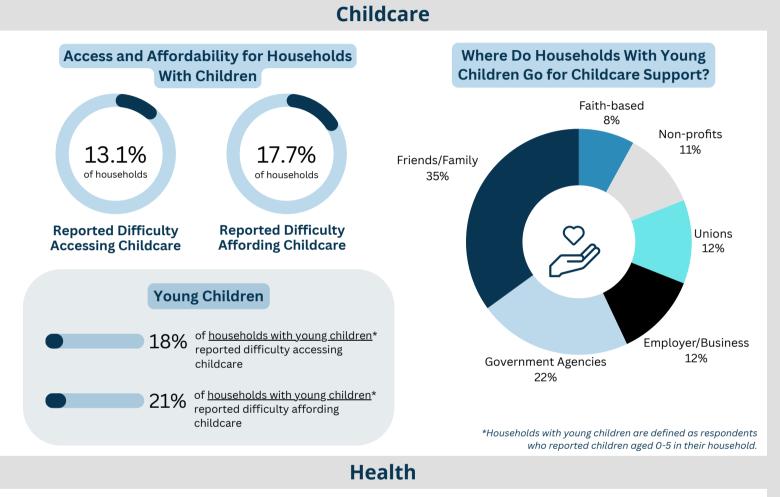
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### Access and Affordability About 1 in 4 New Yorkers reported difficulty affording\_healthcare

About 1 in 4 New Yorkers reported difficulty accessing healthcare

#### Healthcare Affordability for Seniors

**37.5%** of <u>households with seniors</u>\* in NYC reported difficulty affording healthcare

\*Households with seniors are defined as respondents who reported people aged 65+ in their household.





5 in 10 <u>above median income</u> New Yorkers reported experiencing above average stress levels



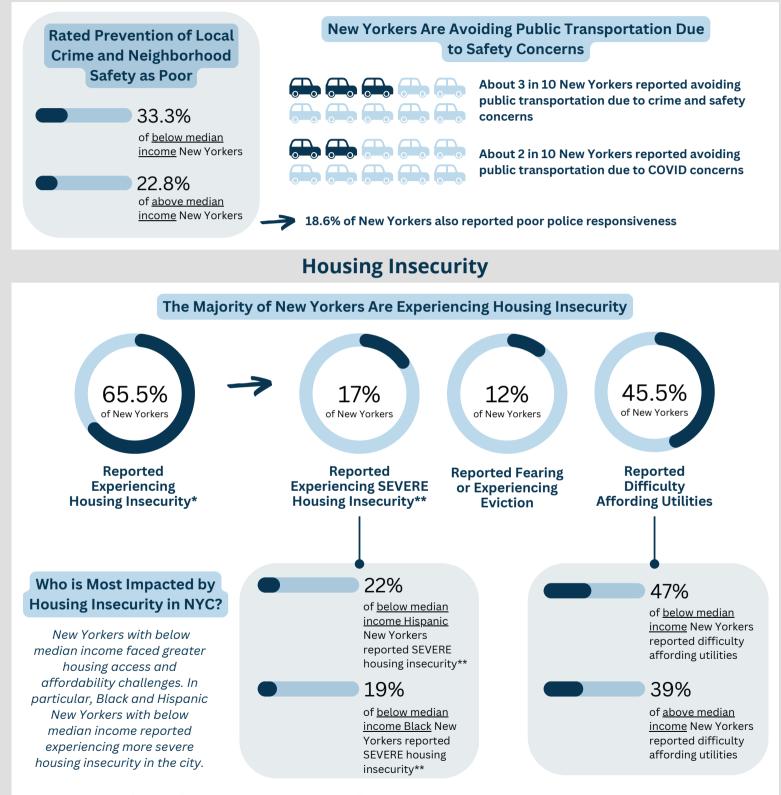
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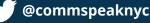


#### **Public Safety**



\*Housing insecurity is defined as difficulty paying rent/mortgage and/or difficulty accessing housing.

\*\*Severe housing insecurity is defined as having at least two of the following indicators: difficulty paying rent/mortgage and/or difficulty accessing housing and/or experienced difficulty finding housing and/or experienced eviction or threat of eviction.



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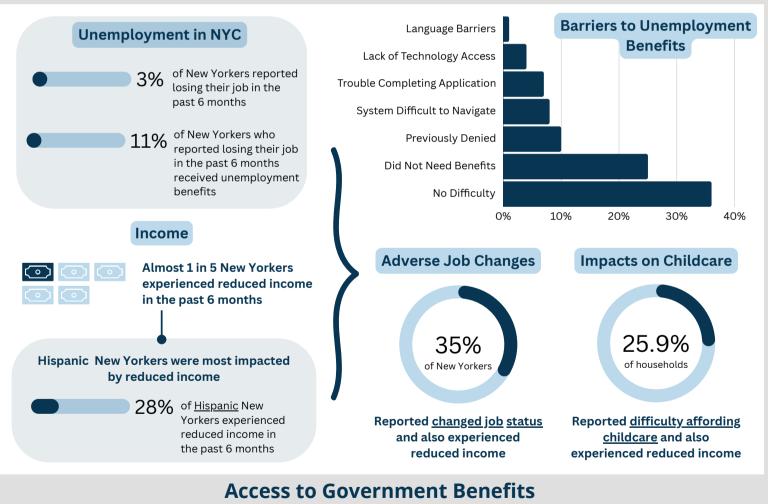
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### **Food Insecurity**



#### Employment



More than 1 in 4 New Yorkers reported difficulty accessing social services and/or benefits

