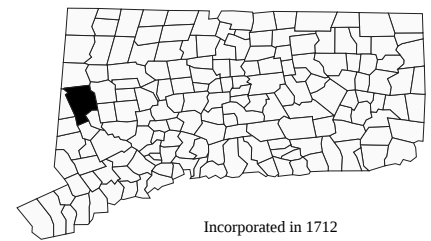


# New Milford, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2017 *Produced by The CT Data Collaborative*

**Town Hall**  
10 Main Street  
New Milford, CT 06776  
(860) 355-6000

*Belongs To*  
Litchfield County  
LMA Danbury  
Western Planning Area



Incorporated in 1712

## Demographics

### Population

	Town	County	State
2000	27,121	182,193	3,405,565
2010	28,142	189,927	3,574,097
2011-2015	27,670	186,304	3,593,222
2020	26,718	193,116	3,604,591
'15 - '20 Growth / Yr	-0.7%	0.7%	0.1%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	62	921	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2011-2015)	449	202	742
Median Age (2011-2015)	43	46	40
Households (2011-2015)	10,494	74,518	1,352,583
Med. HH Inc. (2011-2015)	\$78,343	\$72,061	\$70,331

### Race/Ethnicity (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	24,112	167,998	2,487,119
Black Alone, Non-Hispanic	500	2,827	370,501
Asian	764	3,370	150,670
Native American	0	341	8,908
Other/Multi-Race	1,478	5,540	283,800
Hispanic (Any Race)	1,863	9,649	526,508

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2011-2015)	5.7%	7.0%	10.5%

### Educational Attainment (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
High School Graduate	4,777	25%	673,973
Associates Degree	1,539	8%	183,289
Bachelors or Higher	7,507	39%	925,607

### Age Distribution (2011-2015)

	0-4		5-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+		Total	
Town	939	3%	3,684	13%	3,828	14%	6,347	23%	8,947	32%	3,925	14%	27,670	100%
County	8,088	4%	21,463	12%	21,395	11%	39,693	21%	62,638	34%	33,027	18%	186,304	100%
State	191,445	5%	446,058	12%	492,864	14%	885,518	25%	1,035,059	29%	542,278	15%	3,593,222	100%

## Economics

### Business Profile (2015)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	870	8,313
23 - Construction	108	458
31-33 - Manufacturing	46	659
44-45 - Retail Trade	100	1,364
62 - Health Care and Social Assistance	71	1,461
72 - Accommodation and Food Services	71	794
Total Government	16	1,160

### Top Five Grand List (2016)

	Amount
Kimberly Clark	\$99,187,680
Eversource Energy	\$61,783,990
U B Litchfield LLC	\$14,971,250
Litchfield Crossing	\$14,141,610
Firstlight Hydro Generating Co	\$13,652,020
Net Grand List (SFY 2014-2015)	\$2,895,742,205

### Major Employers (2016)

Kimberly-Clark	Western CT Health Network
Town of New Milford	Neeltran
Litchfield Crossing	

## Education

### 2016-2017 School Year

	Grades	Enrollment
New Milford School District	PK-12	4,217

### Smarter Balanced Test Percent Above Goal (2015-2016)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Math	57.2%	52.8%	53.0%	47.9%	31.4%	40.3%
ELA	50.2%	53.9%	51.5%	55.5%	39.8%	55.5%

### Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

	2016-2017
New Milford School District	106

### Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2015-2016)

	All
Connecticut	9.6%
New Milford School District	5.6%

### 4-Year Cohort Graduation Rate (2014-2015)

	All	Female	Male
Connecticut	87.2%	90.1%	84.4%
New Milford School District	90.3%	95.1%	85.5%

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## Government

Government Form: Mayor - Council

Total Revenue (2015)	\$106,104,916	Total Expenditures (2015)	\$103,381,849	Annual Debt Service (2015)	\$5,533,962
Tax Revenue	\$77,087,601	Education	\$68,604,228	As % of Expenditures	5.4%
Non-tax Revenue	\$29,017,315	Other	\$34,777,621	Eq. Net Grand List (2015)	\$4,091,911,198
Intergovernmental	\$24,240,229	Total Indebtedness (2015)	\$17,838,548	Per Capita	\$150,019
Per Capita Tax (2015)	\$2,784	As % of Expenditures	17.3%	As % of State Average	101.2%
As % of State Average	99.7%	Per Capita	\$654	Moody's Bond Rating (2015)	Aa1
		As % of State Average	26.9%	Actual Mill Rate (2015)	26.30
				Equalized Mill Rate (2015)	18.55
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2015)	12.4%

## Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
Total Units	11,592	87,447	1,491,786
% Single Unit (2011-2015)	74.4%	74.4%	59.2%
New Permits Auth (2015)	22	112	6,077
As % Existing Units	0.2%	0.1%	0.4%
Demolitions (2015)	0	45	1,230
Home Sales (2013)	277	1,226	26,310
Median Price	\$292,200	\$254,600	\$270,500
Built Pre-1950 share	17.2%	31.2%	29.3%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	8,295	57,397	906,227
As % Total Dwellings	79.0%	77.0%	67.0%
Subsidized Housing (2015)	498	5,335	172,556

Distribution of House Sales (2013)

	Town	County	State
Less than \$100,000	19	221	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	58	451	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	103	270	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	51	127	3,380
\$400,000 or More	46	157	5,960

## Labor Force

Place of Residence (2015)

	Town	County	State
Labor Force	15,390	105,255	1,890,506
Employed	14,653	99,885	1,782,269
Unemployed	737	5,370	108,237
Unemployment Rate	4.8%	5.1%	5.7%

Connecticut Commuters (2014)

Commuters Into Town From:	Town Residents Commuting To:
New Milford, CT 3,318	New Milford, CT 3,318
Danbury, CT 685	Danbury, CT 2,605
Brookfield, CT 285	Brookfield, CT 756
Torrington, CT 195	Bethel, CT 410
Washington, CT 174	Ridgefield, CT 342
Bethel, CT 166	Newtown, CT 294
Newtown, CT 139	Waterbury, CT 266

Place of Work (2015)

	Town	County	State
Units	870	5,948	116,246
Total Employment	8,313	61,450	1,662,822
2012-'15 AAGR	41.1%	63.5%	100.0%
Mfg Employment	659	9,520	79,612

## Other Information

Crime Rate (2014)

	Town	State
Per 100,000 residents	1,402	2,167

Distance to Major Cities

	Miles
Hartford	40
New York City	70
Providence	104
Boston	134
Montreal	273

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider

Eversource Energy  
(800) 286-2000

Gas Provider

Eversource Energy  
(800) 989-0900

Water Provider

Municipal Provider  
Local Contact

Cable Provider

Charter Communications of Western CT  
(800) 827-8288

Library (2016)

	Town
Circulation per Capita	8.35
Internet Use per Visit	0.08

Families Receiving (2014)

	Town
Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)	37

Population Receiving (2014)

	Town
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	834