

County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

Kiowa (KI)

| | Kiowa County | Error Margin | Top U.S. Performers [^] | Colorado | Rank (of 58) |
|---|--------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|----------|--------------|
| Health Outcomes | | | | | |
| NR | | | | | |
| Length of Life | | | | | |
| Premature death | | | 5,200 | 5,700 | NR |
| Quality of Life | | | | | |
| Poor or fair health ** | 13% | 12-13% | 12% | 14% | NR |
| Poor physical health days ** | 3.4 | 3.2-3.6 | 3.0 | 3.5 | |
| Poor mental health days ** | 3.5 | 3.3-3.7 | 3.0 | 3.5 | |
| Low birthweight | 13% | | 6% | 9% | |
| Additional Health Outcomes (not included in overall ranking) | | | | | |
| Premature age-adjusted mortality | 360 | 220-550 | 270 | 280 | |
| Child mortality | | | 40 | 40 | |
| Infant mortality | | | 5 | 6 | |
| Frequent physical distress | 10% | 10-11% | 9% | 10% | |
| Frequent mental distress | 11% | 11-11% | 9% | 10% | |
| Diabetes prevalence | 8% | 5-10% | 8% | 6% | |
| HIV prevalence | | | 42 | 266 | |
| Health Factors | | | | | |
| NR | | | | | |
| Health Behaviors | | | | | |
| Adult smoking ** | 15% | 14-16% | 14% | 16% | NR |
| Adult obesity | 20% | 15-26% | 26% | 20% | |
| Food environment index | 4.3 | | 8.4 | 7.7 | |
| Physical inactivity | 23% | 17-30% | 19% | 14% | |
| Access to exercise opportunities | | | 91% | 91% | |
| Excessive drinking ** | 15% | 15-16% | 12% | 19% | |
| Alcohol-impaired driving deaths | 0% | 0-66% | 13% | 35% | |
| Sexually transmitted infections | | | 145.5 | 415.0 | |
| Teen births | 34 | | 17 | 30 | |
| Additional Health Behaviors (not included in overall ranking) | | | | | |
| Food insecurity | 14% | | 10% | 13% | |
| Limited access to healthy foods | 36% | | 2% | 6% | |
| Drug overdose deaths | | | 9 | 16 | |
| Motor vehicle crash deaths | | | 8 | 10 | |
| Insufficient sleep | 26% | 25-27% | 28% | 29% | |
| Clinical Care | | | | | |
| NR | | | | | |
| Uninsured | 12% | 11-14% | 8% | 12% | |
| Primary care physicians | 1,400:1 | | 1,040:1 | 1,240:1 | |
| Dentists | 1,420:0 | | 1,320:1 | 1,340:1 | |
| Mental health providers | | | 360:1 | 350:1 | |
| Preventable hospital stays | 55 | 29-82 | 36 | 32 | |
| Diabetes monitoring | 90% | 56-100% | 91% | 84% | |
| Mammography screening | | | 71% | 60% | |
| Additional Clinical Care (not included in overall ranking) | | | | | |
| Uninsured adults | 13% | 11-16% | 10% | 14% | |
| Uninsured children | 10% | 7-12% | 4% | 6% | |
| Health care costs | \$9,337 | | | \$8,404 | |
| Other primary care providers | 1,423:1 | | 853:1 | 1,159:1 | |
| Social & Economic Factors | | | | | |
| NR | | | | | |
| High school graduation | | | 95% | 77% | |
| Some college | | | | 71% | |
| Unemployment | 69% | 55-82% | 72% | 71% | |
| Children in poverty | 2.6% | | 3.3% | 3.9% | |
| Income inequality | 22% | 16-28% | 12% | 15% | |
| Children in single-parent households | 4.3 | 3.3-5.3 | 3.7 | 4.5 | |
| Social associations | 21% | 9-33% | 21% | 28% | |
| Violent crime | 28.5 | | 22.1 | 8.8 | |
| Injury deaths | 68 | | 62 | 309 | |
| Additional Social & Economic Factors (not included in overall ranking) | | | | | |
| Disconnected youth | | | 9% | 12% | |
| Median household income | \$42,100 | \$37,000-47,200 | \$63,300 | \$63,900 | |
| Children eligible for free or reduced price lunch | 39% | | 33% | 42% | |
| Residential segregation - black/white | | | 22 | 63 | |
| Residential segregation - non-white/white | | | 14 | 37 | |
| Homicides | | | 2 | 4 | |

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| Firearm fatalities | | | 7 | 12 | |
| Physical Environment | | | | | NR |
| Air pollution - particulate matter ** | 6.3 | | 6.7 | 5.4 | |
| Drinking water violations | Yes | | | | |
| Severe housing problems | 13% | 7-20% | 9% | 17% | |
| Driving alone to work | 77% | 73-81% | 72% | 75% | |
| Long commute - driving alone | 21% | 13-29% | 15% | 33% | |

Areas to Explore Areas of Strength

[^] 10th/90th percentile, i.e., only 10% are better.
 Note: Blank values reflect unreliable or missing data
 ** Data should not be compared with prior years