Robert Wood Johnson Foundation 2022 County Health Rankings

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County Health Rankings & Roadmaps (CHR&R)

Purpose

- Examines the issues and opportunities to ensure economic security and health for all through:
 - A living wage
 - Fair pay for women
 - Affordable and accessible childcare
 - Well-resourced, equitably funded schools
- Demonstrates areas of focus to create healthier places to live, learn, work, play, pray, and grow

Key overall findings

- More than 30 measures to understand:
 - How healthy residents are today (health outcomes)
 - What will impact their health in the future (health factors)
- Impact of COVID-19
 - 2022 ranks do not reflect the full impact of COVID-19
 - The data show initial signs of the pandemic's influence
- Meaningful gaps persist in health outcomes and health factors due to differences in opportunities for health and income

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Data Sources

Health Outcomes

- Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (2019)
- National Center for Health Statistics Natality and Mortality Files (2014/2018-2020)

Health Factors

- Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (2019)
- National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis,
 STD, and TB Prevention (2019)
- National Center for Health Statistics Natality files (2014-2020)

Clinical Outcomes

- Area Health Resource File/American Medical Association (2019/2020)
- Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool (2019)
- CMS, National Provider Identification (2021)

Social and Economic Factors

- American Community Survey, 5-year estimates (2016-2020)
- Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates (2020)
- National Center for Health Statistics Mortality Files (2016-2020)

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Data Sources

- Physical Environment
 - American Community Survey, 5-year estimates (2016-2020)
 - Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) data (2014-2020)
 - Safe Drinking Water Information System (2020)
 - Environmental Public Health Tracking Network (2018)





Prince George's County Health Rankings

County Demographics

	2020	2021	2022	State
Population	909,308	909,327	909,612	6,055,802
% below 18 years of age	22.2%	22.1%	22.1%	22%
% 65 and older	13.3%	13.9%	14.3%	16.3%
% Non-Hispanic African American	61.9%	61.7%	61.7%	30.1%
% American Indian & Alaska Native	1.2%	1.2%	1.3%	0.6%
% Asian	4.5%	4.4%	4.4%	6.9%
% Hispanic	19.1%	19.5%	19.8%	10.8%
% Non-Hispanic White	12.5%	12.3%	12.3%	50.5%
% Females	51.9%	51.9%	52%	51.6%

Health Outcomes

- Represent how healthy a county is right now
- Reflect the physical and mental well-being of residents
- Influenced by many health factors
- Can assess the efficacy of the county's health improvement programs
- Two areas of focus:
 - -Length of life: measuring premature death and life expectancy.
 - -Quality of life: measures of low birthweight and those who rated their physical or mental health as poor



Health Outcome Rankings

	Prince	Maryland	Rank (of 24)		
	George's County		2020	2021	2022
Health outcome			11	13	12
Length of life (Premature Death)	7500	7500	9	7	11
Quality of life			14	15	14
Poor or fair health	17%	14%			
Poor physical health days	3.5	3.2			
Poor mental health days	4.1	4			
Low birthweight	9%	9%			

Health Factors

- Represent those influences that can be modified to improve the length and quality of life for residents
- Predictors of how healthy our communities can be in the future.
- County Health Rankings ranks the health of the county across four health factors:
 - 1. Health Behaviors: rates of alcohol and drug use, diet and exercise, sexual activity, and tobacco use
 - 2. Clinical Care: access to and quality of health care.
 - 3. Social and Economic Factors: rating education, employment, income, family and social support, and community safety.
 - 4. Physical Environment: measuring air and water quality as well as housing and transit

Health Factor Rankings

	Prince	Maryland	Ra	ank (of 2	24)
	George's County		2020	2021	2022
Health factors			16	16	17
Health behaviors			12	9	8
Adult smoking	13%	13%			
 Adult obesity 	37%	32%			
 Food environment index 	9.1	8.7			
Physical inactivity	27%	23%			

Health Factor Rankings (cont.)

	Prince Maryland George's County	Rank (of 24)			
			2020	2021	2022
Health behaviors (cont.)			12	9	8
Access to exercise opportunities	97%	88%			
Excessive drinking	15%	16%			
Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	31%	28%			
Sexually transmitted infections	908.6	624.9			
Teen births	20	15			

Clinical Care

- Access to affordable, equitable, quality, and timely health care
- Health care access and quality vary widely both by place and by race, ethnicity, and income
- In the Clinical Care area of the County Health Rankings, the following are examined:
 - 1. Access to care: includes measures such as a community's number of primary care providers and dentists per number of residents
 - 2. Quality of care: measures of preventing hospital visits and disease monitoring

Clinical Care Rankings

	Prince	Maryland	Rank (of 24)		
	George's County		2020	2021	2022
Clinical care			24	24	24
Uninsured	10%	7%			
Primary care physicians	1,890:1	1,010:1			
Dentists	1,570:1	1,260:1			
Mental health providers	550:1	330:1			

Clinical Care Rankings

	Prince	Maryland	Rank (of 24)			
	George's County		2020	2021	2022	
Clinical care			24	24	24	
Preventable hospital stays*	3855	3568				
Mammography screening*	38%	42%				
Flu vaccinations*	40%	51%				

Social and Economic Factors

- Include income, education, employment, community safety, and social supports
- Affect our ability to make healthy choices, afford medical care and housing, manage stress, and more.
- Strategies to improve these factors can have an even greater impact on health over time than those traditionally associated with health improvement



Social and Economic Factors

Includes:

- -Education, showing who in a community has graduated high school or attended some college in addition to the percentage of teens and young adults ages 16-19 who are neither working nor in school
- -Employment: unemployment statistics
- -Income: children in poverty and income inequality
- -Family & Social Support: information on children in single- parent households and access to social opportunities.
- -Community Safety: measuring violent crime and injury deaths

Social and Economic Factors

	Prince	Maryland	R	ank (of 2	4)
	George's County		2020	2021	2022
Social and economic factors			13	13	18
High school graduation	87%	91%			
Some college	63%	71%			
Unemployment	8.2%	6.8%			
Children in poverty	13%	11%			
Income inequality	3.8	4.5			
Single-parent households	33%	26%			

Social and Economic Factors (cont.)

	Prince George's County	Maryland	R	4)	
			2020	2021	2022
Social and economic factors			13	13	18
Social associations	8.0	9.0			
Violent crime	423	459			
Injury deaths	62	88			

Physical Environment

- Includes the air we breathe, water we drink, houses we live in, and the transportation we access to travel to work and school
- Important to understand how factors related to the physical environment are playing out in your county, especially by race and/or income
- The County Health Rankings examine:
 - -Air & water quality: provides information on the safety of the air and water
 - -Housing & transit: looks at those in a community who have severe housing cost burdens or those with long commutes to work.

Physical Environment

	Prince	Maryland	Rank (of 24)		4)
	George's County		2020	2021	2022
Physical Environment			9	14	3
Air pollution - particulate matter	6.3	7.4			
Drinking water violations	No				
Severe housing problems	19%	16%			
Driving alone to work	66%	72%			
Long commute - driving alone	61%	50%		•	



Summary

- Same
 - Clinical care
- Higher rankings
 - Health outcomes
 - Quality of life
 - Health behaviors
 - Physical environment

- Lower rankings
 - Length of life
 - Health factors
 - Social and economic factors

Health Outcome: Health Factors:

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2020 Overall Ranking

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2021 Overall Ranking

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2022 Overall Ranking



Any questions?



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