

Marion County

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Health Factors Rank

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Health Outcomes Rank

Population: 11,884



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	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Kansas 2021
Number of Counties Ranked	102	103	102	104	104	104
Health Outcomes - Rank	21	19	8	12	27	N/A
Length of life - Rank	33	41	26	19	34	N/A
Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000)	7119	7517	7186	6758	7442	7079
Quality of life - Rank	14	11	6	11	34	N/A
% Reporting poor or fair health, adults [#]					16	16
Average number of poor physical health days, adults [#]					4	4
Average number of poor mental health days, adults [#]					4	4
% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams	5.1	5.2	5	5.4	6.4	7.2
Health Factors - Rank	15	28	36	31	42	N/A
Health Behaviors - Rank	4	10	16	34	58	N/A
% Smokers, adults [#]					20	18
% Obese, adults age 20 and older	31	34	35	40	40	33
Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best)	7.4	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8	6.7
% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older	26	31	30	29	27	24
% Access to exercise opportunities	31	69	52	52	52	80
% Excessive drinking, adults [#]					19	18
% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement	11	17	15	17	14	20
Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population	147	139	165	134	209	489
Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19	18	17	15	15	15	24
Clinical Care - Rank	31	48	64	42	43	N/A
% Uninsured, population under age 65	12	11	12	11	10	10
Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population	33	25	33	33	17	78
Dentists rate, per 100,000 population	25	17	25	33	25	60
Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population	50	50	58	50	50	205
Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees [#]			3810	2983	3313	3959
% Mammography screening, female Medicare enrollees age 65-74 [#]			39	41	44	45
% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees			38	37	42	49
Social & Economic Factors - Rank	34	36	44	24	22	N/A
% High school completion, adults age 25 and older [@]					92	91
% With some college, adults age 25-44	58	60	65	66	69	70
% Unemployed, population age 16 and older	3.9	4.3	3.6	3.1	3	3.2
% Children in poverty	14	13	14	12	13	14
Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile	3.9	3.8	3.9	3.7	3.6	4.3
% Children in single-parent households [#]					19	21
Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population	30.3	31.4	28.9	27.5	29.3	13.6
Violent crime rate, per 100,000 population	84	84	100	100	100	365
Injury death rate, per 100,000 population	94	82	81	83	95	76
Physical Environment - Rank	43	69	45	73	71	N/A
Average daily density of fine particulate matter	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	7.3	6.7
Drinking water violations? yes/no	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
% Households with severe housing problems	11	11	11	10	10	13
% Driving alone to work	77	78	78	77	76	82
% Long commute - driving alone	25	25	27	29	32	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.

[#]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.

[@]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, Marion County, KS - 2021

	Measure	Description	Factor Category	County Value	State Value	Impact on Rankings
1	Adult obesity	Percentage of the adult population (age 20 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to 30 kg/m2.	Health Behaviors	40%	33%	-
2	Children in poverty	Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty.	Social and Economic Environment	13%	14%	+
3	Preventable hospital stays	Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees.	Clinical Care	3313	3959	+
4	Primary care physicians	# of primary care physicians per 100,000 population	Clinical Care	17	78	-
5	Teen births	Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19.	Health Behaviors	15	24	+

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on ranking, Marion 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	7442	7079	+
2	Poor or fair health	Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	16%	16%	+
3	Low birthweight	Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams).	Quality of Life	6.4%	7.2%	+
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 mental health days	Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	4	4	+

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>.