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DRIVE TO THE TOP

Annual Report:

Implementing Strategies Towards Improving Health

Montgomery County, Tennessee

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										2023 Drive to the Top
	Life	Premature Death	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
	of I	Years of potential	17	Hamilton	9497.6	8762.3	735.3	↑Bad↓Good	9,900	5,600
	Length	life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population	To clo					0,000, implement s closer to age 75.	strategies	
	Le	(age-adjusted)	Source	National C	enter for H	Iealth Statistics - M	Iortality files	Year(s)	2018-2020	
		Poor or Fair Health	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
		Percentage of	11	Davidson	14.9%	14.7%	0.2 (1.3%)	↑Bad ↓Good	16%	15%
S		adults reporting fair or poor health (age- adjusted)	Implemen	nt strategies that		mproving the ger at their health w		2 out of every 100 a	adults reporting	
e		, ,	Source	Behav	ioral Risk I	Factor Surveillance	System	Year(s)	2020	
con		Poor Physical Health Days*	Rank	5th Ranked	Value	5th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
nt		Average number of	7	Rutherford	3.3 Days	3.2 Days	0.1 Days	†Bad ↓Good	3.3	2.7
Health Outcomes	Life	physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted	Ir							
ea	of		Source	Behav	ioral Risk I	actor Surveillance	System	Year(s)	2020	
H	Quality	Poor Mental Health Days	Rank	5th Ranked	Value	5th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
	\circ	Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age- adjusted)	8	Maury	5.0 Days	4.9 Days	0.1 Days	↑Bad↓Good	5.0	4
			Implement strategies that result in reducing the number of poor mental health days reported by 2 hours and 24 minutes per month.							
			Source	Behav	ioral Risk I	actor Surveillance	System	Year(s)	2020	
		Low Birthweight	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
		Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams)	26	McNairy	8.2%	7.7%	0.5 (6.1%)	∱Bad ↓Good	9%	6%
			Implement strategies that result in reducing low birth weights by 7 for every 100 live births where the infant weighed less than 2,500 grams (approximately 5 lbs, 8 oz).							
			Source	National (Center for I	Tealth Statistics - N	Natality files	Year(s)	2014-2020	
		Adult Smoking	Rank	5th Ranked	Value	5th Ranked	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
		Percentage of adults	8	Shelby 20).0%	18.6%	1.4 (7.0%)	↑Bad↓Good	20%	15%
		who are current smokers (age- adjusted)	Impl	lement strategies						
		adjusted)	Source	Behav	ioral Risk I	actor Surveillance	System	Year(s)	2020	
tors	Behaviors	Adult Obesity Percentage of the adult	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
ac	hav	population (age 20 and older) that reports a	54	Moore	38.0%	35.0%	3.0 (7.9%)	↑Bad ↓Good	36%	30%
Health Factors	th Be	body mass index (BMI) greater than or	For e							
ea	ealth	equal to 30 kg/m2	Source	1	United Stat	es Diabetes Survei	llance System	Year(s)	2020	
H	H	Food Environment Index	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (10th percentile)
		Index of factors that	70	Loudon	6.7	8.0	1.3 (19.4%)	↑Good ↓Bad	6.1	8.7
		contribute to a healthy food environment, from 0 (worst) to 10 (best)		Implement s	trategies t	hat increase the o	•	nvironment index	score	
		(2200)	Source	USDA Foo	d Environ	ment Atlas, Map tl	he Meal Gap	Year(s)	2019-2020	
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All data is from the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute and Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's 2023 County Health Rankings and Roadmaps report. Action statements represent the absolute value and use the following formula: ["Value" - "10th, 5th, or 1st Ranked Value"]. The percentage difference statements represent the absolute value and use the following formula: ["Value" - "10th, 5th, or the 1st Ranked Value"]. The action statements are based on the assumption that no new additional poor health associated with the measure occurs. Therefore, all rankings and action statements presented in this report must be interpreted with caution due to the various limitations of each measurement. Further information with regards to the strengths and limitations of each measure may be found in the description of each measure at https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/

		Physical Inactivity	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
						Value				` /
		Percentage of adults	17	Sumner	24.8%	23.8%	1.0 (4.0%)	↑Bad ↓Good	24%	19%
		age 20 and over reporting no leisure- time physical	For every 100 adults that reported no leisure-time physical activity in the past month, implement strategies that result in 4 becoming physically active monthly.							
		activity	Source]	Behavioral l	Risk Factor Survei	llance System	Year(s)	2020	
		Access to Exercise Opportunities	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Percentage of the	19	Madison	65.5%	77.4%	11.9 (18.2%)	↑Good ↓Bad	68%	90%
		population with adequate access to locations for physical						or recreational factories of the contraction of the		
		activity	Source	Business Analys	st, Delorme,	, ESRI, & US Cens	us Tigerline Files	Year(s)	2022 & 2020	
		Excessive Drinking	Rank	1st Ranked	Value	1st Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	100	Percentage of adults	5	Haywood	14.8%	13.3%	1.5 (10.1%)	↑Bad ↓Good	17%	15%
	ealth Behaviors	reporting binge or heavy drinking (age- adjusted)	to stop drinl	king more than for	ır drinks (w	omen) or more tha	an five drinks (me	ho reported binge or en) during a single o s (men) per day o	ccasion. Heavy	
	Bel		Source	Behav	ioral Risk F	actor Surveillance	System	Year(s)	2020	
	alth]	Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	He	ē	77	Rhea	34.1%	13.6%	20.5 (60.1%)	↑Bad ↓Good	27%	10%
		Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement	Implem							
S			Source	Fa	atality Analy	ysis Reporting Syst	em	Year(s)	2016-2020	
ctoı		Sexually Transmitted Infections Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
$^{\mathrm{L}}$			95	Morgan	1035.9	214.9	821.0	↑Bad ↓Good	481.3	152.4
Health Factors			Implen							
le:			Sou	arce National Center for	HIV/AIDS, V	iral Hepatitis, STD, & TI	3 Prevention	Year(s)	2020	
Η		Teen Births Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
			32	Franklin	27.4	22.1	5.3 (19.3%)	†Bad ↓Good	27	11
			For every 100 female teens (ages 15 to 19 years) in the county, implement strategies that result in 20 fewer teen pregnancies.							
			Source	National (Center for I	Health Statistics - N	Natality files	Year(s)	2014-2020	
		Uninsured Percentage of the population under age 65 without health	Rank	1st Ranked	Value	1stRanked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
			2	Williamson	9.5%	7.1%	3.0 (32.3%)	†Bad ↓Good	12%	6%
			For every 100 adults ages 18-64 without health insurance, implement strategies that result in 26 obtaining health insurance.							
		insurance	Source	Sma	ll Area Hea	lth Insurance Esti	mates	Year(s)	2020	
	ure	Primary Care Physicians	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	Co	,	37	Claiborne	2381:1	1601:1	780:1	↑Bad ↓Good	1,400:1	1020:1
	Clinical Care	Ratio of population to primary care physicians	To reach a population-to-provider ratio at or exceeding that of the 10th-ranking county, implement strategies that result in 30 additional primary care providers.							
			Source	Area Health B	Resource Fil	le/American Medi	cal Association	Year(s)	2020	
		Dentists	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Pario of a	29	Madison	2326:1	1432:1	894:1	↑Bad ↓Good	1,790:1	1200:1
		Ratio of population to dentists	То					f the 10th-ranking al care providers.	county,	
			Source	Area Health F	Resource Fil	le/American Medi	cal Association	Year(s)	2021	

		Mental Health Providers	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Providers	11	Coffee	468:1	458:1	10:1	↑Bad ↓Good	560:1	240:1
		Ratio of population to mental health providers	To reach a population-to-provider ratio at or exceeding the 10th-ranking county, implement strategies that result in 11 additional mental health providers.							
			Source	CMS,	National P	Provider Identificat	ion file	Year(s)	2022	
		Preventable Hospital Stays	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Rate of hospital stays	54	Lincoln	3278	2605	673 (20.5%)	↑Bad ↓Good	3,161	1,666
	Sare	for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare		Implement strat	_	result in 20.5% fe ambulatory-care		enrollee hospitaliza	ations	
	al (enrollees	Source	Ν	Mapping M	edicare Disparities	Tool	Year(s)	2020	
	Clinical Care	Mammography Screening	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	C	Percentage of female	Tie 66	Madison	32%	43%	11 (34.4%)	↑Good ↓Bad	38%	47%
		Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 that received an annual mammography	Imp							
		screening	Source	Ν	Mapping M	edicare Disparities	Tool	Year(s)	2020	
		Flu Vaccinations	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Percentage of fee- for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees that had an annual	Tie 51	Dickson	47%	55%	8 (17 %)	↑Good ↓Bad	52%	57%
			Impl	lement strategies						
rs		flu vaccination	Source	Ν	Mapping M	edicare Disparities	Tool	Year(s)	2020	
cto		High School Graduation	Rank	1st Ranked	Value	1st Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
F_{2}		Percentage of adults	2	Williamson	93.6%	95.8%	2.2 (2.4%)	↑Good ↓Bad	89%	94%
Health Factors		ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or								
I e		equivalent	Source	data.gov, supplen	nented w/ N	National Center for E	ducation Statistics	Year(s)	2017-2021	
I		Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post- secondary education	Rank	1st Ranked	Value	1st Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
			5	Williamson	71.5%	87.1%	15.6 (21.8%)	↑Good ↓Bad	63%	74%
	ors		For every 100 adults between 25-44 years of age with no post-secondary education, implement strategies that result in 22 completing some post-secondary, vocational, or technical coursework.							
	ıctı		Source		American	Community Surve	у	Year(s)	2017-2021	
	mic Factors	Unemployment	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Percentage of the	63	Dickson	4.5%	3.4%	1.1 (24.4%)	↑Bad↓Good	4.3%	2.8%
	Econo	population ages 16 and older unemployed but	For every 100 people ages 16 years and older who are unemployed but available and seeking work, implement strategies that result in 25 successfully gaining employment.							
	1 &	seeking work	Source		Bureau o	of Labor Statistics		Year(s)	2021	
	Social	Children in Poverty	Rank	5th Ranked	Value	5th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	9,		9	Knox	14.5%	12.6%	1.9 (13.1%)	↑Bad ↓Good	18%	11%
		Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty	For ev			ge 18 years) in pov usehold income i		nt strategies that re poverty level.	esult in 14	
			Source	Small	Area Incor	ne and Poverty Es	timates	Year(s)	2021	
		Income Inequality	Rank	1st Ranked	Value	1st Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Ratio of household income at the 80th	4	Bedford	3.8	3.5	0.3 (7.9%)	↑Bad ↓Good	4.6	3.7
		percentile to income at the 20th	Implei	ment strategies tl	hat reduce	the ratio gap bet percentiles		and 20th househol	d income	
		percentile	Source			Community Surve		Year(s)	2017-2021	

		Children in Single- Parent Households	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Percentage of children that live in a household headed by a single parent	54	Union	26.0%	17.3%	8.7 (33.5%)	↑Bad ↓Good	28%	13%
	tors		Im							
	ac						Year(s)	2017-2021		
	Economic Factors	Social Associations	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	nor	Number of	76	Hardeman	6.5	13.7	7.2 (111%)	↑Good ↓Bad	11.1	17.7
		membership associations per 10,000 population								
	1 &	1 1	Source County Business Patterns Year(s) 2020						2020	
	Social	Injury Deaths	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	0,		21	Dyer	91.1	83.2	7.9 (8.7%)	↑Bad ↓Good	100	61
		Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population	Implem	le or suicide)						
			Source		C WON	IDER mortality da	ta	Year(s)	2016-2020	
		Air Pollution - Particulate Matter	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Average daily density	Tie 58	Perry	7.8	6.9	0.9 (11.5%)	↑Bad ↓Good	7.6	5.0
		of fine particulate matter in micrograms per cubic meter (PM2.5)	Imp							
			Source	CD	C WOND	ER Environmental	data	Year(s)	2019	
tors		Drinking-Water Violations	Rank	1st Ranked	Value	1st Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
ac		Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation	Tie 95th			0	0	↑Bad ↓Good	N/A	N/A
Health Factors			Impl							
ea			Source Safe Drinking Water Information System Year(s) 2021						2021	
H	ent	Severe Housing Problems	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
	ŭ	Percentage of households with at least 1 of 4 housing problems: overcrowding, high housing costs, lack of kitchen facilities, or lack	76	McNairy	13.3%	9.5%	3.8 (28.6%)	↑Bad ↓Good	13%	9%
	sical Environment		result in	29 fewer househo	lds with or	ne or more severe l	ousing problem	oblems, implement s as. (Housing unit la owded or severely c	cks complete	
	ysi	of plumbing facilities	Source	Comprehensiv	e Housing 1	Affordability Strate	gy (CHAS) data	Year(s)	2015-2019	
	Phys	Driving Alone to Work	Rank	10th Ranked	Value	10th Ranked Value	Difference	Shift in Value	Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Work								
			58	Grainger	84.2%	78.4%	5.8 (6.9%)	↑Bad ↓Good	80%	71%
		Work Percentage of the workforce that drives alone to work	For e		who drive 7 ca	alone to work, in rpooling or takin	nplement strate g mass- transp	gies that result in ortation.		71%
		Percentage of the workforce that drives alone to work			who drive 7 ca	alone to work, in	nplement strate g mass- transp	gies that result in	80% 2017-2021	
		Percentage of the workforce that	For e	very 100 persons 10th Ranked	who drive 7 ca American Value	alone to work, in urpooling or takin Community Survey 10th Ranked Value	nplement strate g mass- transp	gies that result in ortation. Year(s) Shift in Value	2017-2021 Tennessee	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)
		Percentage of the workforce that drives alone to work Long Commute -	For e Source Rank 28	very 100 persons 10th Ranked Sullivan	who drive 7 ca American Value 34.1%	alone to work, in urpooling or takin Community Survey 10th Ranked Value 25.5%	pplement strate g mass- transport Difference 8.6 (25.2%)	gies that result in ortation. Year(s) Shift in Value ↑Bad ↓Good	2017-2021 Tennessee 36%	Top Performers in U.S.
		Percentage of the workforce that drives alone to work Long Commute - Driving Alone	For e Source Rank 28	10th Ranked Sullivan every 100 persons	who drive 7 ca American Value 34.1% 6 driving m	alone to work, in urpooling or takin Community Survey 10th Ranked Value 25.5%	Difference 8.6 (25.2%) ttes alone to wo	gies that result in ortation. Year(s) Shift in Value ↑Bad ↓Good ork, implement stra	2017-2021 Tennessee 36%	Top Performers in U.S. (Top 10th percentile)

Ranked Measure Sources Years

Focus Area	Measure	Description	Weight	Source	Year(s)	Top Performers	US Overall
HEALTH OUTCOME	:S						
Length of Life	Premature death*	Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted).	50%	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files	2018-2020	5,600	7,300
Quality of Life	Poor or fair health‡	Percentage of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted).	10%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	11%	12%
	Poor physical health days‡	Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	10%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	2.7	3
	Poor mental health days‡	Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	10%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	4	4.4
	Low birthweight*	Percentage of live births with low birthweight (< 2,500 grams).	20%	National Center for Health Statistics - Natality files	2014-2020	6%	8%
HEALTH FACTORS							
HEALTH BEHAVIORS							
Tobacco Use	Adult smoking‡	Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted).	10%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	15%	16%
Diet and Exercise	Adult obesity‡	Percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to 30 kg/m2 (age-adjusted).	5%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	30%	32%
	Food environment index	Index of factors that contribute to a healthy food environment, from 0 (worst) to 10 (best).	2%	USDA Food Environment Atlas, Map the Meal Gap from Feeding America	2019 & 2020	8.7	7
	Physical inactivity‡	Percentage of adults age 18 and over reporting no leisure-time physical activity (age-adjusted).	2%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	19%	22%
	Access to exercise opportunities	Percentage of population with adequate access to locations for physical activity.	1%	Business Analyst, ESRI, YMCA & US Census Tigerline Files	2022 & 2020	90%	84%
Alcohol and Drug Use	Excessive drinking‡	Percentage of adults reporting binge or heavy drinking (ageadjusted).	2.5%	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2020	15%	19%
	Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	Percentage of driving deaths with alcohol involvement.	2.5%	Fatality Analysis Reporting System	2016-2020	10%	27%
Sexual Activity	Sexually transmitted infections	Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population.	2.5%	National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention	2020	152.4	481.3
	Teen births*	Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19.	2.5%	National Center for Health Statistics - Natality files	2014-2020	11	19
CLINICAL CARE	·						
Access to Care	Uninsured	Percentage of population under age 65 without health insurance.	5%	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates	2020	6%	10%
	Primary care physicians	Ratio of population to primary care physicians.	3%	Area Health Resource File/American Medical Association	2020	1,020:1	1,310:1
	Dentists	Ratio of population to dentists.	1%	Area Health Resource File/National Provider Identification file	2021	1,200:1	1,380:1
	Mental health providers	Ratio of population to mental health providers.	1%	CMS, National Provider Identification	2022	240:1	340:1
Quality of Care	Preventable hospital stays*	Rate of hospital stays for ambulatory-care sensitive conditions per 100,000 Medicare enrollees.	5%	Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool	2020	1,666	2,809
	Mammography screening*	Percentage of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 that received an annual mammography screening.	2.5%	Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool	2020	47%	37%
	Flu vaccinations*	Percentage of fee-for-service (FFS) Medicare enrollees that had an annual flu vaccination.	2.5%	Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool	2020	57%	51%

Ranked Measure Sources Years

Focus Area	Measure	Description	Weight	Source	Year(s)	Top Performers	US Overall
SOCIAL & ECONOMIC	FACTORS						
Education	High school completion	Percentage of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent.	5%	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates	2017-2021	94%	89%
	Some college	Percentage of adults ages 25-44 with some post-secondary education.	5%	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates	2017-2021	74%	67%
Employment	Unemployment	Percentage of population ages 16 and older unemployed but seeking work.	10%	Bureau of Labor Statistics	2021	2.80%	5.40%
Income	Children in poverty*	Percentage of people under age 18 in poverty.	7.5%	Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates	2021	11%	17%
	Income inequality	Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile to income at the 20th percentile.	2.5%	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates	2017-2021	3.7	4.9
Family and SocialSupport	Children in single-parent households	Percentage of children that live in a household headed by a single parent.	2.5%	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates	2017-2021	13%	25%
	Social associations	Number of membership associations per 10,000 population.	2.5%	County Business Patterns	2020	17.7	9.1
	Injury deaths*	Number of deaths due to injury per 100,000 population.	5%	National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files	2016-2020	61	76
PHYSICAL ENVIRONM	IENT						
Air and Water	Air pollution - particulate matter	Average daily density of fine particulate matter in micrograms per cubic meter (PM2.5).	2.5%	Environmental Public Health Tracking Network	2019	5	7.4
Quality	Drinking water violations+	Indicator of the presence of health-related drinking water violations. 'Yes' indicates the presence of a violation, 'No' indicates no violation.	2.5%	Safe Drinking Water Information System	2021		
Housing and Transi	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.	2%	Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) data	2015-2019	9%	17%
	Driving alone to work*	Percentage of the workforce that drives alone to work.	2%	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates	2017-2021	71%	73%
	Long commute - driving alone	Among workers who commute in their car alone, the percentage that commutes more than 30 minutes.	1%	American Community Survey, 5-year estimates	2017-2021	17%	37%

^{*}Indicates subgroup data by race and ethnicity is available; + Not available in all states.