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BROOKLYN COMMUNITY DISTRICT

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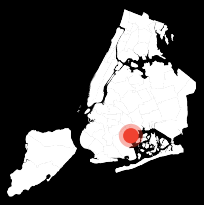

Legend

- 1/4 Mile
- Community Districts
- Subway Stations
- City, State, and Federal Parkland
- Playgrounds
- Schoolyards to Playgrounds
- Public Plazas
- Swimming Pools
- Dog Runs
- Community Gardens
- Recreation Centers
- POPS
- K-12 Schools
- Public Libraries
- Hospitals & Clinics
- 20 Highest COVID-19 Mortality Zip Codes

Parkland

1 100% Playground
2 Aimee Triangle
3 Amersfort Park
4 Barone Triangle
5 Bayview Playground
6 Belt Parkway/ Shore Parkway
7 Bergen Beach Playground
8 Bildersee Playground
9 Breukelen Ballfields
10 Canarsie Park
11 Curtis Playground
12 East 43rd Street Community Garden
13 Four Sparrow Marsh
14 Fox Playground
15 Fraser Square
16 Fresh Creek Nature Preserve
17 Gateway National Recreation Area/ Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge
18 Glenwood Playground
19 Hendrick I. Lott House
20 Hickman Playground
21 Jacob Joffe Fields
22 Lindower Park
23 Marine Park
24 McGuire Fields
25 Monsignor Crawford Field
26 P.S. 279 Playground
27 Paerdegat Basin Park
28 Ponderosa Garden
29 Power Playground
30 Remsen Playground
31 Sarsfield Playground
32 Sledge Playground
33 Spring Creek Park
34 Sunners Playground
35 Triangle
36 Trust Triangle
37 Wilson Playground
38 Gateway National Recreation Area/ Floyd Bennett Field

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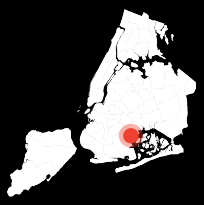
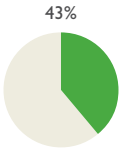


PARKLAND	CD18	NYC
Total District Land (acres)	5,892	228,892
City, State, & Federal Parkland (acres)	4,111	53,371
Percent Parkland	43%	23%
City Parks in District (acres)	1,132	15,435
Percent City Parks in District	19%	7%
ACCESS		
City Parks in District per 1,000 residents (acres)	5.4	1.8
Residents within a 5 minute walk of a park	59%	66%
City Parks in District per 1,000 children (acres)	23.0	8.7
City Parks in District per 1,000 seniors (acres)	36.0	13.0
AMENITIES & INFRASTRUCTURE		
Community Gardens	4	9
Recreation Centers	0	1
Playgrounds	22	16
Swimming Pools	3	2
Dog Runs	0	1
Sprayshowers	14	10
Public Schools	35	32
Parks "Acceptable" for Condition	74%	89%
Parks "Acceptable" for Cleanliness	86%	94%
STEWARDSHIP		
Park-Related 311 calls per 1,000 residents	17	11
Park Volunteer Groups	9	10



Percent Parkland of Total District Area

3
Out of 59
Rank of Percent Parkland

38
Out of 59
Rank of Residents within a 5 minute walk of a park

154
Child Asthma Incidences per 10,000

82
Life Expectancy (years)

22
Out of 59
Rank of Tree Canopy Cover

DEMOGRAPHICS	CD18	NYC
Resident Population	210K	8.4M
Residents under 18	23%	21%
Residents over 65	15%	14%
Average Median Household Income	$77K	$66K
Population in Poverty	11%	19%
Race: American Indian or Alaska Native	0%	0%
Race: Asian	5%	14%
Race: Black	64%	24%
Race: Multiracial	2%	4%
Race: Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	0%	0%
Race: Other	4%	15%
Race: White	26%	43%
Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino	9%	29%
HEALTH & ENVIRONMENT		
Child Asthma Incidences per 10,000	154	223
Child Obesity Rate	21%	20%
Life Expectancy (years)	82	81.2
Adult Obesity Rate	30%	24%
Adult Diabetes Rate	14%	11%
Hospitals and Clinics	11	19
Air Pollution (micrograms per m^3)	7.1	8
Tree Canopy Cover	19%	22%

Methodology and data sources available at www.ny4p.org/research

RESOURCES

NEW YORK CITY COMMUNITY BOARDS: www1.nyc.gov/site/cau/community-boards/community-boards.page

NEW YORK CITY COUNCIL: council.nyc.gov

NEW YORK CITY PARKS: nycgovparks.org

PARTNERSHIPS FOR PARKS: partnershipsforparks.org

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