# COUNTY PROFILE: Cape May County, New Jersey

#### US COUNTY PERFORMANCE

The Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) at the University of Washington analyzed the performance of all 3,142 US counties or county-equivalents in terms of life expectancy at birth, mortality rates for select causes, alcohol use, smoking prevalence, obesity prevalence, and recommended physical activity using novel small area estimation techniques and the most up-to-date county-level information.

Explore more results using the interactive US Health Map data visualization (http://vizhub.healthdata.org/subnational/usa).

#### FINDINGS: LIFE EXPECTANCY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	<b>Cape May County</b>	Sex
+4.9	1338	81.5	82.1	80.8	Female
+9.7	1640	76.7	77.8	75.5	Male

life expectancy at birth (years), 2014

Fig. 1: Female life expectancy, 2014

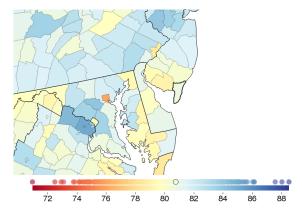


Fig. 2: Male life expectancy, 2014

FINDINGS: ALL-CAUSE MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	<b>Cape May County</b>	Sex
-22.8	1307	667.8	618.8	702.8	Female
-35.7	1601	930.1	855.4	1017.3	Male

Fig. 3: Female all-cause mortality, 2014

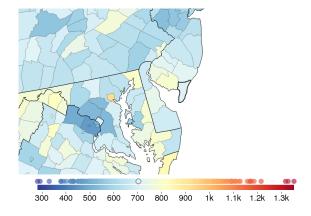
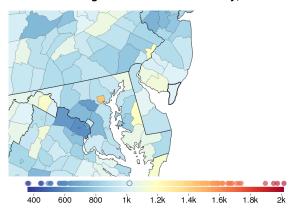


Fig. 4: Male all-cause mortality, 2014



#### FINDINGS: ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
-53.0	1992	124.9	133.9	146.4	Female
-62.2	1800	191.5	190.6	217.5	Male

rate per 100,000 population, age-standardized, 2014

Fig. 5: Female ischemic heart disease, 2014

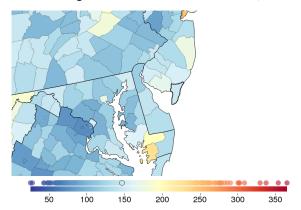
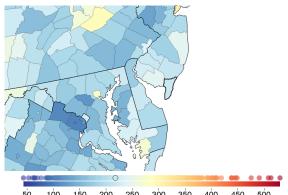


Fig. 6: Male ischemic heart disease, 2014



# FINDINGS: CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
-42.0	1165	47.4	39.5	48.0	Female
-42.4	1854	48.8	43.6	54.6	Male

Fig. 7: Female cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014

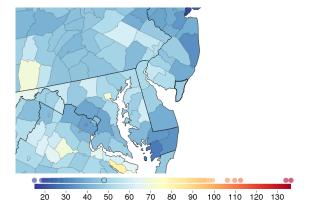
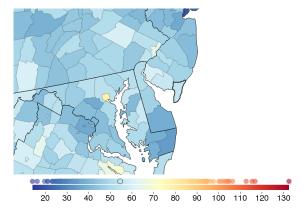


Fig. 8: Male cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014



# FINDINGS: TRACHEAL, BRONCHUS, AND LUNG CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
+24.6	2242	43.8	41.2	54.3	Female
-38.0	1540	67.6	58.4	76.6	Male

rate per 100,000 population, age-standardized, 2014

Fig. 9: Female tracheal, bronchus, and lung cancer, 2014

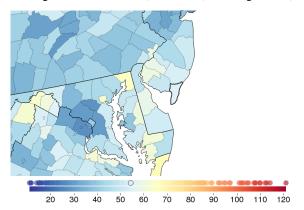
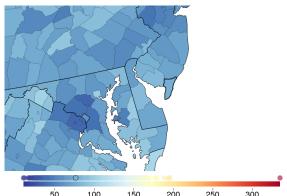


Fig. 10: Male tracheal, bronchus, and lung cancer, 2014



#### FINDINGS: BREAST CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
-29.1	2444	25.9	27.6	28.8	Female
-10.1	2781	0.3	0.4	0.4	Male

Fig. 11: Female breast cancer, 2014

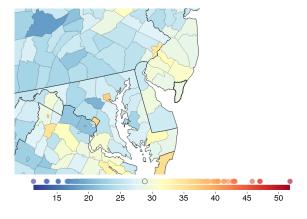
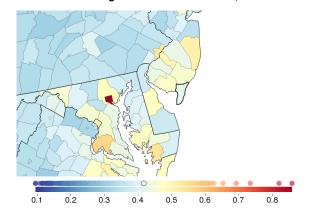


Fig. 12: Male breast cancer, 2014



#### FINDINGS: MALIGNANT SKIN MELANOMA

Sex	<b>Cape May County</b>	New Jersey	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	2.7	1.8	1.9	2988	+3.6
Male	6.5	4.1	4.5	2994	+17.4

rate per 100,000 population, age-standardized, 2014

Fig. 13: Female malignant skin melanoma, 2014

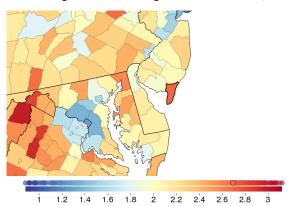


Fig. 14: Male malignant skin melanoma, 2014

FINDINGS: DIABETES, UROGENITAL, BLOOD, AND ENDOCRINE DISEASES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
+23.6	808	49.6	46.9	45.9	Female
+5.9	1404	63.8	66.2	65.3	Male

Fig. 15: Female diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014

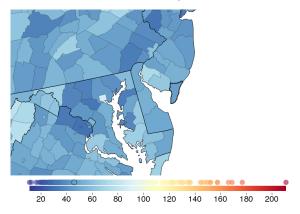
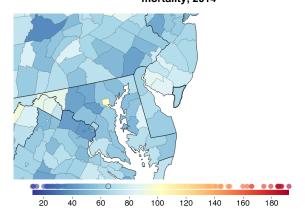


Fig. 16: Male diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014



#### FINDINGS: SELF-HARM AND INTERPERSONAL VIOLENCE MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
-5.0	608	9.0	5.6	7.1	Female
+26.6	1378	30.9	21.5	31.1	Male

rate per 100,000 population, age-standardized, 2014

Fig. 17: Female self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014

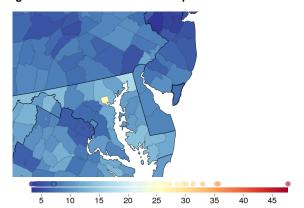


Fig. 18: Male self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014

FINDINGS: TRANSPORT INJURIES MORTALITY

Sex Cape May	County N	lew Jersey	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	8.5	4.9	8.1	539	-48.2
Male	17.7	11.9	19.8	385	-59.7

Fig. 19: Female transport injuries mortality, 2014

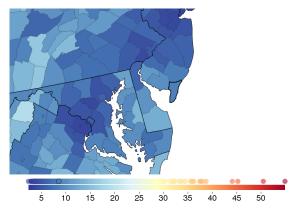
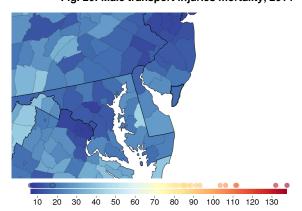


Fig. 20: Male transport injuries mortality, 2014



#### FINDINGS: MENTAL AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS MORTALITY

Sex	<b>Cape May County</b>	New Jersey	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	9.9	6.5	8.2	2140	+299.1
Male	29.9	18.6	18.7	2878	+265.9

rate per 100,000 population, age-standardized, 2014

Fig. 21: Female mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014

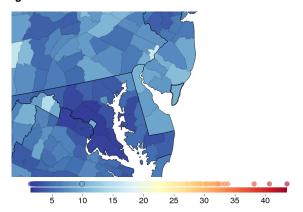
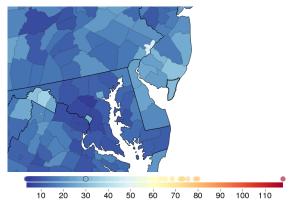


Fig. 22: Male mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014



#### FINDINGS: CIRRHOSIS AND OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Jersey	<b>Cape May County</b>	Sex
-23.7	1816	11.8	9.4	13.1	Female
-20.7	2690	22.2	18.4	31.5	Male

Fig. 23: Female cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality,

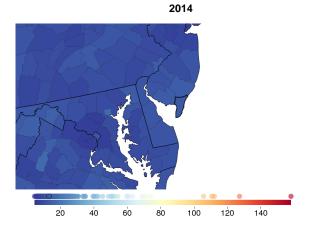
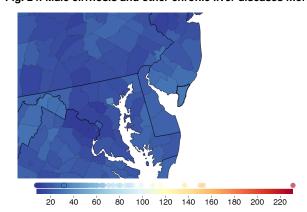


Fig. 24: Male cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014

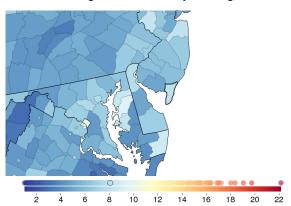


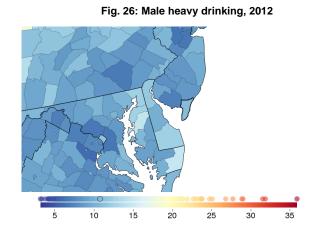
## FINDINGS: HEAVY DRINKING

Sex	<b>Cape May County</b>	New Jersey	National	National rank	% change 2005-2012
Female	8.1	6.3	6.7	2611	+11.1
Male	10.8	8.2	9.9	1774	+1.4

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 25: Female heavy drinking, 2012





FINDINGS: BINGE DRINKING

% change 2002-2012	National rank	National	New Jersey	<b>Cape May County</b>	Sex
+7.7	2632	12.4	13.2	15.7	Female
-6.6	2331	24.5	25.1	28.6	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 27: Female binge drinking, 2012

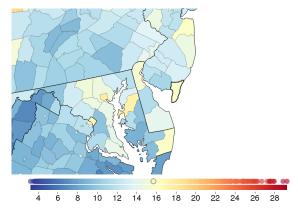
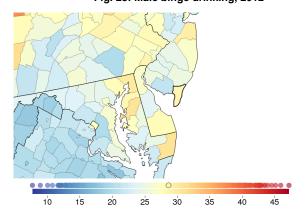


Fig. 28: Male binge drinking, 2012

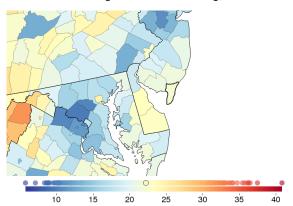


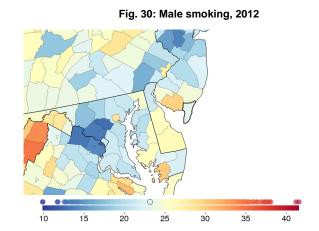
## FINDINGS: SMOKING

Sex	<b>Cape May County</b>	New Jersey	National	National rank	% change 1996-2012
Female	22.2	16.0	17.9	1681	-12.9
Male	23.2	19.6	22.2	891	-15.4

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 29: Female smoking, 2012





FINDINGS: OBESITY

% change 2001-2011	National rank	National	New Jersey	Cape May County	Sex
+24.0	583	36.1	32.2	34.8	Female
+19.6	1103	33.8	32.6	36.3	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 31: Female obesity, 2011

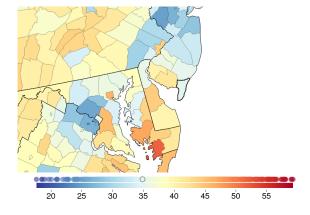
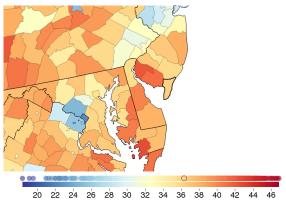


Fig. 32: Male obesity, 2011



#### FINDINGS: RECOMMENDED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Sex	<b>Cape May County</b>	New Jersey	National	National rank	% change 2001-2011
Female	56.0	51.9	52.6	586	+16.9
Male	62.1	56.2	56.3	203	+4.9

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 33: Female recommended physical activity, 2011

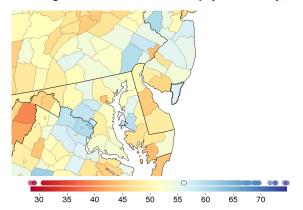
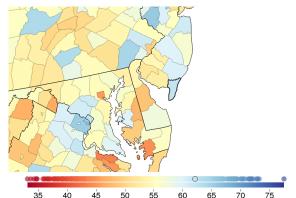


Fig. 34: Male recommended physical activity, 2011



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