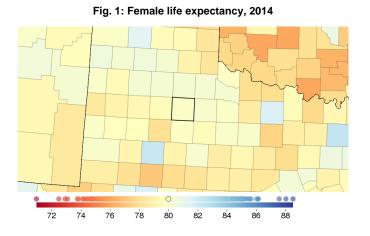
# US COUNTY PERFORMANCE

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).

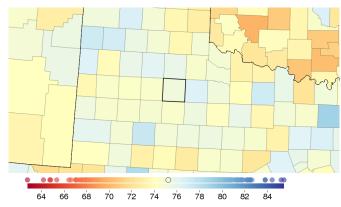
# FINDINGS: LIFE EXPECTANCY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	80.0	80.8	81.5	1757	+2.5
Male	75.2	76.2	76.7	1757	+7.1



life expectancy at birth (years), 2014

Fig. 2: Male life expectancy, 2014



# FINDINGS: ALL-CAUSE MORTALITY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	737.6	694.2	667.8	1654	-7.7
Male	1030.2	954.8	930.1	1701	-26.1

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

Fig. 3: Female all-cause mortality, 2014

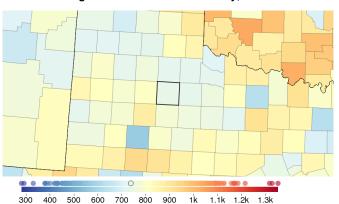
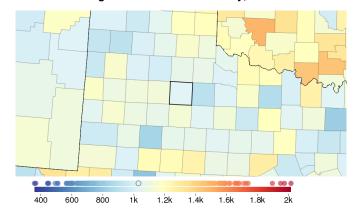


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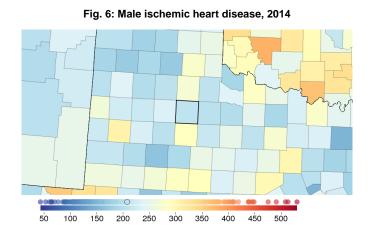


# FINDINGS: ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	138.9	127.2	124.9	1755	-41.3
Male	207.5	197.7	191.5	1598	-54.4

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

Fig. 5: Female ischemic heart disease, 2014



# FINDINGS: CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	54.3	52.0	47.4	1898	-46.3
Male	51.5	54.0	48.8	1523	-52.9

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

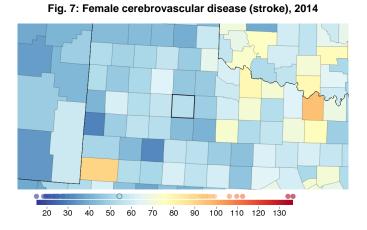
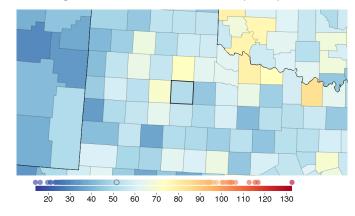


Fig. 8: Male cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014



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# FINDINGS: TRACHEAL, BRONCHUS, AND LUNG CANCER

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	40.8	38.4	43.8	903	+50.4
Male	70.9	62.9	67.6	1266	-33.9

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

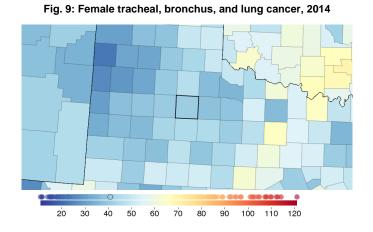
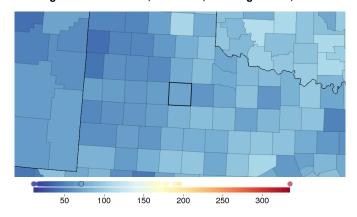


Fig. 10: Male tracheal, bronchus, and lung cancer, 2014



#### FINDINGS: BREAST CANCER

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	23.4	25.6	25.9	738	-15.1
Male	0.3	0.3	0.3	524	-15.9

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

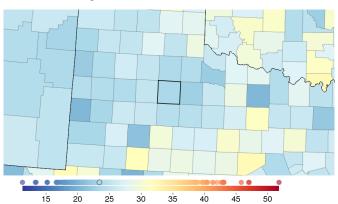
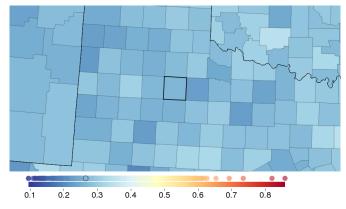


Fig. 11: Female breast cancer, 2014

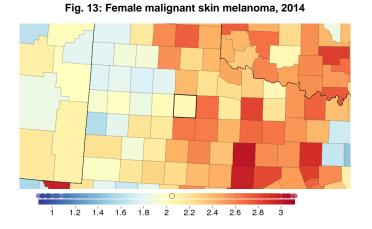


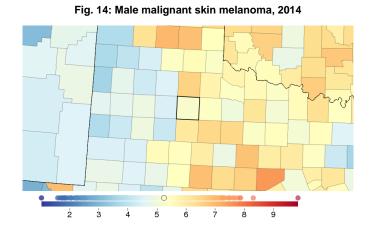


# FINDINGS: MALIGNANT SKIN MELANOMA

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	2.0	1.6	1.9	1332	-13.8
Male	5.2	4.0	4.5	1994	+25.6

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





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

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	63.7	55.9	49.6	2191	+54.9
Male	75.2	66.9	63.8	2079	+54.0

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

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

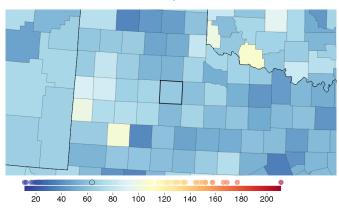
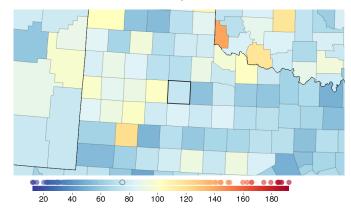


Fig. 16: Male diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014

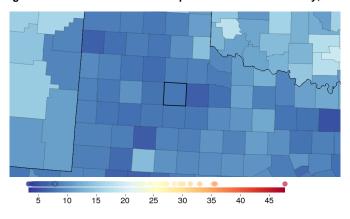


### FINDINGS: SELF-HARM AND INTERPERSONAL VIOLENCE MORTALITY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	7.9	8.4	9.0	847	-21.4
Male	26.0	28.8	30.9	713	-29.4

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

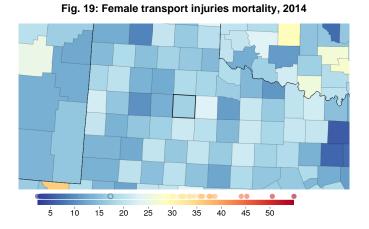
Fig. 17: Female self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014

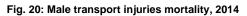


FINDINGS: TRANSPORT INJURIES MORTALITY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	17.3	9.5	8.1	2325	-14.3
Male	37.3	24.3	19.8	2159	-31.1

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





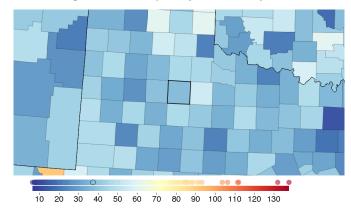
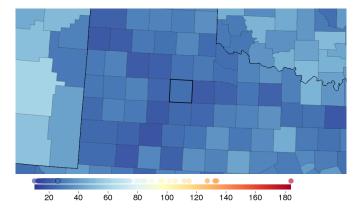


Fig. 18: Male self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014



## FINDINGS: MENTAL AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS MORTALITY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	5.4	6.4	8.2	723	+308.3
Male	9.3	13.9	18.7	475	+115.3

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

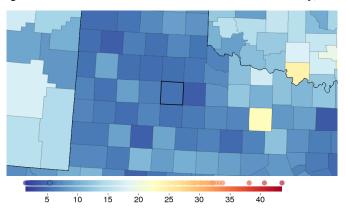


Fig. 21: Female mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014 Fig. 22: M

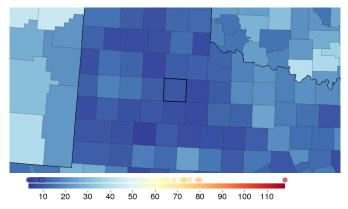


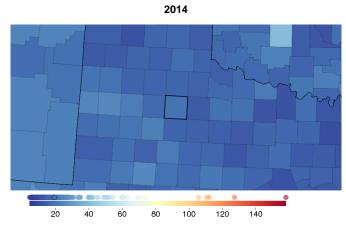
Fig. 22: Male mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014

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

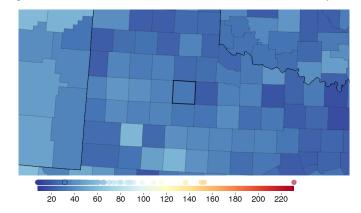
Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	19.4	14.5	11.8	2932	+100.2
Male	31.2	27.7	22.2	2670	+46.3

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

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



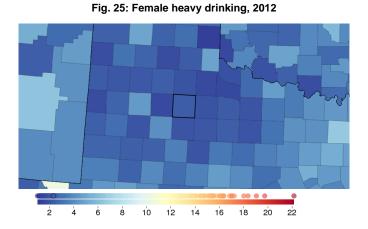
#### Fig. 24: Male cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014

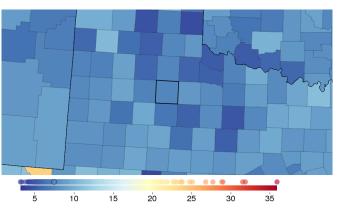


# FINDINGS: HEAVY DRINKING

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 2005-2012
Female	2.3	5.3	6.7	268	-9.7
Male	7.4	9.5	9.9	352	-12.3

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012





#### Fig. 26: Male heavy drinking, 2012

#### FINDINGS: BINGE DRINKING

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 2002-2012
Female	7.1	10.8	12.4	598	+24.3
Male	22.4	24.5	24.5	1214	+16.6

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

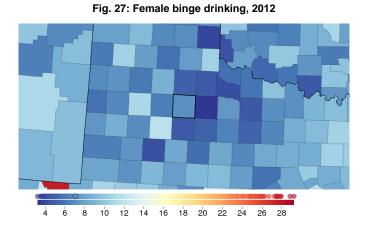
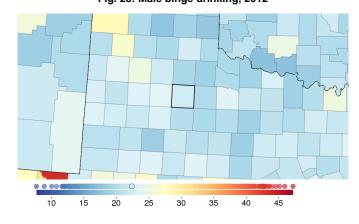


Fig. 28: Male binge drinking, 2012

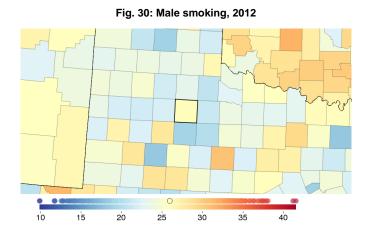


## FINDINGS: SMOKING

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 1996-2012
Female	20.7	15.1	17.9	1230	-7.4
Male	26.0	22.1	22.2	1716	-6.0

Fig. 29: Female smoking, 2012 10 15 20 25 зо 35 40

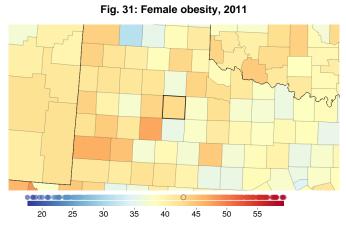
prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012



#### FINDINGS: OBESITY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 2001-2011
Female	42.9	38.9	36.1	2517	+25.7
Male	38.7	36.0	33.8	2139	+32.6

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011



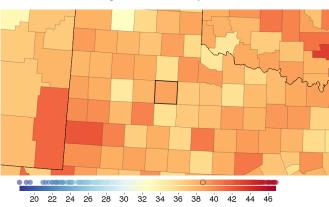


Fig. 32: Male obesity, 2011

### FINDINGS: RECOMMENDED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Sex	<b>Dickens</b> County	Texas	National	National rank	% change 2001-2011
Female	47.0	49.5	52.6	2062	+16.6
Male	49.4	54.1	56.3	2305	+2.7

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

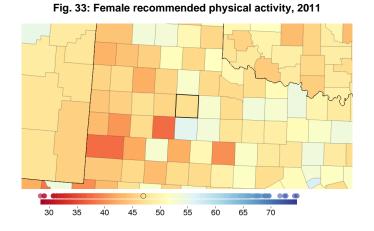
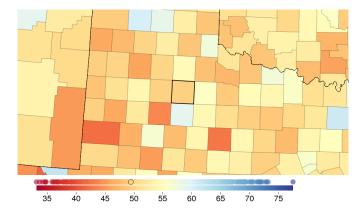


Fig. 34: Male recommended physical activity, 2011



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