# COUNTY PROFILE: Dare County, North Carolina

#### 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	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
+4.9	938	81.5	80.2	81.4	Female
+9.2	848	76.7	75.4	77.2	Male

life expectancy at birth (years), 2014

Fig. 1: Female life expectancy, 2014

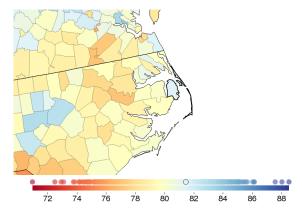


Fig. 2: Male life expectancy, 2014

FINDINGS: ALL-CAUSE MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-24.1	1083	667.8	725.0	679.1	Female
-34.8	762	930.1	1011.0	894.2	Male

Fig. 3: Female all-cause mortality, 2014

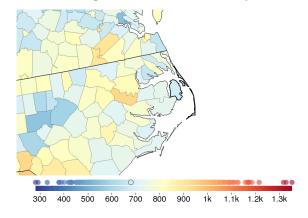
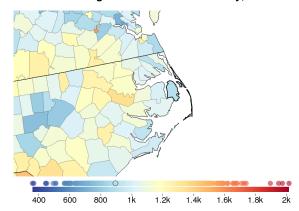


Fig. 4: Male all-cause mortality, 2014



#### FINDINGS: ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE

Sex	Dare County	North Carolina	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	115.3	114.8	124.9	1020	-53.5
Male	169.9	185.5	191.5	706	-60.0

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

Fig. 5: Female ischemic heart disease, 2014

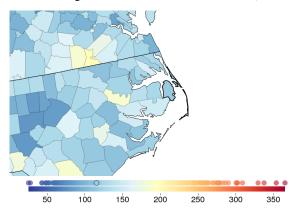
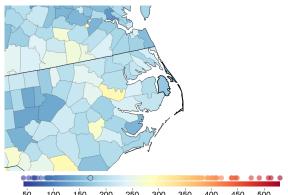


Fig. 6: Male ischemic heart disease, 2014



# FINDINGS: CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-62.0	675	47.4	55.4	43.5	Female
-59.4	666	48.8	57.5	44.0	Male

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

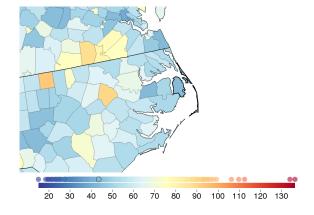
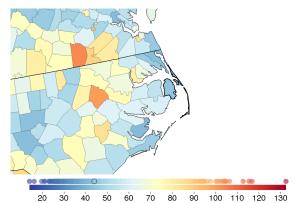


Fig. 8: Male cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014



# FINDINGS: TRACHEAL, BRONCHUS, AND LUNG CANCER

Sex	<b>Dare County</b>	North Carolina	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	47.9	47.3	43.8	1606	+10.0
Male	72.5	82.7	67.6	1348	-38.9

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

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

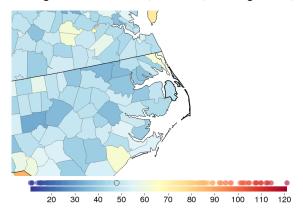
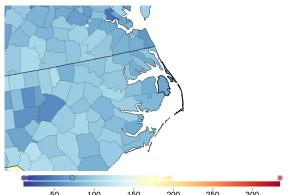


Fig. 10: Male tracheal, bronchus, and lung cancer, 2014



#### FINDINGS: BREAST CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-13.4	1896	25.9	26.6	26.8	Female
-12.8	1431	0.3	0.4	0.3	Male

Fig. 11: Female breast cancer, 2014

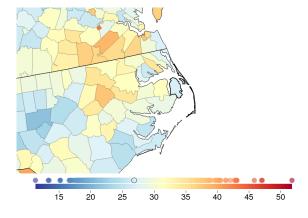
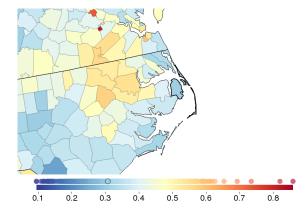


Fig. 12: Male breast cancer, 2014



#### FINDINGS: MALIGNANT SKIN MELANOMA

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-1.4	1955	1.9	2.0	2.2	Female
+47.4	3008	4.5	4.8	6.6	Male

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

Fig. 13: Female malignant skin melanoma, 2014

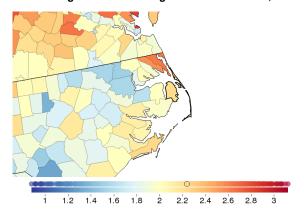
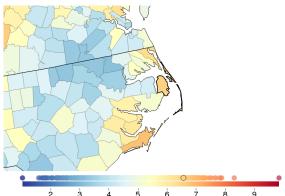


Fig. 14: Male malignant skin melanoma, 2014



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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	Dare County	Sex
-20.5	153	49.6	57.6	34.0	Female
-1.9	217	63.8	71.4	46.2	Male

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

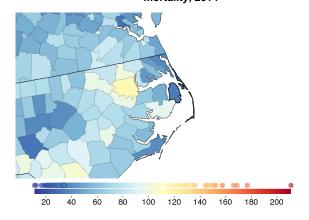
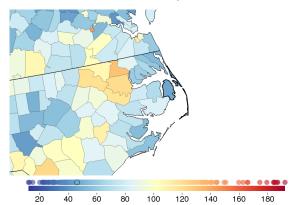


Fig. 16: Male diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014



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

Sex	<b>Dare County</b>	North Carolina	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	7.7	9.9	9.0	794	-13.5
Male	32.9	32.2	30.9	1588	-4.0

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

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

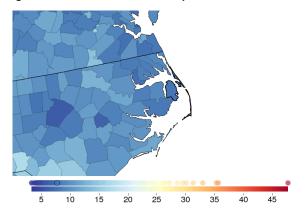


Fig. 18: Male self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014

FINDINGS: TRANSPORT INJURIES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-51.4	603	8.1	10.1	8.9	Female
-51.1	1044	19.8	24.8	25.4	Male

Fig. 19: Female transport injuries mortality, 2014

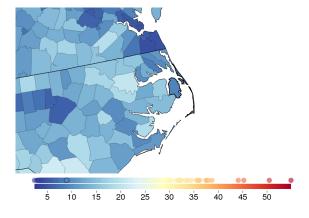
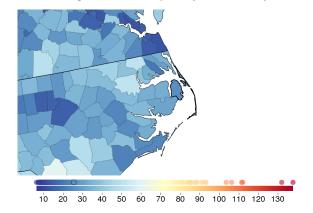


Fig. 20: Male transport injuries mortality, 2014



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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	Dare County	Sex
+326.2	2283	8.2	8.1	10.6	Female
+219.8	2710	18.7	17.5	26.3	Male

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

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

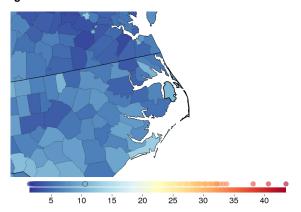
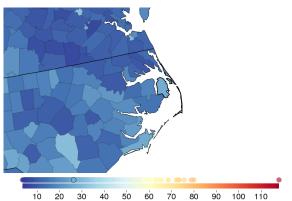


Fig. 22: Male mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014



## FINDINGS: CIRRHOSIS AND OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
+1.5	1598	11.8	12.2	12.4	Female
+1.7	1958	22.2	23.2	24.7	Male

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

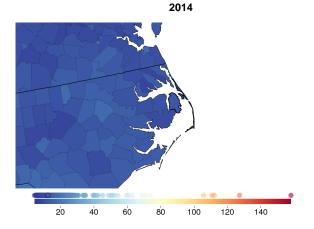
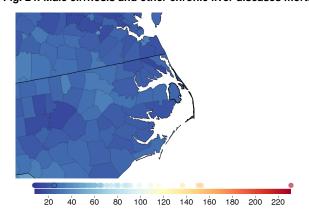


Fig. 24: Male cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014



# FINDINGS: HEAVY DRINKING

Sex	<b>Dare County</b>	North Carolina	National	National rank	% change 2005-2012
Female	9.1	5.0	6.7	2821	+41.0
Male	11.5	8.4	9.9	2059	+13.9

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 25: Female heavy drinking, 2012

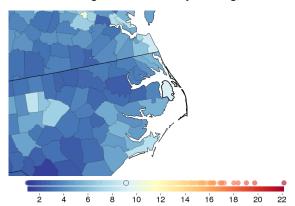


Fig. 26: Male heavy drinking, 2012

FINDINGS: BINGE DRINKING

% change 2002-2012	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-10.2	2227	12.4	8.8	13.6	Female
-10.0	2042	24.5	20.4	26.8	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 27: Female binge drinking, 2012

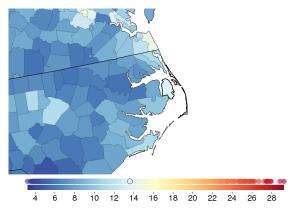
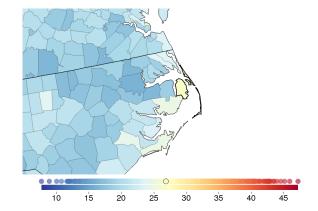


Fig. 28: Male binge drinking, 2012



# FINDINGS: SMOKING

% change 1996-2012	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
-23.3	1122	17.9	19.5	20.3	Female
-20.8	687	22.2	23.6	22.5	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 29: Female smoking, 2012

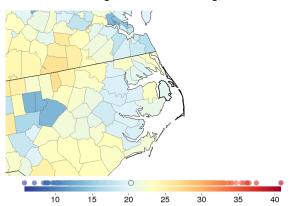
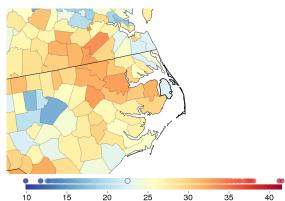


Fig. 30: Male smoking, 2012



#### FINDINGS: OBESITY

% change 2001-2011	National rank	National	North Carolina	<b>Dare County</b>	Sex
+38.5	479	36.1	38.6	34.3	Female
+28.7	521	33.8	34.9	34.3	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 31: Female obesity, 2011

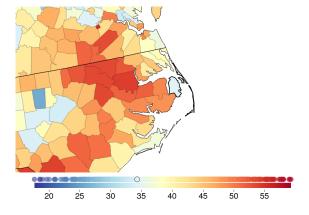
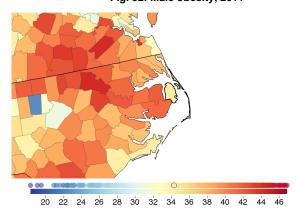


Fig. 32: Male obesity, 2011



#### FINDINGS: RECOMMENDED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Sex	<b>Dare County</b>	North Carolina	National	National rank	% change 2001-2011
Female	59.4	48.2	52.6	230	+10.9
Male	57.1	54.3	56.3	790	-6.8

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 33: Female recommended physical activity, 2011

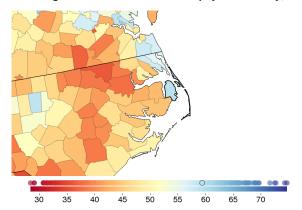
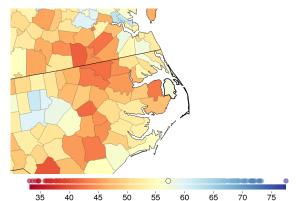


Fig. 34: Male recommended physical activity, 2011



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