

# Racial Inequities in Takoma Park, Maryland: 2012–16.

Note: The methodology is based on that used in Racial Inequities in Montgomery County: 2011–15 available at <http://urbn.is/2lgil7V>.

## Race and Ethnicity of Takoma Park's Population, 2012–16

- Whites (non-Hispanic): 43 percent
- Blacks (of any ethnicity): 38 percent
- Hispanics: 13 percent

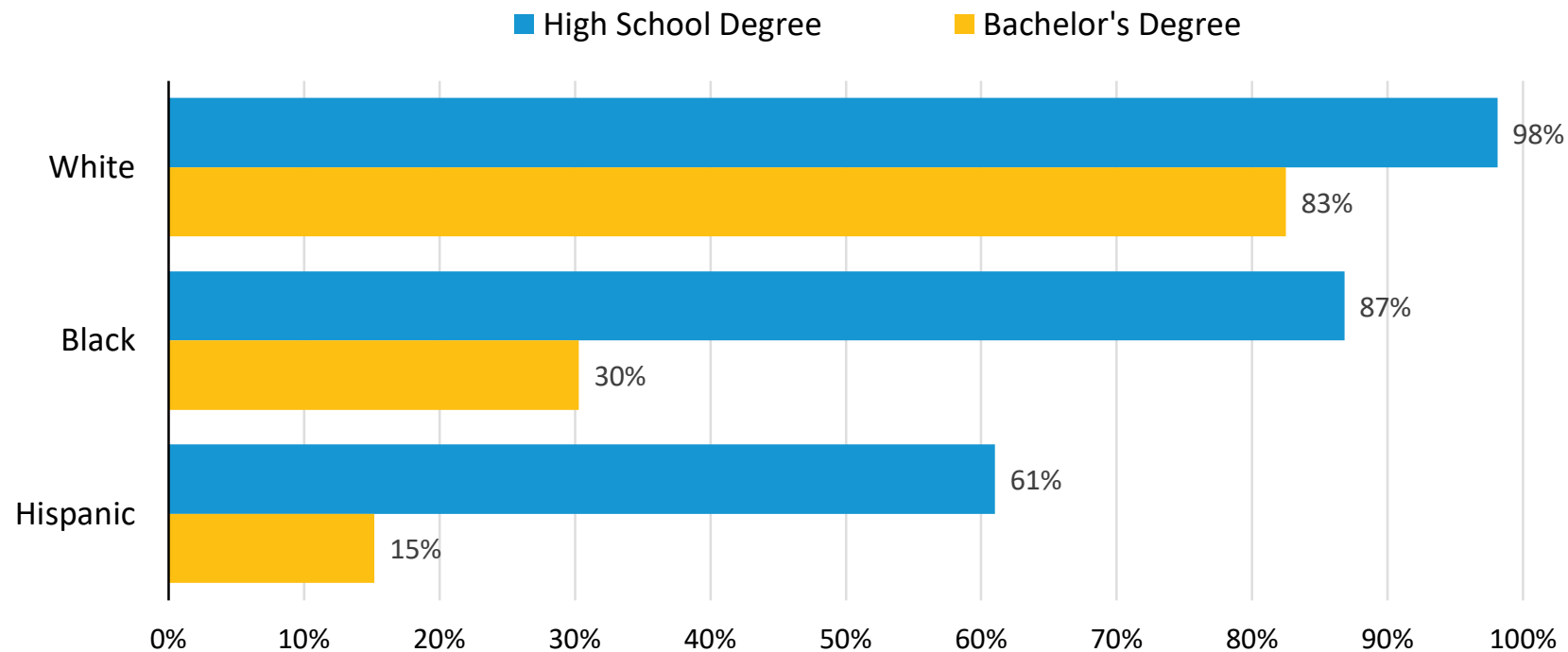
*Note: The above groups are not mutually exclusive.*

*Though disparities exist for people of other races and ethnicities due to the limitations of the data in the American Community Survey, they are not reported here.*

In an equitable Takoma Park, an additional 600 Hispanics and 500 blacks would have a high school degree. And 2,200 blacks and 1,000 Hispanics would have a bachelor's degree.

### Share of Adults Age 25 and Older with a Degree

2012-16

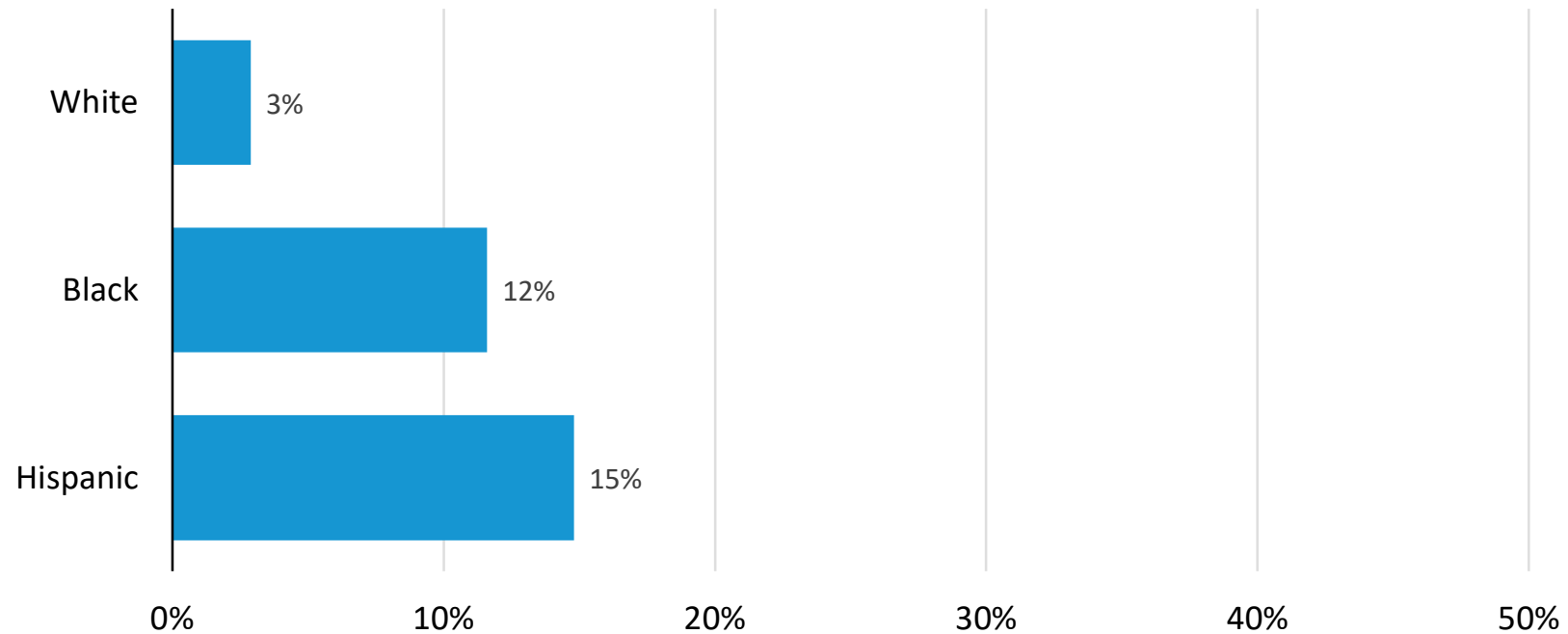


**Source:** American Community Survey, 2012-16.

**Note:** In Racial Inequities in Montgomery County, 2011-15 the share of adults with at least some college was reported rather than the share with a bachelor's degree.

In an equitable Takoma Park, 500 fewer black individuals and 300 fewer Hispanic individuals would be poor.

**Poverty Rate**  
2012-16



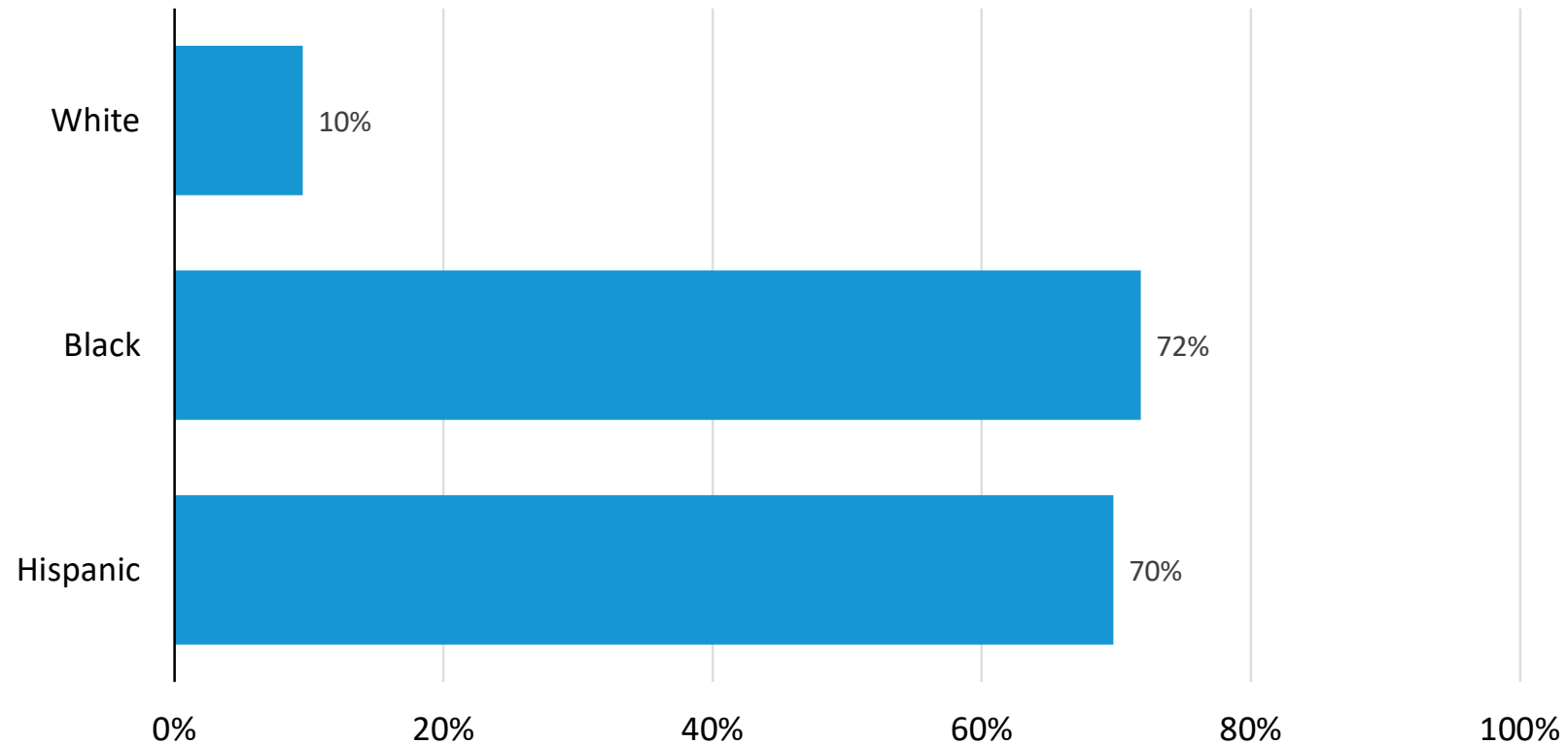
**Source:** American Community Survey, 2012-16.

**Note:** The poverty rates for blacks and Hispanics are not statistically significantly different.

In an equitable Takoma Park, an additional 900 black families, and 300 Hispanic families would have annual incomes above \$75,000.

### Share of Families with Annual Income below \$75,000

2012–16



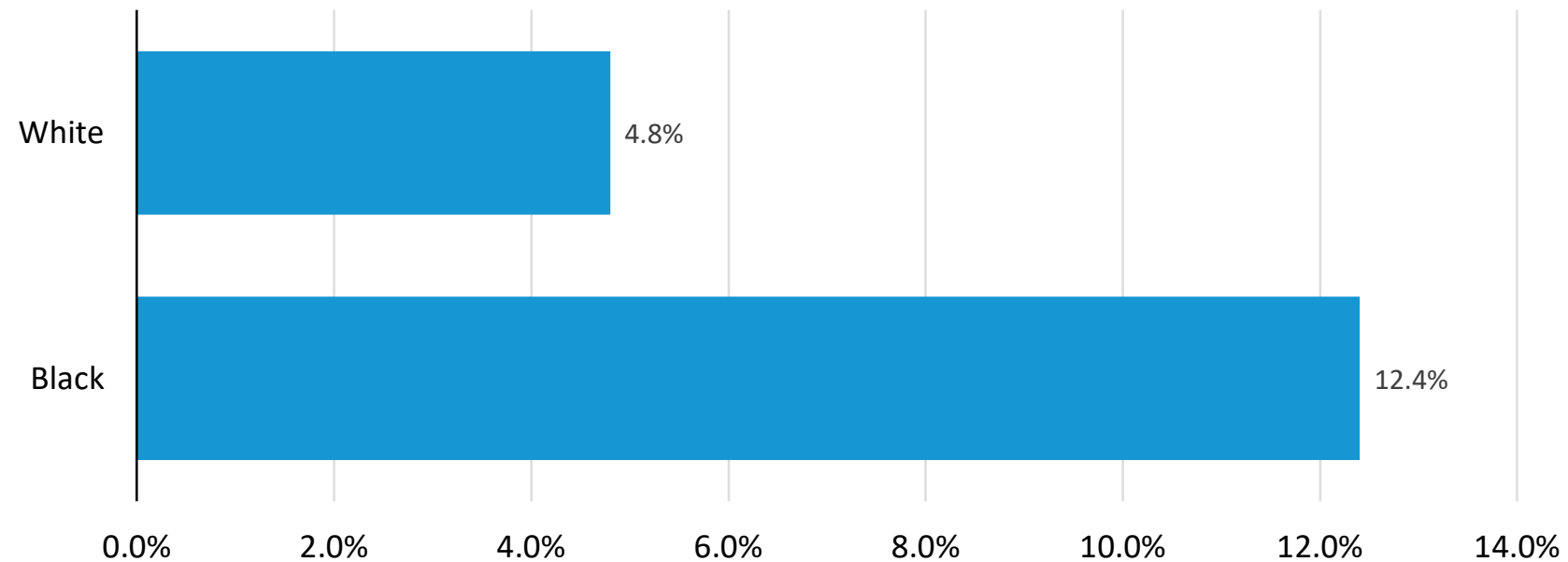
Source: American Community Survey, 2012–16.

Note: The difference between the black and Hispanic shares is not statistically significant.

In an equitable Takoma Park, 300 more black individuals age 16 and older would be employed.

### Unemployment Rate

2012-16



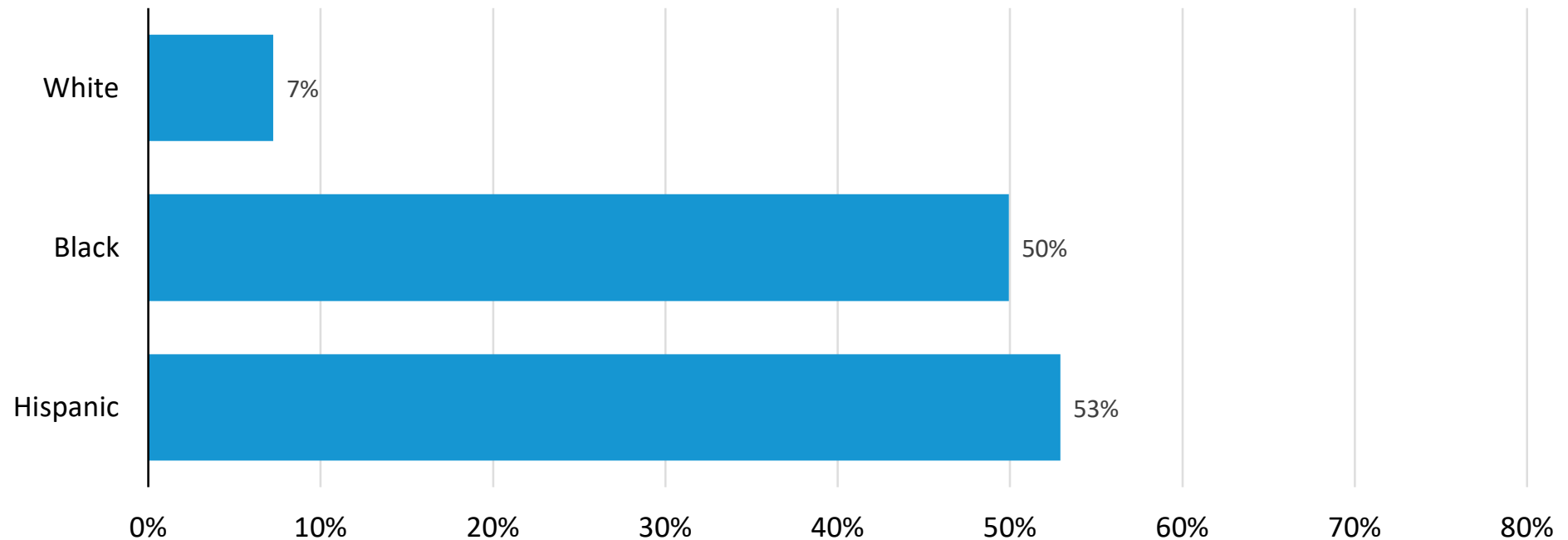
Source: American Community Survey, 2012-16.

Note: The Hispanic unemployment rate is omitted here because it is not statistically significantly different from the white unemployment rate.

In an equitable Takoma Park, 1,000 fewer black individuals and 400 fewer Hispanic individuals working full-time would earn less than \$35,000.

### Share of the Population Working Full Time with Earnings below \$35,000

2012–16



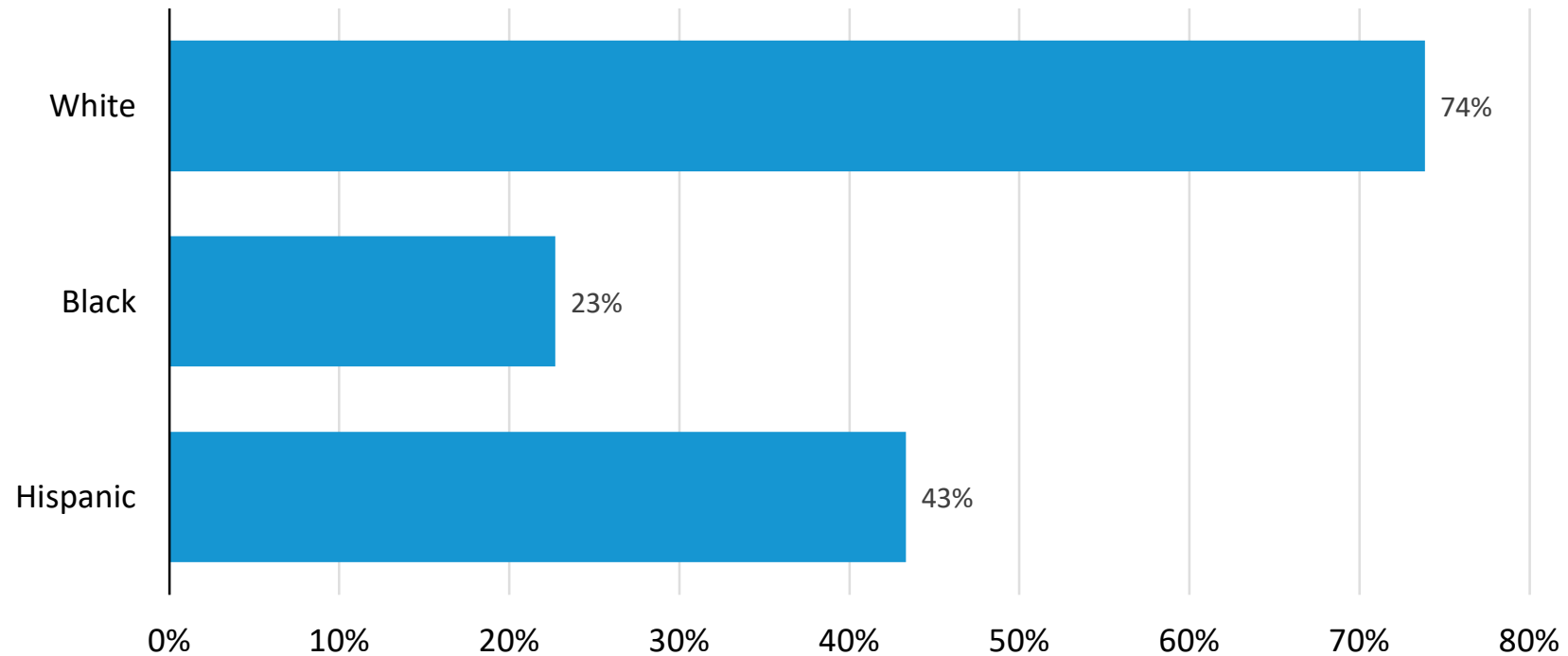
**Source:** American Community Survey, 2012–16.

**Note:** The difference between the black and Hispanic shares is not statistically significant.

In an equitable Takoma Park, there would be 1,200 more black homeowners and 200 more Hispanic homeowners.

### Homeownership Rate

2012–16



Source: American Community Survey, 2012–16.