# COUNTY PROFILE: Jefferson County, Georgia

#### 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	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+0.9	3028	81.5	79.7	76.4	Female
+5.8	3072	76.7	75.0	69.7	Male

life expectancy at birth (years), 2014

Fig. 1: Female life expectancy, 2014

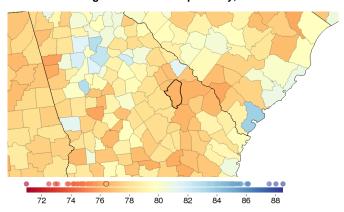
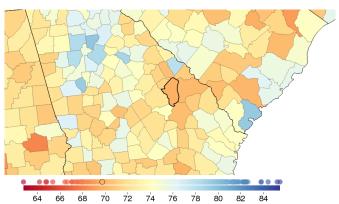


Fig. 2: Male life expectancy, 2014



### FINDINGS: ALL-CAUSE MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+5.2	2968	667.8	758.7	942.6	Female
-17.3	3051	930.1	1044.9	1420.8	Male

Fig. 3: Female all-cause mortality, 2014

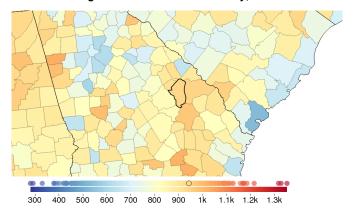
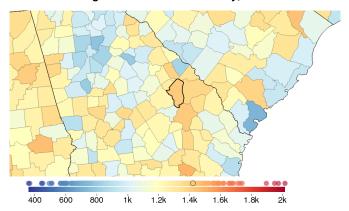


Fig. 4: Male all-cause mortality, 2014

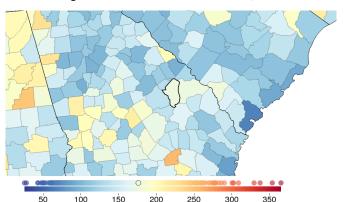


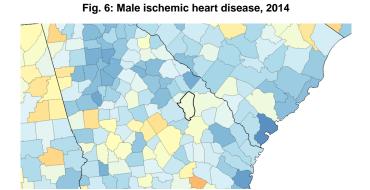
### FINDINGS: ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	Jefferson County	Sex
-29.0	2603	124.9	129.9	176.1	Female
-46.6	2580	191.5	194.1	263.1	Male

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

Fig. 5: Female ischemic heart disease, 2014





FINDINGS: CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
-21.4	3053	47.4	54.1	77.6	Female
-49.5	3048	48.8	57.8	79.5	Male

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

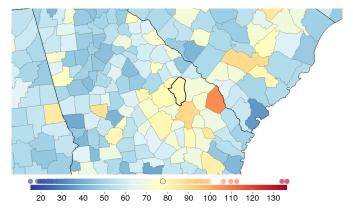
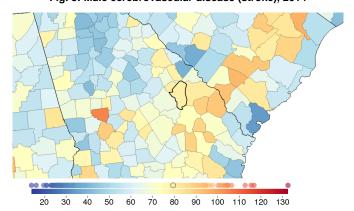


Fig. 8: Male cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014

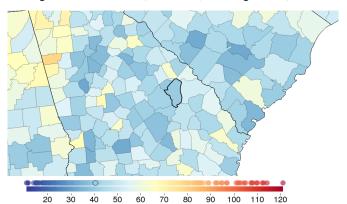


# FINDINGS: TRACHEAL, BRONCHUS, AND LUNG CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	Jefferson County	Sex
+74.7	873	43.8	46.4	40.5	Female
-6.5	2970	67.6	80.2	125.3	Male

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

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



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

FINDINGS: BREAST CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+6.5	3043	25.9	28.6	34.8	Female
+4.1	3112	0.3	0.4	0.6	Male

Fig. 11: Female breast cancer, 2014

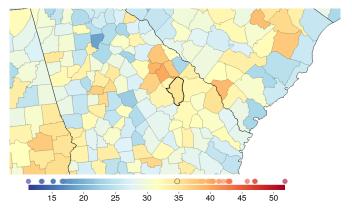
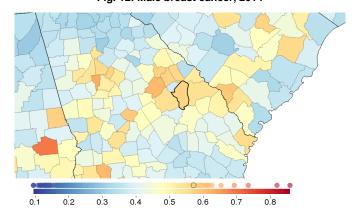


Fig. 12: Male breast cancer, 2014



### FINDINGS: MALIGNANT SKIN MELANOMA

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	Jefferson County	Sex
+5.1	465	1.9	1.7	1.7	Female
+57.3	568	4.5	4.4	3.9	Male

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

Fig. 13: Female malignant skin melanoma, 2014

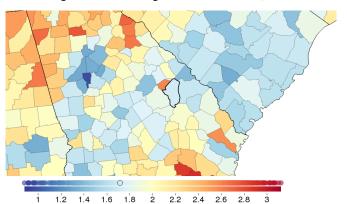


Fig. 14: Male malignant skin melanoma, 2014

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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	Jefferson County	Sex
+86.6	3101	49.6	58.6	107.6	Female
+87.8	3122	63.8	71.3	139.7	Male

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

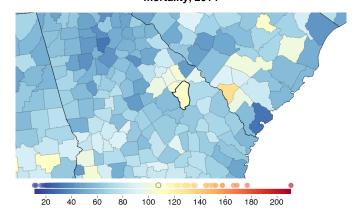
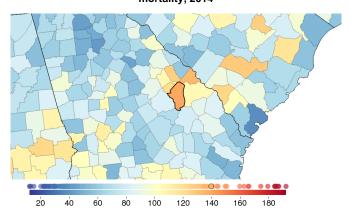


Fig. 16: Male diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014



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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
-26.8	2201	9.0	9.5	11.3	Female
-31.8	2390	30.9	33.1	40.1	Male

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

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

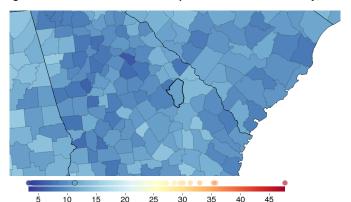
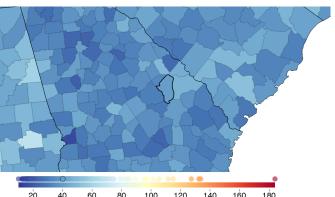


Fig. 18: Male self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014  $\,$ 



# FINDINGS: TRANSPORT INJURIES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	Jefferson County	Sex
-14.7	2321	8.1	10.4	17.3	Female
-26.2	2866	19.8	24.4	50.2	Male

Fig. 19: Female transport injuries mortality, 2014

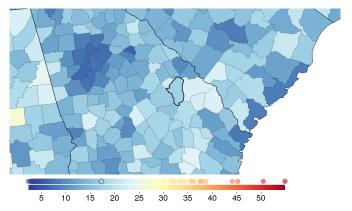
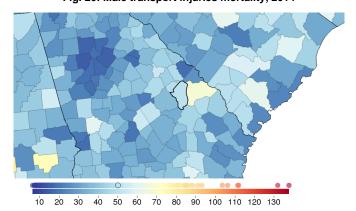


Fig. 20: Male transport injuries mortality, 2014



### FINDINGS: MENTAL AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+175.3	2111	8.2	8.2	9.8	Female
+32.7	2376	18.7	17.4	21.6	Male

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

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

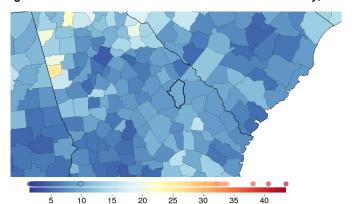
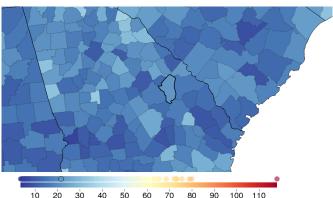


Fig. 22: Male mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014



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

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
-8.2	2183	11.8	12.1	14.3	Female
-15.6	2027	22.2	22.1	25.1	Male

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

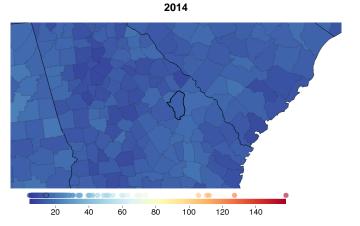
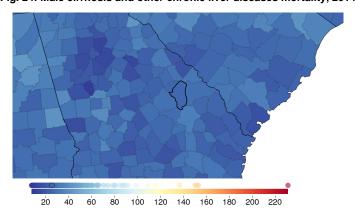


Fig. 24: Male cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014

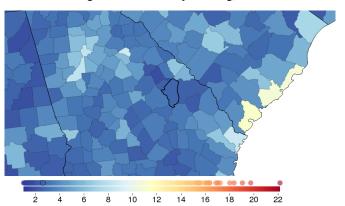


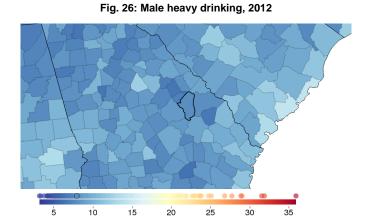
### FINDINGS: HEAVY DRINKING

Sex	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Georgia	National	National rank	% change 2005-2012
Female	2.6	5.2	6.7	369	+24.1
Male	7.9	8.7	9.9	534	+18.2

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 25: Female heavy drinking, 2012





FINDINGS: BINGE DRINKING

% change 2002-2012	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+11.3	446	12.4	9.8	6.4	Female
+2.6	423	24.5	20.8	18.2	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 27: Female binge drinking, 2012

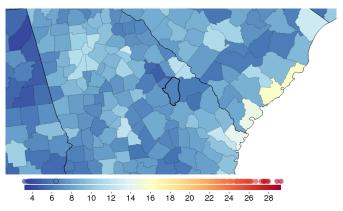
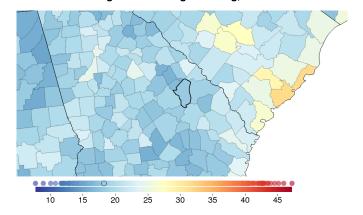


Fig. 28: Male binge drinking, 2012

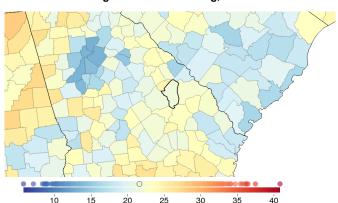


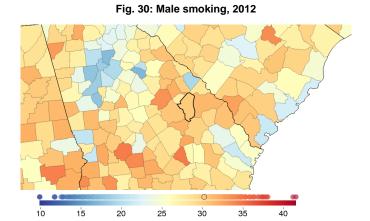
### FINDINGS: SMOKING

Sex	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Georgia	National	National rank	% change 1996-2012
Female	21.6	17.9	17.9	1501	-6.9
Male	30.2	23.7	22.2	2713	-10.7

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 29: Female smoking, 2012





FINDINGS: OBESITY

% change 2001-2011	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+18.0	3110	36.1	38.1	55.2	Female
+23.6	3049	33.8	34.6	42.9	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 31: Female obesity, 2011

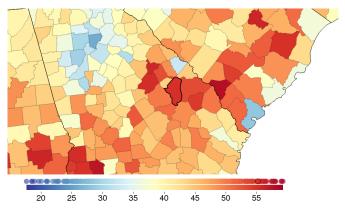
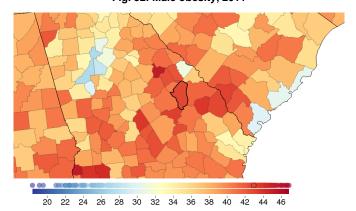


Fig. 32: Male obesity, 2011



### FINDINGS: RECOMMENDED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

% change 2001-2011	National rank	National	Georgia	<b>Jefferson County</b>	Sex
+39.4	2944	52.6	50.8	38.2	Female
+8.1	2757	56.3	54.6	46.0	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 33: Female recommended physical activity, 2011

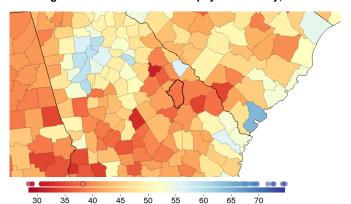
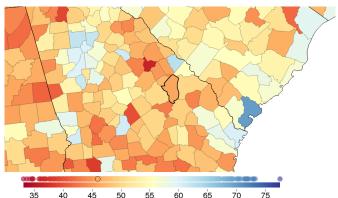


Fig. 34: Male recommended physical activity, 2011



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