# Allen County 

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Health Outcomes

Allen County<br>Least Healthy in US

Health Factors

## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 12,579 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9000 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 6.5 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 20 | 22 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 40 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.3 | 6.1 | 7.4 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 26 | 29 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 76 | 76 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 14 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 152 | 256 | 340 | 291 | 248.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 25 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 64 | 64 | 73 | 65 | 64 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 56 | 57 | 56 | 56 | 64 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 121 | 121 | 137 | 152 | 191 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5582 | 5456 | 4620 | 2699 | 3043 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 34 | 31 | 34 | 35 | 41 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 38 | 40 | 43 | 44 | 35 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 93 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 61 | 61 | 57 | 58 | 59 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4 | 3.5 | 5.4 | 3 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 27 | 24 | 20 | 23 | 21 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 26 | 27 | 32 | 34 | 31 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 12 | 10.4 | 10.5 | 11.3 | 11.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 80 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.5 | 7.6 | 8.5 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 85 | 82 | 79 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 15 | 18 | 15 | 18 | 22 | 36 |

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Allen County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 42\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 80 | 80 | + |
| 5 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 11\% | 26\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Allen County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9000 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.3 | 4.8 | - |

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| Population: 7,776 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8094 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.7 | 5.5 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 39 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.4 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 28 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 49 | 49 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 28 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 255 | 166 | 229 | 127 | 205.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 23 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 38 | 38 | 38 | 38 | 39 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 25 | 25 | 26 | 26 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 38 | 51 | 63 | 51 | 51 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3071 | 3032 | 3662 | 3110 | 1573 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 45 | 46 | 42 | 53 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 27 | 28 | 31 | 35 | 31 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 89 | 86 | 86 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 61 | 61 | 57 | 60 | 53 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.3 | 4.1 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 13 | 16 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 4.3 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 17 | 15 | 23 | 27 | 23 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 11.5 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 8.8 | 9.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 112 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.2 | 7.2 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 13 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 73 | 75 | 75 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 35 | 40 | 43 | 41 | 36 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1573 | 2681 | + |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 4 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 53\% | 43\% | + |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 112 | 80 | - |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Anderson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8094 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |

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| Population: 16,108 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9136 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.6 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 21 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 36 | 44 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.2 | 7.4 | 7.2 | 7.4 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 82 | 82 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 18 | 13 | 19 | 19 | 11 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 300 | 282 | 280 | 261 | 326.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 49 | 44 | 44 | 49 | 78 | 75 |
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| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 142 | 162 | 169 | 185 | 199 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5497 | 4816 | 4978 | 4326 | 3835 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 43 | 40 | 41 | 39 | 46 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 27 | 30 | 33 | 35 | 35 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 93 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 69 | 65 | 58 | 58 | 58 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.6 | 5.2 | 6.9 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 17 | 15 | 17 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.8 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 13 | 15 | 17 | 22 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 14.7 | 12.4 | 11.8 | 13.7 | 11.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  |  | 108 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.7 | 7.6 | 8.5 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 75 | 79 | 82 | 82 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 22 | 24 | 26 | 26 | 29 | 22 | 36 |

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| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3835 | 2681 | - |
| 4 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 11\% | 26\% | + |
| 5 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 9\% | 10\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Atchison County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9136 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.4 | 4.8 | - |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9575 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 21 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 40 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 26 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 47 | 47 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 218 | 414 | 339 | 339 | 243.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 15 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 44 | 45 | 45 | 46 | 49 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 22 | 23 | 23 | 24 | 49 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4831 | 4821 | 5841 | 5042 | 5135 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 37 | 35 | 36 | 28 | 36 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 24 | 24 | 24 | 29 | 27 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 92 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 57 | 62 | 60 | 60 | 57 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5.3 | 5.3 | 4.9 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 28 | 23 | 21 | 18 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 28.3 | 29.1 | 27.1 | 25.2 | 29.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 128 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.6 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 83 | 86 | 87 | 86 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 23 | 25 | 28 | 26 | 21 | 22 | 36 |

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# Barber County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Barber County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 5135 | 2681 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 29.2 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 128 | 80 | - |
| 5 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 27\% | 46\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Barber County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9575 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.6 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Barton County 

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## Health Outcomes



State Average

Health Factors

# Barton County 

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 25,080 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10127 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.6 | 7 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 36 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.3 | 7 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 25 | 30 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 81 | 80 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 16 | 15 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 389 | 336 | 485 | 384 | 392.6 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 27 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 13 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 53 | 57 | 58 | 55 | 63 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 50 | 47 | 55 | 56 | 56 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 226 | 237 | 249 | 250 | 251 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4460 | 3755 | 4015 | 2712 | 2732 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 41 | 40 | 44 | 36 | 46 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 31 | 32 | 31 | 32 | 30 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 89 | 89 | 89 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 58 | 61 | 60 | 59 | 61 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.3 | 3.1 | 4.6 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 17 | 15 | 22 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 40 | 23 | 25 | 26 | 29 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 20.4 | 19.1 | 20.6 | 19.9 | 19.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 92 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.9 | 6.1 | 7.1 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 84 | 86 | 83 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 11 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Barton County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 19.8 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 40\% | 34\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Barton County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10127 | 7972 | - |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |

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# Bourbon County 

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## Bourbon County

## Health

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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 14,493 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10585 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.3 | 6.9 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 40 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.1 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 47 | 53 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 325 | 285 | 310 | 427 | 607.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 26 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 54 | 48 | 55 | 55 | 42 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 27 | 28 | 28 | 28 | 28 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 69 | 69 | 77 | 83 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4004 | 3250 | 3487 | 2187 | 2228 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 45 | 47 | 43 | 43 | 46 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 47 | 51 | 44 | 49 | 41 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 91 | 90 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 62 | 59 | 56 | 60 | 62 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.2 | 4.2 | 5.6 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 23 | 22 | 21 | 22 | 24 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.6 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 27 | 18 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 14.2 | 15 | 15.1 | 13.2 | 14.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 85 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.5 | 7.6 | 8.3 | 8 | 8.0 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 72 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 21 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 24 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Bourbon County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 24\% | 16\% | - |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 41\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 2228 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 20\% | 15\% | - |
| 5 | Sexually Transmitted Infections | Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population. | Health Behaviors | 607.4 | 495.5 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Bourbon County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10585 | 7972 | - |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |

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# Brown County 

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Health Outcomes


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## Health Factors

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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## Population: 9,364

| - | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10759 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.4 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 20 | 22 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 41 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 7.9 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 27 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 60 | 60 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 21 | 29 | 35 | 35 | 28 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 249 | 249 | 366 | 387 | 338.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 25 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 104 | 104 | 94 | 95 | 85 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 42 | 52 | 53 | 53 | 53 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 344 | 335 | 337 | 349 | 331 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2321 | 3037 | 7173 | 4983 | 4029 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 36 | 45 | 37 | 45 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 26 | 28 | 28 | 29 | 27 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 93 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 62 | 61 | 63 | 62 | 63 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3 | 3.2 | 4.5 | 2.7 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 21 | 16 | 19 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 38 | 25 | 25 | 21 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 23.9 | 22.9 | 22 | 21.1 | 23.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 111 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.4 | 7.4 | 8.4 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 79 | 79 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 20 | 20 | 17 | 16 | 17 | 22 | 36 |

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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 4029 | 2681 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 23.3 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 27\% | 46\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Brown County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10759 | 7972 | - |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |

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# Butler County 

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## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

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## Health

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| Population: 68,240 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8130 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 38 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 8 | 8.1 | 8 | 8.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 22 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 64 | 63 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 19 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 22 | 24 | 24 | 30 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 295 | 289 | 344 | 345 | 493.5 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 13 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 63 | 66 | 66 | 75 | 78 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 27 | 28 | 27 | 27 | 26 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 118 | 120 | 116 | 125 | 136 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3928 | 3823 | 3235 | 2374 | 1854 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 39 | 38 | 37 | 40 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 49 | 51 | 51 | 55 | 49 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 73 | 73 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.2 | 6.5 | 3.5 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 12 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 21 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 12.3 | 12 | 12 | 11.3 | 11.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 83 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.6 | 7.9 | 8.5 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 84 | 83 | 84 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 33 | 35 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 22 | 36 |

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| 1 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 9\% | 16\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 73\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8130 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |

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# Chase County 

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Health Outcomes

Health Factors
Least Healthy in US Chase County
National Average

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Population: 2,548

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (yea |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or fair |
| Average number of p |
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| \% Low birthweight, < 2,50 |
| Health Factors |}

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| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 36 | 39 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.5 | 5.7 | 5.9 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 22 | 26 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 65 | 65 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 20 | 17 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 23 | 12 | 21 | 21 | 38 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 186 | 224 |  |  | 192.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 9 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2063 | 2321 | 4425 | 2836 | 1441 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 53 | 50 | 45 | 44 | 44 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 37 | 40 | 42 | 45 | 39 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 94 | 93 | 93 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 64 | 66 | 68 | 63 | 56 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.8 | 5.5 | 2.4 | 2.2 |
| \% Children in poverty | 13 | 16 | 13 | 15 | 15 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.3 | 4.1 | 4 | 3.5 | 4.1 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 21 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 107 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.6 | 6.9 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.7 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 8 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 72 | 75 | 74 | 75 | 80 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 29 | 30 | 32 | 30 | 28 |


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| 8079 | 7972 |
|  |  |
| 14 | 14 |
| 3.2 | 3.3 |
| 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 7 | 8 |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| 16 | 15 |
| 37 | 34 |
| 7.1 | 7.7 |
| 23 | 23 |
| 80 | 84 |
| 20 | 18 |
| 20 | 26 |
| 506.1 | 495.5 |
| 19 | 17 |
|  |  |
| 11 | 10 |
| 78 | 75 |
| 63 | 74 |
| 237 | 314 |
| 2576 | 2681 |
| 48 | 43 |
| 47 | 46 |
|  |  |
| 92 | 89 |
| 71 | 68 |
| 2.7 | 3.7 |
| 14 | 16 |
| 4.4 | 4.9 |
| 21 | 25 |
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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.2\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1441 | 2681 | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 0.0 | 9.1 | - |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 15\% | 16\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Chase County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Chautauqua County 

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## Population: 3,415

## Health Outcomes

| Length of life |
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| Premature death (yea |
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| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, < 2,50 |
| Health Factors |
| Health Behaviors |


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 24 | 22 | 24 | 23 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 41 | 43 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.7 | 6.3 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 34 | 28 | 30 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 3 | 45 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 327 | 238 | 185 | 431 | 294.6 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 35 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 16 | 15 | 16 | 15 | 16 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 30 |  |  |  |  | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 30 | 62 | 62 | 59 | 59 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 31 | 29 | 59 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4310 | 2924 | 3870 | 1988 | 1729 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 28 | 24 | 23 | 19 | 24 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 30 | 32 | 31 | 36 | 26 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 87 | 86 | 88 | 89 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 56 | 61 | 61 | 62 | 61 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4 | 3.9 | 6.1 | 4 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 27 | 25 | 26 | 24 | 27 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 37 | 22 | 23 | 21 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 17.8 | 15.1 | 15.4 | 15.5 | 17.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 109 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.1 | 7.6 | 8.7 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
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| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 23\% | 15\% | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 43\% | 34\% | - |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 27\% | 16\% | - |
| 5 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 24\% | 43\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Chautauqua County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.3 | 4.8 | - |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | - |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.9 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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| Population: 19,088 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 12000 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1]}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.1 | 8.6 | 8.9 | 8.9 | 9 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 21 | 22 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 36 | 43 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.7 | 7.4 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 26 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 54 | 72 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 27 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 19 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 328 | 333 | 426 | 351 | 250.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 28 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 25 | 25 | 20 | 21 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 30 | 25 | 26 | 26 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 145 | 145 | 152 | 162 | 162 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5063 | 5521 | 4616 | 2804 | 3279 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 32 | 39 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 43 | 41 | 44 | 41 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 90 | 88 | 88 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 65 | 64 | 59 | 57 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.8 | 3.4 | 5.2 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 23 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 23 | 24 | 18 | 17 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 11.9 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 11.7 | 12.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 97 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.9 | 8.6 | 9.3 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 83 | 83 | 84 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 22 | 23 | 21 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 36 |

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# Cherokee County 

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Cherokee County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 43\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 21 | 75 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Cherokee County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 12000 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 9\% | 8\% | - |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Cheyenne County 

Health Outcomes


Health Factors

| County Health |
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Health
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## Population: 2,583

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of p |
| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 37 | 39 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.4 | 8.4 | 7.9 | 8 | 7.8 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 24 | 28 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 57 | 2 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 16 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 188 |  | 189.9 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 24 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 14 | 14 | 16 | 12 | 15 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 37 |  | 38 | 38 |  |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 75 | 75 | 77 | 76 | 77 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 38 | 38 | 38 | 38 | 155 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5549 | 4868 | 3429 | 3429 | 1892 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 29 | 27 | 29 | 27 | 25 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 36 | 37 | 48 | 41 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 62 | 67 | 72 | 71 | 74 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 2.4 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 19 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.5 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 5.2 | 4.7 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 19 | 26 | 26 | 24 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 22.4 | 30.1 | 33.9 | 34.6 | 38.0 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 121 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.2 | 5.1 | 5.7 | 5.1 | 5.1 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 9 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 76 | 76 | 75 | 76 | 78 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 12 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 20 |


| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
| 8079 | 7972 |
| 14 | 14 |
| 3.2 | 3.3 |
| 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 7 | 8 |
| 16 | 15 |
| 37 | 34 |
| 7.1 | 7.7 |
| 23 | 23 |
| 80 | 84 |
| 20 | 18 |
| 20 | 26 |
| 506.1 | 495.5 |
| 19 | 17 |
| 11 | 10 |
| 78 | 75 |
| 63 | 74 |
| 237 | 314 |
| 2576 | 2681 |
| 48 | 43 |
| 47 | 46 |
| 92 | 89 |
| 71 | 68 |
| 2.7 | 3.7 |
| 14 | 16 |
| 4.4 | 4.9 |
| 21 | 25 |
| 13.2 | 9.1 |
| 82 | 80 |
| 6.7 | 7.4 |
| 12 | 17 |
| 78 | 72 |
| 22 | 36 |

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## What do these drivers mean?

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Cheyenne County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 38.0 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 74\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 25\% | 43\% | - |
| 5 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Cheyenne County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 10\% | 8\% | - |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.6 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Clark County 

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Health Factors

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 1,933 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8 | 8.1 | 7 | 7 |  | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 36 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.7 | 5.6 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 41 | 41 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 200 | 299 | 251 | 255 | 253 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 51 | 52 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2854 | 4549 | 3399 | 2360 | 473 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 38 | 42 | 40 | 41 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 29 | 28 | 29 | 29 | 28 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 94 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 68 | 70 | 76 | 77 | 79 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 18 | 14 | 19 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.1 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 42 | 34 | 27 | 24 | 18 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 34.9 | 34.9 | 30.1 | 25.5 | 30.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 191 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.1 | 5.7 | 6.8 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 15 | 12 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 78 | 77 | 75 | 75 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 25 | 23 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 191 | 80 | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 473 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 253 | 75 | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 79\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Clark County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | N/A | 8\% | N/A |

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# Clay County 

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## Health Outcomes

National Average<br>State Average

## Health Factors

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## Health

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## Population: 8,043

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of p |
| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 18 | 18 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 39 | 38 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 8 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 8.0 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 27 | 21 | 25 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 56 | 56 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 21 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 11 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 11 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 214 | 113 | 287 | 250 | 235.2 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 12 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 9 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 126 | 125 | 125 | 137 | 136 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 50 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 37 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 88 | 75 | 75 | 99 | 87 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5142 | 5360 | 4996 | 3452 | 3988 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 47 | 46 | 44 | 43 | 48 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 38 | 41 | 40 | 45 | 39 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 94 | 94 | 94 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 73 | 67 | 73 | 70 | 70 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 3.2 | 4.5 | 2.6 | 2.6 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 15 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.6 | 3.9 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.5 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 24 | 15 | 14 | 23 | 18 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 26.4 | 28.8 | 28.7 | 29.9 | 28.5 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 100 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.3 | 6.8 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.1 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 11 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 82 | 85 | 82 | 80 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 26 | 25 | 27 | 27 | 28 |


| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
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|  |  |
|  |  |
| 8079 | 7972 |
|  |  |
| 14 | 14 |
| 3.2 | 3.3 |
| 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 7 | 8 |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| 16 | 15 |
| 37 | 34 |
| 7.1 | 7.7 |
| 23 | 23 |
| 80 | 84 |
| 20 | 18 |
| 20 | 26 |
| 506.1 | 495.5 |
| 19 | 17 |
|  |  |
| 11 | 10 |
| 78 | 75 |
| 63 | 74 |
| 237 | 314 |
| 2576 | 2681 |
| 48 | 43 |
| 47 | 46 |
|  |  |
| 92 | 89 |
| 71 | 68 |
| 2.7 | 3.7 |
| 14 | 16 |
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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Clay County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 28.5 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 136 | 75 | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3988 | 2681 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Clay County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 6157 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |

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# Cloud County 

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## Health Factors

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Health Outcomes


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## Health

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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 8,946 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9321 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 39 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 80 | 81 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 18 | 14 | 27 | 27 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 434 | 311 | 319 | 228 | 201.6 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 44 | 46 | 46 | 58 | 56 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 34 | 34 | 35 | 34 | 34 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 183 | 171 | 185 | 190 | 224 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5937 | 6412 | 5153 | 2785 | 2623 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 46 | 45 | 48 | 43 | 45 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 32 | 35 | 34 | 38 | 35 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 94 | 95 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 65 | 64 | 65 | 67 | 73 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.2 | 4.1 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 18 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 4 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 35 | 22 | 20 | 18 | 19 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 31.1 | 33.2 | 30.7 | 31.2 | 31.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 86 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.1 | 6.6 | 7.5 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 83 | 86 | 86 | 85 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 17 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 19 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 31.4 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 73\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 8\% | 10\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Cloud County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9321 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |

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# Coffey County 

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## Health Factors

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| Population: 8,280 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8137 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 16 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1]}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.8 | 6.1 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 36 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.3 | 7.3 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 27 | 23 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 49 | 49 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 122 | 207 | 220 | 293 | 263.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 13 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 85 | 73 | 86 | 86 | 72 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 49 | 37 | 49 | 48 | 36 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 146 | 147 | 147 | 144 | 145 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4901 | 3575 | 1906 | 2272 | 2306 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 47 | 43 | 49 | 38 | 43 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 38 | 41 | 42 | 39 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 93 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 72 | 72 | 70 | 69 | 68 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.8 | 4.5 | 5.2 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 12 | 11 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.7 | 4.8 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 31 | 26 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 9.7 | 10.9 | 12.2 | 12.3 | 12.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 112 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.2 | 7.2 | 8.5 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 84 | 82 | 82 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 68\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 112 | 80 | - |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 18\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Coffey County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8137 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |

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## Population: 1,681

| Population:1,081 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  | 14 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.6 | 8.7 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 22 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 44 | 45 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 15 | 13 | 14 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 112 | 114 | 118 | 118 | 120 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6156 | 3071 | 4183 | 2514 | 1564 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 57 | 51 | 48 | 50 | 54 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 47 | 53 | 49 | 50 | 43 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 96 | 96 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 63 | 67 | 62 | 69 | 75 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.5 | 2.6 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.8 | 4.3 | 4 | 4.2 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 27 | 25 | 24 | 27 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 44.7 | 45.8 | 47.1 | 35.5 | 41.9 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 151 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.2 | 5.9 | 7 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 5 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.2\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 151 | 80 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 41.9 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Comanche County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | N/A | 8\% | N/A |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Cowley County 

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| Population: 34,453 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9975 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 14 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.5 | 7.8 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 20 | 20 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 39 | 44 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.9 | 6.8 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 34 | 26 | 30 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 72 | 72 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 17 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 26 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 10 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 419 | 433 | 450 | 427 | 414.5 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 26 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 51 | 51 | 46 | 43 | 41 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 40 | 46 | 49 | 49 | 55 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 133 | 146 | 159 | 159 | 165 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3662 | 3922 | 3597 | 2130 | 2180 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 40 | 40 | 39 | 34 | 39 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 41 | 49 | 50 | 52 | 48 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 60 | 62 | 62 | 62 | 62 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.4 | 3.4 | 6.5 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 22 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 22 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 36 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 29 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 16.7 | 16.2 | 16 | 16.2 | 15.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 89 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.3 | 7.8 | 8.6 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 82 | 80 | 81 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 22 | 21 | 22 | 21 | 23 | 22 | 36 |

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# Cowley County 

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The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 44\% | 34\% | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 2180 | 2681 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Cowley County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.7 | 4.8 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.0 | 3.3 | - |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9975 | 7972 | - |

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# Crawford County 

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| Population: 39,078 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11191 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.5 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 19 | 21 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 28 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 78 | 75 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 7 | 20 | 19 | 19 | 32 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 454 | 566 | 575 | 562 | 588.1 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 82 | 77 | 77 | 75 | 66 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 54 | 59 | 62 | 56 | 56 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 215 | 216 | 225 | 238 | 253 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4253 | 3922 | 3730 | 2681 | 2331 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 39 | 41 | 41 | 39 | 45 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 45 | 47 | 48 | 49 | 46 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 93 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 71 | 71 | 69 | 71 | 70 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4 | 3.9 | 5.5 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 21 | 20 | 19 | 23 | 20 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5.2 | 5.4 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 31 | 23 | 27 | 27 | 28 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 11.8 | 11.5 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 11.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 68 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.7 | 8.2 | 8.9 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 16 | 18 | 16 | 17 | 15 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 85 | 86 | 86 | 86 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 19 | 19 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 22 | 36 |

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# Crawford County 

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 70\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 68 | 80 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Crawford County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 11191 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | - |

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# Decatur County 

Health Outcomes

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## Population: 2,689

| Population: 2,089 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 37 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.1 | 6.9 | 7 | 7.1 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 24 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 65 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 50 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 208 | 243 | 142 |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 13 | 12 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 35 |  |  |  |  | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 35 | 36 | 36 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 35 | 36 | 36 | 74 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3657 | 4411 | 4702 | 2657 | 3285 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 37 | 36 | 36 | 34 | 45 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 41 | 45 | 45 | 45 | 44 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 94 | 93 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 67 | 68 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3 | 3 | 3.7 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 21 | 23 | 19 | 20 | 22 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.8 | 4 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 24 | 8 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 24.3 | 27.9 | 24.8 | 25.2 | 18.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 113 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.6 | 5.1 | 6.1 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 75 | 71 | 73 | 74 | 65 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 21 | 22 | 27 | 25 | 23 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Decatur County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 3 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 68\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Driving Alone to Work | Percentage of the workforce that drives alone to work. | Physical Environment | 65\% | 72\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Decatur County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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## Health

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| Population: 18,430 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9380 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.7 | 8.2 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.1 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 8.2 | 8.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 58 | 58 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 21 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 30 | 27 | 22 | 22 | 25 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 349 | 249 | 320 | 244 | 216.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 37 | 43 | 49 | 44 | 49 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 32 | 33 | 33 | 22 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 38 | 49 | 60 | 60 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4622 | 4895 | 4312 | 2900 | 3471 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 51 | 45 | 47 | 44 | 46 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 28 | 29 | 29 | 32 | 32 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 92 | 93 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 64 | 62 | 66 | 66 | 65 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.6 | 4.9 | 3 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.9 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 23 | 14 | 12 | 15 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.7 | 22.4 | 23.3 | 23 | 20.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 86 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.8 | 7.2 | 8.1 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 78 | 78 | 77 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 31 | 32 | 29 | 31 | 32 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Dickinson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & \text { Value } \end{aligned}$ | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| 5 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 20.0 | 9.1 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Dickinson County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9380 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

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# Doniphan County 

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Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

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Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 7,440 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7867 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.7 | 6.2 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 39 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.4 | 6.3 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 28 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 22 | 22 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 56 | 44 | 43 | 43 | 50 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 324 | 207 | 342 | 382 | 281.1 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 12 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 39 | 39 | 39 | 40 | 54 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4396 | 4779 | 5049 | 3605 | 2651 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 41 | 48 | 44 | 50 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 39 | 46 | 42 | 43 | 40 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 90 | 92 | 91 | 91 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 66 | 69 | 68 | 67 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.4 | 4.5 | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.5 | 4.5 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 22 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 15 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 14.2 | 13 | 14.5 | 14.7 | 12.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 53 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.9 | 7.8 | 8.6 | 8 | 8.0 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 84 | 85 | 84 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 28 | 29 | 30 | 34 | 29 | 22 | 36 |

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# Doniphan County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Doniphan County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 53 | 80 | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 50\% | 26\% | - |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 67\% | 68\% | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Doniphan County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7867 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.6 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | + |

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# Douglas County 

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## Health

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## Population: 119,964

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| Length of life |
| Premature death (yea |
| Quality of life |
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| Average number of po |
| Average number of po |
| \% Low birthweight, $<2$ |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 32 | 32 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.3 | 7.9 | 7.8 | 7.9 | 8.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 25 | 19 | 19 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 93 | 92 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 38 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 725 | 679 | 647 | 564 | 598.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 6 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 87 | 90 | 91 | 94 | 86 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 58 | 59 | 64 | 65 | 67 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 299 | 301 | 308 | 328 | 346 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3077 | 3075 | 2399 | 1900 | 1680 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 51 | 49 | 52 | 48 | 55 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 57 | 61 | 63 | 64 | 64 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 95 | 96 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 84 | 83 | 82 | 83 | 82 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.1 | 2.9 | 6.1 | 3.1 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 12 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5.2 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 5 | 5.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 25 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 9.3 | 9.1 | 9.2 | 9.3 | 10.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  |  | 59 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.8 | 7.6 | 8.8 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 20 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 77 | 78 | 76 | 73 | 70 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 29 | 28 | 29 | 29 | 30 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Douglas County, KS - 2024

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 14\% | 15\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 82\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 10\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Douglas County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 5611 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 2.9 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.4 | 4.8 | - |

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# Edwards County 

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## Health Factors

Health Outcomes

## Edwards County <br> County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

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## Population: 2,739



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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Edwards County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1649 | 2681 | + |
| 3 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 57\% | 26\% | - |
| 4 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 22\% | 46\% | - |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 120 | 80 | - |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Edwards County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 24004 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | - |

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# Elk County 

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## Health Outcomes

State Average

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## Health

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## Population: 2,441



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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 160 | 80 | - |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 22\% | 15\% | - |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 43\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 25\% | 16\% | - |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Elk County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | - |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | - |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.9 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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## Population: 28,941

| Population: 28,941 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 5938 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 16 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 32 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 8 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  | 27 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 90 | 85 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 27 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 645 | 627 | 518 | 494 | 493.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 66 | 63 | 63 | 66 | 63 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 101 | 98 | 101 | 101 | 100 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 279 | 291 | 303 | 316 | 352 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3913 | 4681 | 3893 | 2692 | 2769 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 53 | 51 | 53 | 52 | 58 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 45 | 48 | 51 | 52 | 50 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 94 | 94 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 80 | 78 | 81 | 81 | 80 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.4 | 2.3 | 3.5 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 12 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 33 | 24 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 11.5 | 11.1 | 9.8 | 9.1 | 10.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 78 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.5 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 6 | 6.0 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 14 | 14 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 85 | 86 | 85 | 82 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 7 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ellis County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 80\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ellis County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 5938 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |

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| Population: 6,355 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 6798 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.3 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.5 | 6.9 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 36 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 23 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 61 | 61 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 11 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 111 | 126 | 98 | 344 | 268.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 63 | 48 | 33 | 33 | 32 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 33 | 33 | 32 | 31 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 33 | 33 | 32 | 31 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 7493 | 7668 | 7975 | 5232 | 3982 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 51 | 46 | 40 | 43 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 28 | 32 | 32 | 39 | 39 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 57 | 59 | 60 | 61 | 59 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 14 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.6 | 4.3 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 22 | 17 | 16 | 10 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19 | 19.4 | 22.9 | 19.9 | 20.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 74 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.8 | 6.2 | 7.2 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 80 | 80 | 83 | 84 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 14\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3982 | 2681 | - |
| 4 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 20.5 | 9.1 | + |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 74 | 80 | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ellsworth County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 6798 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.3 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |

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# Finney County 

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## Health

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| Population: 37,650 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9207 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 24 | 25 | 18 | 20 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.3 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.4 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 43 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.4 | 7.9 | 8 | 8.1 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 30 | 31 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 78 | 80 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 12 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 809 | 680 | 850 | 633 | 695.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 32 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 19 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 62 | 68 | 58 | 61 | 58 | 78 | 75 |
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| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
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| \% Children in single-parent households | 36 | 24 | 25 | 27 | 29 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 10.2 | 11.2 | 10.7 | 10.6 | 8.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 84 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.6 | 6 | 7 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 16 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 12 | 17 |
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| \% Long commute - driving alone | 8 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 8 | 22 | 36 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 72\% | 89\% | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 19\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 15\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 18\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Finney County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.3 | 4.8 | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9207 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.6 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 20\% | 14\% | - |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

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# Ford County 

## Health Outcomes

Health Factors

# Ford County 

## Health

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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 33,848 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7389 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 25 | 26 | 18 | 20 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.8 | 6.6 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 43 | 42 | 44 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.7 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 34 | 31 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 83 | 83 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 7 | 3 | 7 | 7 | 13 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 422 | 544 | 509 | 470 | 500.6 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 47 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 18 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 41 | 44 | 45 | 48 | 53 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 53 | 54 | 60 | 70 | 65 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 97 | 101 | 109 | 111 | 121 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3704 | 3537 | 3070 | 1900 | 1672 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 37 | 28 | 35 | 35 | 41 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 38 | 44 | 46 | 47 | 39 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 74 | 74 | 75 | 77 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 46 | 47 | 47 | 49 | 48 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.5 | 3.4 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 16 | 20 | 12 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 33 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 7 | 7.7 | 8.6 | 6.9 | 7.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 70 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.6 | 6 | 7.1 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 16 | 17 | 15 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 78 | 81 | 80 | 81 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 9 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ford County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 77\% | 89\% | - |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 20\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 44\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ford County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7389 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 20\% | 14\% | - |
| 5 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |

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# Franklin County 

## Health Outcomes

| Health Factors

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 25,992 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8897 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 41 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.7 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 25 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 54 | 53 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 26 | 24 | 21 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 264 | 389 | 392 | 341 | 354.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 21 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 43 | 43 | 43 | 43 | 42 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 27 | 27 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 191 | 211 | 210 | 208 | 231 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4888 | 4578 | 5054 | 2829 | 3417 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 45 | 44 | 45 | 38 | 40 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 35 | 35 | 44 | 42 | 34 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 61 | 61 | 60 | 59 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.6 | 3.3 | 5.4 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 14 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 27 | 19 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 12.4 | 12.5 | 11.7 | 10.9 | 11.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 72 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.4 | 7.2 | 8.3 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 85 | 85 | 83 | 82 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 38 | 37 | 37 | 36 | 37 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Franklin County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 72 | 80 | + |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 41\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Franklin County, KS -2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8897 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | + |

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# Geary County 

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## Health Factors

Health Outcomes

# Geary County <br> National Average 

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

State Average

Health
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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 35,691 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11525 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 15 | 18 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.8 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 38 | 43 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.3 | 6.8 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 24 | 28 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 80 | 80 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 26 | 19 | 25 | 25 | 20 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 517 | 842 | 1926 | 1989 | 1380.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 58 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 40 | 47 | 47 | 39 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 141 | 133 | 133 | 111 | 115 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 313 | 316 | 326 | 367 | 423 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2710 | 2580 | 3505 | 2541 | 2649 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 32 | 30 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 31 | 29 | 28 | 34 | 30 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 94 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 74 | 74 | 79 | 76 | 74 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.8 | 4.4 | 6.9 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 16 | 19 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 26 | 22 | 24 | 25 | 27 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 7.7 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 6.8 | 6.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 77 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.8 | 7.2 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 18 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 17 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 87 | 85 | 83 | 81 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 11 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Sexually Transmitted Infections | Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population. | Health Behaviors | 1380.3 | 495.5 | - |
| 2 | Teen Births | Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19. | Health Behaviors | 58 | 17 | - |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 74\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 43\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Geary County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 11525 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.8 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | - |

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# Gove County 

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Health Outcomes

Health Factors

# County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps <br> <br> \section*{Gove County} 

 <br> <br> \section*{Gove County}}

State Average

## Population: 2,717

| - | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 2024 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams |  | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 35 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.4 | 7.2 | 5.3 | 5.5 | 5.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 22 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 43 | 55 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 8 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 27 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 152 |  | 0.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 152 | 153 | 228 | 229 | 218 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 38 | 38 | 38 | 36 | 37 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 77 | 76 | 38 | 73 | 37 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 7158 | 8686 | 8088 | 1746 | 5789 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 43 | 42 | 46 | 47 | 47 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 44 | 43 | 47 | 34 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 94 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 64 | 62 | 61 | 66 | 64 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.2 | 2.1 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 4 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 16 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 34.2 | 34.5 | 30.3 | 30.5 | 29.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.9 | 5.1 | 6.2 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 68 | 70 | 72 | 73 | 75 | 78 | 72 |
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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Gove County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 5789 | 2681 | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 218 | 75 | + |
| 4 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 29.0 | 9.1 | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Gove County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Graham County 

Health Outcomes
Graham County

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National Average
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State Average countyhealthrankings.org

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## Population: 2,411

| Population: 2,111 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(11)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.7 | 9.2 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 11 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 21 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 38 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.7 | 7.8 | 8 | 8 | 8.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 26 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 65 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement |  |  |  |  | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 322 | 242 | 250.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 40 | 40 | 81 | 84 | 83 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5468 | 7263 | 8647 | 4512 | 5128 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 50 | 43 | 47 | 43 | 56 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 42 | 42 | 42 | 39 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 91 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 70 | 67 | 60 | 57 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 3.1 | 4.6 | 2.9 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 16 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 3.8 | 4 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 15 | 13 | 19 | 13 | 19 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 24 | 24.1 | 24.2 | 25.1 | 29.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 139 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.8 | 5 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 9 | 7 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 74 | 79 | 78 | 77 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 13 | 18 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Graham County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & \text { Value } \end{aligned}$ | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 5128 | 2681 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 29.2 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 139 | 80 | - |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Graham County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 11\% | 8\% | - |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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| Population: 7,197 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 6787 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 23 | 16 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.1 | 7.5 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 39 | 40 | 36 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 9.5 | 8.9 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 29 | 28 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 84 | 84 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 29 | 11 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 292 | 439 | 364 | 420 | 300.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 36 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 17 | 15 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 53 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 41 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 41 | 56 | 57 | 55 | 56 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 56 | 57 | 55 | 69 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 7021 | 6119 | 5883 | 3714 | 2928 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 27 | 22 | 26 | 22 | 27 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 35 | 41 | 43 | 40 | 34 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 77 | 80 | 79 | 79 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 43 | 56 | 68 | 67 | 65 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.9 | 4.1 | 3 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 15 | 14 | 15 | 12 | 8 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 18.6 | 19.1 | 18.2 | 19.8 | 17.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 55 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.2 | 6 | 6.8 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 14 | 11 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 86 | 82 | 80 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 16 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 22 | 36 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 79\% | 89\% | - |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| 3 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 55 | 80 | + |
| 4 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 18\% | 10\% | - |
| 5 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Grant County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 6787 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |

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# Gray County 

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Health Factors

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| Population: 5,729 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7743 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 19 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 35 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 7.9 | 8.2 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 24 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 48 | 68 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 9 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 13 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 118 | 134 | 100 |  | 265.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 18 | 16 | 18 | 21 | 20 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 17 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2667 | 2390 | 1981 | 1847 | 2354 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 40 | 30 | 44 | 32 | 39 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 29 | 35 | 44 | 48 | 46 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |  | 78 | 75 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 59 | 62 | 63 | 62 | 59 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2 | 2 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 9 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 19 | 15 | 16 | 18 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.8 | 23.2 | 23.4 | 25.2 | 30.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 68 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.4 | 5.9 | 6.9 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 83 | 84 | 81 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Gray County, KS -2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 75\% | 89\% | - |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 20\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 10\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 30.1 | 9.1 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Gray County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7743 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |

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# Greeley County 

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Health Outcomes

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 1,223 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 16 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 38 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.8 | 5.4 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 26 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 67 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 67 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  | 325 | 383.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 80 | 81 | 81 | 84 | 77 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6956 | 1463 | 4123 | 1088 |  | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 26 | 33 | 25 | 21 | 24 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 5 | 9 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  |  |  | 88 | 89 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 75 | 76 | 72 | 76 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 16 | 14 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 20 | 29 | 26 | 17 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 32 | 24.4 | 24.4 | 33.4 | 30.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.6 | 5.4 | 6 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 5 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 72 | 75 | 74 | 63 | 64 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 8 | 9 | 9 | 5 | 9 | 22 | 36 |

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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.5\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 30.7 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 3\% | 46\% | - |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 67\% | 26\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Greeley County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.5 | 4.8 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | N/A | 8\% | N/A |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Greenwood County 

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## Health Factors

## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 5,939 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10190 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.8 | 8.9 | 9.7 | 9.7 | 10 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 39 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.6 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 6.5 | 6.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 45 | 60 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 9 | 5 | 9 | 9 | 15 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 65 | 343 | 334 | 318 | 235.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 19 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 49 | 50 | 50 | 51 | 34 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 33 | 50 | 51 | 51 | 34 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 34 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2684 | 2443 | 2269 | 2101 | 2760 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 43 | 39 | 44 | 35 | 39 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 37 | 43 | 46 | 54 | 46 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 70 | 70 | 65 | 63 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.6 | 3.2 | 5.2 | 2.8 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 21 | 22 | 21 | 24 | 22 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.2 | 5.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 33 | 30 | 29 | 26 | 22 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 16.3 | 18.2 | 18.4 | 15.3 | 18.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 117 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.9 | 7.2 | 8.4 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 83 | 81 | 80 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 37 | 36 | 38 | 37 | 37 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Greenwood County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 41\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 117 | 80 | - |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 18.5 | 9.1 | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Greenwood County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 10\% | 8\% | - |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10190 | 7972 | - |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |

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# Hamilton County 

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## Health Outcomes

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## Health

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## Population: 2,430

| Population: 2,430 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 22 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.9 | 6.7 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 17 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 39 | 38 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.6 | 5.2 | 8.2 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 34 | 28 | 30 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 83 | 83 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 189 | 341 | 394 | 276 | 201.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 46 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 23 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 24 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  | 41 | 40 | 78 | 75 |
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| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2699 | 3607 | 2498 | 1333 | 2023 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 33 | 28 | 25 | 23 | 23 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 30 | 36 | 35 | 32 | 28 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 81 | 77 | 81 | 86 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 37 | 39 | 32 | 32 | 34 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 19 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.1 | 2.9 | 3 | 3.6 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 19 | 10 | 10 | 17 | 7 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 22.7 | 23 | 23.6 | 20.6 | 20.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 126 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.8 | 5.6 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 7 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 67 | 70 | 69 | 65 | 68 | 78 | 72 |
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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 24\% | 10\% | - |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 34\% | 68\% | - |
| 4 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 23\% | 43\% | - |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 126 | 80 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Hamilton County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Harper County 

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Health Outcomes

Health Factors

| Harper County |  |  | County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| - |  | $\bullet$ |  |
| Least Healthy in US |  | Healthiest in US |  |
| National Average khi.org |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| State Average |  |  | countyhealthrankings.org |

Health
Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 5,323 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9775 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 20 | 15 | 18 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.8 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 6.9 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 21 | 22 | 22 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 37 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.4 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 26 | 30 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 70 | 70 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 9 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 8 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 215 | 304 | 184 | 202 | 318.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 25 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 54 | 54 | 55 | 56 | 56 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 73 | 74 | 75 | 75 | 75 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 18 | 37 | 56 | 56 | 38 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5034 | 7139 | 5770 | 3661 | 3862 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 33 | 33 | 37 | 29 | 42 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 28 | 30 | 31 | 33 | 31 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 90 | 91 | 89 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 54 | 52 | 53 | 49 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.9 | 2.5 | 4.4 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 20 | 18 | 23 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.3 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 28 | 21 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 25 | 27.2 | 27.6 | 24.4 | 24.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 125 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.5 | 7.2 | 8 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 83 | 82 | 80 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 20 | 21 | 23 | 23 | 20 | 22 | 36 |

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Harper County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 22\% | 15\% | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 24.4 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 125 | 80 | - |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3862 | 2681 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Harper County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9775 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.8 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | + |

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# Harvey County 

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## Health Outcomes



State Average

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## Health Factors

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Health
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## Population: 33,801



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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Harvey County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.5\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 73\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 2039 | 2681 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Harvey County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8979 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Haskell County 

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Health Outcomes


Health Factors


## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 3,576 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 24 | 18 | 19 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 18 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 39 | 40 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.9 | 5.7 | 8.5 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 29 | 31 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 59 | 59 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 20 | 33 | 17 | 17 | 11 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 296 | 345 | 252 | 151 | 136.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 22 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 22 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 23 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 50 | 25 |  |  | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 25 | 25 | 55 | 56 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4175 | 4063 | 3236 | 1945 | 2062 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 20 | 23 | 30 | 27 | 29 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 53 | 57 | 56 | 53 | 43 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 72 | 72 | 72 | 75 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 46 | 48 | 45 | 45 | 49 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.2 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 4 | 3.7 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 17 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.7 | 20 | 17.6 | 25.5 | 19.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 76 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.4 | 6 | 7 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 12 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 79 | 78 | 77 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 18 | 23 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Haskell County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 75\% | 89\% | - |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 23\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 49\% | 68\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Haskell County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 19\% | 14\% | - |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Hodgeman County 

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Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Hodgeman County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 8\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| 4 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 4371 | 2681 | - |
| 5 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 117 | 75 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Hodgeman County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | N/A | 8\% | N/A |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Jackson County 

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Health
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The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 13,286 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7929 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 6.3 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.1 | 8 | 7.9 | 8 | 8.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 23 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 49 | 48 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 21 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 26 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 413 | 353 | 448 | 410 | 362.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 24 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 68 | 68 | 68 | 61 | 68 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 45 | 53 | 53 | 53 | 53 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 53 | 53 | 53 | 60 | 60 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5003 | 5171 | 3811 | 2709 | 2514 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 46 | 46 | 51 | 45 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 29 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 29 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 95 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 68 | 65 | 61 | 60 | 63 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3 | 2.9 | 5.4 | 2.6 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 23 | 23 | 18 | 19 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 8.3 | 8.3 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 103 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.3 | 7.3 | 8.7 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 80 | 79 | 77 | 74 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 40 | 39 | 43 | 43 | 41 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Jackson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Income Inequality | Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.5 | 4.9 | + |
| 5 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 40\% | 34\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Jackson County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7929 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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Health Outcomes


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## Health

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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 18,344 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7801 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 4.9 | 5.6 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 34 | 37 | 34 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.7 | 8.7 | 8.9 | 9.1 | 9.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 22 | 22 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 37 | 37 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 21 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 30 | 29 | 28 | 28 | 21 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 300 | 253 | 263 | 257 | 222.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 47 | 53 | 58 | 53 | 54 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 16 | 16 | 21 | 16 | 16 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 32 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3270 | 3609 | 3183 | 2445 | 1997 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 46 | 47 | 49 | 43 | 48 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 53 | 57 | 56 | 56 | 52 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 94 | 95 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 65 | 68 | 71 | 70 | 76 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.3 | 3.1 | 4.9 | 3 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 11 | 11 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.4 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 11.6 | 11.6 | 10 | 10.5 | 9.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 101 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.7 | 7.6 | 8.9 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 85 | 84 | 84 | 82 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 49 | 46 | 48 | 48 | 50 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 9\% | 16\% | + |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 76\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Jefferson County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7801 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |

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## Health Outcomes

Health Factors

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## Health

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## Population: 2,898

| Population: 2,898 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.2 | 5.9 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 20 | 21 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 41 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.2 | 6.9 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 26 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 3 | 4 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 15 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 20 | 20 | 14 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 140 | 140 |  | 0 | 0.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 35 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4192 | 4023 | 4952 | 3504 | 3899 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 40 | 43 | 39 | 43 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 33 | 31 | 35 | 28 | 33 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 94 | 93 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 63 | 59 | 65 | 71 | 71 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.8 | 3.1 | 2.2 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 23 | 21 | 22 | 21 | 19 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.4 | 4 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 13 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.1 | 28.2 | 27.8 | 24.7 | 20.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 98 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.6 | 6.1 | 7 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 82 | 77 | 75 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 17 | 19 | 17 | 18 | 26 | 22 | 36 |

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# Jewell County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Jewell County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 71\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3899 | 2681 | - |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 42\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Jewell County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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## Health Factors



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## Health

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| Population: 619,195 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 4774 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 11 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.5 | 6.6 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 29 | 29 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.6 | 8.8 | 9 | 9.1 | 9.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 19 | 15 | 16 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 97 | 97 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 24 | 22 | 17 | 17 | 19 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 341 | 362 | 357 | 351 | 369.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 123 | 124 | 123 | 124 | 119 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 83 | 87 | 88 | 88 | 89 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 230 | 242 | 255 | 272 | 294 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3919 | 3790 | 3335 | 2496 | 2357 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 50 | 51 | 54 | 49 | 55 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 58 | 61 | 61 | 65 | 61 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 96 | 96 | 96 | 97 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 84 | 84 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.9 | 2.8 | 5.1 | 2.7 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 6 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 21 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.5 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 55 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.8 | 6.9 | 7.8 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 85 | 85 | 81 | 77 | 74 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 23 | 24 | 24 | 24 | 23 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Johnson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 10\% | 15\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 5\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 85\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 29\% | 34\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Johnson County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 4774 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 2.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.1 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 10\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |

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# Kearny County 

## Health

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## Population: 3,855

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of p |
| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 19 | 21 | 20 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 41 | 38 | 44 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.4 | 5.5 | 8.2 | 8.3 | 8.6 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 29 | 32 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 65 | 65 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 18 | 17 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 404 | 404 | 287 | 469 | 488.3 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 21 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 17 | 15 | 18 | 20 | 19 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 76 | 152 | 156 | 134 | 129 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 26 | 27 | 26 | 26 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 51 | 52 | 53 | 51 | 52 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6494 | 4796 | 4777 | 4326 | 3240 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 32 | 24 | 29 | 26 | 30 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 20 | 28 | 25 | 31 | 25 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 76 | 78 | 78 | 80 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 41 | 34 | 33 | 35 | 42 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 1.6 | 1.9 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 13 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.8 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 27 | 25 | 24 | 34 | 32 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 12.6 | 15.2 | 15.6 | 16 | 15.4 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 93 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.2 | 5.7 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 9 | 11 | 9 | 9 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 77 | 81 | 80 | 78 | 75 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 20 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 19 |


| $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 8079 | 7972 |
| 14 | 14 |
| 3.2 | 3.3 |
| 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 7 | 8 |
| 16 | 15 |
| 37 | 34 |
| 7.1 | 7.7 |
| 23 | 23 |
| 80 | 84 |
| 20 | 18 |
| 20 | 26 |
| 506.1 | 495.5 |
| 19 | 17 |
| 11 | 10 |
| 78 | 75 |
| 63 | 74 |
| 237 | 314 |
| 2576 | 2681 |
| 48 | 43 |
| 47 | 46 |
| 92 | 89 |
| 71 | 68 |
| 2.7 | 3.7 |
| 14 | 16 |
| 4.4 | 4.9 |
| 21 | 25 |
| 13.2 | 9.1 |
| 82 | 80 |
| 6.7 | 7.4 |
| 12 | 17 |
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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Kearny County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 19\% | 10\% | - |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 42\% | 68\% | - |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 80\% | 89\% | - |
| 5 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 44\% | 34\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Kearny County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 20\% | 14\% | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.8 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Kingman County 

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## Health Factors

Informing Policy. Improving Health.

Health Outcomes

Least Healthy in US<br><br>tate Average

## County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 7,193 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 23532 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 14 | 15 | 11 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.5 | 6.2 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 27 | 22 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 53 | 53 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 21 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 231 | 245 | 196 | 84 | 230.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 13 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 14 | 27 | 28 | 43 | 27 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 27 | 28 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 82 | 84 | 100 | 95 | 97 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4737 | 5799 | 4068 | 2826 | 3110 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 39 | 41 | 42 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 39 | 41 | 41 | 37 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 93 | 91 | 91 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 73 | 71 | 69 | 60 | 64 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 3.2 | 5.2 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 17 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.8 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 21 | 17 | 18 | 23 | 11 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19 | 23.3 | 23.8 | 27.2 | 21.6 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 113 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.4 | 7 | 7.7 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | No | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 83 | 85 | 84 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 38 | 40 | 36 | 36 | 38 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Kingman County, KS - 2024

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 21.6 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 18\% | 15\% | + |
| 4 | Income Inequality | Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.5 | 4.9 | + |
| 5 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Kingman County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 23532 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.5 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |

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# Kiowa County 

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## Health Outcomes

Health Factors

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

National Average
State Average

## Health

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## Population: 2,404

| Population: 2,404 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.3 |  |  |  |  | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 20 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 38 | 35 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.3 | 5.4 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 24 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 37 | 37 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  | 282 | 162 |  | 501.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 15 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 40 | 40 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 477 | 444 | 407 | 376 | 374 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3293 | 3153 | 2463 | 1297 | 1536 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 40 | 45 | 37 | 31 | 37 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 30 | 13 | 38 | 39 | 38 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 88 | 89 | 88 | 89 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 61 | 60 | 65 | 65 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.4 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 16 | 17 | 16 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 2.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 14 | 13 | 16 | 9 | 9 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 52.3 | 43.7 | 48.5 | 48.9 | 37.6 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  |  | 114 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.3 | 5.9 | 6.9 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.2\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 37.6 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1536 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Income Inequality | Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.9 | 4.9 | + |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Kiowa County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | N/A | 8\% | N/A |

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# Labette County 

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## Health Outcomes

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## County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

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## Health

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| Population: 19,757 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10528 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5.3 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.1 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 22 | 22 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 41 | 43 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7 | 7.3 | 7.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 52 | 51 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 5 | 30 | 32 | 32 | 43 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 377 | 501 | 444 | 413 | 441.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 33 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 11 | 13 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 69 | 60 | 51 | 46 | 50 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 40 | 41 | 46 | 45 | 46 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 75 | 87 | 92 | 90 | 106 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3663 | 2938 | 1916 | 2242 | 2429 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 34 | 34 | 35 | 30 | 35 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 36 | 42 | 44 | 36 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 90 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 59 | 62 | 63 | 65 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4 | 4 | 5.6 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 23 | 22 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 35 | 27 | 23 | 22 | 18 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 14.4 | 12.5 | 12.7 | 13.8 | 10.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 87 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.9 | 8.5 | 9.2 | 8.7 | 8.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 85 | 84 | 81 | 79 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 16 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Labette County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 43\% | 34\% | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 66\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Labette County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10528 | 7972 | - |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.6 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.3 | 4.8 | - |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |

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# Lane County 

## Health Outcomes



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| Population: 1,556 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams |  |  |  |  |  | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 38 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.2 | 7.9 | 7.8 | 8 | 8.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 24 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  |  | 5 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 11 10 <br> 78 75 |  |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 64 | 64 | 65 | 0 | 0 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2948 | 3679 | 2308 | 1013 | 2699 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 56 | 53 | 56 | 53 | 51 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 28 | 38 | 12 | 10 | 31 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 96 | 96 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 67 | 69 | 70 | 76 | 80 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 17 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.5 | 4.7 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 13 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 13 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 38.5 | 38.5 | 39.1 | 32.9 | 38.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7 | 5.1 | 6.3 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 80 | 84 | 81 | 73 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone 15 16 18 19 17 |  |  |  |  |  | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 80\% | 68\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 38.3 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic <br> Environment | 2.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 42\% | 34\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Lane County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | N/A | 8\% | N/A |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Leavenworth County 

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| Population: 82,892 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8001 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.9 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 85 | 75 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 29 | 26 | 21 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 387 | 499 | 506 | 481 | 416.1 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 44 | 45 | 44 | 47 | 49 | 78 | 75 |
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| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 199 | 209 | 219 | 219 | 232 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4570 | 4508 | 3947 | 2979 | 2701 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 42 | 44 | 36 | 44 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 46 | 48 | 49 | 51 | 46 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 93 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 68 | 67 | 68 | 69 | 70 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.6 | 3.4 | 5.8 | 3.3 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 12 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.1 | 4 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 26 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 7.5 | 7.9 | 7.3 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 75 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 10.1 | 8 | 8.7 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 83 | 81 | 81 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 35 | 37 | 36 | 38 | 39 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 70\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Leavenworth County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8001 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |

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# Lincoln County 

## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

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## Population: 2,899

| Popu | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.3 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 38 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 23 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 1 | 45 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 135 | 236 | 172.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 33 | 33 | 34 | 33 | 69 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 33 | 34 | 33 | 34 | 34 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6174 | 6261 | 5308 | 5071 | 3239 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 41 | 56 | 52 | 39 | 50 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 41 | 42 | 44 | 39 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 94 | 96 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 75 | 69 | 75 | 77 | 77 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.5 | 2.3 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 35 | 35 | 31 | 30 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 16.4 | 16.5 | 16.9 | 13.4 | 17.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 67 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.7 | 6 | 7 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 9 | 12 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 75 | 78 | 75 | 74 | 75 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 27 | 32 | 26 | 28 | 29 | 22 | 36 |

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# Lincoln County 

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Lincoln County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 77\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 67 | 80 | + |
| 5 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Lincoln County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

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State Average

Least Healthy in US Linn County

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 9,796 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11418 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.3 | 5.9 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 24 | 21 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 39 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 7.6 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 25 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 43 | 43 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 20 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 20 | 38 | 36 | 36 | 47 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 350 | 288 | 268 | 165 | 277.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 24 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 21 | 21 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 92 | 93 | 83 | 92 | 112 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4863 | 4612 | 5511 | 4445 | 2379 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 42 | 40 | 43 | 38 | 43 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 25 | 29 | 31 | 33 | 30 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 90 | 91 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 59 | 60 | 58 | 62 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 5.9 | 5.9 | 7 | 4.3 | 3.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5.1 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 19 | 18 | 22 | 19 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 115 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.3 | 7.2 | 7.9 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 20 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 19 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 81 | 80 | 79 | 77 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 50 | 51 | 54 | 50 | 54 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Linn County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 2 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 10 | 75 | - |
| 3 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 115 | 80 | - |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 47\% | 26\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Linn County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 11418 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |

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# Logan County 

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## Cogan County Rankings \& Roadmaps <br> \section*{Health Factors}

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## Health Outcomes



State Average

Health
Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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## Population: 2,705

## Health Outcomes

## Length of life

| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) $)^{(1)}$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Quality of life |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults |  |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |
| \% Low birthweight, $<2,500$ grams |  |


| 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| Kansas <br> 2024 | U.S. <br> 2024 |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| 8079 | 7972 |
|  |  |
| 14 | 14 |
| 3.2 | 3.3 |
| 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 7 | 8 |
|  |  |

Health Factors

| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 38 | 40 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ | 8 | 8 | 8.3 | 8.2 | 8.2 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 24 | 26 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement |  |  |  | 75 | 75 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 |  |  |  |  |  |


|  |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 16 | 15 |
| 37 | 34 |
| 7.1 | 7.7 |
| 23 | 23 |
| 80 | 84 |
| 20 | 18 |
| 20 | 26 |
| 506.1 | 495.5 |
| 19 | 17 |
|  |  |
| 11 | 10 |
| 78 | 75 |
| 63 | 74 |
| 237 | 314 |
| 2576 | 2681 |
| 48 | 43 |
| 47 | 46 |
|  |  |
| 92 | 89 |
| 71 | 68 |
| 2.7 | 3.7 |
| 14 | 16 |
| 4.4 | 4.9 |
| 21 | 25 |
| 13.2 | 9.1 |
| 82 | 80 |
|  |  |
| 6.7 | 7.4 |
|  |  |
| 12 | 17 |
| 78 | 72 |
| 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Logan County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 5004 | 2681 | - |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 110 | 75 | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Logan County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Lyon County 

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## Health Outcomes



Health Factors
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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 31,898 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7140 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 15 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.7 | 7.9 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 41 | 40 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 8.1 | 8.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 34 | 25 | 29 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 75 | 75 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 38 | 35 | 35 | 29 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 518 | 524 | 651 | 636 | 537.5 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 63 | 57 | 57 | 57 | 59 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 60 | 63 | 61 | 63 | 63 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 326 | 337 | 360 | 375 | 373 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3775 | 4467 | 2667 | 1897 | 1906 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 50 | 55 | 51 | 47 | 52 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 51 | 55 | 55 | 56 | 51 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 88 | 88 | 88 | 88 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 63 | 69 | 67 | 66 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.4 | 4.8 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.6 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 38 | 24 | 21 | 15 | 15 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 10.8 | 11.1 | 11.4 | 11.5 | 11.6 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 73 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.1 | 7.2 | 8.6 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 14 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 79 | 79 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Lyon County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.5\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 42\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1906 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 73 | 80 | + |
| 5 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages $65-74$ who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 52\% | 43\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Lyon County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7140 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Marion County 

## Health Factors

## Marion County County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 11,868 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8693 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 16 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.4 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 33 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 26 | 23 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 35 | 55 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 14 | 16 | 16 | 8 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 134 | 209 | 160 | 219 | 230.5 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 33 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 33 | 25 | 34 | 34 | 42 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 50 | 50 | 51 | 60 | 67 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2983 | 3313 | 2861 | 2966 | 2830 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 41 | 44 | 42 | 34 | 44 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 37 | 42 | 44 | 47 | 43 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 69 | 66 | 65 | 64 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.1 | 3 | 4.1 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 12 | 13 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 17 | 19 | 19 | 20 | 20 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 27.5 | 29.3 | 26.1 | 24.9 | 23.9 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 108 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.9 | 7.3 | 8 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 77 | 76 | 75 | 74 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 29 | 32 | 35 | 35 | 35 | 22 | 36 |

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## What do these drivers mean?

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Marion County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 23.9 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 8\% | 26\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Marion County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8693 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |

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# Marshall County 

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## Health Outcomes



State Average

## National Average

State Average

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## Health

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| Population: 9,982 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7161 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adult ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 35 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.2 | 8.1 | 7.4 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 38 | 46 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 21 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 42 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 38 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 195 | 185 | 103 | 82 | 170.4 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 51 | 51 | 52 | 52 | 60 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 62 | 62 | 62 | 70 | 70 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 62 | 72 | 83 | 80 | 80 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6306 | 5301 | 4935 | 3582 | 3302 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 47 | 51 | 48 | 47 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 33 | 37 | 39 | 42 | 37 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 91 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 61 | 62 | 61 | 58 | 58 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 21 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 12 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 22.6 | 20.6 | 20.6 | 16.6 | 17.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 109 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.8 | 7.2 | 8.2 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 79 | 78 | 77 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 18 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Marshall County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Children in Single-Parent Households | Percentage of children that live in a household headed by a single parent. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 25\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Marshall County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7161 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |

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# McPherson County 

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## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

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## Health

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| Population: 30,012 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 6725 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 5.9 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 32 | 36 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8 | 8 | 7.9 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 27 | 21 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 80 | 78 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 19 | 21 | 22 | 22 | 27 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 296 | 286 | 357 | 291 | 378.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 73 | 70 | 70 | 77 | 70 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 49 | 53 | 53 | 50 | 50 | 63 | 74 |
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| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2827 | 3408 | 3034 | 2131 | 2058 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 42 | 45 | 44 | 41 | 45 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 53 | 52 | 55 | 52 | 45 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 91 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 72 | 73 | 73 | 71 | 73 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.2 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 11 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 25 | 17 | 15 | 15 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 24 | 24.5 | 24.2 | 22.8 | 22.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 107 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.8 | 7.3 | 7.9 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 83 | 82 | 82 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 17 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, McPherson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 10\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 73\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| 5 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 22.2 | 9.1 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, McPherson County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 6725 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.0 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.5 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |

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# Meade County 

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Health Outcomes

Health Factors

# Meade County 

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 3,897 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9979 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.1 | 7.8 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.2 | 7.1 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 26 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 27 | 68 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 38 | 26 | 25 | 25 | 16 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 209 | 116 | 149 | 149 | 198.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 15 | 14 | 17 | 20 | 18 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 23 |  |  |  |  | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 24 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 51 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4455 | 5772 | 5005 | 4046 | 3878 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 31 | 26 | 31 | 29 | 32 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 42 | 39 | 37 | 31 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 81 | 82 | 85 | 86 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 51 | 54 | 56 | 61 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.1 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 2.2 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 13 | 14 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 3.8 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 32 | 21 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 32.5 | 33.8 | 34.7 | 32.3 | 32.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 161 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.1 | 5.8 | 6.8 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 72 | 77 | 77 | 76 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 18 | 17 | 15 | 17 | 17 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Meade County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 161 | 80 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 32.3 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 18\% | 10\% | - |
| 5 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 14\% | 16\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Meade County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | - |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9979 | 7972 | - |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Miami County 

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## Health Outcomes

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## Miami County <br>  <br> Least Healthy in US <br> County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

National Average
State Average
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## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 34,867 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8237 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 14 | 14 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2.9 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 6.4 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 17 | 15 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 22 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 70 | 70 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 22 | 20 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 14 | 21 | 22 | 22 | 19 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 224 | 302 | 257 | 269 | 309.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 13 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 48 | 48 | 53 | 55 | 58 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 24 | 23 | 26 | 23 | 29 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 160 | 164 | 166 | 162 | 158 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4909 | 4270 | 3976 | 3641 | 2977 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 46 | 45 | 40 | 47 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 40 | 42 | 42 | 46 | 42 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 96 | 96 | 95 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 70 | 70 | 68 | 71 | 69 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.6 | 3.3 | 5 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 10 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 4 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 15 | 15 | 17 | 19 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 13.4 | 13.1 | 13.1 | 12.5 | 12.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 86 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.7 | 7.3 | 8 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 83 | 82 | 81 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 50 | 51 | 51 | 53 | 56 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Miami County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 8\% | 16\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 15\% | 15\% | + |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages $25-44$ with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 69\% | 68\% | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Miami County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8237 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.2 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 2.9 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 12\% | 14\% | + |

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# Mitchell County 

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## Population: 5,738

| -opulationer | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 6742 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7 | 6.5 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 39 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.4 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 70 | 79 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 82 | 163 | 201 | 184 | 208.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 98 | 98 | 100 | 102 | 104 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 49 | 67 | 68 | 70 | 70 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 98 | 100 | 85 | 87 | 87 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5490 | 8716 | 5460 | 3079 | 3435 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 42 | 43 | 38 | 44 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 54 | 55 | 50 | 49 | 49 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 94 | 95 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 75 | 75 | 73 | 80 | 83 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.3 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 2 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 17 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.1 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 19 | 18 | 21 | 25 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.2 | 21.1 | 21.7 | 23.8 | 20.9 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 84 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.8 | 6.2 | 7.1 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 12 | 12 | 9 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 87 | 85 | 82 | 82 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 8 | 8 | 10 | 13 | 16 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Mitchell County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 83\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| 5 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 20.9 | 9.1 | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Mitchell County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 6742 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

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## Health Outcomes

Health Factors

Health
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| Population: 30,996 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11906 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 21 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 24 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 41 | 41 | 44 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 27 | 30 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 76 | 73 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 16 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 378 | 415 | 515 | 503 | 462.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 29 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 13 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 34 | 37 | 31 | 32 | 22 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 56 | 53 | 54 | 55 | 55 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 209 | 207 | 210 | 212 | 219 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4530 | 4407 | 3640 | 2434 | 2380 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 36 | 36 | 36 | 31 | 38 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 38 | 38 | 38 | 41 | 33 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 89 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 67 | 67 | 64 | 61 | 59 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.3 | 4.1 | 7.3 | 3.9 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 29 | 21 | 25 | 22 | 20 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.6 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 38 | 20 | 23 | 25 | 27 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.4 | 19 | 19.2 | 20 | 21.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 112 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 10.1 | 8.7 | 9.5 | 9 | 9.0 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 15 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 79 | 82 | 83 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 16 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Montgomery County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 44\% | 34\% | - |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 21.2 | 9.1 | + |
| 5 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Montgomery County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 11906 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | - |

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# Morris County 

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## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

County Health
Rankings \& Roadmaps

Healthiest in US

State Average
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## Health

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| Population: 5,349 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8253 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.7 | 6.1 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 22 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 65 | 53 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 18 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 25 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 220 | 183 | 231 | 160 | 224.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 54 | 53 | 54 | 56 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 18 | 18 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 36 | 36 | 54 | 56 | 56 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4733 | 4249 | 3974 | 2441 | 3201 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 53 | 51 | 54 | 47 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 47 | 50 | 36 | 39 | 36 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 58 | 59 | 65 | 63 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.9 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.3 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.9 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 29 | 23 | 18 | 19 | 17 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 20.2 | 19.9 | 24.9 | 25.2 | 26.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 98 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.7 | 6.9 | 8.1 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 81 | 84 | 84 | 83 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 39 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 37 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Morris County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 26.1 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 16\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages $25-44$ with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 66\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Morris County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight ( 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8253 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |

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# Morton County 

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Health Factors

## Morton County

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Health
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Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 2,599 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14042 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 21 | 17 | 17 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 21 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 38 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.2 | 8 | 7.7 | 7.4 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 28 | 29 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 89 | 89 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 219 | 329 | 541 | 425 | 260.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 39 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 16 | 13 | 16 | 16 | 17 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 109 | 112 | 155 | 118 | 111 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 37 | 39 | 39 | 37 | 38 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6391 | 6367 | 5276 | 4093 | 3655 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 22 | 25 | 24 | 9 | 26 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 38 | 46 | 42 | 40 | 44 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 84 | 84 | 88 | 88 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 42 | 47 | 42 | 54 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.3 | 2.9 | 3 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.2 | 4 | 4.6 | 3.8 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 39 | 26 | 26 | 20 | 13 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 29.2 | 18.7 | 19.3 | 19.7 | 26.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 113 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.5 | 5.5 | 6.1 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 7 | 10 | 8 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 73 | 80 | 83 | 85 | 87 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 16 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 19 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Morton County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 26.0 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 17\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 26\% | 43\% | - |
| 5 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 111 | 75 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Morton County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 14042 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

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## Health

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| Population: 10,115 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 5022 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.5 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.5 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 35 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.1 | 8.2 | 7.8 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 21 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 65 | 65 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 57 | 44 | 43 | 43 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 119 | 188 | 137 | 176 | 146.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 13 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 99 | 98 | 98 | 128 | 127 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 89 | 88 | 89 | 98 | 99 | 63 | 74 |
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| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3976 | 4766 | 4271 | 2722 | 3332 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 51 | 47 | 48 | 44 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 34 | 38 | 33 | 31 | 29 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 93 | 93 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 79 | 78 | 79 | 81 | 78 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.3 | 2.8 | 3 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 11 | 11 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.2 | 4.1 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 18 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 15 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 12.8 | 12.8 | 12.7 | 12.8 | 12.7 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 87 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.2 | 7.3 | 8.5 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | No | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 10\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages $25-44$ with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 78\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| 5 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 127 | 75 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Nemaha County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 5022 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight ( 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.5 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Neosho County 

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## Health Outcomes



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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Neosho County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 4236 | 2681 | - |
| 2 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 6\% | 26\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 67\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 40\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 82 | 80 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Neosho County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.5 | 4.8 | - |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10128 | 7972 | - |

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# Ness County 

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## Health Factors

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## Population: 2,645



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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ness County, KS -2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 194 | 80 | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.2\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 29.9 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ness County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.5 | 4.8 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Norton County 

Health Outcomes


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Health Factors

# Norton County 

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 5,301 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9056 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.4 | 8.1 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 37 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.9 | 8.3 | 8.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 62 | 62 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 50 | 43 | 38 | 38 | 50 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 110 | 184 | 149 | 224 | 224.6 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 37 | 37 | 56 | 75 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 56 | 56 | 56 | 57 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 74 | 93 | 94 | 112 | 113 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2466 | 3657 | 2906 | 1560 | 1621 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 56 | 51 | 47 | 44 | 50 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 39 | 40 | 38 | 41 | 36 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 89 | 90 | 90 | 91 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 46 | 56 | 62 | 60 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 21 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 4.4 | 3.7 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 29 | 8 | 7 | 12 | 11 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 18.4 | 18.4 | 18.7 | 18.8 | 16.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 100 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.7 | 5.1 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 5 | 10 | 13 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 76 | 81 | 77 | 74 | 70 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 10 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 11 | 22 | 36 |

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Norton County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1621 | 2681 | + |
| 3 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 50\% | 26\% | - |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Children in Single-Parent Households | Percentage of children that live in a household headed by a single parent. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 25\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Norton County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9056 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

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# Osage County 

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## Health Outcomes

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Health Factors

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Health
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| Population: 15,654 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9144 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6 | 6.6 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 20 | 21 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 42 | 44 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 8.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 63 | 48 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 19 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 14 | 22 | 21 | 21 | 12 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 292 | 323 | 326 | 219 | 209.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 17 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 6 | 6 | 6 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4010 | 3879 | 3822 | 3375 | 3020 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 52 | 52 | 50 | 50 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 55 | 55 | 54 | 54 | 47 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 63 | 61 | 61 | 63 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.8 | 3.6 | 5.1 | 3 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 18 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 29 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 21 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 9.5 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.2 | 9.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 88 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.3 | 7.3 | 8.8 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 12 | 13 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 81 | 79 | 81 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 53 | 54 | 51 | 50 | 48 | 22 | 36 |

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# Osage County 

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 44\% | 34\% | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 14\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 6 | 75 | - |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Osage County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9144 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |

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# Osborne County 

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## Health Factors

## Health

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| Population: 3,490 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(11)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.8 | 6 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.3 | 7.4 | 7.5 | 7.8 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 42 | 43 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 20 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 20 | 33 | 29 | 29 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 194 | 166 | 234 |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 58 | 58 | 29 | 29 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 58 | 58 | 58 | 57 | 57 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 86 | 88 | 116 | 114 | 115 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6383 | 4989 | 5414 | 4214 | 3133 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 44 | 41 | 41 | 35 | 40 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 45 | 44 | 31 | 34 | 32 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 95 | 94 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 73 | 74 | 69 | 73 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2 | 2.9 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 22 | 15 | 17 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5 | 5.6 | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 27 | 15 | 25 | 21 | 20 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 27.7 | 28.8 | 29.2 | 29.1 | 34.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 143 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.3 | 5.6 | 6.6 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 78 | 78 | 76 | 75 | 78 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 15 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Osborne County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 143 | 80 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 34.3 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 73\% | 68\% | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Osborne County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Ottawa County 

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## Health Factors

Ottawa County

Health Outcomes

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Health
Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 5,795 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9741 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 16 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6 | 5.8 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8 | 8 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 22 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 2 | 2 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 56 | 38 | 25 | 25 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 171 | 136 | 193 | 158 | 154.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 34 | 34 | 35 | 35 | 34 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 69 | 70 | 70 | 69 | 69 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 17 | 18 | 18 |  | 17 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2262 | 2913 | 3244 | 1909 | 3622 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 51 | 53 | 50 | 45 | 53 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 39 | 42 | 47 | 42 | 42 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 95 | 95 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 58 | 61 | 61 | 62 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.9 | 2.7 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 13 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 24 | 20 | 24 | 20 | 17 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 15.4 | 15.5 | 12.3 | 10.5 | 12.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 73 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.5 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 7 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 80 | 80 | 83 | 81 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 35 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 30 | 22 | 36 |

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# Ottawa County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ottawa County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & \text { Value } \end{aligned}$ | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.5\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 73 | 80 | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Ottawa County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9741 | 7972 | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |

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# Pawnee County 

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Health Outcomes

# Pawnee County 

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 6,179 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7608 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 9.1 | 8.5 | 8.9 | 8.9 | 9 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 21 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 40 | 36 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 26 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 67 | 67 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 29 | 17 | 17 | 13 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 150 | 180 | 140 | 140 | 192.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 30 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 105 | 107 | 109 | 94 | 96 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 30 | 31 | 31 | 32 | 16 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 610 | 608 | 628 | 594 | 566 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3344 | 3222 | 2079 | 983 | 2331 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 27 | 28 | 26 | 29 | 35 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 37 | 39 | 38 | 38 | 31 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 91 | 91 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 53 | 55 | 51 | 50 | 46 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 2.9 | 3.8 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.3 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 4 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 34 | 21 | 24 | 16 | 7 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 15 | 10.7 | 12.5 | 11 | 11.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 124 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.7 | 5.8 | 6.9 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 7 | 8 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 85 | 82 | 76 | 71 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 11 | 11 | 9 | 8 | 13 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 46\% | 68\% | - |
| 3 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 124 | 80 | - |
| 4 | Children in Single-Parent Households | Percentage of children that live in a household headed by a single parent. | Social and Economic Environment | 7\% | 25\% | + |
| 5 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 96 | 75 | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Pawnee County, KS -2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7608 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 9\% | 8\% | - |

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# Phillips County 

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Health Outcomes


## Health Factors

Phillips County

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## Health

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## Population: 4,809

| -opulation: | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(11)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7810 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.7 | 8.7 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 36 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.7 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  | 31 | 23 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 56 | 66 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 33 | 33 | 43 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 149 | 112 | 115 | 96 | 103.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 37 | 56 | 57 | 39 | 21 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 38 | 38 | 39 | 42 | 42 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 169 | 191 | 193 | 208 | 208 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5185 | 5980 | 4917 | 4107 | 3495 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 46 | 48 | 44 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 39 | 39 | 38 | 42 | 38 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 91 | 91 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 69 | 70 | 79 | 73 | 77 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.5 | 2.6 | 3.4 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.5 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 23 | 11 | 10 | 13 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 27.9 | 30.1 | 28.7 | 27 | 29.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 69 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.1 | 5.5 | 6.6 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | No | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 84 | 82 | 81 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 15 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 22 | 36 |

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# Phillips County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Phillips County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.2\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 77\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 29.1 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 69 | 80 | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Phillips County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7810 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |

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# Pottawatomie County 

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## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

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## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 26,273 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 6437 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 14 | 15 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 4.7 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 34 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.7 | 8.8 | 8.9 | 9 | 9.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 26 | 20 | 22 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 46 | 46 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 14 | 11 | 19 | 19 | 22 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 205 | 167 | 209 | 226 | 166.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 67 | 66 | 66 | 65 | 74 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 25 | 25 | 24 | 27 | 23 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 29 | 33 | 36 | 35 | 38 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3391 | 3566 | 3500 | 2363 | 2040 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 46 | 48 | 49 | 46 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 39 | 39 | 42 | 39 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 94 | 95 | 96 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 74 | 76 | 75 | 76 | 79 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.8 | 4.3 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 9 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 4 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 17 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 9.6 | 8.7 | 9.4 | 10.1 | 10.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 62 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.1 | 7.3 | 8.6 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 78 | 78 | 79 | 80 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 25 | 29 | 36 | 35 | 33 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Pottawatomie County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 15\% | 15\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 8\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 79\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Pottawatomie County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 6437 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.0 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 12\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |

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# Pratt County 

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State Average

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| Population: 9,067 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8660 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.1 | 6.4 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 17 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 36 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8 | 8.1 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 23 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 81 | 83 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 21 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 8 | 14 | 14 | 15 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 304 | 210 | 437 | 295 | 305.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 22 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 84 | 85 | 87 | 88 | 87 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 75 | 65 | 66 | 76 | 77 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 75 | 76 | 77 | 76 | 88 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3546 | 3201 | 2847 | 2587 | 1752 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 45 | 51 | 44 | 35 | 48 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 36 | 41 | 42 | 44 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 78 | 78 | 74 | 72 | 68 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.5 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 15 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 25 | 22 | 20 | 21 | 26 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 15.7 | 17.1 | 16.4 | 15.3 | 15.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 97 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.8 | 6.3 | 7.3 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | No | No | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 15 | 14 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 80 | 82 | 81 | 81 | 83 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 11 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 22 | 36 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| 4 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1752 | 2681 | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 68\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Pratt County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8660 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |

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## Health Outcomes

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| Population: 2,528 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 9.2 | 7.2 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 7.7 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 56 | 58 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 15 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 75 | 60 | 50 | 50 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 237 |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  | 40 | 39 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 80 | 119 | 119 | 118 | 79 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6171 | 8644 | 5463 | 3315 | 3542 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 45 | 42 | 44 | 52 | 47 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 33 | 33 | 32 | 36 | 36 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 96 | 95 | 95 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 74 | 74 | 80 | 82 | 83 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 20 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.2 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.3 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 14 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 8 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 32 | 27.9 | 27.7 | 23.9 | 23.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 159 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.4 | 5 | 5.8 | 5.2 | 5.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 7 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 70 | 67 | 70 | 71 | 71 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 19 | 18 | 21 | 13 | 14 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 159 | 80 | - |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 83\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 13\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Rawlins County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.2 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Reno County 

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Health Outcomes


Health Factors

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 61,516 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8855 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 15 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 42 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 66 | 70 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 20 | 20 | 25 | 25 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 474 | 475 | 507 | 492 | 468.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 21 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 62 | 59 | 55 | 60 | 59 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 53 | 56 | 57 | 62 | 59 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 157 | 174 | 186 | 200 | 216 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3075 | 3230 | 2686 | 1943 | 1918 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 53 | 46 | 46 | 48 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 23 | 26 | 28 | 29 | 27 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 89 | 90 | 91 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 63 | 64 | 62 | 64 | 63 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.6 | 3.2 | 5.5 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 17 | 13 | 16 | 19 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 29 | 16 | 16 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 15.4 | 14.6 | 14.4 | 13.8 | 14.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 105 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.8 | 7.2 | 7.8 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 17 | 17 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 22 | 36 |

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Reno County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 42\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1918 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 27\% | 46\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Reno County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8855 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |

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# Republic County 

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Health Factors


Health
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| Population: 4,642 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 12161 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 16 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.7 | 7.9 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.7 | 8 | 8.4 | 8.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 21 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 50 | 50 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  | 86 | 85.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 12 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 12 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 85 | 64 | 65 | 66 | 86 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 21 | 22 | 22 | 21 | 22 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 43 | 43 | 88 | 86 | 65 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5348 | 5354 | 4364 | 2423 | 2411 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 41 | 42 | 39 | 34 | 37 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 49 | 44 | 47 | 48 | 40 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 96 | 96 | 95 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 70 | 66 | 72 | 73 | 71 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.7 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 18 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 12 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 18 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 34.1 | 34.3 | 34.5 | 33.1 | 30.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 112 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8 | 6.6 | 7.4 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 84 | 83 | 86 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 22 | 24 | 26 | 25 | 26 | 22 | 36 |

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# Republic County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Republic County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 30.0 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 71\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Republic County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 12161 | 7972 | - |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |

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# Rice County 

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Health Outcomes


## Health Factors

Informing Policy. Improving Health

## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 9,407 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8350 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.2 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 17 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 39 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 24 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 67 | 68 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 36 | 18 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 238 | 186 | 325 | 367 | 394.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 41 | 52 | 52 | 53 | 53 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 31 | 31 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 31 | 31 | 53 | 53 | 64 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5341 | 4350 | 4733 | 3446 | 3566 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 37 | 46 | 39 | 37 | 37 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 18 | 21 | 20 | 22 | 18 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 68 | 68 | 69 | 68 | 69 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.9 | 2.8 | 4.2 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 16 | 12 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.7 | 4.5 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 27 | 12 | 11 | 16 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.7 | 18.9 | 18.9 | 19.2 | 19.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 99 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.1 | 6.4 | 7.3 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 12 | 10 | 9 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 81 | 79 | 78 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 22 | 25 | 26 | 26 | 30 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Rice County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 18\% | 46\% | - |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 14\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 69\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 19.2 | 9.1 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Rice County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8350 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |

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# Riley County 

Health Outcomes


Health Factors

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| Population: 71,108 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 5329 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.3 | 6.5 | 6.4 | 6.4 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 16 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 34 | 33 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.7 | 6.5 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 25 | 22 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 86 | 89 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 20 | 25 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 25 | 24 | 27 | 27 | 28 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 680 | 785 | 737 | 550 | 673.1 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 8 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 69 | 68 | 70 | 75 | 69 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 62 | 62 | 60 | 58 | 62 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 235 | 238 | 268 | 289 | 314 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2769 | 2455 | 2554 | 1708 | 1581 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 51 | 50 | 52 | 51 | 52 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 58 | 61 | 58 | 62 | 59 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 96 | 96 | 96 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 82 | 81 | 83 | 82 | 80 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.9 | 2.8 | 5 | 2.8 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 13 | 13 | 18 | 12 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.8 | 5 | 4.8 | 5 | 5.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 27 | 24 | 27 | 27 | 29 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 11.5 | 11.4 | 12.1 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 42 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9 | 7.3 | 8.4 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 21 | 21 | 20 | 20 | 19 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 74 | 73 | 70 | 68 | 65 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 11 | 12 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 22 | 36 |

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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 42 | 80 | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 80\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| 5 | Excessive Drinking | Percentage of adults reporting binge or heavy drinking (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 25\% | 18\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Riley County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 5329 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |

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# Rooks County 

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Health Outcomes


## Health Factors

County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

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## Population: 4,813

## Health Outcomes

| Length of life |
| :--- |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of |
| Average number of |
| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 18 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 34 | 36 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8 | 8.2 | 8.3 | 8.6 | 8.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  | 30 | 22 | 24 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 41 | 41 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 20 | 17 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 337 | 218 | 224 | 244 | 165.6 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 16 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 14 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 119 | 120 | 102 | 104 | 103 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 40 | 41 | 41 | 41 | 42 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 20 | 41 | 21 | 21 | 21 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5021 | 5081 | 3635 | 3273 | 3580 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 52 | 54 | 50 | 51 | 54 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 46 | 47 | 50 | 55 | 49 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 89 | 89 | 90 | 93 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 74 | 70 | 71 | 69 | 71 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 3.5 | 4 | 2.4 | 2.6 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 12 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 3.1 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 28 | 23 | 20 | 21 | 13 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 15.9 | 16 | 16.3 | 16.6 | 14.5 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 126 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.2 | 5.3 | 6.5 | 5.8 | 5.8 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 81 | 78 | 82 | 84 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 18 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 19 |



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|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 126 | 80 | - |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 71\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | Income Inequality | Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.1 | 4.9 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Rooks County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9659 | 7972 | + |

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## Rush County <br> County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

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| Population: 2,927 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.1 | 8.5 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 9 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 16 15 <br> 37 34 |  |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 36 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.1 | 7.9 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 22 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 30 | 45 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 50 | 60 | 50 | 50 | 29 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 129 | 322 | 494 | 198 |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 32 | 33 | 34 | 34 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 33 | 34 | 34 | 34 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5547 | 5370 | 5088 | 3139 | 2120 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 41 | 47 | 44 | 53 | 48 | 43 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  | $47 \quad 46$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 92 | 91 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 67 | 67 | 70 | 63 | 61 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.7 | 2.8 | 4.6 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 17 | 16 | 20 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.6 | 4 | 4.1 | 4 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 19 | 13 | 24 | 23 | 26 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 22.6 | 22.6 | 23.1 | 17 | 16.9 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 93 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.5 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 6 | 6.0 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | No | No | Yes |   <br> 12 17 |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 8 | 10 | 7 | 6 |  |  |
| \% Driving alone to work | 78 | 79 | 80 | 80 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone 28 26 26 30 33 |  |  |  |  |  | 22 | 36 |

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| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.2\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 41\% | 34\% | - |
| 3 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 53\% | 43\% | + |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 2120 | 2681 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Rush County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 9\% | 8\% | - |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Russell County 

Health Outcomes


State Average

Health Factors

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## Population: 6,639

## Health Outcomes

Length of life

| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9030 |
| :--- | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 18 | 13 | 15 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 |
| \% Low birthweight, $<2,500$ grams |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.7 |

Health Factors

| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adult ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 20 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 38 | 40 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 7.9 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 23 | 27 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 68 | 68 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 17 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 27 | 33 | 31 | 31 | 30 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 130 | 231 | 219 | 160 | 193.9 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 19 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 11 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 58 | 43 | 58 | 59 | 45 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 43 | 44 | 44 | 45 | 45 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5067 | 5551 | 4663 | 3636 | 3305 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 32 | 42 | 40 | 33 | 38 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 27 | 29 | 27 | 32 | 30 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 88 | 93 | 93 | 93 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 75 | 69 | 67 | 71 | 61 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3 | 2.9 | 4.2 | 2.4 | 2.3 |
| \% Children in poverty | 21 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 19 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.4 | 4.1 | 4 | 4.3 | 4.5 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 14 | 14 | 7 | 19 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.7 | 20.3 | 17.5 | 19.1 | 22.4 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 97 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.5 | 5.7 | 6.8 | 6.1 | 6.1 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 7 | 6 | 10 | 13 |
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| 37 | 34 |
| 7.1 | 7.7 |
| 23 | 23 |
| 80 | 84 |
| 20 | 18 |
| 20 | 26 |
| 506.1 | 495.5 |
| 19 | 17 |
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| 11 | 10 |
| 78 | 75 |
| 63 | 74 |
| 237 | 314 |
| 2576 | 2681 |
| 48 | 43 |
| 47 | 46 |
|  |  |
| 92 | 89 |
| 71 | 68 |
| 2.7 | 3.7 |
| 14 | 16 |
| 4.4 | 4.9 |
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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Russell County, KS -2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 22.4 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, ' No ' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| 5 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 30\% | 46\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Russell County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9030 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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- Red Minus: Measure with a negative impact on a county's health grouping.

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# Saline County 

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## Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

| Population: 53,596 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | Kansas <br> 2024 | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8680 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(11)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 5 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.6 | 7.2 | 6.9 | 6.9 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 38 | 36 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.9 | 7.8 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 8.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 30 | 25 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 80 | 80 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 12 | 19 | 24 | 24 | 22 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 499 | 437 | 457 | 352 | 421.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 24 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 90 | 90 | 96 | 96 | 96 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 75 | 76 | 80 | 82 | 84 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 349 | 361 | 371 | 375 | 373 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3433 | 3381 | 3797 | 2292 | 2291 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 57 | 57 | 57 | 51 | 54 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 50 | 52 | 53 | 55 | 51 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 92 | 93 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 64 | 65 | 64 | 66 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.1 | 3 | 5.5 | 3 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 16 | 17 | 13 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 31 | 23 | 25 | 24 | 28 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 15.7 | 15.3 | 15.5 | 15 | 15.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 86 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.5 | 7 | 7.8 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 14 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 83 | 81 | 81 | 80 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 11 | 22 | 36 |

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# Saline County 

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## What do these drivers mean?

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Saline County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 15\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 54\% | 43\% | + |
| 5 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 96 | 75 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Saline County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8680 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Scott County 

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Health Outcomes


State Average

## Health Factors

## Scott County <br> County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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## Population: 5,014

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of p |
| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, < 2,5 |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 19 | 20 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 36 | 40 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 9 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 8.8 | 8.8 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 29 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 84 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 19 | 17 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 33 | 29 | 29 | 14 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 262 | 242 | 228 | 207 | 272.9 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 24 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 15 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 101 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 97 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 41 | 41 | 42 | 39 | 40 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 102 | 124 | 84 | 39 | 60 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4841 | 6714 | 5283 | 3723 | 5167 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 42 | 50 | 43 | 45 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 28 | 33 | 32 | 29 | 30 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 84 | 83 | 84 | 85 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 52 | 58 | 53 | 50 | 50 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2 | 1.9 | 2.5 | 1.6 | 1.8 |
| \% Children in poverty | 13 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 9 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.2 | 3.9 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 3.6 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 10 | 5 | 10 | 12 | 12 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 16.1 | 16.3 | 16.6 | 16.7 | 17.5 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 93 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7 | 5.4 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 7 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 77 | 79 | 79 | 81 | 80 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 12 |



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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Scott County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.8\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 5167 | 2681 | - |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 9\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 50\% | 68\% | - |
| 5 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 15\% | 10\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Scott County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9269 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 9\% | 8\% | - |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 18\% | 14\% | + |

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# Sedgwick County 

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## Health Outcomes


Sedgwick County

## Health Factors

Informing Policy. Improving Health.

## Sedgwick County

Health
Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 525,525 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9723 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 20 | 14 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5.1 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.9 | 7.9 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 17 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 38 | 35 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.5 | 7.2 | 7.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 22 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 82 | 82 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 21 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 594 | 631 | 693 | 687 | 639.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 25 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 87 | 89 | 90 | 89 | 89 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 63 | 66 | 66 | 69 | 70 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 222 | 228 | 238 | 250 | 262 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2686 | 2896 | 2750 | 2197 | 2230 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 42 | 42 | 43 | 39 | 44 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 50 | 54 | 54 | 56 | 52 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 90 | 90 | 90 | 89 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 67 | 67 | 68 | 67 | 67 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.8 | 3.5 | 8.7 | 4.6 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 19 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 34 | 28 | 26 | 26 | 25 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 9.9 | 10 | 9.8 | 9.9 | 9.6 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 95 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 10 | 7.4 | 8.1 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 84 | 84 | 83 | 82 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 15 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 17 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sedgwick County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction <br> of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 67\% | 68\% | + |
| 3 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 89 | 75 | + |
| 4 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 52\% | 46\% | + |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 2230 | 2681 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sedgwick County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 3 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9723 | 7972 | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.1 | 4.8 | + |

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# Seward County 

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Health Outcomes

Health Factors


County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps

## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 21,358 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7781 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 28 | 29 | 20 | 23 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.4 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 41 | 44 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 9.2 | 8.7 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 42 | 34 | 35 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 91 | 91 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 14 | 17 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 28 | 38 | 38 | 38 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 573 | 573 | 728 | 532 | 505.8 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 42 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 54 | 37 | 37 | 38 | 32 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 32 | 33 | 33 | 32 | 33 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 78 | 84 | 95 | 92 | 108 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4226 | 4692 | 3068 | 2188 | 3547 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 20 | 18 | 22 | 17 | 22 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 38 | 37 | 37 | 33 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 66 | 70 | 70 | 70 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 35 | 37 | 43 | 42 | 41 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.3 | 3.1 | 4.4 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 18 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 42 | 22 | 19 | 17 | 16 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 10.8 | 11.5 | 11.7 | 13.3 | 12.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 63 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.2 | 6 | 7 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 16 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 71 | 72 | 72 | 74 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 12 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Seward County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 70\% | 89\% | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.6\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 20\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 41\% | 68\% | - |
| 5 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 44\% | 34\% | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Seward County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7781 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.4 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 23\% | 14\% | - |
| 5 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |

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# Shawnee County 

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Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

## National Average

State Average

# County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps <br> Shawnee County County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps 

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Health
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## Population: 177,480

| (1) | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9770 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 18 | 13 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 39 | 37 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.4 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 22 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 88 | 87 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 25 | 22 | 16 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 654 | 716 | 734 | 772 | 816.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 26 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 73 | 77 | 74 | 72 | 73 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 64 | 66 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 349 | 356 | 363 | 365 | 379 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4214 | 4152 | 3960 | 3302 | 2854 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 53 | 55 | 56 | 52 | 57 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 58 | 59 | 60 | 62 | 57 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 92 | 93 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 66 | 67 | 67 | 68 | 67 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.3 | 5.9 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 13 | 13 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.3 | 4.1 | 4 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 30 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 16.2 | 16 | 15.7 | 15.4 | 15.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 103 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.6 | 7.1 | 9.7 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 13 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 83 | 81 | 81 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 13 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 22 | 36 |

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# Shawnee County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Shawnee County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.7\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 57\% | 43\% | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Flu Vaccinations | Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees who had an annual flu vaccination. | Clinical Care | 57\% | 46\% | + |
| 5 | Sexually Transmitted Infections | Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population. | Health Behaviors | 816.2 | 495.5 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Shawnee County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.7 | 4.8 | - |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9770 | 7972 | + |

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# Sheridan County 

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Health Outcomes

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Sheridan County National Average

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## Health

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## Population: 2,425

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of p |
| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 38 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.1 | 8 | 7.8 | 8.2 | 8.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {[1] }}$ |  |  |  | 57 | 59 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 44 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 159 | 198 | 242.1 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 20 | 16 | 15 | 7 | 8 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 40 | 39 | 40 | 79 | 81 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 39 | 40 | 40 | 40 | 41 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 8292 | 8017 | 4747 | 4904 | 4361 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 45 | 44 | 49 | 45 | 53 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 37 | 35 | 29 | 18 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 96 | 96 | 96 | 96 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 70 | 77 | 75 | 76 | 74 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.3 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 22 | 16 | 17 | 13 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.3 | 3.8 | 4.7 | 4.9 | 5.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 33 | 23 | 22 | 17 | 18 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 31.7 | 31.6 | 39.7 | 39.7 | 28.2 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 111 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.7 | 5.1 | 6.1 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 6 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 70 | 66 | 65 | 66 | 68 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 17 | 17 | 23 | 25 | 24 | 22 | 36 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 28.2 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 96\% | 89\% | + |
| 4 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 4361 | 2681 | - |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 74\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sheridan County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.0 | 3.3 | + |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 3 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Sherman County 

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## Health Factors

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| Population: 5,830 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7194 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 12 | 15 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.2 | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 5.9 | 5.5 | 6.2 | 6.7 | 6.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 22 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 79 | 79 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 472 | 202 | 406 | 406 | 305.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 18 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 34 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 34 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 68 | 68 | 69 | 68 | 69 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 34 | 51 | 35 | 34 | 34 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 7412 | 6145 | 4645 | 2821 | 4391 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 36 | 33 | 32 | 28 | 32 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 33 | 37 | 35 | 39 | 35 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 73 | 77 | 81 | 68 | 67 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.7 | 3.4 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 20 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 16 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.5 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 34 | 24 | 20 | 33 | 34 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.9 | 22 | 22 | 22.5 | 22.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 85 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.4 | 5.2 | 5.9 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 14 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 8 | 12 | 17 |
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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sherman County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.3\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 4391 | 2681 | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 22.1 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths | Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement. | Health Behaviors | 0\% | 26\% | + |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 67\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sherman County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7194 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |

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# Smith County 

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## Health Outcomes



State Average

## Health Factors



National Average
State Average

## Health

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## Population: 3,533

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| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 19 | 18 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 36 | 38 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.3 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.7 | 8.0 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 22 | 24 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 63 | 64 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 19 | 16 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 33 | 33 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 273 | 136 | 112 | 223 |  |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 13 | 11 | 12 | 9 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 164 | 139 | 140 | 141 | 140 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 56 | 56 | 56 | 56 | 57 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5904 | 4648 | 6153 | 5818 | 3852 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 49 | 47 | 51 | 54 | 46 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 32 | 31 | 31 | 35 | 33 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 95 | 96 | 95 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 70 | 72 | 74 | 70 | 64 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 2.0 |
| \% Children in poverty | 18 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 15 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.5 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 22 | 16 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 40.9 | 41.6 | 41.9 | 36.7 | 39.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 95 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.3 | 5.7 | 6.7 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | No | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 10 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 6 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 83 | 85 | 83 | 82 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 16 | 16 | 15 | 15 | 13 |



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# Smith County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Smith County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 39.1 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Primary Care Physicians | Ratio of population to primary care physicians. | Clinical Care | 140 | 75 | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3852 | 2681 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Smith County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Stafford County 

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| Population: 3,993 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10162 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 19 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.5 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 5 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams |  | 2.8 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.8 | 7.6 | 7.8 | 8 | 8.2 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 25 | 26 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 46 | 74 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 17 | 14 | 14 | 20 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 238 | 357 | 96 | 144 | 148.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 24 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 17 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 24 | 24 | 24 | 25 | 25 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 24 | 24 | 25 | 25 | 25 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 48 | 48 | 49 | 50 | 50 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4162 | 3440 | 2779 | 2603 | 1459 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 45 | 40 | 34 | 38 | 45 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 36 | 39 | 35 | 38 | 35 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 93 | 92 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 61 | 66 | 73 | 70 | 70 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.7 | 2.7 | 3.7 | 2.2 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 21 | 19 | 17 | 19 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 26 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 23.8 | 23.9 | 21.7 | 17.3 | 19.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 160 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7.8 | 6.2 | 7.2 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 77 | 78 | 82 | 81 | 76 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 29 | 29 | 27 | 28 | 28 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Stafford County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County <br> Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 160 | 80 | - |
| 2 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 1459 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 70\% | 68\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Stafford County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 4\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.5 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10162 | 7972 | - |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 23 | 17 | 20 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.8 | 8 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 39 | 43 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 9 | 8.2 | 8.3 | 8.5 | 8.6 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 29 | 32 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 74 | 74 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 40 | 40 | 33 | 33 | 33 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 194 |  | 249 | 449 | 195.7 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 18 | 16 | 16 | 18 | 17 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 49 | 50 |  | 0 |  | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3815 | 7507 | 1888 | 2598 | 510 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 29 | 25 | 29 | 25 | 19 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 31 | 39 | 20 | 30 | 29 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 79 | 82 | 82 | 80 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 58 | 52 | 35 | 35 | 33 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 13 | 15 | 13 | 11 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5.1 | 5 | 5.1 | 4 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 18 | 14 | 17 | 32 | 13 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.4 | 25.2 | 19.9 | 20.3 | 19.6 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.5 | 5.5 | 6.2 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 7 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 75 | 72 | 79 | 83 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 17 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Stanton County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 33\% | 68\% | - |
| 3 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 510 | 2681 | + |
| 4 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 16\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 80\% | 89\% | - |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Stanton County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 20\% | 14\% | - |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Stevens County 

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## Health Outcomes <br> \author{  

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| Population: 5,175 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 9078 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 25 | 17 | 19 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 3.8 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.3 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 41 | 41 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.6 | 8 | 7.5 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 29 | 31 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 28 | 28 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 18 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 89 | 232 | 182 | 237 | 264.5 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 22 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 16 | 17 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 36 | 36 | 36 | 37 | 19 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 36 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 54 | 55 | 74 | 76 | 77 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 8979 | 6484 | 5896 | 3873 | 3901 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 20 | 19 | 21 | 13 | 17 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 41 | 43 | 44 | 43 | 37 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 78 | 78 | 74 | 74 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 55 | 51 | 49 | 46 | 54 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.6 | 4.9 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 15 | 11 | 13 | 9 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.6 | 19.8 | 16.4 | 20.4 | 20.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 84 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 7 | 5.9 | 6.7 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 13 | 15 | 16 | 13 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 76 | 81 | 82 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 17 | 17 | 17 | 22 | 25 | 22 | 36 |

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# Stevens County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Stevens County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 74\% | 89\% | - |
| 3 | Mammography Screening | Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 who received an annual mammography screening. | Clinical Care | 17\% | 43\% | - |
| 4 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 18\% | 10\% | - |
| 5 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 14\% | 16\% | + |

Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Stevens County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 5\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 9078 | 7972 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.0 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 5 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 19\% | 14\% | - |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Sumner County 

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## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 22,473 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 10311 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.9 | 6.6 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 21 | 18 | 20 | 20 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 37 | 41 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.4 | 7.9 | 7.7 | 8.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 23 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 56 | 41 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 17 | 26 | 18 | 18 | 13 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 345 | 294 | 324 | 412 | 451.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 19 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 26 | 31 | 27 | 27 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 30 | 31 | 35 | 36 | 31 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 87 | 92 | 89 | 98 | 111 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 2976 | 2647 | 2682 | 2820 | 2533 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 36 | 36 | 32 | 36 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 45 | 46 | 48 | 49 | 42 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 93 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 67 | 65 | 65 | 65 | 61 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.5 | 3.4 | 8.1 | 4.1 | 3.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 15 | 14 | 15 | 15 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 5 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 25 | 17 | 16 | 12 | 11 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 17.7 | 16.5 | 14.9 | 15.9 | 13.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 83 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.1 | 6.7 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 82 | 82 | 81 | 82 | 82 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 39 | 42 | 45 | 46 | 48 | 22 | 36 |

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# Sumner County 

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## What do these drivers mean?

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sumner County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 93\% | 89\% | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 15\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 41\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Sumner County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.3 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.8 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 10311 | 7972 | - |

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# Thomas County 

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Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

Thomas County

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 7,893 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 8558 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 12 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.3 | 6.4 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 38 | 39 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.6 | 6.9 | 7.4 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 22 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 78 | 78 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 25 | 31 | 33 | 33 | 31 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 398 | 244 | 322 | 412 | 380.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 64 | 65 | 64 | 52 | 51 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 52 | 51 | 52 | 51 | 51 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 156 | 154 | 169 | 190 | 177 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5933 | 5559 | 6063 | 3359 | 3961 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 47 | 50 | 54 | 50 | 51 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 27 | 29 | 33 | 31 | 21 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 93 | 92 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 82 | 77 | 81 | 75 | 77 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.3 | 2.9 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 12 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.4 | 4.7 | 3.6 | 4 | 3.9 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 13 | 8 | 5 | 8 | 14 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.3 | 19.5 | 19.3 | 19.5 | 19.0 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 93 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.6 | 5.1 | 5.9 | 5.4 | 5.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 83 | 82 | 83 | 81 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 8 | 8 | 11 | 9 | 10 | 22 | 36 |

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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 1.9\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 10\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 77\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 3961 | 2681 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Thomas County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 8558 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |

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# Trego County 

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## County Health

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 2,752 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 16 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.9 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.4 | 8.7 | 8.2 | 8.2 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 36 | 35 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 8.5 | 8.6 | 8.5 | 8.9 | 9.0 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 28 | 23 | 24 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 71 | 73 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 20 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 18 | 25 | 29 | 29 | 14 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 173 |  | 143 |  | 179.0 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 12 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 72 | 71 | 73 | 72 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 72 | 71 | 73 | 72 | 109 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 11249 | 10537 | 7219 | 5322 | 3555 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 26 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 93 | 94 | 95 | 95 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 70 | 66 | 71 | 63 | 62 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 2.8 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 2.4 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 16 | 15 | 15 | 11 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.7 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 36 | 16 | 16 | 12 | 12 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 24.3 | 25.1 | 25 | 25.4 | 25.1 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 86 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.9 | 4.1 | 5.7 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 84 | 80 | 80 | 79 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 26 | 26 | 18 | 24 | 20 | 22 | 36 |

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# Trego County 

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## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Trego County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.4\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 25.1 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | + |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 95\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Trego County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Wabaunsee County 

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## Health Outcomes

Least Healthy in US

State Average
 countyhealthrankings.org

## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

Each Kansas
county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

| Population: 7,019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { U.S. } \\ & 2024 \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 7282 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 14 | 15 | 11 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 5.7 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 17 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 37 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 27 | 22 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 14 | 14 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 22 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 15 | 14 | 41 | 41 | 46 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 306 | 262 | 216 | 245 | 172.3 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 14 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 29 | 43 | 43 | 43 | 43 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 58 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 71 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3459 | 3842 | 3443 | 3036 | 1634 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 47 | 50 | 46 | 47 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 48 | 48 | 48 | 56 | 53 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 96 | 96 | 97 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 77 | 78 | 75 | 74 | 77 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 3.2 | 3.2 | 4.2 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 11 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 10 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 18 | 16 | 17 | 14 | 10 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 16 | 14.5 | 14.4 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  | 75 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.9 | 7.1 | 8.5 | 8.1 | 8.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 9 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 76 | 75 | 73 | 73 | 74 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 48 | 49 | 48 | 46 | 46 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wabaunsee County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.5\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 10\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 77\% | 68\% | + |
| 4 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 97\% | 89\% | + |
| 5 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 16\% | 15\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wabaunsee County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7282 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 4\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.0 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 13\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.6 | 4.8 | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

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# Wallace County 

## Health Outcomes

N/A

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## Health

Outcomes and Health Factors summaries replace the numerical ranking provided in previous years.

N/A: Wallace County does not meet the criteria to be included in calculation of Health Outcomes or Health Factors summaries for this year due to insufficient data.

| Population: 1,488 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 15 | 16 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.1 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams |  | 7.5 |  |  | 9 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 16 | 18 | 17 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 35 | 35 | 38 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6 | 5.6 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 27 | 23 | 25 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {[1] }}$ |  |  |  | 35 | 53 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 20 | 20 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population |  | 263 |  |  |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 13 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 67 | 66 | 65 | 133 | 134 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 3001 | 1535 | 3986 |  | 2305 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 40 | 41 | 45 | 40 | 46 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 25 | 30 | 33 | 40 | 32 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 95 | 95 | 96 | 93 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 82 | 81 | 73 | 77 | 74 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 15 | 18 | 23 | 19 | 19 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.2 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 7 | 3 | 1 | 10 | 10 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 32.8 | 33.3 | 26.4 | 19.5 | 26.5 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.5 | 5.2 | 5.8 | 5.2 | 5.2 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 73 | 66 | 69 | 72 | 75 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 17 | 16 | 23 | 20 | 16 | 22 | 36 |

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# Wallace County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wallace County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 17\% | 15\% | N/A |
| 2 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 38\% | 34\% | N/A |
| 3 | Food Environment Index | Index of factors that contribute to a healthy food environment, from 0 (worst) to 10 (best). | Health Behaviors | 7.9 | 7.7 | N/A |
| 4 | Physical Inactivity | Percentage of adults age 18 and over reporting no leisure-time physical activity (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 25\% | 23\% | N/A |
| 5 | Access to Exercise Opportunities | Percentage of population with adequate access to locations for physical activity. | Health Behaviors | 53\% | 84\% | N/A |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wallace County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |
| 2 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | N/A |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.1 | 3.3 | N/A |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | N/A |
| 5 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 9\% | 8\% | N/A |

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# Washington County 

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Health Outcomes


## Health Factors

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors on the continuum.

## Population: 5,501

## Health Outcomes

Length of life

| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 17 | 13 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3.2 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4.7 |
| \% Low birthweight, $<2,500$ grams | 8.7 | 8.1 | 7.3 | 7.3 | 6 |

Health Factors

## Health Behaviors

| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 34 | 40 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.1 | 6.9 | 7.1 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 29 | 23 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1] }}$ |  |  |  | 33 | 33 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 164 | 109 | 222 | 148 | 145.2 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 12 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 55 | 55 | 55 | 55 | 73 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5195 | 5097 | 4586 | 4252 | 3176 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 50 | 53 | 49 | 45 | 52 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 37 | 35 | 39 | 19 | 26 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 92 | 93 | 94 | 94 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 64 | 61 | 58 | 61 | 66 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.7 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 17 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 20 | 12 | 11 | 12 | 12 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 32.8 | 31.4 | 33.3 | 33.2 | 30.8 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 73 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 8.4 | 6.9 | 7.8 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | Yes | Yes | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 6 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 80 | 82 | 82 | 81 | 81 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 24 | 28 | 29 | 26 | 27 | 22 | 36 |

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# Washington County 

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The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Washington County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 11\% | 16\% | + |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 30.8 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Adult Obesity | Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to $30 \mathrm{~kg} / \mathrm{m} 2$ (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 42\% | 34\% | - |
| 5 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 94\% | 89\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Washington County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.2 | 3.3 | + |
| 3 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 14\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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# Wichita County 

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Health Outcomes

## Health Factors

## Population: 2,064

| Population: 2,064 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | 2024 | 2024 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 17 | 18 | 14 | 16 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 6.7 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 15 | 17 | 18 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 37 | 40 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.1 | 5.6 | 9.1 | 9 | 8.5 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 31 | 24 | 28 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{[1]}$ |  |  |  | 74 | 74 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 19 | 18 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 75 | 33 | 29 | 29 | 29 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 329 | 235 | 189 | 236 |  | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  |  | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 20 | 18 | 17 | 17 | 18 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 47 | 95 | 94 | 48 | 96 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 48 | 47 | 48 | 48 | 48 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4542 | 5172 | 2650 | 4767 | 3265 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 38 | 43 | 45 | 51 | 51 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 44 | 45 | 44 | 45 | 41 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 87 | 89 | 87 | 88 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 53 | 59 | 70 | 64 | 69 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 2.2 | 2 | 2.1 | 2 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 19 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 3.9 | 3.5 | 4 | 3.6 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 8 | 8 | 12 | 18 | 9 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 37.6 | 42.8 | 42.5 | 38.6 | 38.4 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 95 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 6.8 | 5.4 | 6.3 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 8 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 68 | 70 | 72 | 67 | 74 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 9 | 16 | 14 | 15 | 19 | 22 | 36 |

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# Wichita County 

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wichita County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 2.0\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 2 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 38.4 | 9.1 | + |
| 3 | Children in Poverty | Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty. | Social and Economic Environment | 12\% | 16\% | + |
| 4 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 18\% | 10\% | - |
| 5 | Some College | Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education. | Social and Economic Environment | 69\% | 68\% | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wichita County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 7\% | 8\% | + |
| 2 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.7 | 4.8 | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 16\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | N/A | 7972 | N/A |

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Health Outcomes


State Average

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## Health

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## Population: 8,622

## Health Outcomes

Length of life

| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000$)^{(1)}$ |
| :--- |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |
| \% Low birthweight, $<2,500$ grams |


| 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| Kansas <br> 2024 | U.S. <br> 2024 |
| :---: | :---: |
|  |  |
|  |  |
| 8079 | 7972 |
|  |  |
| 14 | 14 |
| 3.2 | 3.3 |
| 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 7 | 8 |

Health Factors

## Health Behaviors

| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 21 | 22 | 21 | 16 | 15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 36 | 39 | 37 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.5 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 32 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 37 | 35 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 20 | 19 | 16 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 20 | 17 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 208 | 150 | 282 | 199 | 304.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 29 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 10 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 69 | 69 | 47 | 48 | 47 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 35 | 35 | 36 | 35 | 35 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 23 | 23 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 4540 | 4474 | 4889 | 3140 | 3085 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 36 | 43 | 48 | 41 | 49 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 39 | 36 | 34 | 38 | 31 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 88 | 89 | 91 | 91 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 65 | 67 | 67 | 63 | 60 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.4 | 4 | 7.8 | 4 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 22 | 17 | 18 | 22 | 17 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.7 | 4.4 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 38 | 28 | 28 | 29 | 29 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 21.9 | 23.1 | 23.5 | 22.7 | 22.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 147 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.7 | 8 | 8.9 | 8.7 | 8.7 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | Yes | No | Yes |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 13 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 79 | 79 | 81 | 81 | 84 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 16 | 16 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 36 |

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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wilson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Injury Deaths | Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 147 | 80 | - |
| 2 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 21\% | 15\% | - |
| 3 | Social Associations | Number of membership associations per 10,000 population. | Social and Economic Environment | 22.3 | 9.1 | + |
| 4 | Unemployment | Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work. | Social and Economic Environment | 3.1\% | 3.7\% | + |
| 5 | Drinking Water Violations | Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation. | Physical Environment | Yes |  | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wilson County, KS -2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. <br> Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 11381 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 8\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.7 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 17\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.3 | 4.8 | - |

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# Woodson County 

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Health Outcomes

Health Factors

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## Health

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## Population: 3,109

\section*{| Health Outcome |
| :--- |
| Length of life |
| Premature death (ye |
| Quality of life |
| \% Reporting poor or |
| Average number of p |
| Average number of p |
| \% Low birthweight, |
| Health Factors |}


| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 25 | 21 | 21 | 20 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 37 | 37 | 39 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 7.1 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 7.2 | 7.4 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 33 | 26 | 26 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  | 11 | 63 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 18 | 18 | 19 | 16 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 0 | 0 | 17 | 17 | 33 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 254 | 318 |  | 287 | 225.7 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 38 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 12 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 12 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 31 | 32 | 33 | 32 | 32 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population |  |  | 33 | 32 | 32 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 5196 | 3278 | 3969 | 1618 | 970 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 37 | 45 | 44 | 29 | 45 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 35 | 37 | 41 | 41 | 36 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 91 | 92 | 91 | 92 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 59 | 63 | 63 | 59 | 55 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.3 | 4.2 | 5.9 | 3.5 | 3.5 |
| \% Children in poverty | 24 | 22 | 21 | 19 | 19 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.7 | 4.8 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 3.8 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 32 | 21 | 22 | 19 | 18 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 19.1 | 9.4 | 9.6 | 10 | 9.7 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 90 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 9.2 | 7.4 | 8.4 | 8.3 | 8.3 |
| Drinking water violations? | Yes | Yes | No | No | No |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 11 | 9 | 11 | 11 | 8 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 78 | 78 | 78 | 79 | 81 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 31 | 25 | 32 | 30 | 28 |



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Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Woodson County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 970 | 2681 | + |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic <br> Environment | 92\% | 89\% | + |
| 3 | Teen Births | Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19. | Health Behaviors | 38 | 17 | - |
| 4 | Severe Housing Problems | Percentage of households with at least 1 of 4 housing problems: overcrowding, high housing costs, lack of kitchen facilities, or lack of plumbing facilities. | Physical Environment | 8\% | 17\% | + |
| 5 | Income Inequality | Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile. | Social and Economic <br> Environment | 3.8 | 4.9 | + |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Woodson County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 7377 | 7972 | + |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 6\% | 8\% | + |
| 3 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.4 | 3.3 | + |
| 4 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 15\% | 14\% | + |
| 5 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 4.9 | 4.8 | + |

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# Wyandotte County 

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Health Outcomes

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## Health Factors

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## Health

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county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation.

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| Population: 165,746 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Kansas } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { U.S. } \\ 2024 \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health Outcomes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Length of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 11140 | 8079 | 7972 |
| Quality of life |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Reporting poor or fair health, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 26 | 25 | 20 | 21 | 14 | 14 |
| Average number of poor physical health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 4 | 4 | 3.8 | 3.2 | 3.3 |
| Average number of poor mental health days, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5.4 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| \% Low birthweight, <2,500 grams | 8.6 | 8.8 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 9 | 7 | 8 |
| Health Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Health Behaviors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Smokers, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 23 | 20 | 23 | 22 | 16 | 15 |
| \% Obese, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 40 | 46 | 42 | 37 | 34 |
| Food environment index, 0 (worst) to 10 (best) | 6.4 | 6.5 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.7 |
| \% Physically inactive, adults age 20 and older ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  | 39 | 32 | 35 | 23 | 23 |
| \% Access to exercise opportunities ${ }^{\text {(1) }}$ |  |  |  | 93 | 93 | 80 | 84 |
| \% Excessive drinking, adults ${ }^{(1)}$ |  | 16 | 17 | 17 | 17 | 20 | 18 |
| \% Driving deaths with alcohol-involvement | 29 | 24 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 20 | 26 |
| Sexually transmitted infection rate, per 100,000 population | 895 | 897 | 928 | 852 | 921.9 | 506.1 | 495.5 |
| Teen birth rate, per 1,000 females age 15-19 ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 38 | 19 | 17 |
| Clinical Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% Uninsured, population under age 65 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 18 | 11 | 10 |
| Primary care physicians rate, per 100,000 population | 44 | 46 | 51 | 51 | 56 | 78 | 75 |
| Dentists rate, per 100,000 population | 42 | 41 | 40 | 40 | 44 | 63 | 74 |
| Mental health providers rate, per 100,000 population | 153 | 161 | 173 | 179 | 182 | 237 | 314 |
| Preventable hospital stays rate, per 100,000 Medicare enrollees | 6670 | 5862 | 5789 | 4478 | 4062 | 2576 | 2681 |
| \% Mammography screening, Medicare females age 65-74 | 40 | 39 | 40 | 38 | 42 | 48 | 43 |
| \% Flu vaccinations, Medicare enrollees | 45 | 48 | 48 | 50 | 46 | 47 | 46 |
| Social \& Economic Factors |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \% High school completion, adults age 25 and older ${ }^{(2)}$ |  | 79 | 80 | 81 | 81 | 92 | 89 |
| \% With some college, adults age 25-44 | 50 | 51 | 52 | 53 | 53 | 71 | 68 |
| \% Unemployed, population age 16 and older | 4.8 | 4.3 | 7.8 | 4.7 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 3.7 |
| \% Children in poverty | 27 | 31 | 25 | 22 | 21 | 14 | 16 |
| Income inequality ratio, 80th to 20th percentile | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.4 | 4.9 |
| \% Children in single-parent households | 44 | 32 | 32 | 32 | 33 | 21 | 25 |
| Membership associations rate, per 10,000 population | 10.2 | 10 | 10.2 | 9.9 | 10.3 | 13.2 | 9.1 |
| Injury death rate, per 100,000 population ${ }^{(1)}$ |  |  |  |  | 99 | 82 | 80 |
| Physical Environment |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter ${ }^{(3)}$ | 10.1 | 8.5 | 9.8 | 9.4 | 9.4 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| Drinking water violations? | No | No | No | No | No |  |  |
| \% Households with severe housing problems | 20 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 12 | 17 |
| \% Driving alone to work | 81 | 82 | 80 | 78 | 77 | 78 | 72 |
| \% Long commute - driving alone | 24 | 23 | 23 | 24 | 24 | 22 | 36 |

Empty cells: Shaded cells indicate measures were omitted due to methodology change ${ }^{(1)}$, new additions ${ }^{(2)}$, or are unavailable due to low reliability.
${ }^{(3)}$ Source data have not been updated since the 2023 County Health Rankings Release.

# Wyandotte County 

The annual County Health Rankings \& Roadmaps data release provides a snapshot of the health of each county in two summaries: Health Factors (which measure issues that can shape the health outcomes) and Health Outcomes (which measure length and quality of life). Each county is placed on a continuum from least healthy to healthiest in the nation and categorized into a group of counties with similar Health Outcomes or Health Factors. The following tables illustrate the "drivers" for health of this county.

## What do these drivers mean?

The drivers indicate the measures with the greatest impact on the health of the county. Drivers labeled with a green plus sign are measures on which the county performed particularly well compared to all counties nationwide. Those labeled with a red minus sign are measures which could be improved and may warrant additional attention.

Health Factors: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wyandotte County, KS - 2024

|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Adult Smoking | Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted). | Health Behaviors | 22\% | 15\% | - |
| 2 | High School Completion | Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent. | Social and Economic Environment | 81\% | 89\% | - |
| 3 | Uninsured | Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance. | Clinical Care | 18\% | 10\% | - |
| 4 | Preventable Hospital Stays | Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees. | Clinical Care | 4062 | 2681 | - |
| 5 | Sexually Transmitted Infections | Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population. | Health Behaviors | 921.9 | 495.5 | - |
| Health Outcomes: Drivers with the greatest impact on health, Wyandotte County, KS - 2024 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Measure | Description | Factor Category | County Value | U.S. Value | Direction of Impact |
| 1 | Premature Death | Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted). | Length of Life | 11140 | 7972 | - |
| 2 | Low Birthweight | Percentage of live births with low birthweight (<2,500 grams). | Quality of Life | 9\% | 8\% | - |
| 3 | Poor or Fair Health | Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted). | Quality of Life | 21\% | 14\% | - |
| 4 | Poor Mental Health Days | Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 5.4 | 4.8 | - |
| 5 | Poor Physical Health Days | Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (ageadjusted). | Quality of Life | 3.8 | 3.3 | + |

N/A: Not applicable due to insufficient data.

+ Green Plus: Measure with a positive impact on a county's health grouping.
- Red Minus: Measure with a negative impact on a county's health grouping.

Technical Note: The U.S. values are provided as a point of reference. However, the drivers and direction of impact are determined by using the county value and the average across counties in the U.S. and then applying measure weights. Drivers are provided in order of impact on health for this year. Values have been rounded according to how they are presented on the County Health Rankings and Roadmaps website. For more information on the derivation of health groups, please visit: bit.ly/2024CHRzScores. For more information on data sources, year(s) of data and weights for measures, please visit bit.ly/2024CHRmeasures.


