

County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

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Rooks County

ROOKS COUNTY, KANSAS | 2012-2016 | Pop. 5,155

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Kansas 2016
Number of Counties Ranked	100	102	98	101	101	101
Health Outcomes- Rank	74	37	41	75	40	n/a
Length of life- Rank	86	29	29	89	45	n/a
Premature death (Years of Potential Life Lost)	8954	6544	6544	9727	7679	6786
Quality of life- Rank	40	45	58	40	41	n/a
% Reporting poor or fair health*	13	13	14	14	13	14
# Poor physical health days*	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	3	3.1
# Poor mental health days*	2.5	2.9	2.8	2.8	3	3
% Low birthweight	6.8	6.6	7.2	5.9	6.8	7.1
Health Factors- Rank	50	26	31	30	21	n/a
Health Behaviors- Rank	46	36	40	42	33	n/a
% Adult smokers*	20	21	22	22	17	17
% Obese adults	30	30	31	30	32	30
Food environment index			8	7.5	7.3	7.2
% Physically inactive adults	28	28	27	29	30	25
% Access to exercise opportunities			47	72	71	76
% Excessive drinking*	12	8			16	17
% Driving deaths with alcohol-impairment			43	33	25	33
Motor vehicle crash death rate	43	41				
Sexually transmitted infection rate	312	154	77	134	191	382
Teen birth rate	32	30	33	34	31	38
Clinical Care- Rank	20	19	16	10	24	n/a
% Uninsured	17	20	17	15	16	14
Primary care physicians rate*	59	77	116	115	96	75
Dentist rate		19	19	39	39	54
Mental health provider rate				39	39	181
Preventable hospital stays	80	51	54	46	57	55
% Diabetic screening	96	96	87	89	85	86
% Mammography screening	73	76	72	63	71	63
Social & Economic Factors- Rank	64	31	36	46	27	n/a
% High school graduation*	85	91				85
% Population with some college	62	64	63	66	73	69
% Unemployed	6.3	5.6	4.7	4.3	3.6	4.5
% Children in poverty	19	17	17	19	16	18
Income inequality				4.1	4.1	4.4
% No social-emotional support	11	11	11			
% Children in single-parent households	29	27	27	29	30	29
Membership associations rate				21.1	25	13.9
Violent crime rate		78	60	59	59	360
Injury death rate			92	88	92	67
Physical Environment- Rank	40	66	74	60	43	n/a
Daily fine particulate matter		10.4	12.4	12.4	12.4	10.9
# Ozone days	0					
% Exposed to unsafe drinking water		17	9	0		
Drinking water violations? yes/no					No	0.51
% Severe housing problems			9	8	10	13
% Limited access to healthy foods	6	6				
% Driving alone to work			78	80	78	82
% Long commute - driving alone			18	17	18	20
Access to recreational facilities rate	0	0				
% Restaurants that are fast food	36	31				

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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