

## **Brookfield CT Salaries Relative** to Area Median Income (AMI) For A Single Adult



**Fairfield County, CT** 

<b>Physicia</b>	n Assi	istant (	\$187,200
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		Physician Assistant \$187,200	
150%	\$156,345 (\$75.16)		
140%	\$145,922 (\$70.15)		
130%	\$135,499 (\$65.14)		
120%	\$125,076 (\$60.13)		
110%	\$114,653 (\$55.12)		
AMI	\$104,230 (\$50.11)	Clinic Director/Physical Therapist	
90%	\$93,807 (\$45.09)	\$95,000  Construction Project Manager \$90,000	
80%	\$83,384 (\$40.08)	Licensed Massage Therapist \$83,200	
70%	\$72,961 (\$35.07)	Outside Sales Representative \$75,000 Speech & Language Pathologist \$72,800 Full Charge Bookkeeper \$66,560	
60%	\$62,538 (\$30.06)		
50%	\$52,115 (\$25.05)	Operations Manager \$55,000  Maximum Social Security retirement	
40%	\$41,692 (\$20.04)	benefit \$48,216 Production Manager \$47,000 Shipping & Receiving Clerk \$40,206	
30%	\$31,269 (\$15.03)	Laborer \$37,564 CT minimum wage \$16.25/hr (\$33,800)	
20%	\$20,846 (\$10.02)	Federal poverty level for 1 person household \$15,060	

\$11,604

Maximum SSI benefit for the disabled



## **Brookfield AMI Breakdown**



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2025 Western Connecticut Planning Region covers: Bethel, Bridgewater, Brookfield, Danbury, Darien, Greenwich, New Canaan, New Fairfield, New Milford, Newtown, Norwalk, Redding, Ridgefield, Sherman, Stamford, Weston, Westport, Wilton



Brookfield's Median Home Value has risen from \$336,556 in February 2017 to \$542,189 in February 2025.

Area Median Income (1 Person)= \$104,230 Area Median Family Income (4 person) = \$148,900



32% of working families in Brookfield struggle to afford the basic cost of living.

The hourly wage needed to afford a 2-bedroom apartment in Brookfield is \$42.71.

## 80% AMI (Low Income)

- 1 person household = \$83,384 / \$40.08 hr
- 2 person household = \$95,296
- 4 person household = \$119,120



1 person earning 80% AMI can afford rent + utilities of \$2084/month (30% of income)

9 Studio/1 Bedroom apartments for rent in Brookfield (without utilities): \$1810 - \$2200

Only 3 units are affordable at 80% AMI

- Many young couples and families cannot afford to purchase a home in Brookfield.
- This housing market is inaccessible to those whose only income is from Social Security or a minimum wage job.
- Many Older residents struggle to find affordable housing when downsizing in Brookfield.
- Many people who work in Brookfield can't afford to live in Brookfield.