# COUNTY PROFILE: Harper County, Kansas

#### 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	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
+0.4	1868	81.5	81.0	79.8	Female
+5.2	2081	76.7	76.5	74.4	Male

life expectancy at birth (years), 2014

Fig. 1: Female life expectancy, 2014

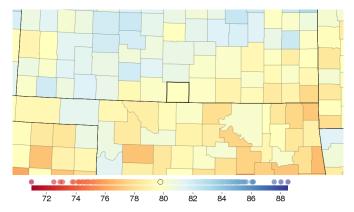
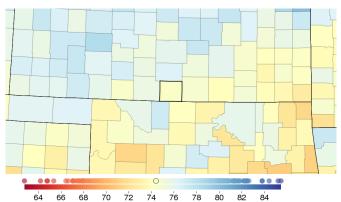


Fig. 2: Male life expectancy, 2014



#### FINDINGS: ALL-CAUSE MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
+7.6	2005	667.8	695.4	776.9	Female
-17.6	2131	930.1	963.7	1107.1	Male

Fig. 3: Female all-cause mortality, 2014

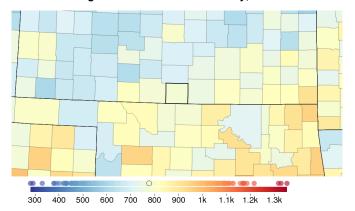
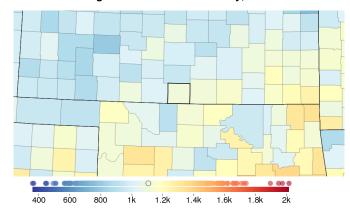


Fig. 4: Male all-cause mortality, 2014



#### FINDINGS: ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
-21.4	1921	124.9	123.8	144.2	Female
-53.9	1782	191.5	194.9	216.5	Male

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

Fig. 5: Female ischemic heart disease, 2014

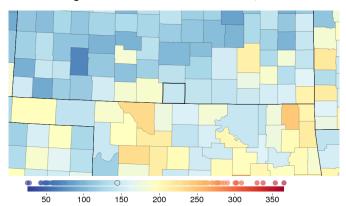
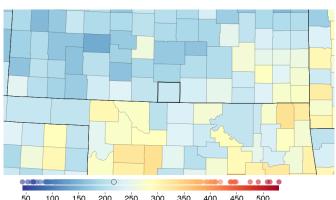


Fig. 6: Male ischemic heart disease, 2014



# FINDINGS: CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
-30.7	2190	47.4	56.1	57.3	Female
-45.2	1392	48.8	54.1	50.3	Male

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

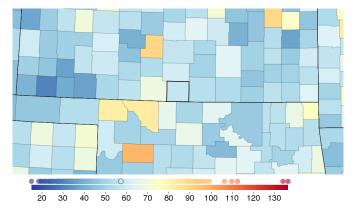
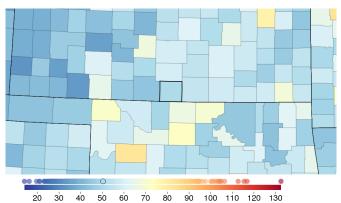


Fig. 8: Male cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014

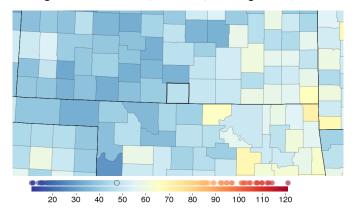


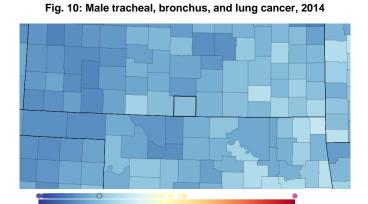
# FINDINGS: TRACHEAL, BRONCHUS, AND LUNG CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	Harper County	Sex
+92.2	1553	43.8	46.5	47.5	Female
-10.5	2019	67.6	72.4	87.6	Male

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

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





FINDINGS: BREAST CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
-21.4	1426	25.9	25.5	25.4	Female
-7.0	1378	0.3	0.3	0.3	Male

Fig. 11: Female breast cancer, 2014

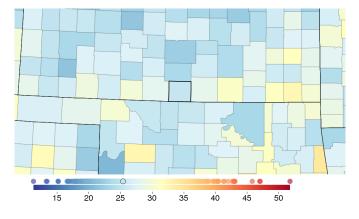
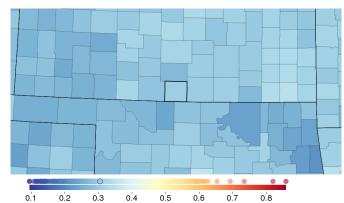


Fig. 12: Male breast cancer, 2014

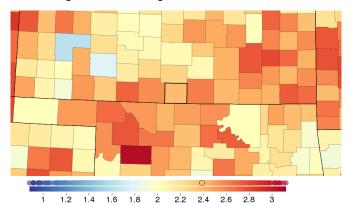


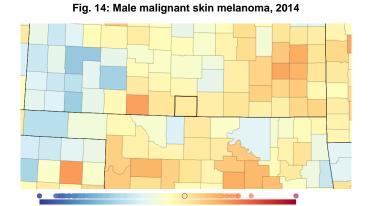
#### FINDINGS: MALIGNANT SKIN MELANOMA

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
+2.5	2386	1.9	2.2	2.4	Female
+48.4	2729	4.5	5.0	6.0	Male

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

Fig. 13: Female malignant skin melanoma, 2014





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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
+91.0	2626	49.6	50.6	72.5	Female
+54.5	2256	63.8	63.6	78.1	Male

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

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

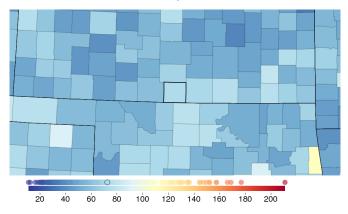
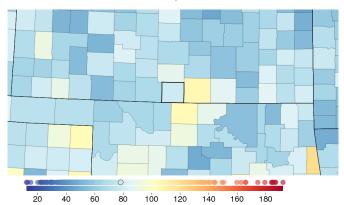


Fig. 16: Male diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014



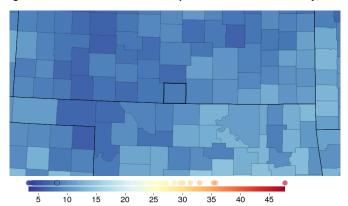
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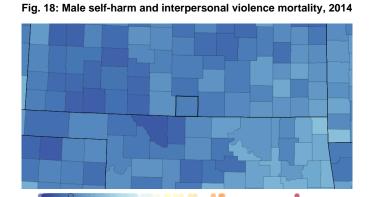
#### FINDINGS: SELF-HARM AND INTERPERSONAL VIOLENCE MORTALITY

Sex	<b>Harper County</b>	Kansas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	8.2	9.6	9.0	1000	+9.5
Male	30.7	32.3	30.9	1309	-1.6

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

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





FINDINGS: TRANSPORT INJURIES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	Harper County	Sex
+11.0	3004	8.1	10.3	24.2	Female
-17.5	2812	19.8	23.1	48.5	Male

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

Fig. 19: Female transport injuries mortality, 2014

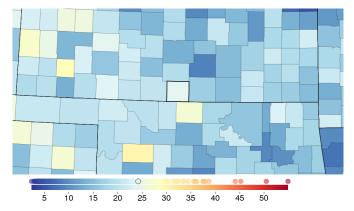
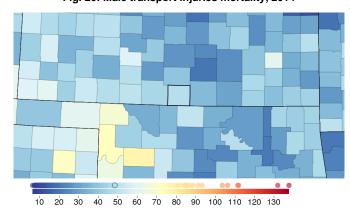


Fig. 20: Male transport injuries mortality, 2014



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

Sex	<b>Harper County</b>	Kansas	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	12.3	7.9	8.2	2557	+785.8
Male	23.4	15.1	18.7	2533	+470.3

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

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

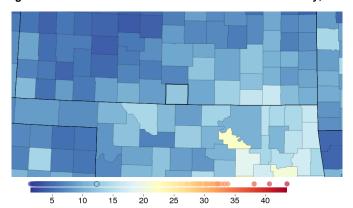
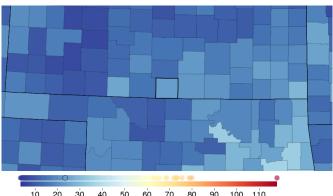


Fig. 22: Male mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014



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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Kansas	<b>Harper County</b>	Sex
+46.2	1579	11.8	12.1	12.4	Female
+46.4	2176	22.2	21.9	26.2	Male

Fig. 23: Female cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014

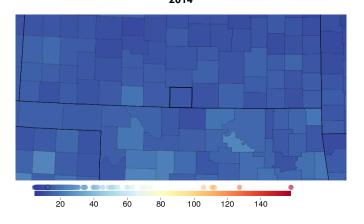
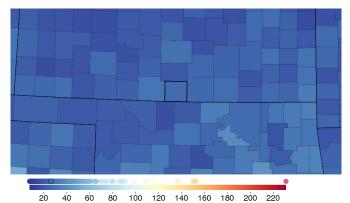


Fig. 24: Male cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014

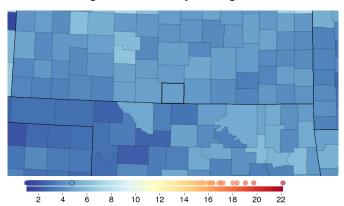


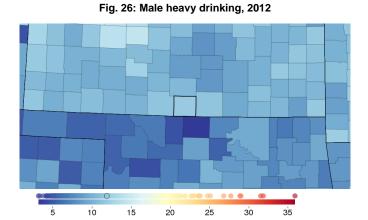
# FINDINGS: HEAVY DRINKING

Sex	<b>Harper County</b>	Kansas	National	National rank	% change 2005-2012
Female	4.8	5.5	6.7	1395	+62.5
Male	11.9	9.8	9.9	2211	+47.7

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 25: Female heavy drinking, 2012





FINDINGS: BINGE DRINKING

% change 2002-2012	National rank	National	Kansas	Harper County	Sex
+22.2	1346	12.4	11.8	10.0	Female
+16.7	1921	24.5	24.6	26.2	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 27: Female binge drinking, 2012

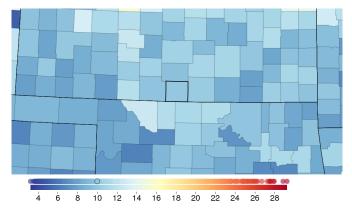
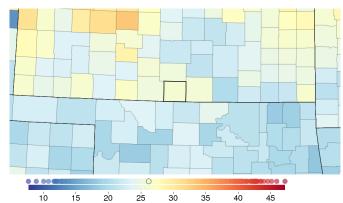


Fig. 28: Male binge drinking, 2012

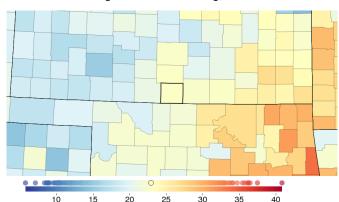


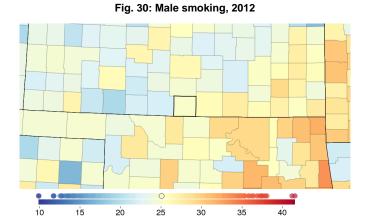
# FINDINGS: SMOKING

Sex	<b>Harper County</b>	Kansas	National	National rank	% change 1996-2012
Female	22.9	19.3	17.9	1904	-2.5
Male	25.1	22.9	22.2	1471	-7.2

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 29: Female smoking, 2012





FINDINGS: OBESITY

% change 2001-2011	National rank	National	Kansas	Harper County	Sex
+35.0	1739	36.1	37.3	39.2	Female
+29.9	1676	33.8	35.8	37.6	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 31: Female obesity, 2011

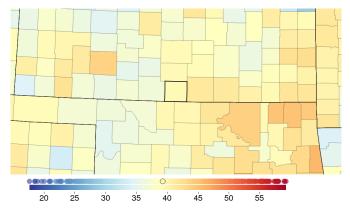
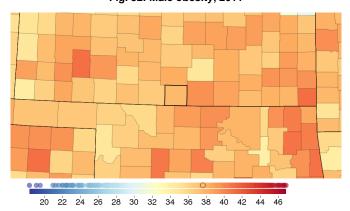


Fig. 32: Male obesity, 2011



#### FINDINGS: RECOMMENDED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Sex	<b>Harper County</b>	Kansas	National	National rank	% change 2001-2011
Female	50.5	50.5	52.6	1516	+13.1
Male	52.5	53.5	56.3	1776	+2.1

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 33: Female recommended physical activity, 2011

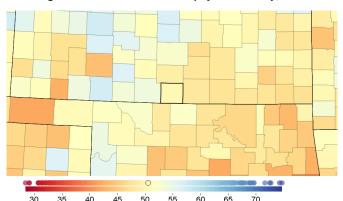
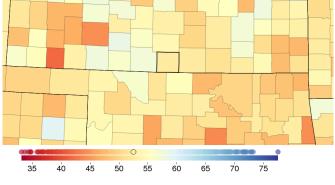


Fig. 34: Male recommended physical activity, 2011



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