

# Scott County

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Health Factors Rank

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Health Outcomes Rank

Population: 4,823



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	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Kansas 2021
Number of Counties Ranked	102	103	102	104	104	104
<b>Health Outcomes - Rank</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>N/A</b>
Length of life - Rank	30	4	46	38	6	N/A
Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000)	7003	4879			5565	7079
Quality of life - Rank	43	38	42	51	66	N/A
% Reporting poor or fair health, adults <sup>#</sup>					16	16
Average number of poor physical health days, adults <sup>#</sup>					4	4
Average number of poor mental health days, adults <sup>#</sup>					4	4
% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams	7.5	9	8.9	8	8.6	7.2
<b>Health Factors - Rank</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>N/A</b>
Health Behaviors - Rank	13	31	31	55	23	N/A
% Smokers, adults <sup>#</sup>					19	18
% Obese, adults age 20 and older	32	37	38	39	37	33
Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best)	8.9	8.9	8.9	9	9.1	6.7
% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older	27	30	28	30	29	24
% Access to exercise opportunities	55	81	80	81	81	80
% Excessive drinking, adults <sup>#</sup>					18	18
% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement	0	25	50	33	33	20
Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population	139	256	302	262	242	489
Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19	43	34	30	30	27	24
Clinical Care - Rank	87	90	63	45	79	N/A
% Uninsured, population under age 65	14	13	11	12	12	10
Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population	59	81	79	101	82	78
Dentists rate, per 100,000 population	40	40	40	41	41	60
Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population	60	99	101	102	124	205
Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees <sup>#</sup>			6338	4841	6714	3959
% Mammography screening, female Medicare enrollees age 65-74 <sup>#</sup>			53	49	42	45
% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees			27	28	33	49
Social & Economic Factors - Rank	17	9	4	13	18	N/A
% High school completion, adults age 25 and older <sup>@</sup>					84	91
% With some college, adults age 25-44	56	60	59	52	58	70
% Unemployed, population age 16 and older	2.8	2.6	2.2	2	1.9	3.2
% Children in poverty	12	11	11	13	11	14
Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile	3.2	3	3.5	3.2	3.9	4.3
% Children in single-parent households <sup>#</sup>					5	21
Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population	25.6	26.2	23.8	16.1	16.3	13.6
Violent crime rate, per 100,000 population	369	369	320	320	320	365
Injury death rate, per 100,000 population	116	100	84	88	89	76
Physical Environment - Rank	83	48	42	17	13	N/A
Average daily density of fine particulate matter	7.4	7.4	7	7	5.4	6.7
Drinking water violations? yes/no	Yes	No	No	No	No	
% Households with severe housing problems	16	11	12	10	9	13
% Driving alone to work	88	89	86	77	79	82
% Long commute - driving alone	19	16	19	14	15	21

Empty cells: Shaded cells indicate data are unavailable or omitted due to methodology changes. NR: Health outcomes (e.g., length of life) or health factors (e.g., health behaviors) were not ranked that year. N/A: State is not ranked against counties.

<sup>#</sup>The data sources or calculation of these measures has changed over time making comparisons with similar measures in prior years unreliable so the data have been omitted.

<sup>@</sup>Represents new measure for 2021.

Please refer to the [County Health Rankings & Roadmaps](#) to find out more about the indicator changes.

The annual *County Health Rankings* provide a snapshot of the health of Kansas counties. The *Rankings* are made up of two summary scores: **Health Factors** (which measure issues that can shape the health outcomes) and **Health Outcomes** (which measure length and quality of life). The following tables illustrate the “**drivers**,” or measures with the greatest impact on ranking position, for this county.

### What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the ranking position. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well. Drivers labeled with a red minus sign indicate priority areas which, if improved, could have the greatest impact on improving the rankings of the county.

#### Health Factors: Drivers with greatest impact on ranking, Scott County, KS - 2021

	Measure	Description	Factor Category	County Value	State Value	Impact on Rankings
1	Unemployment	Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work.	Social and Economic Environment	1.9%	3.2%	+
2	Adult smoking	Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted).	Health Behaviors	19%	18%	+
3	Children in poverty	Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty.	Social and Economic Environment	11%	14%	+
4	Preventable hospital stays	Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees.	Clinical Care	6714	3959	-
5	Children in single-parent households	Percentage of children that live in a household headed by single parent.	Social and Economic Environment	5%	21%	+

#### Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on ranking, Scott County, KS - 2021

	Measure	Description	Factor Category	County Value	State Value	Impact on Rankings
1	Premature death	Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted).	Length of Life	5565	7079	+
2	Low birthweight	Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams).	Quality of Life	8.6%	7.2%	-
3	Poor mental health days	Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	4	4	+
4	Poor physical health days	Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	4	4	+
5	Poor or fair health	Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	16%	16%	+

**NR:** Measure (e.g., premature death) could not be reported for this county or not applicable at the state level.

**+ Green Plus:** Measure with a positive impact on a county’s ranking position.

**- Red Minus:** Measure with a negative impact on a county’s ranking position.

*Technical Note: The state values are only provided as a point of reference. They have not been used in the determination of county rankings or top drivers for health outcomes and health factors. For more information on the calculation of score and rankings, please visit: <http://bit.ly/CHRzscores>.*