COUNTY PROFILE: Taos County, New Mexico

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 Mexico	Taos County	Sex
+4.9	194	81.5	81.1	83.3	Female
+9.4	1038	76.7	75.6	76.7	Male

life expectancy at birth (years), 2014

Fig. 1: Female life expectancy, 2014

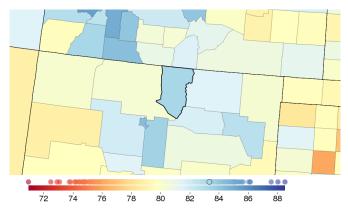
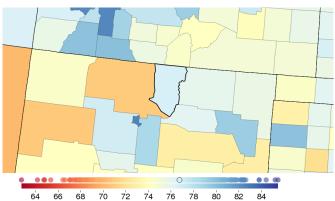


Fig. 2: Male life expectancy, 2014



FINDINGS: ALL-CAUSE MORTALITY

Sex	Taos County	New Mexico	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	538.3	663.0	667.8	124	-24.4
Male	828.3	952.2	930.1	377	-33.1

Fig. 3: Female all-cause mortality, 2014

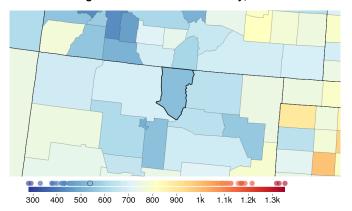
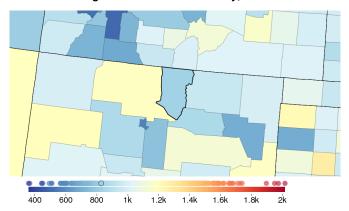


Fig. 4: Male all-cause mortality, 2014



FINDINGS: ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
-49.0	39	124.9	109.2	65.8	Female
-62.1	31	191.5	172.3	104.8	Male

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

Fig. 5: Female ischemic heart disease, 2014

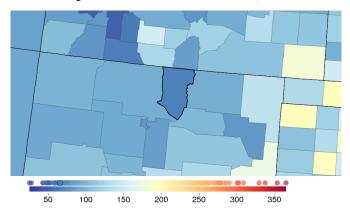
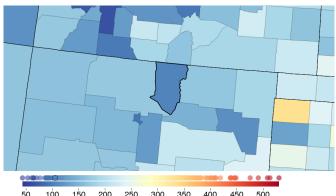


Fig. 6: Male ischemic heart disease, 2014



FINDINGS: CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE)

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
-49.4	144	47.4	42.1	35.2	Female
-63.4	59	48.8	39.6	31.6	Male

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

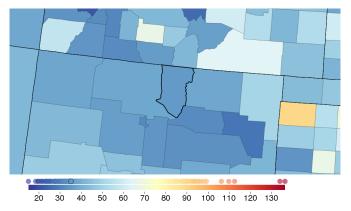
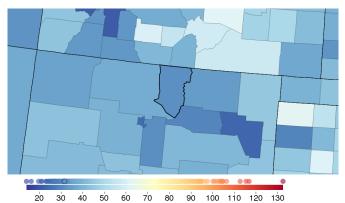


Fig. 8: Male cerebrovascular disease (stroke), 2014



FINDINGS: TRACHEAL, BRONCHUS, AND LUNG CANCER

Sex	Taos County	New Mexico	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	22.6	30.8	43.8	56	+12.0
Male	35.3	45.4	67.6	57	-33.4

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

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

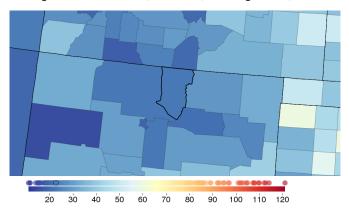


Fig. 10: Male tracheal, bronchus, and lung cancer, 2014

FINDINGS: BREAST CANCER

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
-28.7	69	25.9	23.3	19.5	Female
-19.3	114	0.3	0.2	0.2	Male

Fig. 11: Female breast cancer, 2014

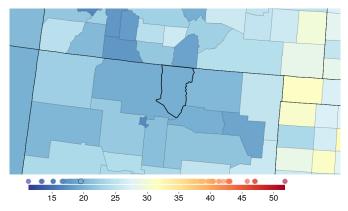
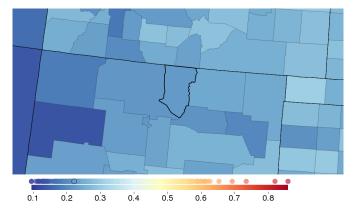


Fig. 12: Male breast cancer, 2014

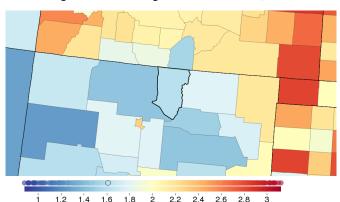


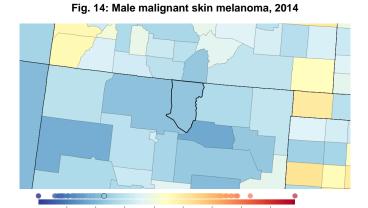
FINDINGS: MALIGNANT SKIN MELANOMA

Sex	Taos County	New Mexico	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	1.6	1.8	1.9	304	+10.5
Male	3.3	4.0	4.5	189	+25.6

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	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
+1.3	1088	49.6	54.3	49.1	Female
-6.1	695	63.8	70.2	55.7	Male

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

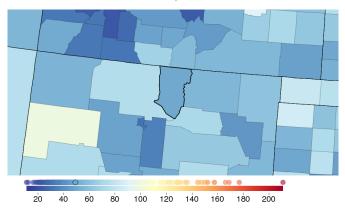
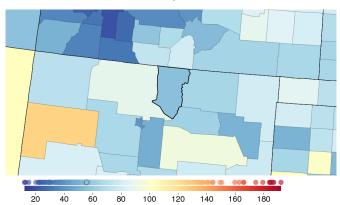


Fig. 16: Male diabetes, urogenital, blood, and endocrine diseases mortality, 2014



FINDINGS: SELF-HARM AND INTERPERSONAL VIOLENCE MORTALITY

Sex	Taos County	New Mexico	National	National rank	% change 1980-2014
Female	16.5	13.8	9.0	3011	+31.5
Male	57.7	46.5	30.9	3042	+6.1

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

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

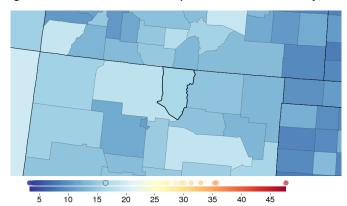
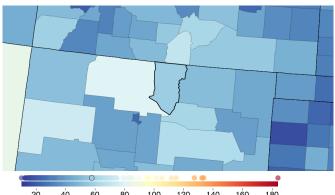


Fig. 18: Male self-harm and interpersonal violence mortality, 2014



FINDINGS: TRANSPORT INJURIES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
-33.2	2384	8.1	12.2	17.6	Female
-49.7	2592	19.8	29.1	43.8	Male

Fig. 19: Female transport injuries mortality, 2014

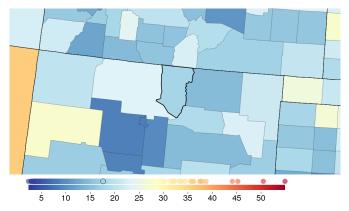
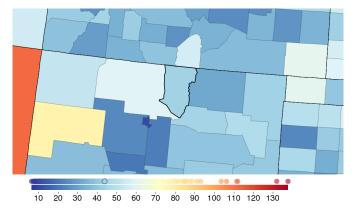


Fig. 20: Male transport injuries mortality, 2014



FINDINGS: MENTAL AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
+357.5	2706	8.2	15.6	13.7	Female
+46.4	3064	18.7	38.9	40.8	Male

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

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

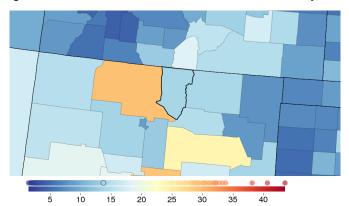
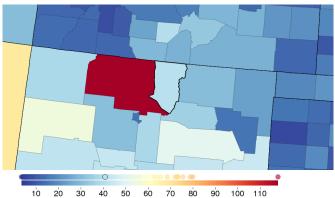


Fig. 22: Male mental and substance use disorders mortality, 2014



FINDINGS: CIRRHOSIS AND OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASES MORTALITY

% change 1980-2014	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
+33.2	2777	11.8	23.0	17.7	Female
+2.4	3048	22.2	41.3	43.6	Male

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

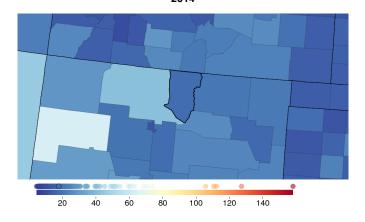
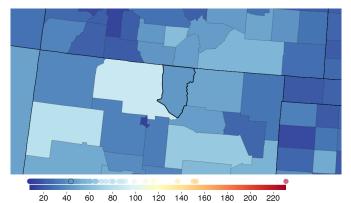


Fig. 24: Male cirrhosis and other chronic liver diseases mortality, 2014

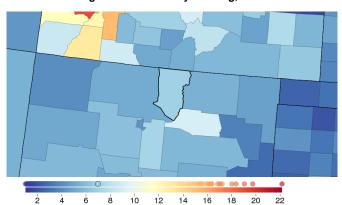


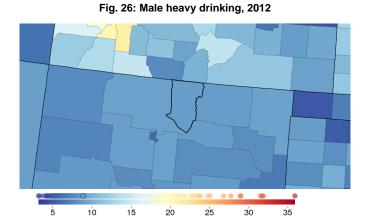
FINDINGS: HEAVY DRINKING

Sex	Taos County	New Mexico	National	National rank	% change 2005-2012
Female	7.0	5.8	6.7	2289	+36.4
Male	8.9	8.3	9.9	956	-4.0

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 25: Female heavy drinking, 2012





FINDINGS: BINGE DRINKING

% change 2002-2012	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
-10.7	1846	12.4	10.3	11.9	Female
-18.7	1415	24.5	22.4	23.4	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 27: Female binge drinking, 2012

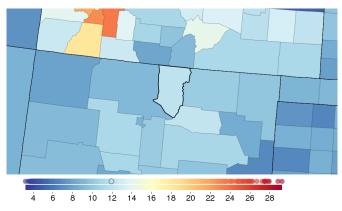
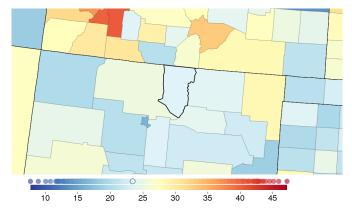


Fig. 28: Male binge drinking, 2012

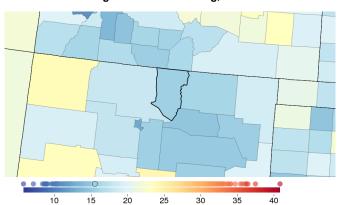


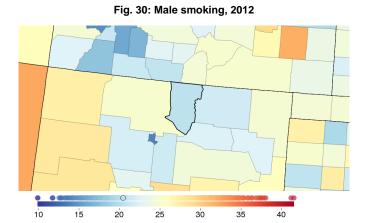
FINDINGS: SMOKING

% change 1996-2012	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
-16.7	245	17.9	18.9	15.5	Female
-15.5	316	22.2	23.6	20.5	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2012

Fig. 29: Female smoking, 2012





FINDINGS: OBESITY

% change 2001-2011	National rank	National	New Mexico	Taos County	Sex
+27.3	213	36.1	34.9	31.5	Female
+34.1	58	33.8	31.2	27.1	Male

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 31: Female obesity, 2011

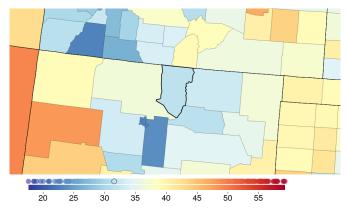
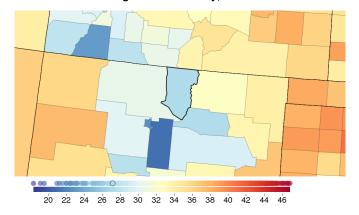


Fig. 32: Male obesity, 2011



FINDINGS: RECOMMENDED PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

Sex	Taos County	New Mexico	National	National rank	% change 2001-2011
Female	57.5	54.5	52.6	414	+17.2
Male	64.1	57.8	56.3	117	+6.5

prevalence (%), age-standardized, 2011

Fig. 33: Female recommended physical activity, 2011

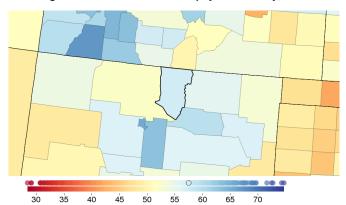


Fig. 34: Male recommended physical activity, 2011

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