number of HHs	HHs with Email Addresses	Percentage Email Addresses	Willingness to Provide Location Data for GIS Mapping	
				Yes	No
	Most Recent Data Available	Agency Estimate if Necessary	%		
CalFresh Recipients	7,233	3,782	52.3%	X	
Medi-Cal Recipients	99,634	40,556	40.7%	X	
CalFresh & Medical	27,272	12,762	46.8%	X	
https://www.ventura.org/human-services-agency/hsa-benefit-program-by-city-data/					
	Number of Students				
National School Lunch Program COE Countywide)	69,316 (52.7%)	Not Available	Not Available		

District Name	District Code	Free & Reduced Price Meals	Enrollment Used for Meals
Briggs Elementary	5672447	289 (57.9%)	499
Conejo Valley Unified	5673759	3,846 (22.1%)	17,397
Fillmore Unified	5672454	2,948 (81.3%)	3,626
Hueneme Elementary	5672462	6,143 (81.4%)	7,544
Mesa Union Elementary	5672470	428 (39.3%)	1,089
Moorpark Unified	5673940	1,802 (30.4%)	5,923
Mupu Elementary	5672504	67 (42.1%)	159
Oak Park Unified	5673874	370 (8.5%)	4,355
Ocean View	5672512	1,804 (78.8%)	2,288
Ojai Unified	5672520	1,014 (42.3%)	2,397
Oxnard	5672538	13,617 (90.0%)	15,132
Oxnard Union High	5672546	11,884 (65.5%)	18,137
Pleasant Valley	5672553	2,163 (31.8%)	6,802
Rio Elementary	5672561	3,425 (65.8%)	5,208
Santa Clara Elementary	5672579	7 (12.7%)	55
Santa Paula Unified	5676828	4,218 (83.0%)	5,081
Simi Valley Unified	5672603	4,697 (29.4%)	15,951
Somis Union	5672611	161 (70.0%)	230
Ventura County Office of Education	5610561	1,799 (48.1%)	3,737
Ventura Unified	5672652	8,634 (54.4%)	15,871
County Totals:		69,316 (52.7%)	131,481
State Totals:		3,533,825 (58.9%)	6,002,523

<https://data1.cde.ca.gov/dataquest/>