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Population: 4,815

2022

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.

Empty cells: Shaded cells indicate data are unavailable or omitted due to methodology changes.

The data source or calculation of this measures has changed over time, making comparisons with similar measures in prior years unreliable so the data have been omitted.

^ Represents new measure added in 2019.

@ Represents new measure added in 2021.

α Source data have not been updated since the 2018 County Health Rankings Release.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Kansas 2022
Number of Counties Ranked	103	102	104	104	104	104
Health Outcomes - Rank	88	71	64	46	40	N/A
Length of life - Rank	83	46	38	17	13	N/A
Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000)	9076			6669	6616	7458
Quality of life - Rank	81	76	67	79	72	N/A
% Reporting poor or fair health, adults [#]				17	17	17
Average number of poor physical health days, adults [#]				4	4	4
Average number of poor mental health days, adults [#]				4	5	5
% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams	8.6	7.9	7.7	8.7	7.5	7.2
Health Factors - Rank	19	16	19	31	24	N/A
Health Behaviors - Rank	13	39	28	47	71	N/A
% Smokers, adults [#]				20	19	17
% Obese, adults age 20 and older [#]					38	36
Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best)	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	6.7
% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older [#]					31	27
% Access to exercise opportunities	54	57	39	39	32	73
% Excessive drinking, adults [#]				20	20	20
% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement	0	0	0	0	33	19
Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population	108	184	149	112	115	525
Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19	21	18	17	14	13	22
Clinical Care - Rank	65	44	51	61	48	N/A
% Uninsured, population under age 65	10	10	11	11	11	11
Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population	18	37	37	56	57	79
Dentists rate, per 100,000 population	37	37	38	38	39	61
Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population	166	168	169	191	193	214
Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees [#]		4006	5185	5980	4917	3645
% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 [#]		41	49	46	48	46
% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees ^α		38	39	39	38	49
Social & Economic Factors - Rank	22	13	23	12	5	N/A
% High school completion, adults age 25 and older [@]				92	93	91
% With some college, adults age 25-44	73	70	69	70	79	71
% Unemployed, population age 16 and older	3.2	3.0	2.5	2.6	3.4	5.9
% Children in poverty	17	16	19	16	14	13
Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.5	4.3
% Children in single-parent households [#]				11	10	21
Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population	31.3	33.2	27.9	30.1	28.7	13.5
Violent crime rate, per 100,000 population ^α	121	138	138	138	138	365
Injury death rate, per 100,000 population	102	84	81	71	64	78
Physical Environment- Rank	22	12	18	40	19	N/A
Average daily density of fine particulate matter	7.8	7.1	7.1	5.5	6.6	7.5
Drinking water violations?	No	No	No	Yes	No	
% Households with severe housing problems	8	6	6	7	9	13
% Driving alone to work	80	80	82	84	82	81
% Long commute - driving alone	15	15	15	15	16	22

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, Phillips County, KS - 2022

	Measure	Description	Factor Category	County Value	State Value	Impact on Rankings
1	Some college	Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education.	Social and Economic Environment	79%	71%	+
2	Unemployment	Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work.	Social and Economic Environment	3.4%	5.9%	+
3	Adult smoking	Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted).	Health Behaviors	19%	17%	-
4	Children in single-parent households	Percentage of children that live in a household headed by a single parent.	Social and Economic Environment	10%	21%	+
5	Injury deaths	Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population.	Social and Economic Environment	64	78	+

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on ranking, Phillips County, KS - 2022

	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	6616	7458	+
2	Low birthweight	Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams).	Quality of Life	7.5%	7.2%	-
3	Poor mental health days	Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	5	5	-
4	Poor or fair health	Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	17%	17%	+
5	Poor physical health days	Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	Quality of Life	4	4	-

NR: Measure could not be reported for this county.

+ 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. Drivers are provided in order of impact on ranking for this year. For more information on the calculation of score and rankings, please visit: <http://bit.ly/CHRzscores>.



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