

Data Walk: Wichita Business Journal

NEIGHBORHOODS



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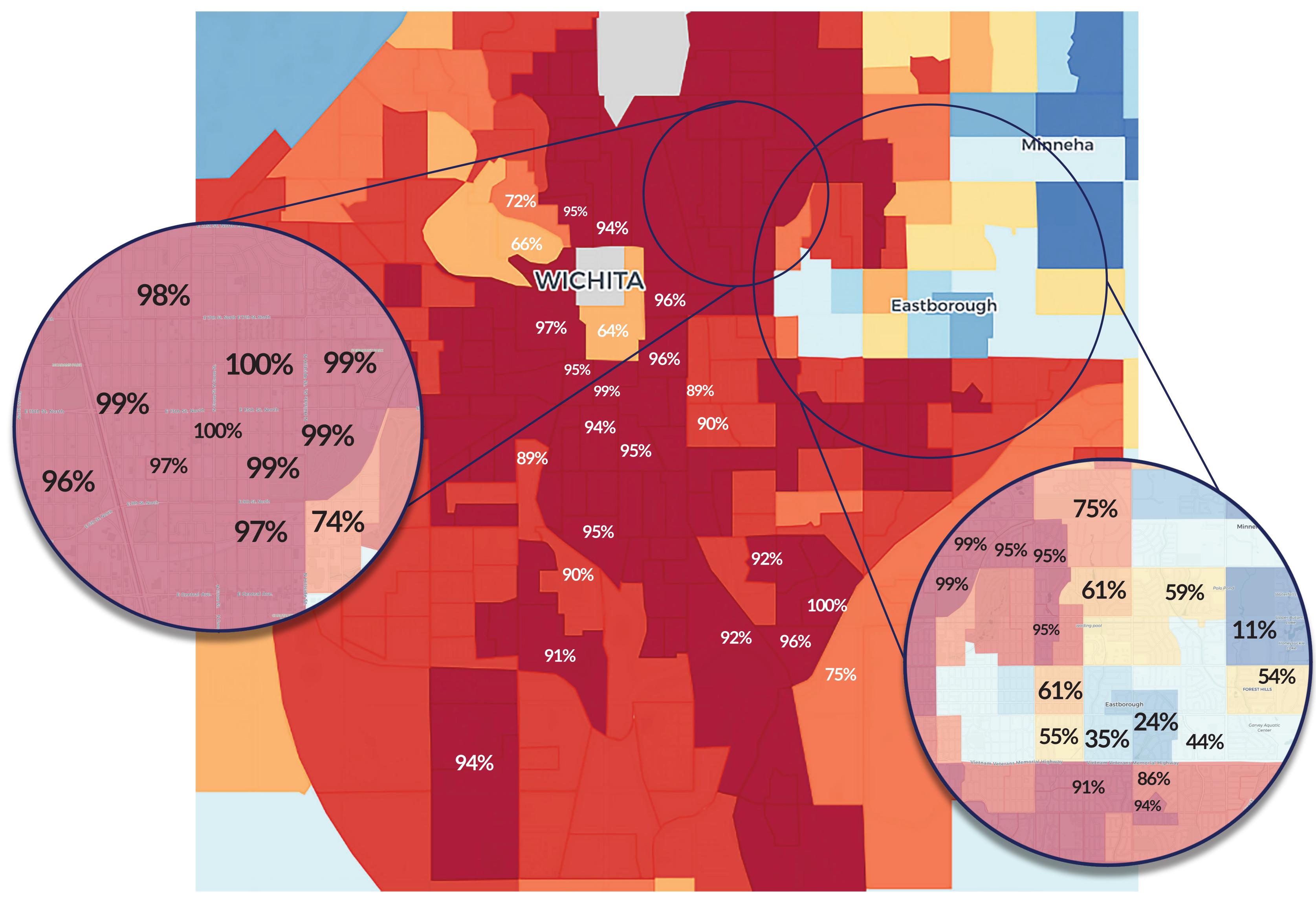
What This Measures:

The Area Deprivation Index calculates comparative levels of deprivation (compared to nation or state) based on factors of income, education, employment and housing quality.

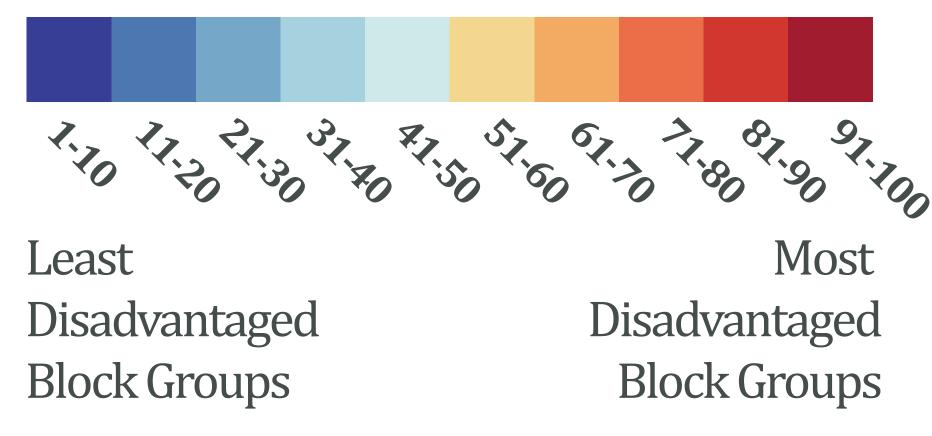
CONCENTRATED DISADVANTAGE

Many of the city of Wichita neighborhoods are ranked among the most disadvantaged of all neighborhoods in the United States. This is contrasted by lower levels of disadvantage in eastern city of Wichita neighborhoods north of Kellogg.

2021 Area Deprivation Index of Wichita Metro Area



National Percentile Rank



Note: "Neighborhood" is defined as census block group. Higher percentiles represent greater levels of disadvantage in a census block group. A percentile rank of 1 signifies the least disadvantaged census block groups nationally. A percentile rank of 100 signifies the most disadvantaged census block group nationally. 2021 ADI constructed using American Community Survey 2017-2021 5-year estimates. ADI is reported as a percentile rank (even groups of 100) when compared nationally or a decile rank (even groups of 10) when compared to the state. *Source: University of Wisconsin Madison Applied Population Lab Neighborhood Atlas, 2021.*

Why this is important: The neighborhood you live in has impacts on your health outcomes, including rates of diabetes, cardiovascular disease and death. Understanding where disadvantage is concentrated in communities can help decision-makers develop solutions with the community members with the greatest need. (Source: University of Wisconsin's Neighborhood Atlas.)

