

# County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

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# 2016

Rice County

RICE COUNTY, KANSAS | 2012-2016 | Pop. 10,015

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Kansas 2016
Number of Counties Ranked	100	102	98	101	101	101
<b>Health Outcomes- Rank</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Length of life- Rank</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>n/a</b>
Premature death (Years of Potential Life Lost)	8067	7374	7374	7119	7995	6786
<b>Quality of life- Rank</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% Reporting poor or fair health*	14	11	12	12	14	14
# Poor physical health days*	4.2	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.2	3.1
# Poor mental health days*	3.9	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.1	3
% Low birthweight	7	7.2	6.6	6.6	6.2	7.1
<b>Health Factors- Rank</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Health Behaviors- Rank</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% Adult smokers*	19	16	16	16	17	17
% Obese adults	37	37	36	31	31	30
Food environment index			8.1	7.7	7.7	7.2
% Physically inactive adults	25	25	25	26	26	25
% Access to exercise opportunities			53	57	38	76
% Excessive drinking*	9	10	8	8	16	17
% Driving deaths with alcohol-impairment			42	38	47	33
Motor vehicle crash death rate	30	20				
Sexually transmitted infection rate	209	159	337	160	190	382
Teen birth rate	32	33	33	31	31	38
<b>Clinical Care- Rank</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% Uninsured	17	18	16	15	16	14
Primary care physicians rate*	39	49	40	30	30	75
Dentist rate		37	50	50	50	54
Mental health provider rate			10	20	20	181
Preventable hospital stays	85	66	72	62	61	55
% Diabetic screening	83	84	85	83	86	86
% Mammography screening	63	67	61	64	60	63
<b>Social &amp; Economic Factors- Rank</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% High school graduation*	94	88				85
% Population with some college	52	53	55	56	56	69
% Unemployed	4.9	4.7	4	3.9	3.6	4.5
% Children in poverty	18	21	20	18	20	18
Income inequality				4	4.5	4.4
% No social-emotional support	18	18	18			
% Children in single-parent households	28	28	30	29	28	29
Membership associations rate				22	23	13.9
Violent crime rate	292	186	162	125	125	360
Injury death rate			111	89	88	67
<b>Physical Environment- Rank</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>n/a</b>
Daily fine particulate matter		9.9	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.9
# Ozone days	0					
% Exposed to unsafe drinking water		0	0	1		
Drinking water violations? yes/no					Yes	0.51
% Severe housing problems			11	9	10	13
% Limited access to healthy foods	6	6				
% Driving alone to work			76	75	72	82
% Long commute - driving alone			24	21	19	20
Access to recreational facilities rate	0	0				
% Restaurants that are fast food	54	53				

Empty cells: Shaded = Item was not used to calculate rankings that year; White = Data unavailable. 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.

\* Represent substantial changes in data sources or calculation of the measure that would affect year-to-year comparisons. Please refer to the County Health Rankings & Roadmaps to find out more about the indicator changes.

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