Croydon, NH



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Town Hall: Monday to Wednesday, 12-6; Selectboard: meet second and fourth Tuesday at 7 pm; Town Clerk/Tax Collector:

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County Sullivan

Lebanon, NH-VT Micropolitan NECTA, NH part Labor Market Area

Tourism Region Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee Planning Commission **Upper Valley Lake Sunapee**

Regional Development **Capital Regional Development Council**

Election Districts

Municipal Office Hours

District 2 **US Congress** District 2 **Executive Council** State Senate **District 8**

State Representative Sullivan County Districts 6, 8

Incorporated: 1763

Origin: Chartered in 1763, Croydon was named for a suburb of London, the location of a palace under which several archbishops of Canterbury were buried. Among the grantees was Captain Stephen Hall, whose grandson Samuel Read Hall (1795-1877) was born in Croydon. Professor Hall established the first teacher training school in the US, authored the first instructional book for teachers, and was reputed to be the first teacher to use a blackboard. He taught at several New England colleges, including Phillips Andover Academy and Holmes-Plymouth Academy, now Plymouth State University.

Villages and Place Names: Croydon Flat, Ryder Corner

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 537 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Croydon totaled 355 over 50 years, from 396 in 1970 to 807 in 2020. The largest decennial percent change was a 37 percent increase

from 1980 to 1990. The town's population increaed by six percent from 2010 to 2020. The 2022 Census estimate for Croydon was 835 residents, which ranked 197th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2022 (US Census Bureau): 22.7 persons per square mile of land area. Croydon contains 36.8 square miles of land area and 0.7 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES		POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTI	MATES/DECENNIAL)	(US Census Bureau)
Type of Government	Selectmen	Total Population	Community	County
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2021	\$1,213,306	2022	835	43,958
Budget: School Appropriations, 2021-2022	\$1,607,350	2020	801	43,063
Zoning Ordinance	1989	2010	764	43,742
Master Plan	1981	2000	664	40,560
Capital Improvement Plan	No	1990	628	38,652
Industrial Plans Reviewed By		1980	457	36,063
Boards and Commissions		DEMOGRAPHICS	AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURV	ey (ACS) 2017-2021
Elected: Selectmen		Population by Gender		
Appointed: Planning; Zoning		Male 387	Female	340
Public Library No Library		Population by Age Gro	up	20
		Under age 5		39 108
EMERGENCY SERVICES		Age 5 to 19		108 97
Police Department	No	Age 20 to 34 Age 35 to 54		170
Fire Department	Private	•		139
Emergency Medical Service	Private	Age 55 to 64 Age 65 and over		139 174
		Median Age		51.1 years
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance Staffed Beds	Wedian Age		JI.I years
New London Hospital, New London	14 miles 25	Educational Attainmer	nt, population 25 years and	over: 554
Alice Peck Day Memorial, Lebanon	19 miles 23	High school graduate	e or higher	91.3%
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Med Ctr, Lebanon	21 miles 419	Bachelor's degree or	r higher	16.6%
UTILITIES		INCOME, INFLATION ADJU	STED \$	(ACS 2017-2021)
Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy	Per capita income		\$38,456
Natural Gas Supplier	None	Median family income)	\$106,000
Water Supplier	Private wells	Median household inc	come	\$86,250
Sanitation	Private septic	Median Earnings, full-	time, year-round workers	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	No No	Male		\$53,056
Solid Waste Disposal		Female		\$47,560
Curbside Trash Pickup	Private			40.69/
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No	Individuals below the	poverty level	12.6%
Recycling Program	Voluntary	_		(****=0 =: ****
, 5 6	•	LABOR FORCE	204	(NHES – ELMI)
Telephone Company Consol	lidated Communications	Annual Average	201	
Cellular Telephone Access	Limited	Civilian labor force	44	
Cable Television Access	No	Employed	42	
Public Access Television Station	No	Unemployed	1	
High Speed Internet Service: Business	No	Unemployment rate	3.6 9	% 2.3%
Residential	Limited	EMPLOYMENT & WAGES		(NHES – ELMI)
PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of	Revenue Administration)	Annual Average Cover	red Employment	2012 2022
2022 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$14.22	Goods Producing In		
2022 Equalization Ratio	76.4	Average Employn		20 n
2022 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value		Average Weekly \	Wage \$	5 5 7 8 n
		Service Providing In	dustries	
2022 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by		Average Employn	nent	59 n
Residential Land and Buildings	85.9%	Average Weekly \		6 436 n
Commercial Land and Buildings	6.0%		-	
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	8.1%	Total Private Indust	•	
		Average Employn		79 95
Housing	(ACS 2017-2021)	Average Weekly \	Wage \$	\$ 471 \$1,124
Total Housing Units	398	Government (Feder	al, State, and Local)	
		Average Employn	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	10 6
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	370	Average Weekly \		252 \$ 408
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:		, and treemy	· o -	¥ .00
Two to Four Units in Structure	0	Total, Private Indust	try plus Government	
Five or More Units in Structure	0	Average Employn		89 102
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	28	Average Weekly \	Wage \$	\$446 \$1,079

If "n" appears, data do not meet disclosure standards.

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: Croydon operates grades K-4; grades 5-12 are tuitioned to Newport District: SAU 99

Career Technology Center(s): Sugar River Valley RTC (Newport)

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools) Elementary Middle/Junior High High School Private/Parochial

Number of Schools 1
Grade Levels K 1-4
Total Enrollment 28

Nearest Community College: River Valley

Nearest Colleges or Universities: Dartmouth; Upper Valley Educators Institute; Franklin Pierce-Lebanon; Colby-Sawyer

2022 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

Total Facilities: Total Capacity:

LARGEST BUSINESSES PRODUCT/SERVICE EMPLOYEES ESTABLISHED

Not Available

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

Commuting out-of-state

Transportation (distances estimated from city/town hall)	RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS
Road Access US Routes	X Municipal Parks
State Routes 10	0 X YMCA/YWCA
Nearest Interstate, Exit I-89, Exit 1:	Boys Club/Girls Club
Distance 4 mile	s Golf Courses
_ ,, ,	Swimming: Indoor Facility
Railroad No.	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
Public Transportation No.	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
Parlin Field, Newport Runway 3,450 ft. asphal	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
Lighted? No Navigation Aids? N o	Rowling Facilities
2-8.1104.	Museums
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service	Cinemas
Lebanon Municipal Distance 22 mile	Performing Arts Facilities
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport	1 Tourist Attractions
Debite a distance to color table.	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
Driving distance to select cities:	Youth Sports: Baseball
Manchester, NH 61 miles	routh sports: soccer
Portland, Maine 153 miles Boston, Mass. 112 miles	Youth Sports: Football
,	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
Montreal, Quebec 204 miles	A Campgrounds
	X Fishing/Hunting
COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2017-2021	2000
Workers 16 years and over	X Snowmobile Trails
Drove alone, car/truck/van 89.09	Bicycle Truis
Carpooled, car/truck/van 8.49	Cross Country Sking
Public transportation 0.09	
Walked 0.09	5 term8es. 247 eaps
Other means 0.09	
Worked at home 2.69	
Mean Travel Time to Work 32.1 minute	
Percent of Working Residents	Other:
Working in community of residence 9.09	%
Commuting to another NH community 89.09	%
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2.0%