Our Goal: Make sure every Ohioan is counted.

The 2020 Census is a population count that determines how much money Ohio will receive for schools, roads, housing, and other community needs.

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Everyone counts.
The population count is used to determine where new schools and hospitals are needed and where to add public safety resources.

It’s about fair representation.
Population determines the number of representatives in the U.S. Congress.

It’s important for jobs.
Businesses use Census Bureau data to decide where to build factories, offices and stores, creating more jobs in those communities.

It’s about housing.
Real estate developers and city planners use the Census to plan homes and improve neighborhoods.

It’s confidential.
Federal law protects your Census responses. The answers you give can be used only to produce statistics. By law, an individual’s information cannot be shared with immigration enforcement and other law enforcement agencies or used to determine eligibility for government benefits.