

County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

Ranked Measures from the County Health Rankings, 2010-2021

| Construct | Focus Area | Weight | Measure | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---|
| Health Outcomes | Mortality | 50% | Premature death | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | Morbidity | 50% | Poor or fair health | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | | | Poor physical health days | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Poor mental health days | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Low birthweight | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| Health Behaviors | Tobacco use | 10% | Adult smoking | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | Diet and exercise | 10% | Adult obesity | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | | | Food environment index | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Physical inactivity | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Access to exercise opportunities | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | Alcohol use | 5% | Motor vehicle crash death rate | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | | | Alcohol-impaired driving deaths | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Excessive drinking | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | Sexual activity | 5% | Sexually transmitted infections | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | | | Teen births | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | Clinical Care | Access to care | 10% | Uninsured | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → |
| | | | | Primary care physicians | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | | | | Dentists | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| Mental health providers | | | | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| Quality of care | | 10% | Preventable hospital stays | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | |
| | | | Diabetic monitoring | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Hospice use | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Flu vaccinations | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| Health Factors | Education | 10% | High school graduation | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | High school completion | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | College degrees | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | Some college | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | Employment | 10% | Unemployment | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | Income | 10% | Children in poverty | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Income inequality | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | Family and social support | 5% | Inadequate social support | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Social associations | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | Community safety | 5% | Children in single-parent households | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| Violent crime | | | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| Physical Environment | Air and Water quality | 5% | Air-pollution ozone days | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Air pollution-particulate matter days | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | Air pollution - particulate matter | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | Drinking water violations | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | Built environment | 5% | Access to healthy foods | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| | | | Limited access to healthy foods | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | Fast food restaurants | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | Liquor store density | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | | | Access to recreational facilities | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | |
| | Housing and Transit | 5% | Severe housing problems | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | |
| Driving alone to work | | | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | | |
| Long commute - driving alone | | | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | → | | | | |

Notes:

- Years of available data are represented by arrows. Broken arrows represent substantial changes in the data source or calculation of the measure that would affect year to year comparisons.
- Data and details are available at www.countyhealthrankings.org.