East New York/Starrett City is suffering high rates of notices of foreclosure, ranking sixth in the City. The rate of home purchase lending has grown rapidly in CD 205, more than tripling since 2000 and ranking it first in the City in 2006. Almost 40% of those home purchase loans were subprime, the sixth highest rate in the City. The unemployment rate has dropped significantly in East New York/Starrett City, but on average, workers in CD 205 have the second longest commutes in the City. The community district is home to many households with children (49%), the third highest percentage in the City, but has one of the lowest percentages of people aged 65 and older.