

County Health

Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

	Kentucky	Larue (LA)	Marion (MH)	Meade (MD)	Nelson (NE)	Washington (WS)	Hardin (HR)
Health Outcomes		12	57	19	21	9	8
Length of Life		32	62	18	19	26	14
Premature death	8,900	8,203	9,454	7,724	7,793	8,079	7,429
Quality of Life		7	54	29	33	4	10
Poor or fair health	21%	20%	18%	19%	19%	15%	19%
Poor physical health days	4.8	3.8	4.9	5.5	4.1	3.6	4.2
Poor mental health days	4.3	4.8	4.6	4.5	3.5	4.0	3.6
Low birthweight	9.1%	6.4%	9.4%	7.6%	9.3%	7.1%	7.5%
Health Factors		34	25	54	44	16	11
Health Behaviors		26	38	96	90	17	16
Adult smoking	26%	27%	24%	37%	30%	21%	23%
Adult obesity	32%	31%	34%	36%	32%	33%	31%
Food environment index	7.2	8.1	7.8	7.1	7.5	7.7	6.9
Physical inactivity	29%	33%	29%	27%	29%	35%	30%
Access to exercise opportunities	72%	61%	48%	60%	79%	21%	73%
Excessive drinking	12%		14%	10%	21%		8%
Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	29%	23%	29%	31%	46%	21%	22%
Sexually transmitted infections	394	318	324	171	589	473	505
Teen births	48	50	50	38	45	32	51
Clinical Care		81	12	54	24	34	18
Uninsured	16%	18%	16%	17%	16%	18%	15%
Primary care physicians	1,551:1	14,151:1	2,511:1	3,249:1	2,216:1	2,367:1	1,574:1
Dentists	1,683:1	4,688:1	2,864:1	4,173:1	2,025:1	2,375:1	1,229:1
Mental health providers	621:1	7,032:1	716:1	974:1	795:1	2,375:1	340:1
Preventable hospital stays	94	106	83	103	56	79	90
Diabetic monitoring	85%	82%	94%	86%	84%	89%	85%
Mammography screening	60.1%	60.0%	68.6%	59.1%	60.2%	66.3%	62.5%
Social & Economic Factors		16	54	15	35	27	21
High school graduation	86%	99%	93%	94%	87%	99%	89%
Some college	58.1%	44.5%	41.3%	58.5%	49.6%	43.1%	62.5%
Unemployment	8.3%	7.4%	7.5%	8.9%	8.1%	8.2%	7.5%
Children in poverty	26%	27%	26%	21%	20%	24%	20%
Income inequality	5.1	4.3	4.8	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.3
Children in single-parent households	34%	38%	33%	31%	31%	35%	36%
Social associations	10.8	17.7	7.5	6.5	11.1	15.2	10.7
Violent crime	235	51	106	56	118	34	159
Injury deaths	81	69	77	64	74	103	64
Physical Environment		77	27	97	68	1	19
Air pollution - particulate matter	13.5	13.5	13.3	13.7	13.4	13.3	13.6

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Drinking water violations	9%	0%	16%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Severe housing problems	14%	12%	12%	12%	12%	7%	11%
Driving alone to work	83%	86%	80%	88%	85%	79%	82%
Long commute - driving alone	28%	40%	20%	42%	37%	42%	25%