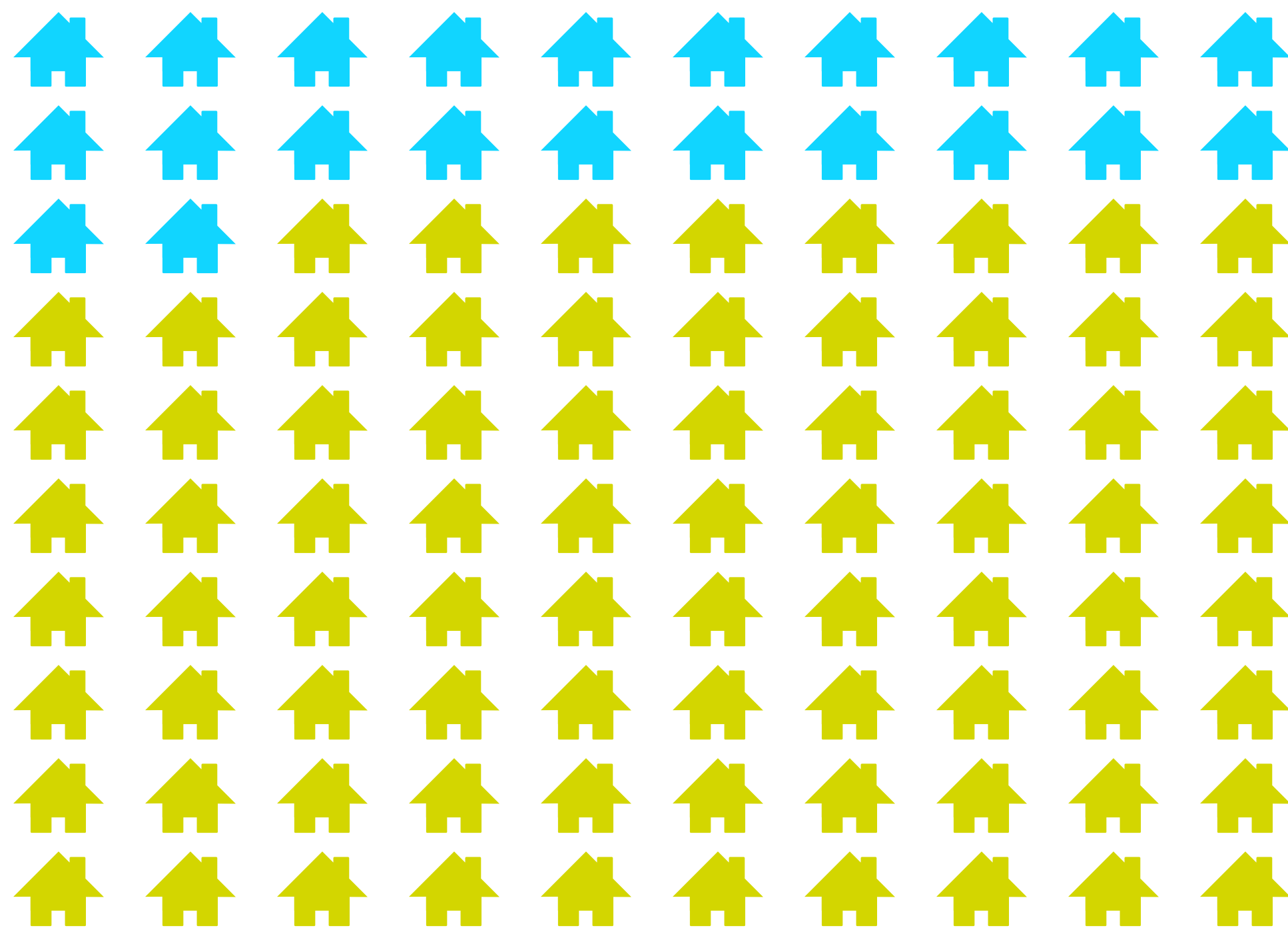


A Place to Call Home: Multnomah County

Homes give people an opportunity to build better lives and communities. But how do Multnomah County residents fare?

We have a serious shortage of affordable housing

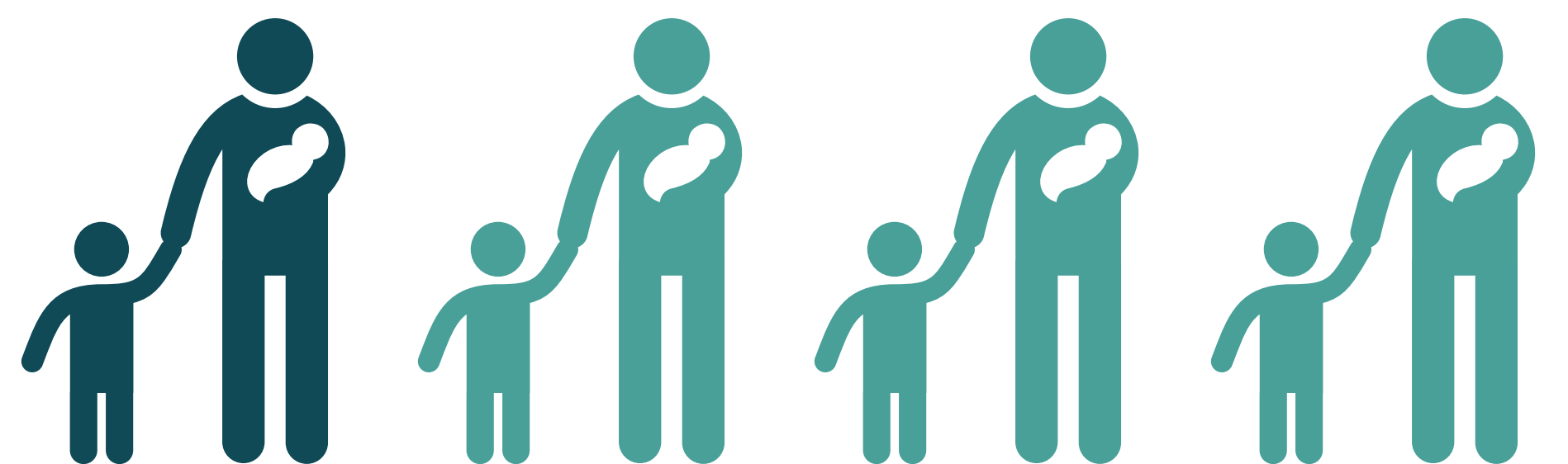
For every 100 families with extremely low incomes, there are only 22 affordable units available.



29,865

units are needed to meet the need

More than 1 out of 4



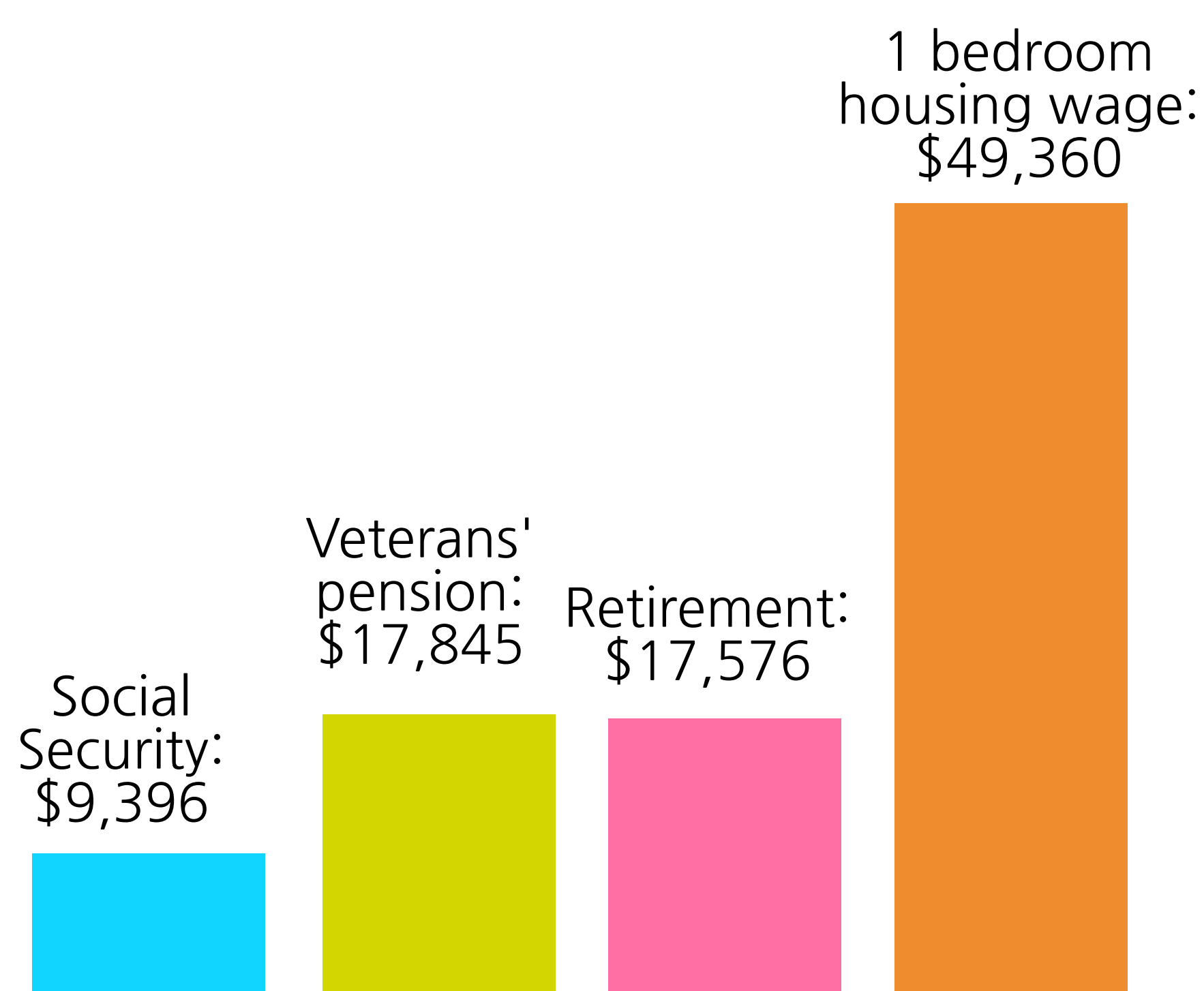
renters are paying more than 50% of their income in rent

3 out of 4



renters with extremely low incomes are paying more than 50% of their income in rent

Our neighbors are facing homelessness



Oregonians on fixed incomes struggle to pay rent even for a one bedroom apartment.

1 in every 25 students

experienced homelessness in 2018-2019



That's 3,310 children during the 2018-19 school year in Multnomah County.

Workers can't afford rent

\$17.87

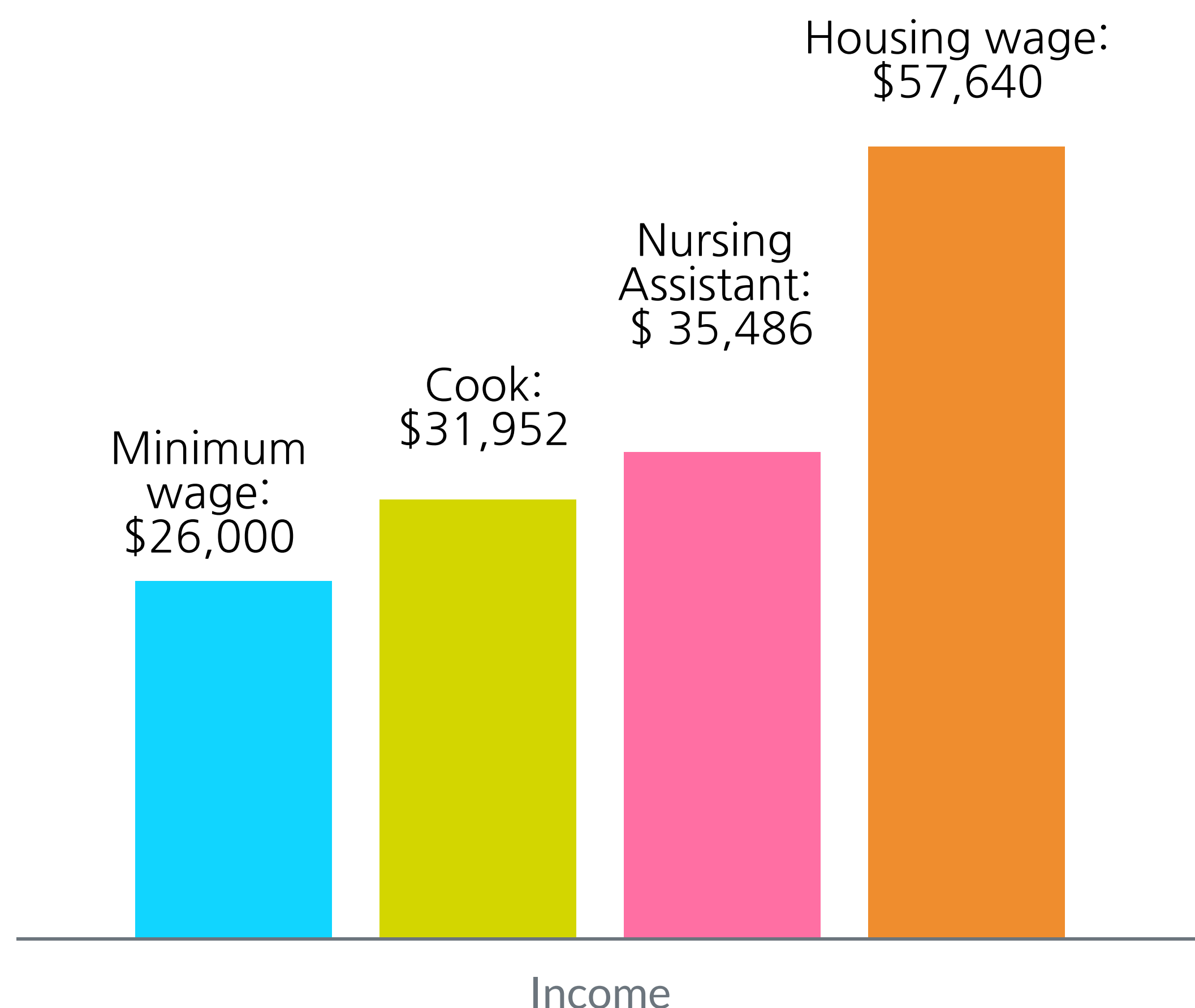


Mean renter wage



Number of hours per week at minimum wage needed to afford a 2 bedroom apartment

A household must earn at least \$57,640 to afford a 2 bedroom apartment at fair market rent.

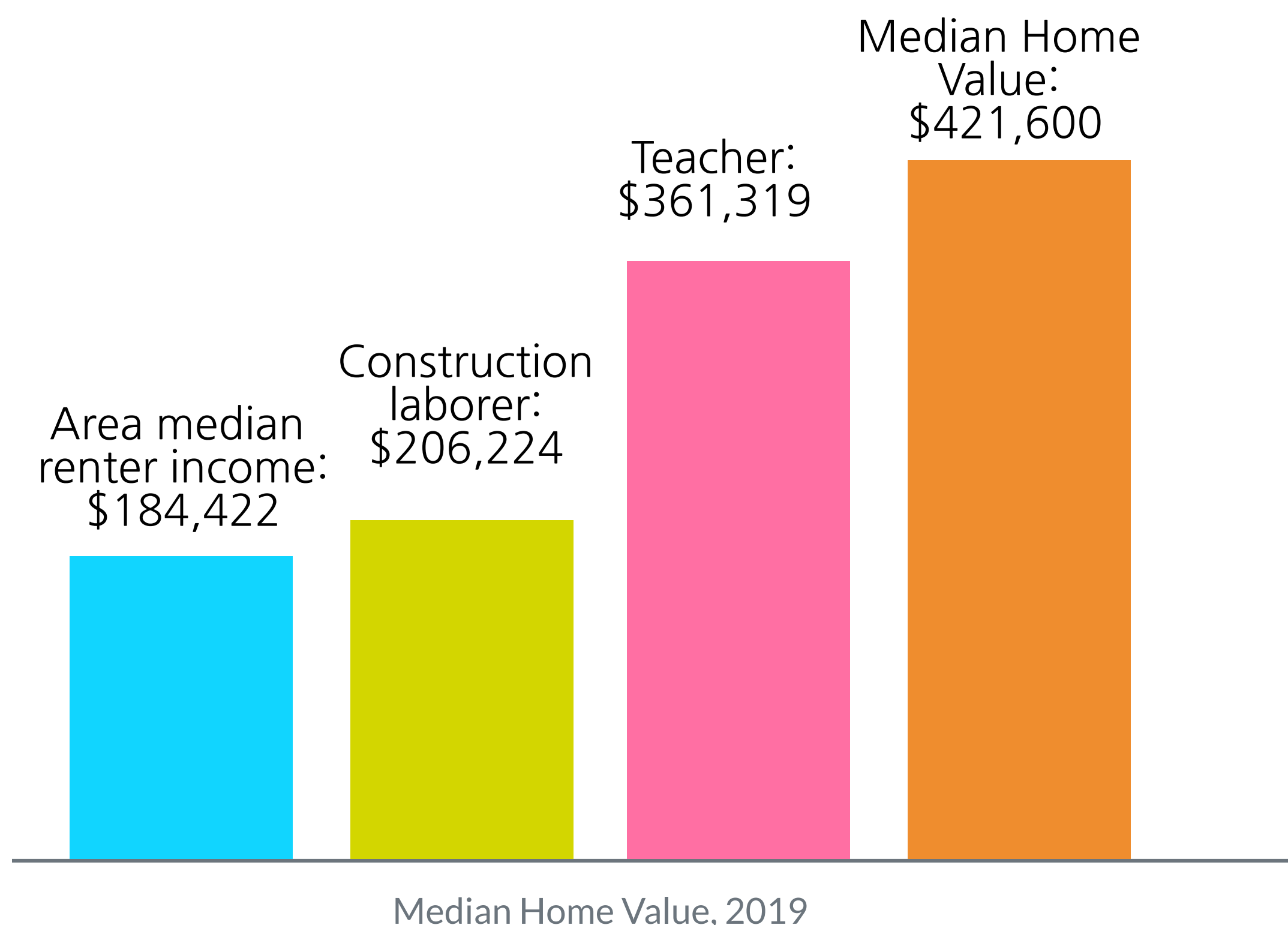


Homeownership is out of reach for many

Average home price someone can afford

\$421,600

median home value in 2019



...up 1.3% from 2018

