

# County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

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# 2016

Washington County

WASHINGTON COUNTY, KANSAS | 2012-2016 | Pop. 5,598

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Kansas 2016
Number of Counties Ranked	100	102	98	101	101	101
<b>Health Outcomes- Rank</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Length of life- Rank</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>n/a</b>
Premature death (Years of Potential Life Lost)	8600	5685	5685	4840	5800	6786
<b>Quality of life- Rank</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% Reporting poor or fair health*	13	11			12	14
# Poor physical health days*	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.9	3.1
# Poor mental health days*	2.6	2.4			2.8	3
% Low birthweight	7.4	6	5.5	6.1	6.8	7.1
<b>Health Factors- Rank</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>n/a</b>
<b>Health Behaviors- Rank</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% Adult smokers*	17	16	19	19	15	17
% Obese adults	33	33	34	33	32	30
Food environment index			7.1	6.8	6.6	7.2
% Physically inactive adults	25	25	28	31	31	25
% Access to exercise opportunities			26	37	23	76
% Excessive drinking*	23	24	22	22	16	17
% Driving deaths with alcohol-impairment			0	11	14	33
Motor vehicle crash death rate	33	27				
Sexually transmitted infection rate	190	104	103	70	122	382
Teen birth rate	18	18	18	16	16	38
<b>Clinical Care- Rank</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% Uninsured	18	18	17	16	18	14
Primary care physicians rate*	35	34	34	35	53	75
Dentist rate		17	17	18	18	54
Mental health provider rate						181
Preventable hospital stays	89	82	110	84	66	55
% Diabetic screening	94	89	87	84	82	86
% Mammography screening	71	69	74	69	66	63
<b>Social &amp; Economic Factors- Rank</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>n/a</b>
% High school graduation*	97	94				85
% Population with some college	72	70	72	70	66	69
% Unemployed	4.7	4.5	4.1	3.7	3.2	4.5
% Children in poverty	16	16	14	15	15	18
Income inequality				4	4	4.4
% No social-emotional support	21	21	21			
% Children in single-parent households	8	10	12	14	19	29
Membership associations rate				39.9	40.9	13.9
Violent crime rate	69	58	86	86	86	360
Injury death rate			72	69	101	67
<b>Physical Environment- Rank</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>n/a</b>
Daily fine particulate matter		9	9.9	9.9	9.9	10.9
# Ozone days	0					
% Exposed to unsafe drinking water		52	26	2		
Drinking water violations? yes/no					Yes	0.51
% Severe housing problems			8	8	8	13
% Limited access to healthy foods	18	17				
% Driving alone to work			70	71	74	82
% Long commute - driving alone			22	21	23	20
Access to recreational facilities rate	0	0				
% Restaurants that are fast food	18					

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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