The
Vermont State Data Center

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Census Bureau Data Workshops and Info Sessions in Early December

The two-part mission of the Vermont State Data Center is to assist Vermonters with accessing and using U.S. Census Bureau data and to inform the Bureau of the needs of Vermont data-users.

We are offering some data workshops and information sessions in early December. This will be a good opportunity for you to **learn about how to find Census Bureau data** or find out **what data for our state and local communities will look like in the next decade**. Please consider attending. Feel free to pick and choose from among the offerings.

1. Tips for Finding and Accessing Census Bureau Data

Will focus on the ins and outs of basic Census Bureau data. Emphasis will be placed on the decennial Census and the American Community Survey so far. We'll focus on online sources, especially how to use *American FactFinder*. Participants will be able to tour these resources in real time on computers during the session.

Offered:
December 4, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Central Vermont Chamber of Commerce, Berlin, VT

December 10, 9:00 am – 11:00 am
Howard Dean Technical Center, Springfield, VT

2. The American Community Survey in Vermont

Will cover what's in our future with the American Community Survey. We'll focus on what ACS will look like and what's in store for data on our local communities. This will include what we learn from special ACS focus groups to be held in Vermont on 12/2. We'll also update attendees on specific concerns that we are tracking with the ACS.

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3. Vermont Counts! Preparing for Census 2010

Will cover the basic mechanics of a decennial Census count in Vermont and what is being done to prepare. We'll also cover the opportunities for organizations to take part and help to ensure a complete and accurate count in Vermont in 2010. This will include a presentation of Vermont areas that were hard to count in 2000.

Offered:
December 2, Noon – 2:00 pm
Davis Center, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT

December 4, 11:00 am – Noon
Central Vermont Chamber of Commerce, Berlin, VT

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Howard Dean Technical Center, Springfield, VT

All sessions are free, but registration is required.

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…and be on the look-out for more in 2009. Census 2010 and the American Community Survey are coming!

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