



Correction to 2000 Oregon Population Survey Press Release dated January 13, 2001.

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In February of 2002, the Oregon Office of Economic Analysis discovered an error in the population weightings underlying the 2000 Population Survey Analysis, the results of which were originally released in January of 2001. As a result of the reweighting, the survey's estimate of overall poverty in Oregon increased from 10.3% to 13.2% for the calendar year 1999.

Based on the reweighting of the 2000 Oregon Population Survey data, instead of saying "the percentage of persons in poverty fell to 10.3% after remaining at nearly 12% since 1989," the press release should have said, "the percentage of persons in poverty rose to 13.2% after remaining at nearly 12% since 1989" (correction underlined).