Table B-17. Rough estimate of housing affordability, Salem MSA, 2012


Sources: American Community Survey 2012, HUD Section 8 Income Limits, HUD Fair Market Rent.
Based on Oregon Housing \& Community Services. Housing Strategies Workbook: Your Guide to Local Affordable Housing Initiatives, 1993. Notes: FMR-Fair market rent; bdrm - bedrooms

The conclusion based on the data presented in Table B-17 is that in 2012 Salem had a significant deficit of nearly 6,400 affordable housing units for households that earn less than $\$ 25,000$ annually. The next section examines changes in housing cost between 2000 and 2012.

