

Fairfield County, CT

Sherman CT Salaries Relative to Area Median Income (AMI) For A Single Adult



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)	
90%	\$93,807 (\$45.09)	No full time positions currently listed
80%	\$83,384 (\$40.08)	
70%	\$72,961 (\$35.07)	
60%	\$62,538 (\$30.06)	
50%	\$52,115 (\$25.05)	1st Year Sherman Teacher \$56,924
40%	\$41,692 (\$20.04)	Maximum Social Security retirement benefit \$48,216
30%	\$31,269 (\$15.03)	CT minimum waga \$14.25 /hr (\$22.900)
20%	\$20,846 (\$10.02)	CT minimum wage \$16.25/hr (\$33,800) Federal poverty level for 1 person household \$15,060

extremely

Maximum SSI benefit for the disabled

\$11,604



Sherman 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



Sherman's Median Home Value has risen from \$409,383 in February 2017 to \$656,253 in February 2025.

Area Median Income (1 Person)= \$104,230

Area Median Family Income (4 person) = \$148,900



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

The hourly wage needed to afford a 2-bedroom apartment in Sherman 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 \$2086/month (30% of income)

0 Studio/1 Bedroom apartments for rent
in Sherman (w/o utilities)

Only 0 units are affordable at 80% AMI

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