



# 2025 Community Health Needs Assessment



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# Mon Health Medical Center 2025 Community Health Needs Assessment and 2026 – 2028 Implementation Strategies

## 2025 COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Mon Health Medical Center worked in collaboration with the Monongalia Health Department and the West Virginia Health Affairs Institute to identify common and unique challenges across neighboring communities and align health improvement efforts. The 2025 Community Health Needs Assessment process utilizes data from the Monongalia County Health Department’s (2025 Community Health Needs Assessment), West Virginia Health Affairs Institute (2025 Community Health Needs Survey), North Central West Virginia Community Action Association Inc. (2024 Community Needs Assessment), SparkMap data for the service area counties of Monongalia, Marion, Preston, Harrison, Randolph and Fayette PA, United for ALICE Research Center, Workforce West Virginia, the West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources (Office of Drug Control Policy Dashboards), and the West Virginia Board of Pharmacy. Key leaders, from the organizations listed below, in the service area counties, identified and prioritized community health needs. Through Mon Health Medical Center’s strategic planning process, the community health needs assessment and prioritized community health needs are used to set community health implementation strategies for Mon Health Medical Center.

The community needs assessment for the service area counties was coordinated using input from the following organizations:

- Monongalia County Health Department
- West Virginia Health Affairs Institute
- Mon Health Medical Center
- North Central West Virginia Community Action Association Inc.
- United for ALICE Research Center



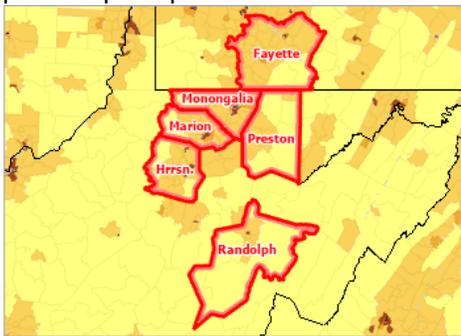
The following information was reviewed for the service area counties of Monongalia, Marion, Preston, Harrison, Randolph and Fayette, Pennsylvania. Unless otherwise noted, this data is from Spark Map (a product of CARES University of Missouri Extension) and the sources listed above.

## DEMOGRAPHICS FOR MONONGALIA, MARION, PRESTON, HARRISON, RANDOLPH AND FAYETTE, PA COUNTIES

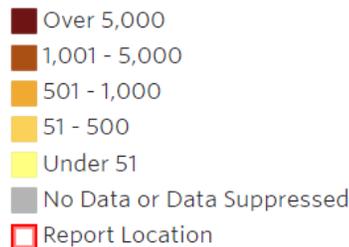
Current population demographics and changes in demographic composition over time play a determining role in the types of health and social services needed by communities.

### Total Population

A total of 416,922 people live in the 3,564.16 square mile report area defined for this assessment according to the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2019-23 5-year estimates. The population density for this area, estimated at 117 persons per square mile, is greater than the national average population density of 94 persons per square mile.



Population, Density (Persons per Sq Mile) by Tract, ACS 2019-23



### Total Population with Gender Breakout

Report Area	Total Population	Total Land Area (Square Miles)	Population Density (per Square Mile)	Male	Female	Male Percent	Female Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>416,922</b>	<b>3,564.16</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>211,830</b>	<b>205,092</b>	<b>50.81%</b>	<b>49.19%</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,967	790.76	161	63,575	63,392	50.07%	49.93%
Harrison County, WV	65,407	416.01	157	32,219	33,188	49.26%	50.74%
Marion County, WV	56,042	308.78	181	28,010	28,032	49.98%	50.02%
Monongalia County, WV	106,520	360.09	296	54,986	51,534	51.62%	48.38%
Preston County, WV	34,204	648.81	53	18,270	15,934	53.41%	46.59%
Randolph County, WV	27,782	1,039.70	27	14,770	13,012	53.16%	46.84%
Pennsylvania	12,986,518	44,742.23	290	6,400,912	6,585,606	49.29%	50.71%
West Virginia	1,784,462	24,041.23	74	890,156	894,306	49.88%	50.12%
United States	332,387,540	3,533,298.58	94	164,545,087	167,842,453	49.50%	50.50%

### Total Population by Age Groups, Total

Report Area	Age 0-4	Age 5-17	Age 18-24	Age 25-34	Age 35-44	Age 45-54	Age 55-64	Age 65+
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>20,315</b>	<b>57,942</b>	<b>47,535</b>	<b>54,806</b>	<b>50,709</b>	<b>51,128</b>	<b>55,094</b>	<b>79,393</b>
Fayette County, PA	6,213	18,342	8,790	15,149	14,268	16,968	19,091	28,146
Harrison County, WV	3,526	10,453	4,774	7,767	8,252	8,301	9,250	13,084
Marion County, WV	2,794	8,400	6,124	7,074	6,559	6,894	7,102	11,095
Monongalia County, WV	4,806	12,427	23,371	16,340	13,675	10,878	11,017	14,006
Preston County, WV	1,574	4,564	2,256	4,987	4,723	4,567	4,699	6,834
Randolph County, WV	1,402	3,756	2,220	3,489	3,232	3,520	3,935	6,228

Pennsylvania	685,379	1,988,432	1,159,561	1,693,031	1,602,618	1,577,924	1,803,332	2,476,241
West Virginia	89,308	270,103	155,849	212,299	214,753	226,039	247,122	368,989
United States	18,939,899	54,705,339	30,307,641	45,497,632	43,492,887	40,847,713	42,626,382	55,970,047

### Total Population by Age Groups, Percent

Report Area	Age 0-4	Age 5-17	Age 18-24	Age 25-34	Age 35-44	Age 45-54	Age 55-64	Age 65+
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>4.87%</b>	<b>13.90%</b>	<b>11.40%</b>	<b>13.15%</b>	<b>12.16%</b>	<b>12.26%</b>	<b>13.21%</b>	<b>19.04%</b>
Fayette County, PA	4.89%	14.45%	6.92%	11.93%	11.24%	13.36%	15.04%	22.17%
Harrison County, WV	5.39%	15.98%	7.30%	11.87%	12.62%	12.69%	14.14%	20.00%
Marion County, WV	4.99%	14.99%	10.93%	12.62%	11.70%	12.30%	12.67%	19.80%
Monongalia County, WV	4.51%	11.67%	21.94%	15.34%	12.84%	10.21%	10.34%	13.15%
Preston County, WV	4.60%	13.34%	6.60%	14.58%	13.81%	13.35%	13.74%	19.98%
Randolph County, WV	5.05%	13.52%	7.99%	12.56%	11.63%	12.67%	14.16%	22.42%
Pennsylvania	5.28%	15.31%	8.93%	13.04%	12.34%	12.15%	13.89%	19.07%
West Virginia	5.00%	15.14%	8.73%	11.90%	12.03%	12.67%	13.85%	20.68%
United States	5.70%	16.46%	9.12%	13.69%	13.08%	12.29%	12.82%	16.84%

### Total Population by Race Alone, Percent

Report Area	White	Black	Asian	American Indian or Alaska Native	Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	Some Other Race	Two or More Races
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>376,071</b>	<b>13,968</b>	<b>5,139</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>2,803</b>	<b>18,483</b>
	<b>90.20%</b>	<b>3.35%</b>	<b>1.23%</b>	<b>0.09%</b>	<b>0.02%</b>	<b>0.67%</b>	<b>4.43%</b>
Fayette County, PA	114,397	5,156	578	89	78	706	5,963
	90.10%	4.06%	0.46%	0.07%	0.06%	0.56%	4.70%
Harrison County, WV	60,809	853	491	70	10	350	2,824
	92.97%	1.30%	0.75%	0.11%	0.02%	0.54%	4.32%
Marion County, WV	51,567	1,455	239	13	1	283	2,484
	92.01%	2.60%	0.43%	0.02%	0.00%	0.50%	4.43%
Monongalia County, WV	93,097	3,834	3,745	80	1	1,263	4,500
	87.40%	3.60%	3.52%	0.08%	0.00%	1.19%	4.22%
Preston County, WV	31,006	2,248	84	79	3	47	737
	90.65%	6.57%	0.25%	0.23%	0.01%	0.14%	2.15%
Randolph County, WV	25,195	422	2	34	0	154	1,975
	90.69%	1.52%	0.01%	0.12%	0.00%	0.55%	7.11%
Pennsylvania	75.80%	10.73%	3.70%	0.18%	0.04%	3.43%	6.12%
West Virginia	90.90%	3.28%	0.75%	0.09%	0.03%	0.68%	4.28%
United States	63.44%	12.36%	5.82%	0.88%	0.19%	6.60%	10.71%

### Total Population by Ethnicity Alone

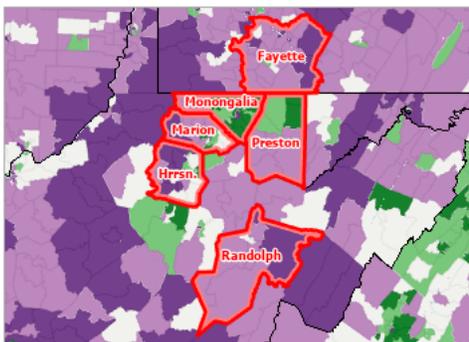
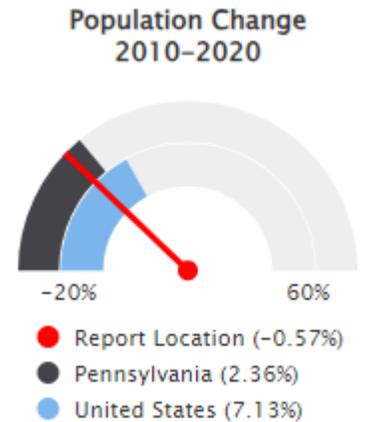
Report Area	Total Population	Hispanic or Latino Population	Hispanic or Latino Population, Percent	Non-Hispanic Population	Non-Hispanic Population, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>416,922</b>	<b>8,254</b>	<b>1.98%</b>	<b>408,668</b>	<b>98.02%</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,967	1,707	1.34%	125,260	98.66%
Harrison County, WV	65,407	1,413	2.16%	63,994	97.84%
Marion County, WV	56,042	878	1.57%	55,164	98.43%
Monongalia County, WV	106,520	3,298	3.10%	103,222	96.90%
Preston County, WV	34,204	657	1.92%	33,547	98.08%

Randolph County, WV	27,782	301	1.08%	27,481	98.92%
Pennsylvania	12,986,518	1,087,732	8.38%	11,898,786	91.62%
West Virginia	1,784,462	36,125	2.02%	1,748,337	97.98%
United States	332,387,540	63,131,589	18.99%	269,255,951	81.01%

**Change in Total Population, 2010-2020**

According to the United States Census Bureau Decennial Census, between 2010 and 2020 the population in the report area fell by -2,405 persons, a change of -0.57%. A significant positive or negative shift in total population over time impacts healthcare providers and the utilization of community resources.

Report Area	Total Population, 2010 Census	Total Population, 2020 Census	Population Change 2010-2020	Percent Population Change
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>421,305</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>-2,405</b>	<b>-0.57%</b>
Fayette County, PA	136,674	128,804	-7,870	-5.76%
Harrison County, WV	69,099	65,921	-3,178	-4.60%
Marion County, WV	56,418	56,205	-213	-0.38%
Monongalia County, WV	96,189	105,822	9,633	10.01%
Preston County, WV	33,520	34,216	696	2.08%
Randolph County, WV	29,405	27,932	-1,473	-5.01%
Pennsylvania	12,702,385	13,002,700	300,315	2.36%
West Virginia	1,852,994	1,793,716	-59,278	-3.20%
United States	312,471,161	334,735,155	22,263,994	7.13%



Population Change, Percent by Tract, US Census Bureau 2010 - 2020

- Over 10.0% Increase ( + )
- 2.0 - 10.0% Increase ( + )
- Less Than 2.0% Change ( +/- )
- 2.0 - 10.0% Decrease ( - )
- Over 10.0% Decrease ( - )
- No Population or No Data
- Report Location

**Population Change (2010-2020) by Hispanic Origin**

Report Area	Hispanic Population Change, Total	Hispanic Population Change, Percent	Non-Hispanic Population Change, Total	Non-Hispanic Population Change, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>3,613</b>	<b>79.27%</b>	<b>-6,016</b>	<b>-1.44%</b>
Fayette County, PA	530	50.57%	-8,398	-6.19%
Harrison County, WV	520	58.89%	-3,698	-5.42%
Marion County, WV	361	70.23%	-574	-1.03%
Monongalia County, WV	1,616	95.51%	8,017	8.48%
Preston County, WV	466	203.49%	230	0.69%
Randolph County, WV	120	62.50%	-1,593	-5.45%
Pennsylvania	329,957	45.85%	-29,644	-0.25%
West Virginia	12,559	56.40%	-71,837	-3.92%
United States	11,163,011	20.61%	11,100,922	4.30%

### **Urban and Rural Population 2020) - Rural**

This indicator reports the percentage of population living in urban and rural areas as of 2020. Urban areas are identified using population density, count, and size thresholds. Urban areas also include territory with a high degree of impervious surface (development). Rural areas are all areas that are not urban. Of the report areas 418,900 population, 215,056 or 51.34% of the population is classified urban while 203,844 or 48.66% is rural.

Report Area	Total Population	Urban Population	Rural Population	Urban Pop, Percent	Rural Pop, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>215,056</b>	<b>203,844</b>	<b>51.34%</b>	<b>48.66%</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	57,826	70,978	44.89%	55.11%
Harrison County, WV	65,921	36,734	29,187	55.72%	44.28%
Marion County, WV	56,205	31,767	24,438	56.52%	43.48%
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	77,620	28,202	73.35%	26.65%
Preston County, WV	34,216	0	34,216	0.00%	100.00%
Randolph County, WV	27,932	11,109	16,823	39.77%	60.23%
Pennsylvania	13,002,700	9,941,070	3,061,630	76.45%	23.55%
West Virginia	1,793,716	800,857	992,859	44.65%	55.35%
United States	331,449,281	265,149,027	66,300,254	80.00%	20.00%

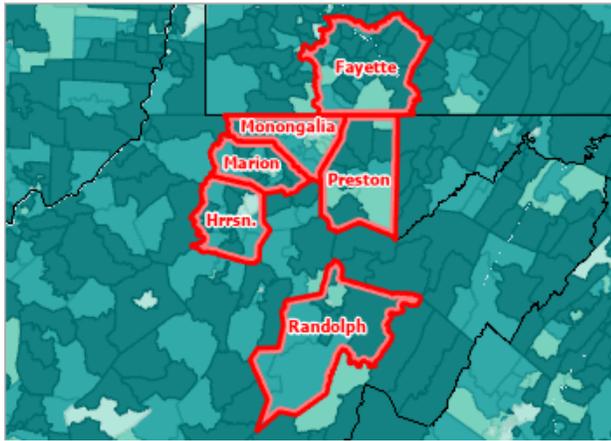
Report Area	Urban			Rural		
	Population Under Age 18	Population Age 18-64	Population Age 65+	Population Under Age 18	Population Age 18-64	Population Age 65+
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>51.43%</b>	<b>53.16%</b>	<b>47.52%</b>	<b>48.57%</b>	<b>46.84%</b>	<b>52.48%</b>
Fayette County, PA	46.23%	44.16%	45.66%	53.77%	55.84%	54.34%
Harrison County, WV	55.06%	55.88%	55.90%	44.94%	44.12%	44.10%
Marion County, WV	56.75%	58.03%	53.06%	43.25%	41.97%	46.94%
Monongalia County, WV	70.13%	77.02%	64.47%	29.87%	22.98%	35.53%
Preston County, WV	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%
Randolph County, WV	42.34%	38.33%	42.66%	57.66%	61.67%	57.34%
Pennsylvania	77.05%	77.35%	73.45%	22.95%	22.65%	26.55%
West Virginia	45.15%	45.52%	42.32%	54.85%	54.48%	57.68%
United States	80.65%	81.09%	76.25%	19.35%	18.91%	23.75%

### **Median Age**

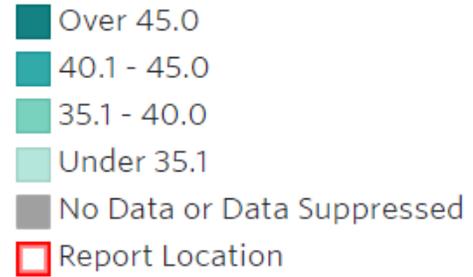
This indicator reports population median age based on the latest 5-year American Community Survey estimate.

Report Area	Total Population	Median Age
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>416,922</b>	<b>No data</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,967	45.4
Harrison County, WV	65,407	42.3
Marion County, WV	56,042	40.4
Monongalia County, WV	106,520	32.5
Preston County, WV	34,204	43.2
Randolph County, WV	27,782	44.2
Pennsylvania	12,986,518	40.9
West Virginia	1,784,462	42.7
United States	332,387,540	38.7

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23



Median Age by Tract, ACS 2019-23



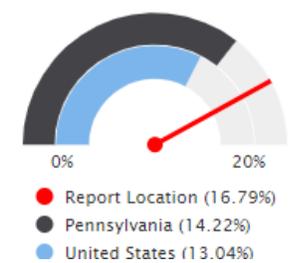
**Population Median Age by Gender and by Ethnicity**

Report Area	Male	Female	Hispanic or Latino	Not Hispanic or Latino
Report Location	No data	No data	No data	No data
Fayette County, PA	43.4	47.5	26.1	46.9
Harrison County, WV	40.7	43.6	36.2	43.1
Marion County, WV	39.4	41.8	30.2	41.7
Monongalia County, WV	31.9	33.2	25.0	33.6
Preston County, WV	42.0	44.4	38.0	44.6
Randolph County, WV	41.6	47.3	22.9	44.4
Pennsylvania	39.6	42.2	27.8	45.2
West Virginia	41.4	44.0	29.3	44.0
United States	37.7	39.8	30.4	44.0

**Population with Any Disability**

This indicator reports the percentage of the total civilian non-institutionalized population with a disability. The report area has a total population of 405,632 for whom disability status has been determined, of which 68,114 or 16.79% have any disability. This indicator is relevant because disabled individuals may require targeted services and outreach by providers.

Population with a Disability, Percent



Report Area	Total Population (For Whom Disability Status Is Determined)	Total Population with a Disability	Percent Population with a Disability
Report Location	405,632	68,114	16.79%
Fayette County, PA	123,774	25,117	20.29%
Harrison County, WV	64,647	10,530	16.29%
Marion County, WV	55,571	10,329	18.59%
Monongalia County, WV	105,369	12,775	12.12%
Preston County, WV	30,538	5,565	18.22%
Randolph County, WV	25,733	3,798	14.76%
Pennsylvania	12,800,535	1,820,613	14.22%
West Virginia	1,750,730	334,044	19.08%
United States	327,425,278	42,703,063	13.04%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

**Population with Any Disability by Gender and by Age Group and by Ethnicity**

Report Area	Male	Female	Under Age 18	Age 18-64	Age 65+	Hispanic or Latino	Not Hispanic or Latino
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>34,433</b>	<b>33,681</b>	<b>3,757</b>	<b>35,821</b>	<b>28,536</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>67,278</b>
	<b>16.95%</b>	<b>16.63%</b>	<b>4.81%</b>	<b>14.28%</b>	<b>37.21%</b>	<b>11.13%</b>	<b>16.90%</b>
Fayette County, PA	12,332	12,785	1,736	12,386	10,995	382	24,735
	20.21%	20.38%	7.07%	17.20%	40.40%	24.95%	20.23%
Harrison County, WV	5,004	5,526	658	5,381	4,491	73	10,457
	15.72%	16.84%	4.72%	14.10%	35.80%	5.18%	16.54%
Marion County, WV	5,288	5,041	467	5,488	4,374	78	10,251
	18.99%	18.19%	4.18%	16.32%	40.53%	9.07%	18.74%
Monongalia County, WV	6,797	5,978	438	8,184	4,153	283	12,492
	12.57%	11.66%	2.54%	10.98%	30.42%	8.63%	12.24%
Preston County, WV	2,978	2,587	248	2,663	2,654	10	5,555
	19.55%	16.90%	4.05%	14.94%	40.29%	5.99%	18.29%
Randolph County, WV	2,034	1,764	210	1,719	1,869	10	3,788
	15.57%	13.93%	4.11%	11.67%	31.68%	3.76%	14.87%
Pennsylvania	868,024	952,589	154,918	905,409	760,286	156,991	1,663,622
	13.82%	14.62%	5.80%	11.70%	31.75%	14.62%	14.19%
West Virginia	166,305	167,739	20,101	172,061	141,882	4,233	329,811
	19.19%	18.97%	5.60%	16.66%	39.46%	12.24%	19.22%
United States	20,717,340	21,985,723	3,451,805	21,269,700	17,981,558	6,190,802	36,512,261
	12.87%	13.21%	4.69%	10.67%	32.95%	9.92%	13.78%

**Population with Any Disability by Disability Status**

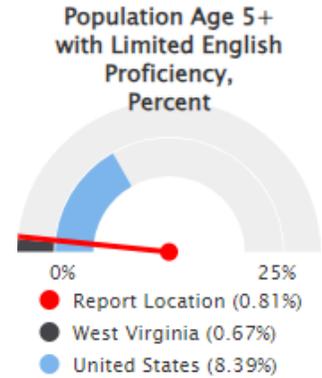
This indicator reports the percentage of the total civilian non-institutionalized population with a disability by disability status. Note that ACS measures disability status within different age groups: hearing and vision difficulty for all the people; cognitive, ambulatory, and self-care for people 5 years and older; and independent living for people 15 years and older (reported for people 18 years and older in ACS2019-23 data).

Report Area	Hearing	Vision	Cognitive	Ambulatory	Self-Care	Independent Living
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>5.09%</b>	<b>2.92%</b>	<b>6.63%</b>	<b>8.85%</b>	<b>3.00%</b>	<b>7.26%</b>
Fayette County, PA	5.96%	3.57%	7.72%	11.48%	3.90%	9.70%
Harrison County, WV	4.69%	2.88%	7.29%	8.45%	3.52%	7.75%
Marion County, WV	6.30%	4.21%	6.32%	8.74%	2.42%	6.15%
Monongalia County, WV	3.24%	1.72%	5.41%	5.68%	1.69%	4.69%
Preston County, WV	6.42%	2.72%	7.46%	9.55%	3.11%	7.44%
Randolph County, WV	5.23%	2.23%	4.31%	9.66%	3.90%	7.42%
Pennsylvania	3.74%	2.41%	6.21%	7.09%	2.72%	6.41%
West Virginia	5.88%	3.58%	7.54%	10.76%	3.88%	8.61%
United States	3.57%	2.42%	5.44%	6.67%	2.56%	5.86%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

### Population with Limited English Proficiency

This indicator reports the percentage of the population aged 5 and older who speak a language other than English at home and speak English less than "very well". This indicator is relevant because an inability to speak English well creates barriers to healthcare access, provider communications, and health literacy/education. Of the 396,607 total population aged 5 and older in the report area, 3,202 or 0.81% have limited English proficiency.



Report Area	Population Age 5+	Population Age 5+ with Limited English Proficiency	% Population Age 5+ with Limited English Proficiency
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>396,607</b>	<b>3,202</b>	<b>0.81%</b>
Fayette County, PA	120,754	725	0.60%
Harrison County, WV	61,881	253	0.41%
Marion County, WV	53,248	86	0.16%
Monongalia County, WV	101,714	1,736	1.71%
Preston County, WV	32,630	279	0.86%
Randolph County, WV	26,380	123	0.47%
Pennsylvania	12,301,139	580,080	4.72%
West Virginia	1,695,154	11,312	0.67%
United States	313,447,641	26,299,012	8.39%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

### Population with Limited English Proficiency by Language Spoken at Home

Report Area	Spanish	Other Indo-European Languages	Asian and Pacific Island Languages	Other Languages
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>914</b>	<b>897</b>	<b>1,114</b>	<b>277</b>
Fayette County, PA	291	199	207	28
Harrison County, WV	30	69	154	0
Marion County, WV	36	13	4	33
Monongalia County, WV	261	524	744	207
Preston County, WV	185	80	5	9
Randolph County, WV	111	12	0	0
Pennsylvania	274,603	150,269	121,965	33,243
West Virginia	4,996	2,439	2,961	916
United States	16,642,933	3,637,966	4,890,240	1,127,873

### Veteran Population

This indicator reports the percentage of the population age 18 and older that served (even for a short time), but is not currently serving, on active duty in the U.S. Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, or the Coast Guard, or that served in the U.S. Merchant Marine during World War II. Of the 338,375 population of the report area, 23,227 or 6.86% are veterans.

Report Area	Total Population Age 18+	Total Veterans	Veterans, Percent of Total Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>338,375</b>	<b>23,227</b>	<b>6.86%</b>
Fayette County, PA	102,397	7,322	7.15%
Harrison County, WV	51,370	3,972	7.73%
Marion County, WV	44,816	3,351	7.48%
Monongalia County, WV	89,129	4,871	5.47%
Preston County, WV	28,066	2,007	7.15%

Randolph County, WV	22,597	1,704	7.54%
Pennsylvania	10,303,342	656,112	6.37%
West Virginia	1,422,521	109,457	7.69%
United States	257,456,135	16,569,149	6.44%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

### Veteran Population by Gender and Age

Report Area	Male	Female	Male, Percent	Female Percent	Age 18-34	Age 35-54	Age 55-64	Age 65-74	Age 75+
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>21,796</b>	<b>1,431</b>	<b>12.74%</b>	<b>0.86%</b>	<b>1.63%</b>	<b>5.26%</b>	<b>7.07%</b>	<b>13.06%</b>	<b>19.18%</b>
Fayette County, PA	7,040	282	13.86%	0.55%	1.65%	4.50%	6.86%	12.08%	19.24%
Harrison County, WV	3,775	197	15.04%	0.75%	2.46%	4.70%	7.43%	14.78%	19.66%
Marion County, WV	3,135	216	14.19%	0.95%	1.70%	6.03%	6.97%	14.33%	19.55%
Monongalia County, WV	4,419	452	9.62%	1.05%	1.57%	6.17%	6.64%	11.53%	19.05%
Preston County, WV	1,826	181	12.11%	1.39%	1.33%	4.91%	8.41%	15.50%	15.53%
Randolph County, WV	1,601	103	13.27%	0.98%	0.46%	5.80%	7.09%	12.53%	21.13%
Pennsylvania	605,976	50,136	12.07%	0.95%	1.52%	4.18%	6.45%	11.47%	19.25%
West Virginia	101,970	7,487	14.49%	1.04%	2.01%	5.47%	7.98%	13.61%	19.11%
United States	14,907,774	1,661,375	11.85%	1.26%	1.86%	4.70%	7.21%	11.98%	18.39%

### Income and Economics

Economic and social insecurity often are associated with poor health. Poverty, unemployment, and lack of educational achievement affect access to care and a community’s ability to engage in healthy behaviors. Without a network of support and a safe community, families cannot thrive. Ensuring access to social and economic resources provides a foundation for a healthy community.

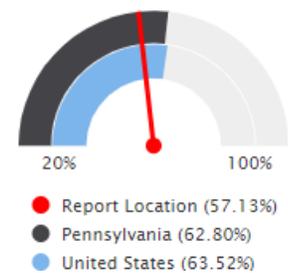
### Employment-Labor Force Participation Rate

The table below displays the labor force participation rate for the report area. According to the 2019 – 2023 American Community Survey, of the 347,348 working age population, 198,457 are included in the labor force. The labor force participation rate is 57.13%.

Report Area	Total Population Age 16+	Labor Force	Labor Force Participation Rate
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>347,348</b>	<b>198,457</b>	<b>57.13%</b>
Fayette County, PA	105,420	56,985	54.06%
Harrison County, WV	52,898	30,361	57.40%
Marion County, WV	46,040	27,452	59.63%
Monongalia County, WV	91,011	57,661	63.36%
Preston County, WV	28,738	14,321	49.83%
Randolph County, WV	23,241	11,677	50.24%
Pennsylvania	10,628,282	6,674,961	62.80%
West Virginia	1,469,375	788,145	53.64%
United States	267,393,519	169,855,626	63.52%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

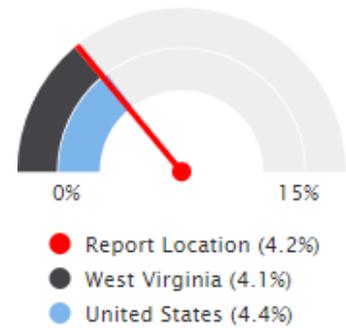
Labor Force Participation Rate



### Employment-Unemployment Rate

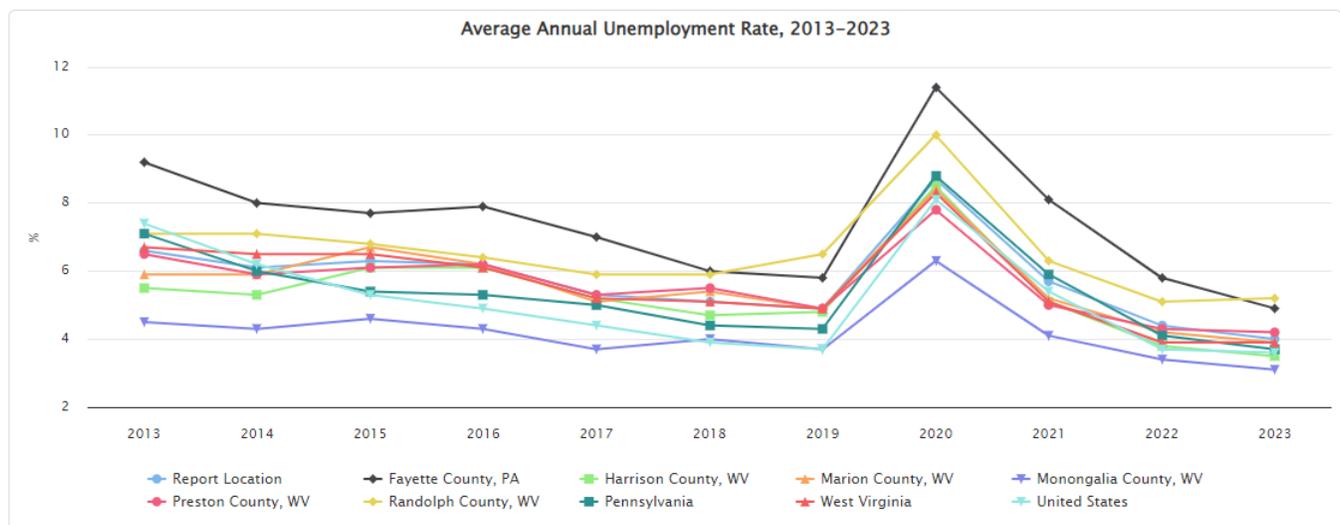
Total unemployment in the report area for the current month equals 8,153, or 4.2% of the civilian non-institutionalized population age 16 and older (non-seasonally adjusted). This indicator is relevant because unemployment creates financial instability and barriers to access including insurance coverage, health services, healthy food, and other necessities that contribute to poor health status.

Unemployment Rate:%



Report Area	Labor Force	Number Employed	Number Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>193,013</b>	<b>184,860</b>	<b>8,153</b>	<b>4.2%</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,146	51,173	2,973	5.5%
Harrison County, WV	31,688	30,584	1,104	3.5%
Marion County, WV	26,069	24,998	1,071	4.1%
Monongalia County, WV	56,656	54,688	1,968	3.5%
Preston County, WV	14,048	13,523	525	3.7%
Randolph County, WV	10,406	9,894	512	4.9%
Pennsylvania	6,541,348	6,257,831	283,517	4.3%
West Virginia	791,723	759,507	32,216	4.1%
United States	172,586,934	165,056,457	7,530,478	4.4%

Data Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. 2025 June.



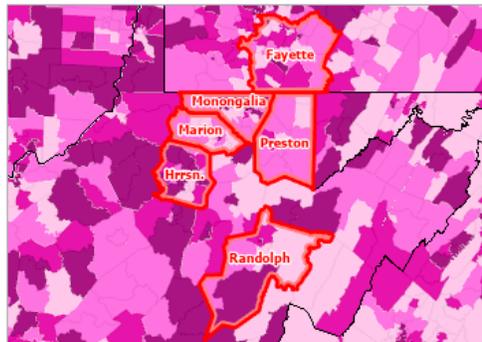
### Income-Inequality (GINI Index)

This indicator reports income inequality using the Gini coefficient. Gini index values range between zero and one. A value of one indicates perfect inequality where only one household has any income. A value of zero indicates perfect equality, where all households have equal income.

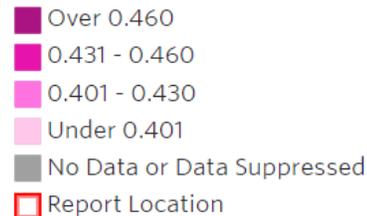
Report Area	Total Households	Gini Index Value
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>171,490</b>	<b>No data</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,962	0.4577
Harrison County, WV	26,020	0.4537
Marion County, WV	22,965	0.4094
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	0.5112
Preston County, WV	12,797	0.4105

Randolph County, WV	10,385	0.4457
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	0.4737
West Virginia	721,448	0.4697
United States	127,482,865	0.4827

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.



Income Inequality (GINI), Index Value by Tract, ACS 2019-23



### Income-Median Household Income

This indicator reports median household income based on the latest 5-year American Community Survey estimates. This includes the income of the householder and all other individuals 15 years old and over in the household, whether they are related to the householder or not. Because many households consist of only one person, average household income is usually less than average family income.

Report Area	Total Households	Average Household Income	Median Household Income
Report Location	171,490	\$81,088	No data
Fayette County, PA	54,962	\$74,329.95	<b>\$56,093</b>
Harrison County, WV	26,020	\$81,095.88	\$58,326
Marion County, WV	22,965	\$80,747.71	\$67,537
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	\$94,045.17	\$62,704
Preston County, WV	12,797	\$74,938.85	\$61,373
Randolph County, WV	10,385	\$69,817.45	<b>\$55,057</b>
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	\$104,924.81	\$76,081
West Virginia	721,448	\$78,798.66	\$57,917
United States	127,482,865	\$110,490.58	\$78,538

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

### Households by Household Income Levels, Percent

Report Area	Under \$25,000	\$25,000-\$49,999	\$50,000-\$99,999	\$100,000-\$199,999	\$200,000+
Report Location	21.27%	21.37%	29.03%	22.36%	5.96%
Fayette County, PA	23.31%	21.90%	29.41%	21.26%	4.12%
Harrison County, WV	19.65%	22.85%	29.86%	21.79%	5.85%
Marion County, WV	17.12%	19.93%	34.08%	23.74%	5.13%
Monongalia County, WV	21.77%	20.43%	24.37%	23.65%	9.78%
Preston County, WV	18.79%	21.97%	32.30%	23.40%	3.53%
Randolph County, WV	24.59%	21.31%	29.74%	19.80%	4.55%
Pennsylvania	15.44%	17.86%	28.98%	26.60%	11.13%
West Virginia	21.97%	22.10%	29.88%	20.62%	5.43%
United States	15.00%	17.28%	28.46%	26.70%	12.56%

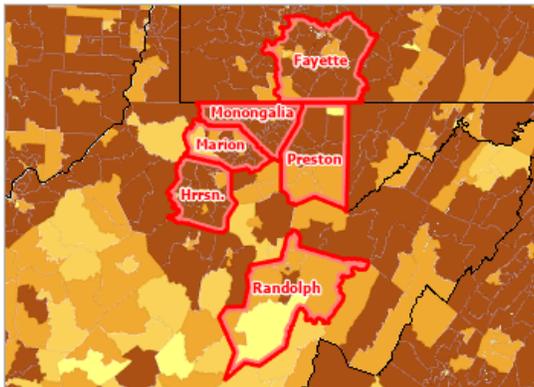
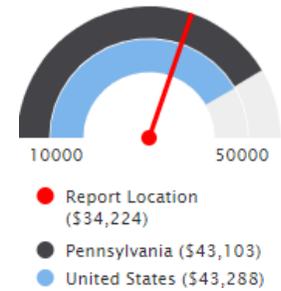
## Income-Per Capita Income

The per capita income for the report area is \$34,224. This includes all reported income from wages and salaries as well as income from self-employment, interest or dividends, public assistance, retirement, and other sources. The per capita income in this report area is the average (mean) income computed for every man, woman, and child in the specified area.

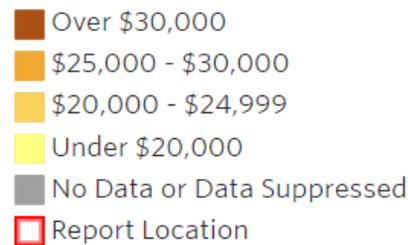
Report Area	Total Population	Total Income (\$)	Per Capita Income (\$)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>416,922</b>	<b>\$14,268,935,900</b>	<b>\$34,224</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,967	\$4,098,242,800	\$32,278
Harrison County, WV	65,407	\$2,227,350,600	\$34,053
Marion County, WV	56,042	\$1,889,708,100	\$33,719
Monongalia County, WV	106,520	\$4,288,287,600	\$40,258
Preston County, WV	34,204	\$979,769,000	\$28,644
Randolph County, WV	27,782	\$785,577,800	\$28,276
Pennsylvania	12,986,518	\$559,769,472,700	\$43,103
West Virginia	1,784,462	\$58,796,648,900	\$32,949
United States	332,387,540	\$14,388,718,351,400	\$43,288

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

Per Capita Income (\$)



Per Capita Income by Tract, ACS 2019-23



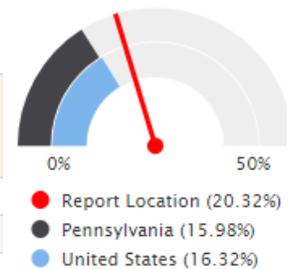
## Poverty-Children Below 100% FPL

In the report area 20.32% or 15,445 children aged 0-17 are living in households with income below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). This indicator is relevant because poverty creates barriers to access including health services, healthy food, and other necessities that contribute to poor health status.

Report Area	Total Population	Population Under Age 18	Population Under Age 18 in Poverty	Percent Population Under Age 18 in Poverty
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>397,287</b>	<b>76,004</b>	<b>15,445</b>	<b>20.32%</b>
Fayette County, PA	122,714	23,496	5,702	24.27%
Harrison County, WV	64,193	13,686	2,416	17.65%
Marion County, WV	54,629	10,978	2,240	20.40%
Monongalia County, WV	100,158	16,999	3,117	18.34%
Preston County, WV	30,282	5,871	1,063	18.11%
Randolph County, WV	25,311	4,974	907	18.23%
Pennsylvania	12,575,248	2,630,867	420,291	15.98%
West Virginia	1,728,580	350,880	75,132	21.41%
United States	324,567,147	72,472,636	11,829,878	16.32%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

Population < Age 18 in Poverty, Percent

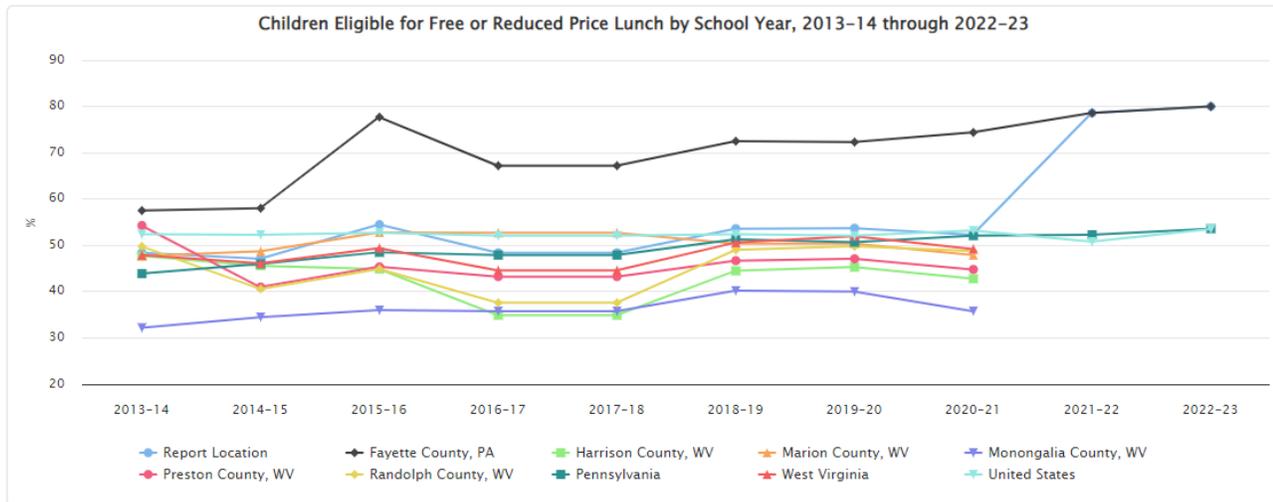


### Children Eligible for Free/Reduced Price Lunch

This indicator reports the percentage of public school students eligible for free or reduced price lunches. This indicator is relevant because it assesses vulnerable populations which are more likely to have multiple health access, health status, and social support needs. Additionally, when combined with poverty data, providers can use this measure to identify gaps in eligibility and enrollment.

Report Area	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>47.1%</b>	<b>54.5%</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>48.4%</b>	<b>53.6%</b>	<b>53.7%</b>	<b>52.3%</b>	<b>78.6%</b>	<b>80.0%</b>
Fayette County, PA	57.5%	58.0%	77.7%	67.2%	67.2%	72.5%	72.3%	74.4%	78.6%	80.0%
Harrison County, WV	47.7%	45.6%	44.9%	34.9%	34.9%	44.5%	45.3%	42.8%	No data	No data
Marion County, WV	47.7%	48.7%	52.8%	52.7%	52.7%	50.4%	50.4%	47.9%	No data	No data
Monongalia County, WV	32.2%	34.5%	36.0%	35.8%	35.8%	40.2%	40.0%	35.8%	No data	No data
Preston County, WV	54.3%	41.0%	45.4%	43.2%	43.2%	46.7%	47.1%	44.8%	No data	No data
Randolph County, WV	49.8%	40.6%	44.9%	37.6%	37.6%	49.0%	49.8%	48.8%	No data	No data
Pennsylvania	43.9%	46.0%	48.5%	47.9%	47.9%	51.3%	50.7%	52.1%	52.3%	53.6%
West Virginia	47.9%	46.1%	49.4%	44.6%	44.6%	50.6%	52.0%	49.2%	No data	No data
United States	52.4%	52.3%	52.7%	52.1%	52.1%	52.4%	52.1%	53.2%	50.8%	53.5%

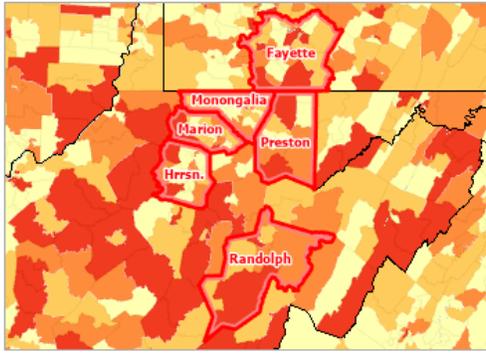
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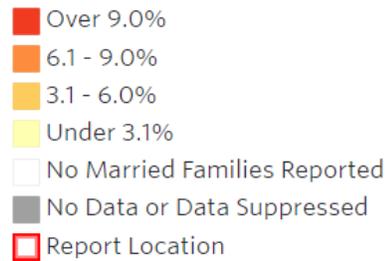
### Poverty-Households in Poverty by Family Type

Report Area	Total Households	Households in Poverty	Non-Family Households in Poverty – Including Persons Living Alone	Married Couples in Poverty	Male Head of Household in Poverty	Female Head of Household in Poverty
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>102,474</b>	<b>28,803</b>	<b>17,966</b>	<b>4,298</b>	<b>1,508</b>	<b>5,031</b>
Fayette County, PA	33,426	9,945	5,817	1,587	448	2,093
Harrison County, WV	15,638	3,560	2,216	553	203	588
Marion County, WV	14,927	2,931	1,554	645	244	488
Monongalia County, WV	23,315	8,486	6,015	751	502	1,218
Preston County, WV	8,647	1,952	1,125	407	50	370
Randolph County, WV	6,521	1,929	1,239	355	61	274
Pennsylvania	3,286,621	628,209	363,347	86,449	29,701	148,712
West Virginia	452,362	123,112	69,346	22,091	6,987	24,688
United States	82,220,165	15,880,048	8,703,115	2,690,196	793,587	3,693,150

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.



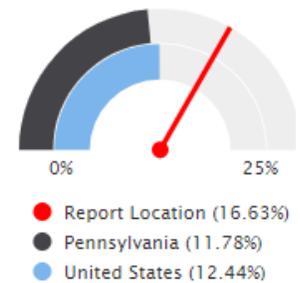
Married Family Households Living Below the Poverty Level, Percent by Tract, ACS 2019-23



**Poverty-Population Below 100% FPL**

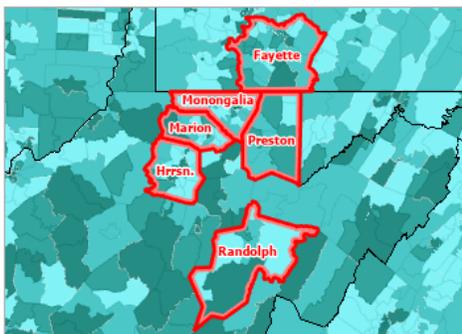
Poverty is considered a key driver of health status. Within the report area 16.63% or 66,080 individuals for whom poverty status is determined are living in households with income below the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). This indicator is relevant because poverty creates barriers to access including health services, healthy food, and other necessities that contribute to poor health status.

Population in Poverty, Perce

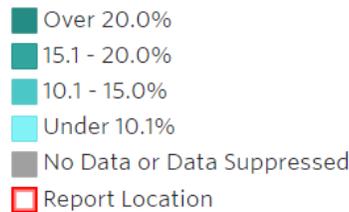


Report Area	Total Population	Population in Poverty	Population in Poverty, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>397,287</b>	<b>66,080</b>	<b>16.63%</b>
Fayette County, PA	122,714	21,411	17.45%
Harrison County, WV	64,193	8,708	13.57%
Marion County, WV	54,629	7,414	13.57%
Monongalia County, WV	100,158	20,538	20.51%
Preston County, WV	30,282	4,284	14.15%
Randolph County, WV	25,311	3,725	14.72%
Pennsylvania	12,575,248	1,480,981	11.78%
West Virginia	1,728,580	287,660	16.64%
United States	324,567,147	40,390,045	12.44%

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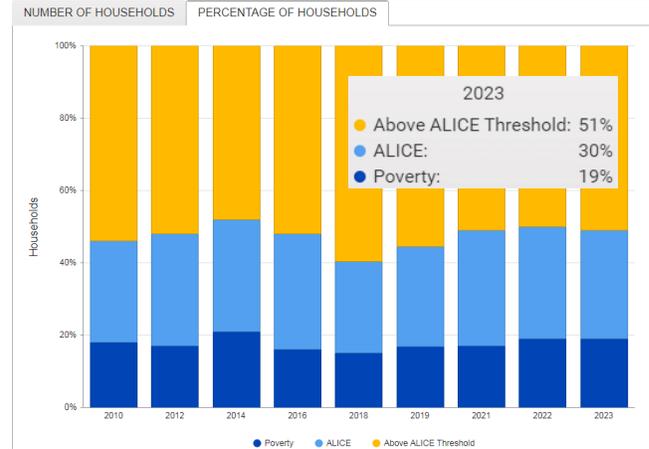
Population Below the Poverty Level, Percent by Tract, ACS 2019-23



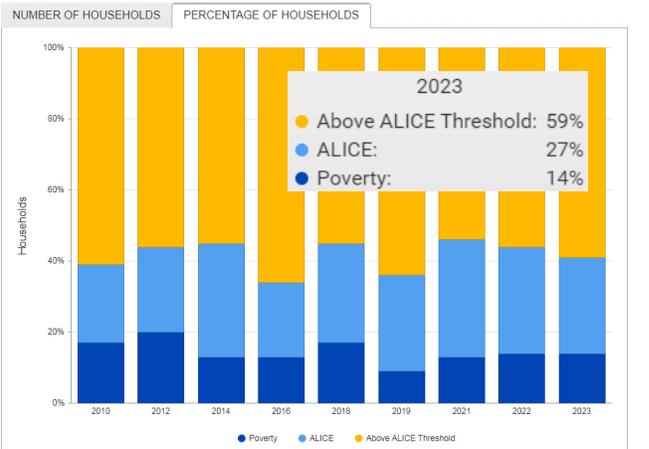
**ALICE HOUSEHOLDS** are Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed — earning more than the Federal Poverty Level, but not enough to afford the basics where they live. ALICE households and households in poverty are forced to make tough choices, such as deciding between quality child care or paying the rent — choices that have long-term consequences not only for their families, but for all. Between ALICE households and those living in poverty, an estimated 40% of households in Pennsylvania and 46% of households in West Virginia were below the ALICE Threshold in 2023.

% Below ALICE Threshold						
Household Type	Fayette, PA	Harrison, WV	Marion, WV	Monongalia, WV	Preston, WV	Randolph, WV
Single or Cohabiting (no children)	47%	40%	35%	49%	47%	46%
Married (no children)	19%	18%	17%	11%	22%	37%
Single-Female-Headed (with children)	83%	68%	75%	67%	96%	76%
Single-Male-Headed (with children)	42%	50%	57%	36%	53%	76%
Age of Householder	Fayette, PA	Harrison, WV	Marion, WV	Monongalia, WV	Preston, WV	Randolph, WV
Under 25	39%	51%	49%	83%	66%	77%
25 to 44 Years	43%	30%	32%	36%	39%	53%
45-64 Years	44%	42%	32%	29%	45%	41%
65 Years and Over	59%	48%	53%	48%	54%	56%

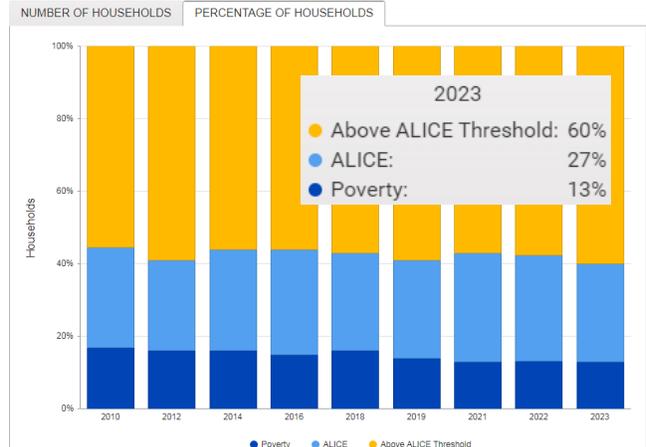
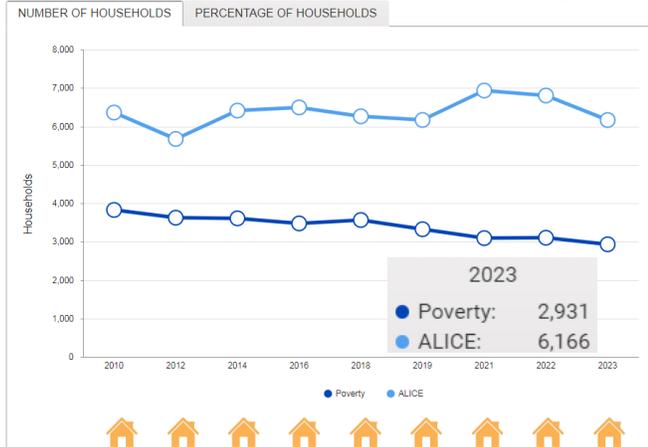
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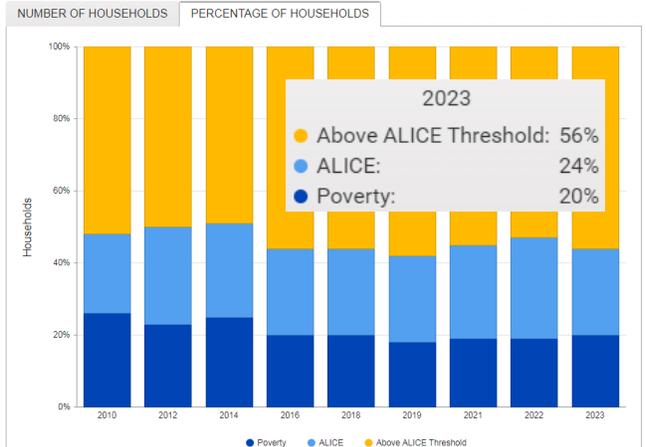
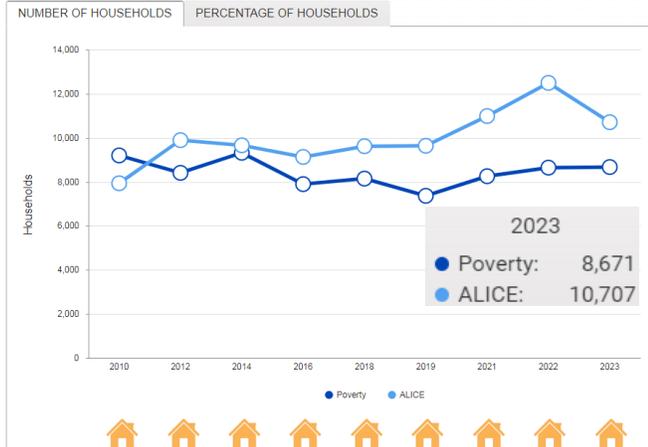
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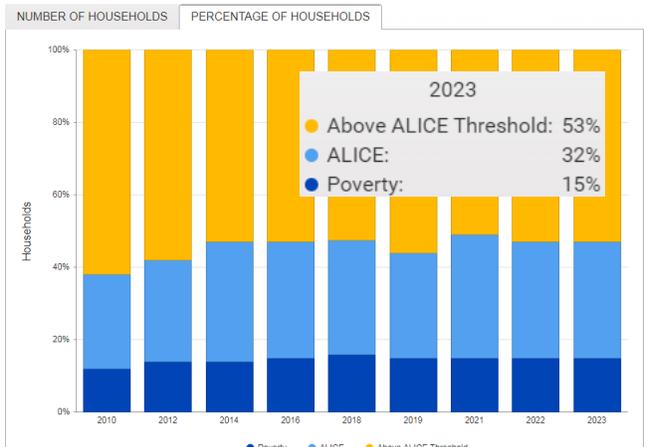
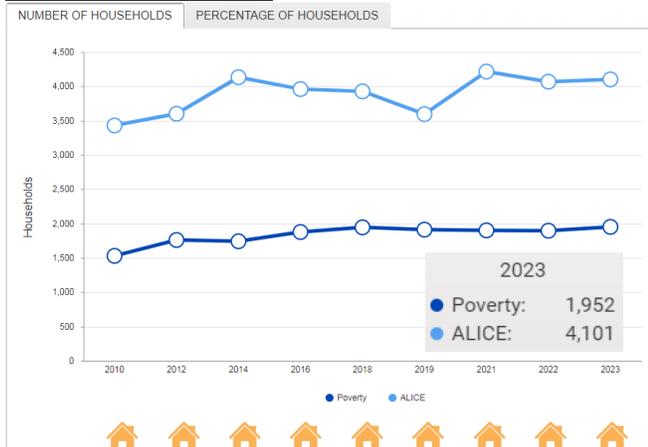
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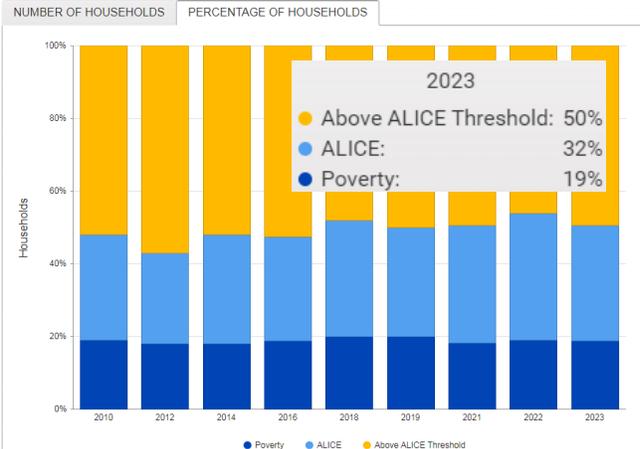
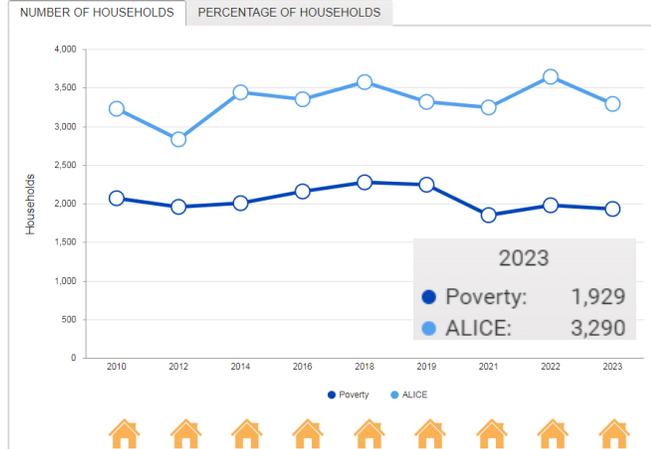
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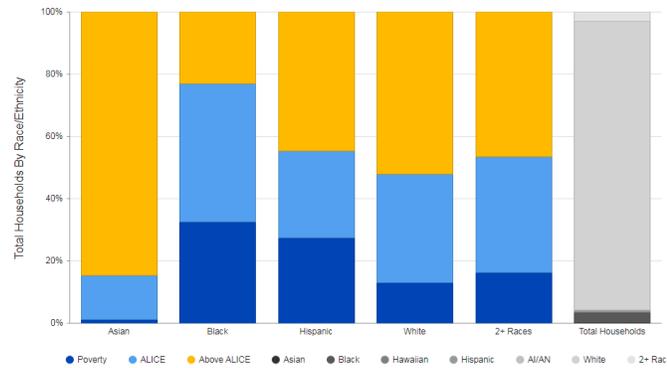
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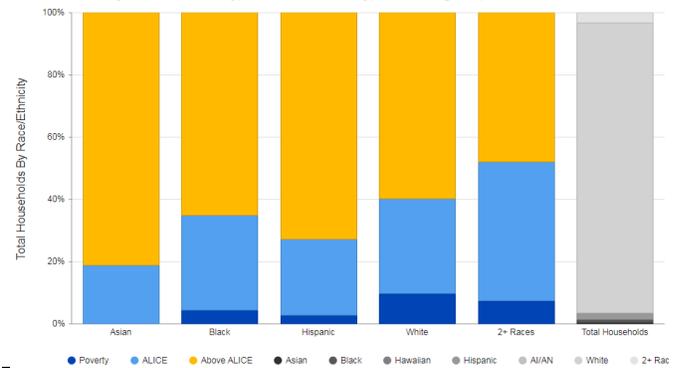
## Financial Hardship is Not Equally Distributed

By total number, groups with the largest population of households below the ALICE Threshold tend to also be in the largest demographic groups. However, when looking at the proportion of each group that is below the ALICE Threshold, it is clear that some groups are more likely to be ALICE than others.

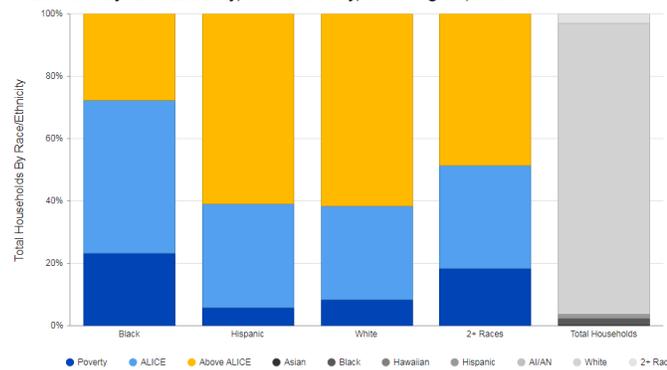
Households by Race/Ethnicity, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, 2023



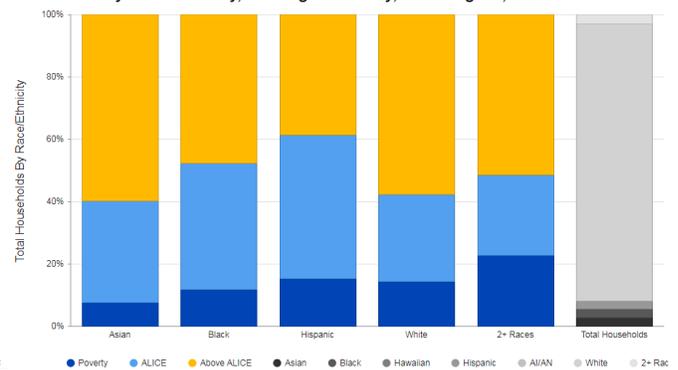
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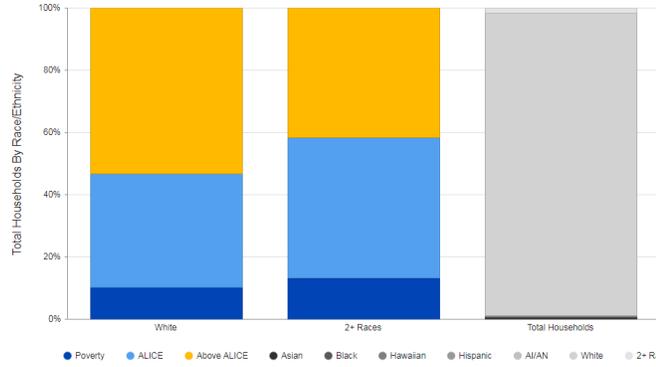
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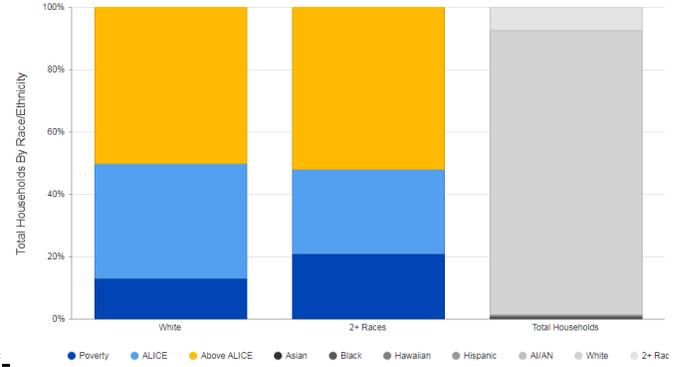
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Households by Race/Ethnicity, Preston County, West Virginia, 2023



Households by Race/Ethnicity, Randolph County, West Virginia, 2023



**The Cost of Basics Outpaces Wages**

The Household Survival Budget reflects the minimum cost to live and work in the current economy and includes housing, child care, food, transportation, health care, technology, and taxes. It does not include savings for emergencies or future goals like college or retirement. In 2023, household costs in every county in West Virginia and Pennsylvania were well above the Federal Poverty Level of \$14,580 for a single adult and \$30,000 for a family of four.

Household Survival Budget, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, 2023								
Monthly Costs	Single Adult	One Adult, One Child	One Adult, One In Child Care	Two Adults	Two Adults Two Children	Two Adults, Two In Child Care	Single Adult 65+	Two Adults 65+
Housing	\$948	\$994	\$994	\$994	\$1,199	\$1,199	\$948	\$994
Child Care	\$0	\$314	\$838	\$0	\$629	\$1,750	\$0	\$0
Food	\$453	\$766	\$688	\$830	\$1,393	\$1,229	\$417	\$764
Transportation	\$397	\$520	\$520	\$616	\$944	\$944	\$332	\$488
Health Care	\$172	\$393	\$393	\$393	\$660	\$660	\$529	\$1,058
Technology	\$86	\$86	\$86	\$116	\$116	\$116	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$206	\$307	\$352	\$295	\$494	\$590	\$231	\$342
Taxes	\$357	\$317	\$428	\$441	\$488	\$727	\$421	\$698
Monthly Total	\$2,619	\$3,697	\$4,299	\$3,685	\$5,923	\$7,215	\$2,964	\$4,460
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$31,428	\$44,364	\$51,588	\$44,220	\$71,076	\$86,580	\$35,568	\$53,520
Hourly Wage	\$15.71	\$22.18	\$25.79	\$22.11	\$35.54	\$43.29	\$17.78	\$26.76

### Household Survival Budget, Harrison County, West Virginia, 2023

Monthly Costs	Single Adult	One Adult, One Child	One Adult, One In Child Care	Two Adults	Two Adults Two Children	Two Adults, Two In Child Care	Single Adult 65+	Two Adults 65+
Housing	\$735	\$739	\$739	\$739	\$892	\$892	\$735	\$739
Child Care	\$0	\$236	\$628	\$0	\$471	\$1,322	\$0	\$0
Food	\$418	\$706	\$634	\$766	\$1,284	\$1,134	\$384	\$704
Transportation	\$414	\$549	\$549	\$654	\$942	\$942	\$344	\$514
Health Care	\$187	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$666	\$666	\$538	\$1,076
Technology	\$86	\$86	\$86	\$116	\$116	\$116	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$184	\$272	\$304	\$268	\$437	\$507	\$209	\$315
Taxes	\$294	\$219	\$297	\$366	\$345	\$527	\$355	\$626
Monthly Total	\$2,318	\$3,207	\$3,637	\$3,309	\$5,153	\$6,106	\$2,651	\$4,090
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$27,816	\$38,484	\$43,644	\$39,708	\$61,836	\$73,272	\$31,812	\$49,080
Hourly Wage	\$13.91	\$19.24	\$21.82	\$19.85	\$30.92	\$36.64	\$15.91	\$24.54

### Household Survival Budget, Marion County, West Virginia, 2023

Monthly Costs	Single Adult	One Adult, One Child	One Adult, One In Child Care	Two Adults	Two Adults Two Children	Two Adults, Two In Child Care	Single Adult 65+	Two Adults 65+
Housing	\$789	\$793	\$793	\$793	\$992	\$992	\$789	\$793
Child Care	\$0	\$236	\$628	\$0	\$471	\$1,322	\$0	\$0
Food	\$453	\$766	\$688	\$830	\$1,393	\$1,229	\$417	\$764
Transportation	\$414	\$549	\$549	\$654	\$942	\$942	\$344	\$514
Health Care	\$187	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$666	\$666	\$578	\$1,157
Technology	\$86	\$86	\$86	\$116	\$116	\$116	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$193	\$283	\$314	\$279	\$458	\$527	\$221	\$334
Taxes	\$315	\$247	\$324	\$394	\$401	\$580	\$387	\$678
Monthly Total	\$2,437	\$3,360	\$3,782	\$3,466	\$5,439	\$6,374	\$2,822	\$4,356
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$29,244	\$40,320	\$45,384	\$41,592	\$65,268	\$76,488	\$33,864	\$52,272
Hourly Wage	\$14.62	\$20.16	\$22.69	\$20.80	\$32.63	\$38.24	\$16.93	\$26.14

### Household Survival Budget, Monongalia County, West Virginia, 2023

Monthly Costs	Single Adult	One Adult, One Child	One Adult, One In Child Care	Two Adults	Two Adults Two Children	Two Adults, Two In Child Care	Single Adult 65+	Two Adults 65+
Housing	\$868	\$874	\$874	\$874	\$1,082	\$1,082	\$868	\$874
Child Care	\$0	\$236	\$628	\$0	\$471	\$1,322	\$0	\$0
Food	\$462	\$781	\$701	\$846	\$1,420	\$1,253	\$425	\$779
Transportation	\$414	\$549	\$549	\$654	\$942	\$942	\$344	\$514
Health Care	\$187	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$666	\$666	\$552	\$1,104
Technology	\$86	\$86	\$86	\$116	\$116	\$116	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$202	\$293	\$324	\$289	\$470	\$538	\$228	\$339
Taxes	\$337	\$271	\$348	\$416	\$432	\$611	\$403	\$689
Monthly Total	\$2,556	\$3,490	\$3,910	\$3,595	\$5,599	\$6,530	\$2,906	\$4,415
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$30,672	\$41,880	\$46,920	\$43,140	\$67,188	\$78,360	\$34,872	\$52,980
Hourly Wage	\$15.34	\$20.94	\$23.46	\$21.57	\$33.59	\$39.18	\$17.44	\$26.49

### Household Survival Budget, Preston County, West Virginia, 2023

Monthly Costs	Single Adult	One Adult, One Child	One Adult, One In Child Care	Two Adults	Two Adults Two Children	Two Adults, Two In Child Care	Single Adult 65+	Two Adults 65+
Housing	\$859	\$865	\$865	\$865	\$1,082	\$1,082	\$859	\$865
Child Care	\$0	\$236	\$628	\$0	\$471	\$1,322	\$0	\$0
Food	\$426	\$721	\$647	\$782	\$1,311	\$1,158	\$392	\$719
Transportation	\$414	\$549	\$549	\$654	\$942	\$942	\$344	\$514
Health Care	\$187	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$666	\$666	\$534	\$1,068
Technology	\$86	\$86	\$86	\$116	\$116	\$116	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$197	\$286	\$318	\$282	\$459	\$529	\$222	\$328
Taxes	\$326	\$254	\$332	\$399	\$403	\$585	\$388	\$661
Monthly Total	\$2,495	\$3,397	\$3,825	\$3,498	\$5,450	\$6,400	\$2,825	\$4,271
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$29,940	\$40,764	\$45,900	\$41,976	\$65,400	\$76,800	\$33,900	\$51,252
Hourly Wage	\$14.97	\$20.38	\$22.95	\$20.99	\$32.70	\$38.40	\$16.95	\$25.63

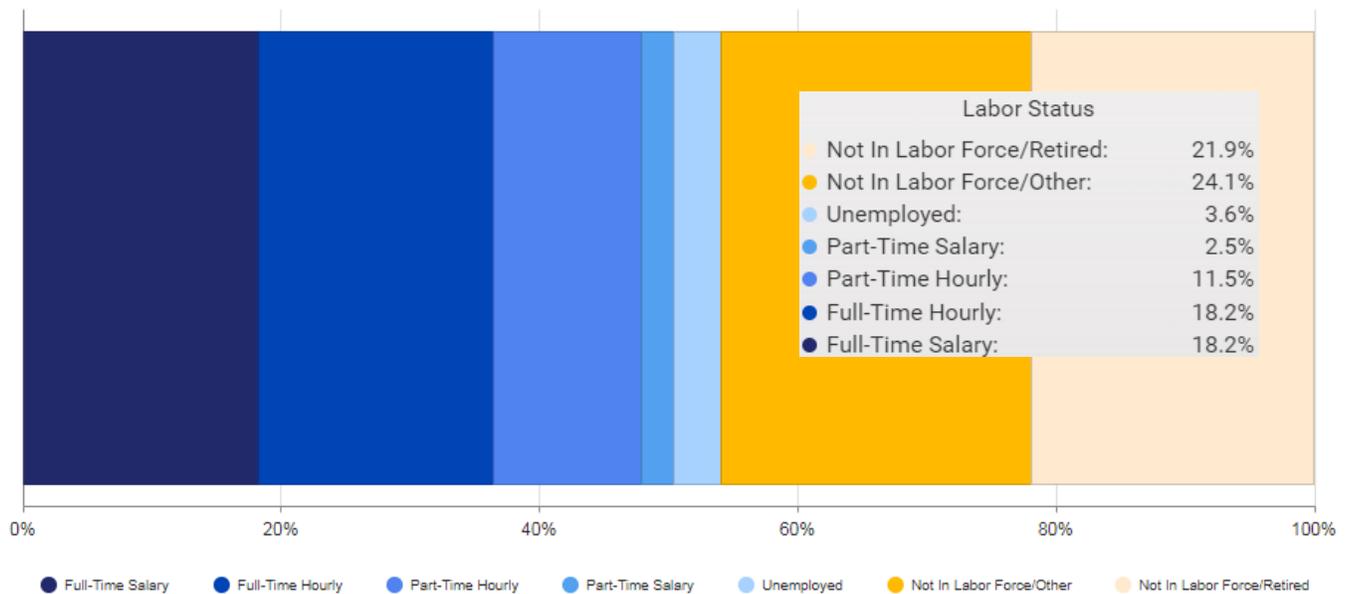
## Household Survival Budget, Randolph County, West Virginia, 2023

Monthly Costs	Single Adult	One Adult, One Child	One Adult, One In Child Care	Two Adults	Two Adults Two Children	Two Adults, Two In Child Care	Single Adult 65+	Two Adults 65+
Housing	\$598	\$646	\$646	\$646	\$821	\$821	\$598	\$646
Child Care	\$0	\$236	\$628	\$0	\$471	\$1,322	\$0	\$0
Food	\$432	\$731	\$656	\$793	\$1,330	\$1,174	\$398	\$729
Transportation	\$414	\$549	\$549	\$654	\$942	\$942	\$344	\$514
Health Care	\$187	\$400	\$400	\$400	\$666	\$666	\$526	\$1,053
Technology	\$86	\$86	\$86	\$116	\$116	\$116	\$86	\$116
Miscellaneous	\$172	\$265	\$297	\$261	\$435	\$504	\$195	\$306
Taxes	\$266	\$203	\$279	\$351	\$338	\$519	\$321	\$602
Monthly Total	\$2,155	\$3,116	\$3,541	\$3,221	\$5,119	\$6,064	\$2,468	\$3,966
ANNUAL TOTAL	\$25,860	\$37,392	\$42,492	\$38,652	\$61,428	\$72,768	\$29,616	\$47,592
Hourly Wage	\$12.93	\$18.70	\$21.25	\$19.33	\$30.71	\$36.38	\$14.81	\$23.80

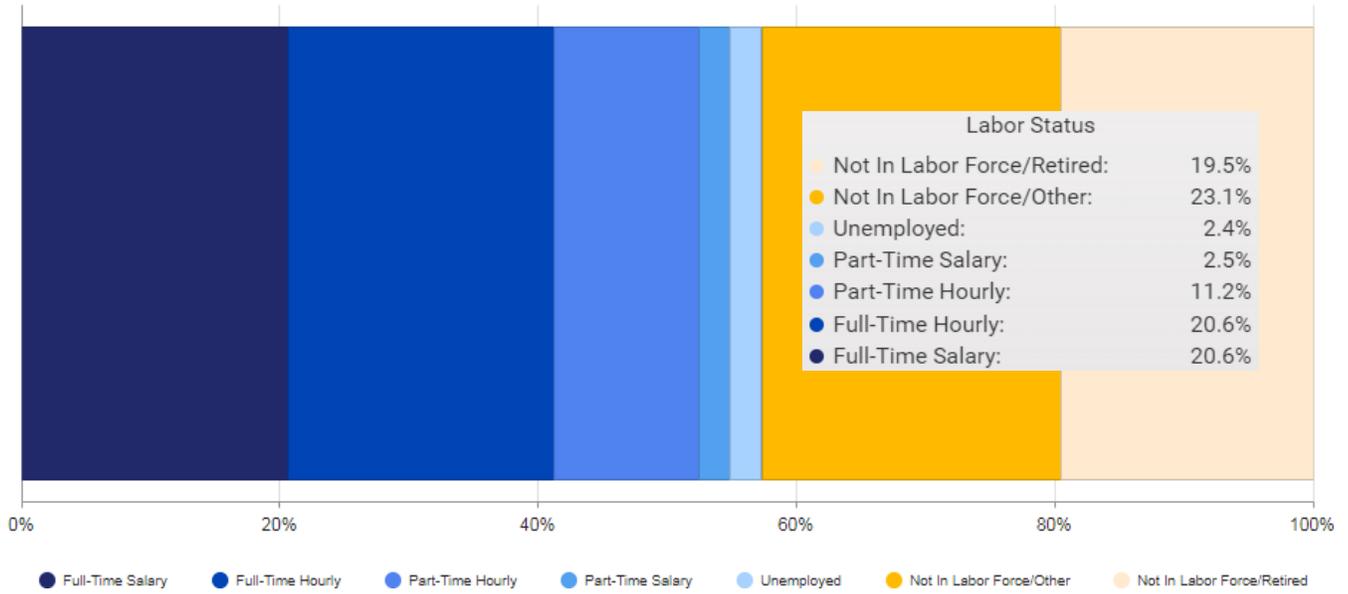
### The Labor Landscape is Challenging for ALICE Workers

A small portion of adults (16 years and older) in **Fayette County, PA** were unemployed and a large number were working in 2023. However, a substantial portion of both full- and part-time workers are paid by the hour; these workers are more likely to have fluctuations in income and less likely to receive benefits.

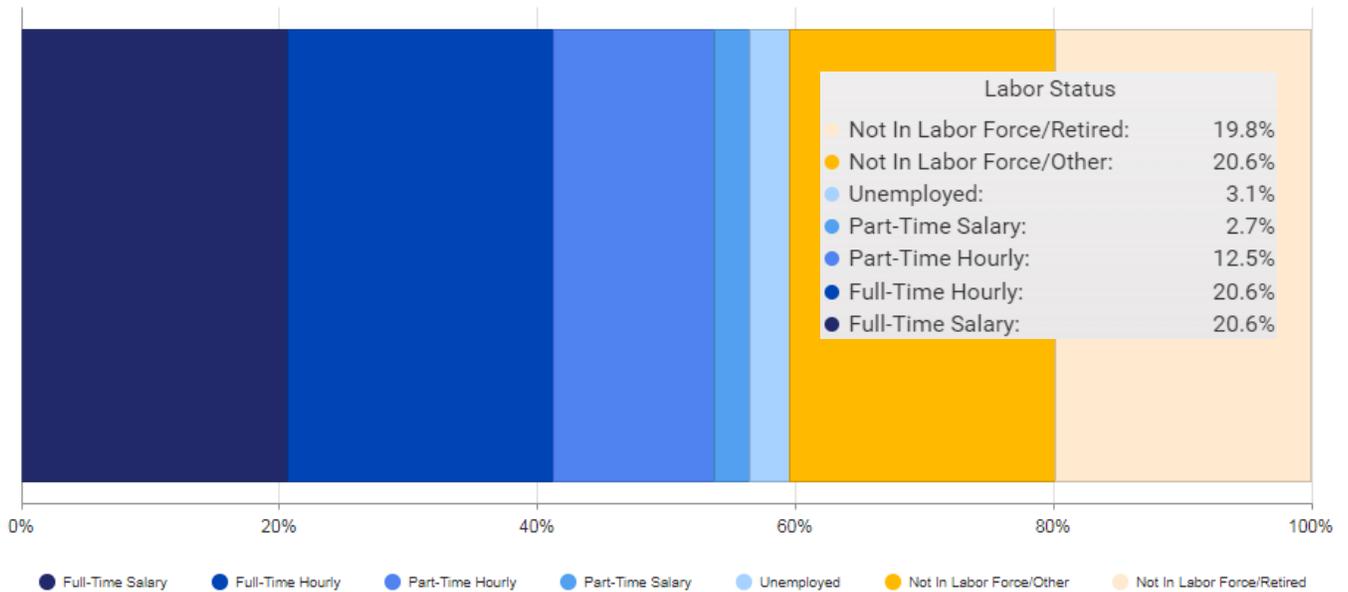
### Labor Status, Population 16 and Over, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, 2023



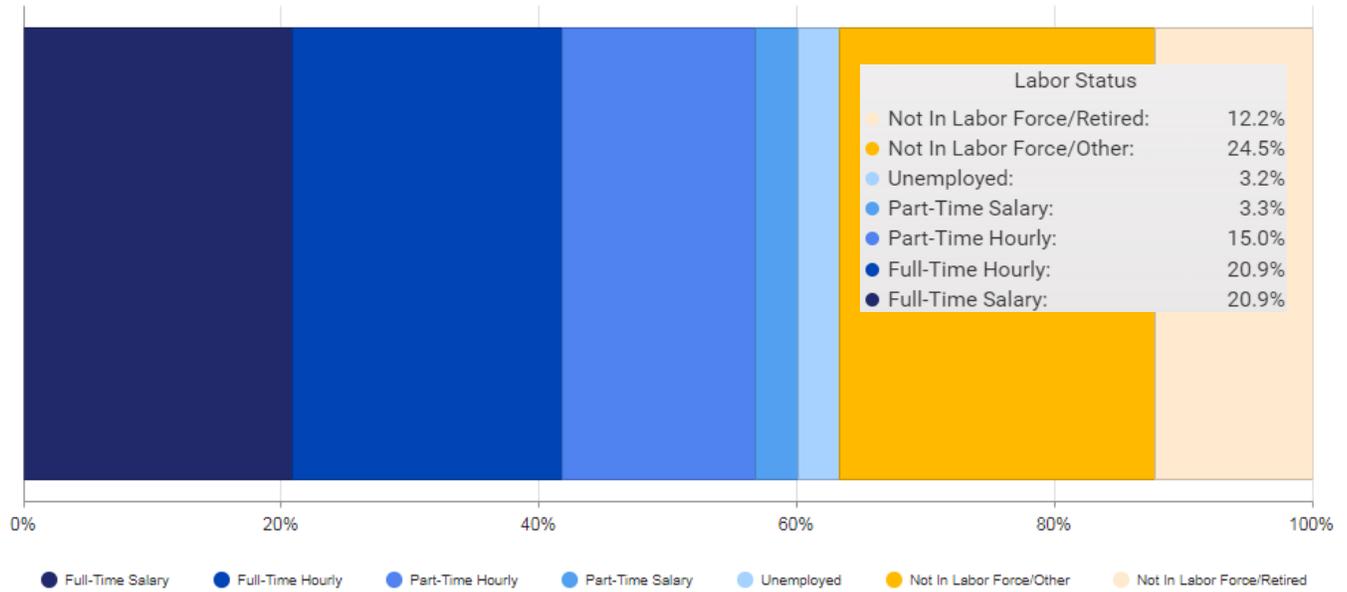
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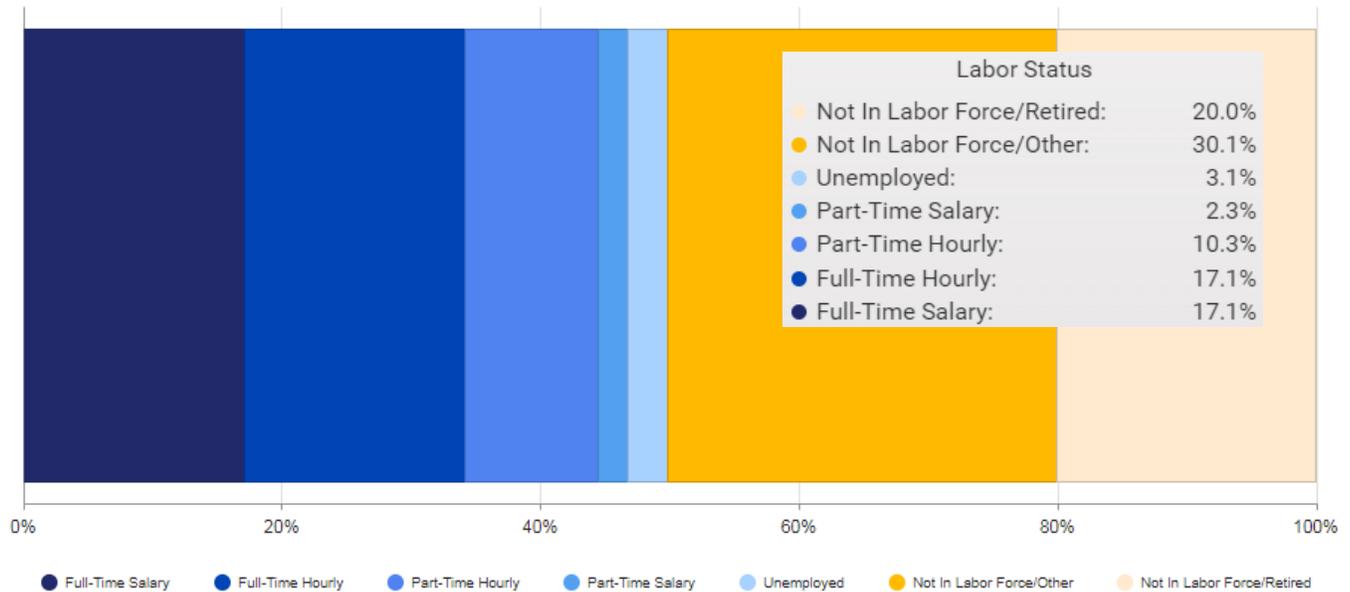
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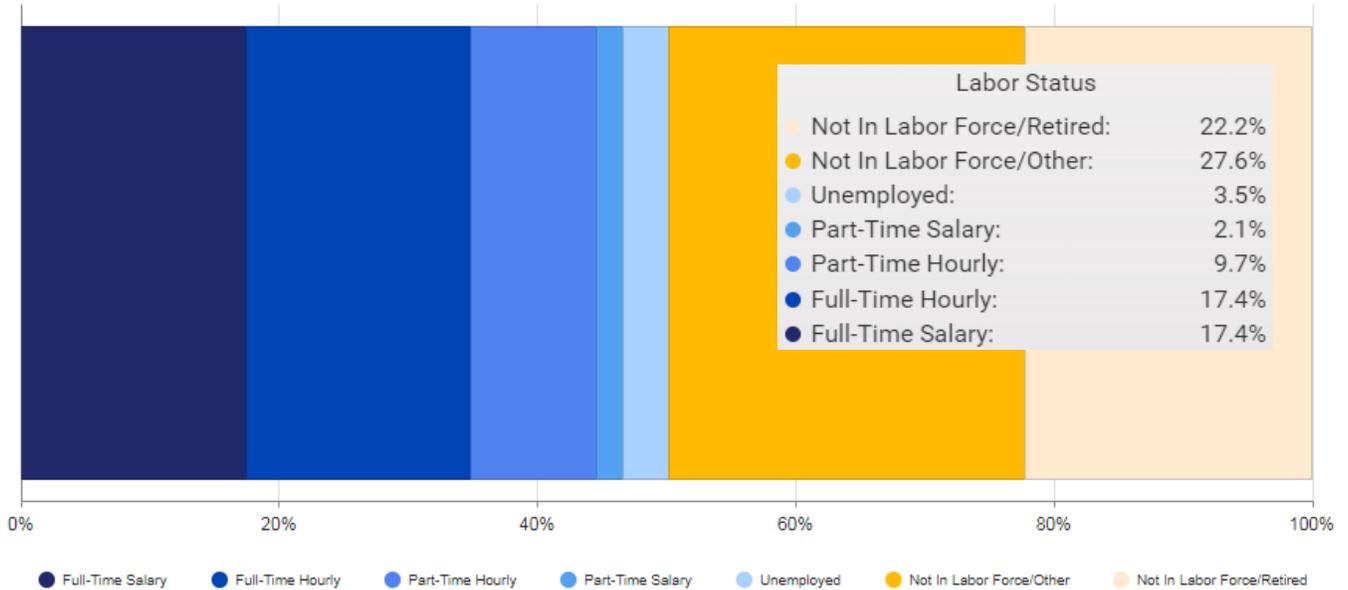
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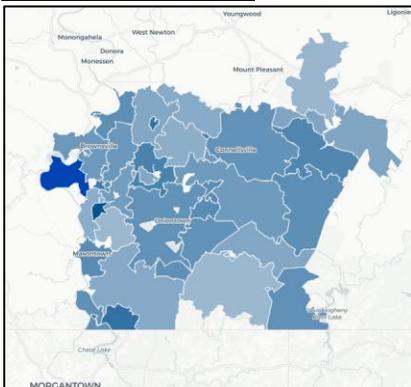
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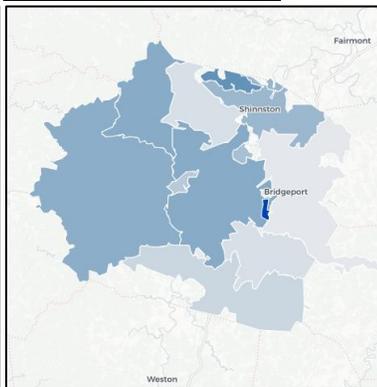
### Financial Hardship Varies by Location in Fayette County

There is substantial variation in the number of households who live below the ALICE Threshold within the county. Explore the map and table below to learn more. The map is shaded to show the percentage of households that are below the ALICE Threshold (poverty-level and ALICE households combined). The darker the blue, the higher the percentage.

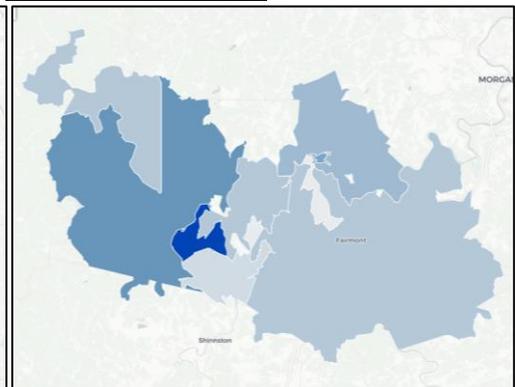
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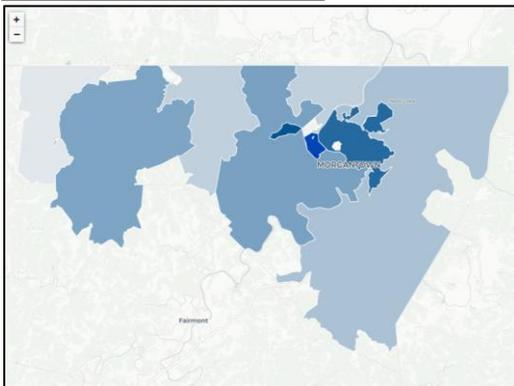
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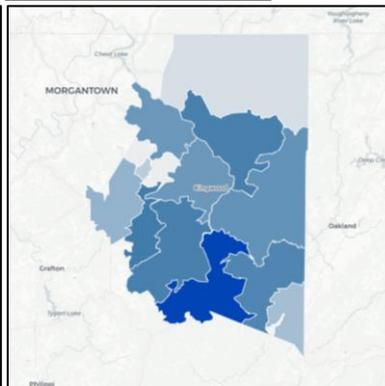
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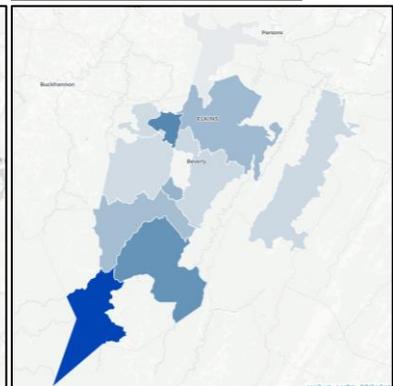
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#### Randolph County, WV



## Education

This category contains indicators that describe the education system and the educational outcomes of report area populations. Education metrics can be used to describe variation in population access, proficiency, and attainment throughout the education system, from access to pre-kindergarten through advanced degree attainment. These indicators are important because education is closely tied to health outcomes and economic opportunity.

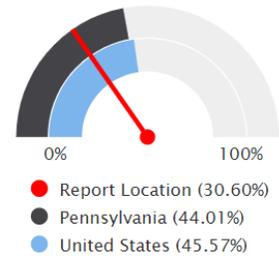
### Access – Preschool Enrollment (Age 3-4)

This indicator reports the percentage of the population age 3-4 that is enrolled in school. This indicator helps identify places where preschool opportunities are either abundant or lacking in the educational system.

Report Area	Population Age 3-4	Population Age 3-4 Enrolled in School	Population Age 3-4 Enrolled in School, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>8,270</b>	<b>2,531</b>	<b>30.60%</b>
Fayette County, PA	2,485	882	35.49%
Harrison County, WV	1,474	360	24.42%
Marion County, WV	1,258	292	23.21%
Monongalia County, WV	2,060	819	39.76%
Preston County, WV	492	49	9.96%
Randolph County, WV	501	129	25.75%
Pennsylvania	283,880	124,942	44.01%
West Virginia	34,965	10,197	29.16%
United States	7,932,435	3,615,142	45.57%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, *American Community Survey*, 2019-23.

Percentage of Population Age 3-4 Enrolled in School



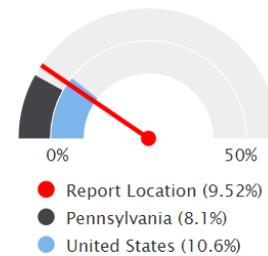
### Attainment-Overview

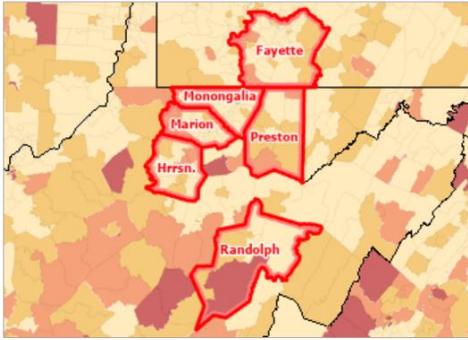
Educational Attainment shows the distribution of the highest level of education achieved in the report area, and helps schools and businesses to understand the needs of adults, whether it be workforce training or the ability to develop science, technology, engineering, and mathematics opportunities. Educational attainment is calculated for persons over 25 years old, and is an estimated average for the period from 2019 to 2023. For the selected area, 15.58% have at least a college bachelor's degree, while 39.74% stopped their formal educational attainment after high school.

Report Area	No High School Diploma	High School Only	Some College	Associates Degree	Bachelor's Degree	Graduate or Professional Degree
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>9.52%</b>	<b>39.74%</b>	<b>15.63%</b>	<b>7.66%</b>	<b>15.58%</b>	<b>11.86%</b>
Fayette County, PA	10.0%	47.5%	14.1%	9.4%	12.3%	6.6%
Harrison County, WV	11.2%	38.0%	17.7%	7.2%	15.8%	10.1%
Marion County, WV	7.8%	38.5%	18.8%	9.1%	16.3%	9.5%
Monongalia County, WV	6.0%	25.4%	14.2%	6.5%	21.9%	26.1%
Preston County, WV	14.2%	45.7%	16.9%	5.4%	11.7%	6.2%
Randolph County, WV	12.2%	49.2%	14.9%	4.7%	13.1%	5.9%
Pennsylvania	8.1%	33.2%	15.4%	8.9%	20.6%	13.9%
West Virginia	11.4%	39.5%	17.6%	8.2%	13.9%	9.4%
United States	10.6%	26.2%	19.4%	8.8%	21.3%	13.7%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, *American Community Survey*, 2019-23.

Percent Population with No High School Diploma



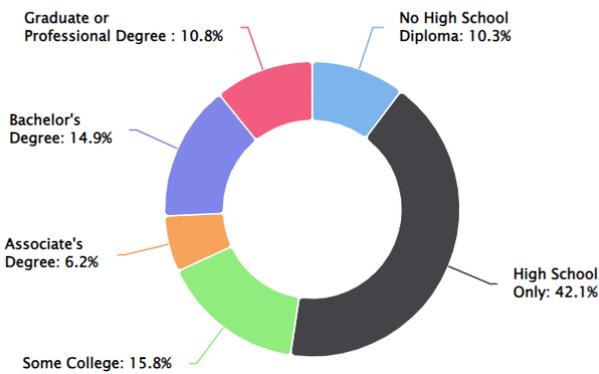


Population with No High School Diploma (Age 25+), Percent by Tract, ACS 2019-23



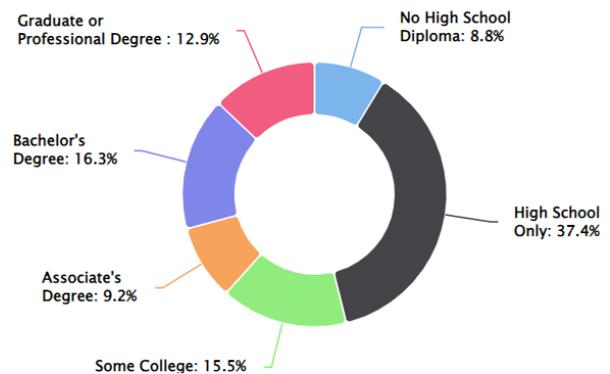
Educational Attainment by Gender – Male

Report Location



Educational Attainment by Gender – Female

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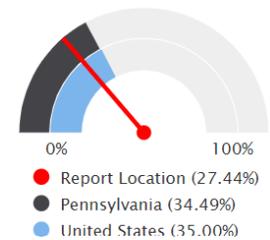
**Attainment - Bachelor's Degree or Higher**

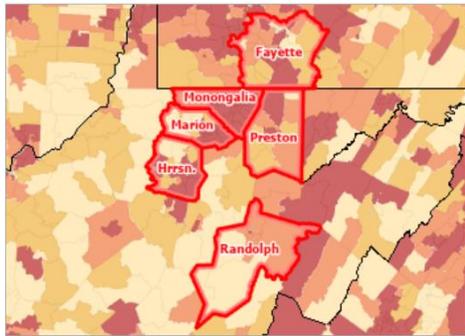
27.44% of the population aged 25 and older, or 79,893 have obtained a Bachelor's level degree or higher. This indicator is relevant because educational attainment has been linked to positive health outcomes.

Report Area	Total Population Age 25+	Population Age 25+ with Bachelor's Degree or Higher	Population Age 25+ with Bachelor's Degree or Higher, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>291,130</b>	<b>79,893</b>	<b>27.44%</b>
Fayette County, PA	93,622	17,723	18.93%
Harrison County, WV	46,654	12,080	25.89%
Marion County, WV	38,724	10,006	25.84%
Monongalia County, WV	65,916	31,598	47.94%
Preston County, WV	25,810	4,617	17.89%
Randolph County, WV	20,404	3,869	18.96%
Pennsylvania	9,153,146	3,157,318	34.49%
West Virginia	1,269,202	295,541	23.29%
United States	228,434,661	79,954,302	35.00%

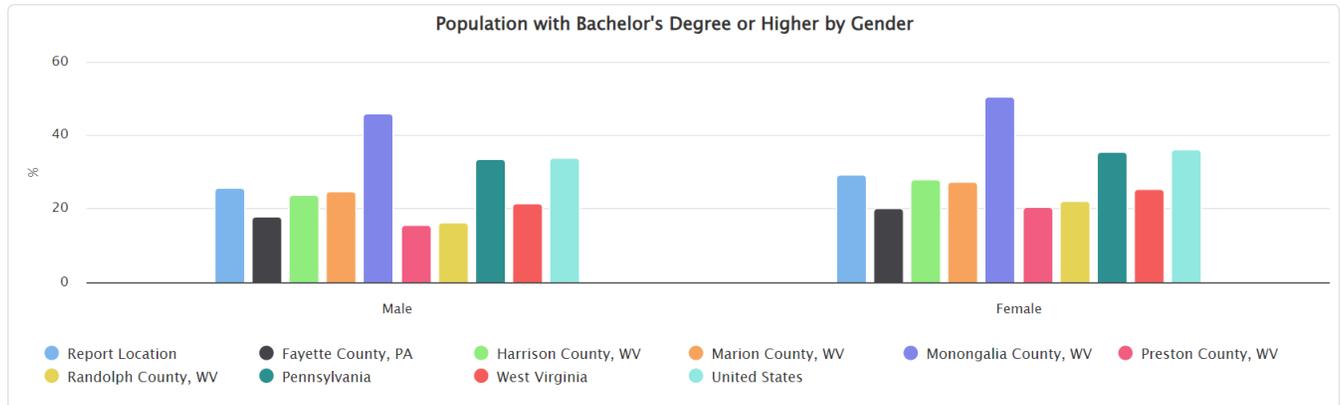
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Population Age 25+ with Bachelor's Degree or Higher, Percent





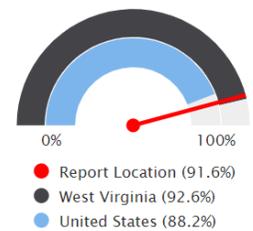
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### Attainment-High School Graduation Rate

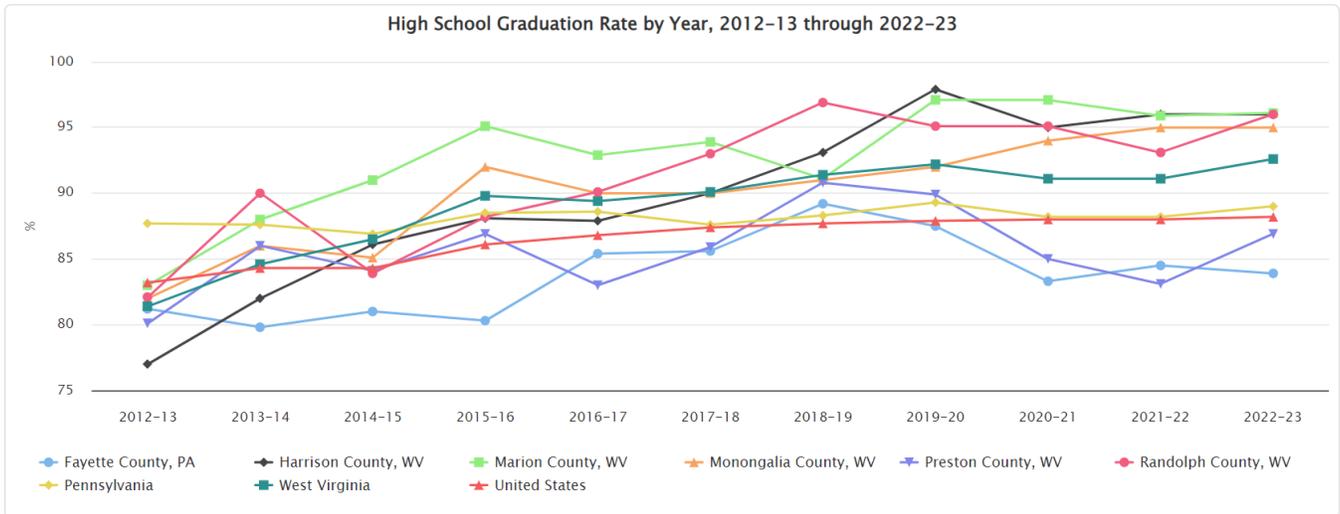
The adjusted cohort graduation rate (ACGR) is a graduation metric that follows a “cohort” of first-time 9th graders in a particular school year, and adjusts this number by adding any students who transfer into the cohort after 9th grade and subtracting any students who transfer out, emigrate to another country, or pass away. The ACGR is the percentage of the students in this cohort who graduate within four years. In the report area, the adjusted cohort graduation rate was 91.6% during the most recently reported school year. Students in the report area performed better than the state, which had an ACGR of 89.0%.

Adjusted Cohort Graduation Rate



Report Area	Adjusted Student Cohort	Number of Diplomas Issued	Cohort Graduation Rate
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>3,903</b>	<b>3,574</b>	<b>91.6%</b>
Fayette County, PA	1,154	968	83.9%
Harrison County, WV	779	748	96.0%
Marion County, WV	544	523	96.1%
Monongalia County, WV	853	810	95.0%
Preston County, WV	275	239	86.9%
Randolph County, WV	298	286	96.0%
Pennsylvania	120,337	107,116	89.0%
West Virginia	18,426	17,059	92.6%
United States	3,479,541	3,067,953	88.2%

Data Source: US Department of Education, [ED Data Express](#). Additional data analysis by [CARES](#). 2022-23.



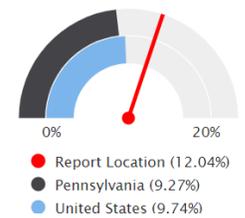
## Housing and Families

This category contains indicators that describe the structure of housing and families, and the condition and quality of housing units and residential neighborhoods. These indicators are important because housing issues like overcrowding and affordability have been linked to multiple health outcomes, including infectious disease, injuries, and mental disorders. Furthermore, housing metrics like home-ownership rates and housing prices are key for economic analysis.

### Housing Units – Overview (2020)

This indicator reports the total number of housing units and their occupancy status in the report area. Data are obtained from the U.S. Census Bureau Decennial Census 2020. Of all the 196,650 housing units in the report area, 172,980 or 87.96% are occupied and 23,670 or 12.04% are vacant.

Percentage of Housing Units Vacant



Report Area	Total Housing Units	Occupied, Total	Vacant, Total	Occupied, Percent	Vacant, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>196,650</b>	<b>172,980</b>	<b>23,670</b>	<b>87.96%</b>	<b>12.04%</b>
Fayette County, PA	61,800	54,089	7,711	87.52%	12.48%
Harrison County, WV	30,480	27,358	3,122	89.76%	10.24%
Marion County, WV	26,280	23,223	3,057	88.37%	11.63%
Monongalia County, WV	49,881	44,385	5,496	88.98%	11.02%
Preston County, WV	15,174	12,945	2,229	85.31%	14.69%
Randolph County, WV	13,035	10,980	2,055	84.23%	15.77%
Pennsylvania	5,742,828	5,210,598	532,230	90.73%	9.27%
West Virginia	855,635	743,442	112,193	86.89%	13.11%
United States	140,498,736	126,817,580	13,681,156	90.26%	9.74%

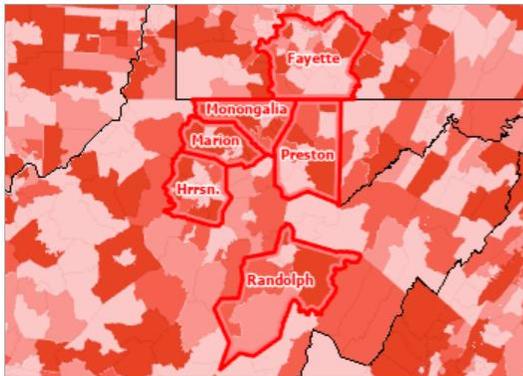
Data Source: US Census Bureau, Decennial Census 2020.

## Households and Families - Overview

This indicator reports the total number and percentage of households by composition (married couple family, nonfamily, etc.). According to the American Community Survey subject definitions, a family household is any housing unit in which the householder is living with one or more individuals related to him or her by birth, marriage, or adoption\*. A non-family household is any household occupied by the householder alone, or by the householder and one or more unrelated individuals.

Report Area	Total Households	Family Households	Family Households, Percent	Non-Family Households	Non-Family Households, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>171,490</b>	<b>102,474</b>	<b>59.76%</b>	<b>69,016</b>	<b>40.24%</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,962	33,426	60.82%	21,536	39.18%
Harrison County, WV	26,020	15,638	60.10%	10,382	39.90%
Marion County, WV	22,965	14,927	65.00%	8,038	35.00%
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	23,315	52.56%	21,046	47.44%
Preston County, WV	12,797	8,647	67.57%	4,150	32.43%
Randolph County, WV	10,385	6,521	62.79%	3,864	37.21%
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	3,286,621	62.78%	1,948,718	37.22%
West Virginia	721,448	452,362	62.70%	269,086	37.30%
United States	127,482,865	82,220,165	64.50%	45,262,700	35.50%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.



Family Households, Percent by Tract, ACS 2019-23



## Households by Composition and Relationship to Householder

Report Area	Total Households	Married Family Households	Single Male Family Households	Single Female Family Households	Non-Family Households
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>171,490</b>	<b>77,170</b>	<b>8,047</b>	<b>17,257</b>	<b>69,016</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,962	24,200	2,525	6,701	21,536
Harrison County, WV	26,020	11,691	1,316	2,631	10,382
Marion County, WV	22,965	11,520	1,338	2,069	8,038
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	17,903	1,851	3,561	21,046
Preston County, WV	12,797	6,923	535	1,189	4,150
Randolph County, WV	10,385	4,933	482	1,106	3,864
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	2,430,626	245,415	610,580	1,948,718
West Virginia	721,448	338,790	35,632	77,940	269,086
United States	127,482,865	60,193,570	6,433,814	15,592,781	45,262,700

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

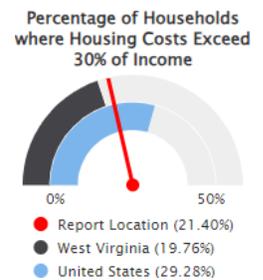
## Households with Children by Composition and Relationship to Householder, Total

Report Area	Total Households	Married Family Households	Single Male Family Households	Single Female Family Households	Non-Family Households
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>42,998</b>	<b>28,360</b>	<b>3,958</b>	<b>10,220</b>	<b>460</b>
Fayette County, PA	13,706	8,293	1,485	3,722	206
Harrison County, WV	6,729	4,496	592	1,592	49
Marion County, WV	6,062	4,207	677	1,146	32
Monongalia County, WV	10,545	7,226	832	2,437	50
Preston County, WV	3,470	2,427	208	743	92
Randolph County, WV	2,486	1,711	164	580	31
Pennsylvania	1,428,576	917,990	131,611	366,471	12,504
West Virginia	189,606	121,421	19,264	47,151	1,770
United States	38,105,106	24,847,302	3,465,872	9,459,043	332,889

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

## Housing Costs-Cost Burden (30%)

This indicator reports the percentage of the households where housing costs are 30% or more of total household income. This indicator provides information on the cost of monthly housing expenses for owners and renters. The information offers a measure of housing affordability and excessive shelter costs. The data also serve to aid in the development of housing programs to meet the needs of people at different economic levels. Of the 171,490 total households in the report area, 36,704 or 21.40% of the population live in cost burdened households.



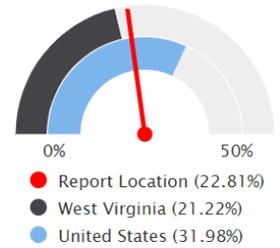
Report Area	Total Households	Cost Burdened Households (Housing Costs Exceed 30% of Income)	% of Cost Burdened Households (Over 30% of Income)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>171,490</b>	<b>36,704</b>	<b>21.40%</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,962	12,143	22.09%
Harrison County, WV	26,020	4,590	17.64%
Marion County, WV	22,965	3,953	17.21%
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	12,124	27.33%
Preston County, WV	12,797	2,274	17.77%
Randolph County, WV	10,385	1,620	15.60%
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	1,348,627	25.76%
West Virginia	721,448	142,587	19.76%
United States	127,482,865	37,330,839	29.28%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

### **Housing Quality-Substandard Housing**

This indicator reports the number and percentage of owner- and renter-occupied housing units having at least one of the following conditions: 1) lacking complete plumbing facilities, 2) lacking complete kitchen facilities, 3) with 1 or more occupants per room, 4) selected monthly owner costs as a percentage of household income greater than 30%, and 5) gross rent as a percentage of household income greater than 30%. Selected conditions provide information in assessing the quality of the housing inventory and its occupants. This data is used to easily identify homes where the quality of living and housing can be considered substandard. Of the 171,490 total occupied housing units in the report area, 39,110 or 22.81% have one or more substandard conditions.

Occupied Housing Units with One or More Substandard Conditions, Percent



Report Area	Total Occupied Housing Units	Occupied Housing Units with One or More Substandard Conditions	Occupied Housing Units with One or More Substandard Conditions, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>171,490</b>	<b>39,110</b>	<b>22.81%</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,962	12,944	23.55%
Harrison County, WV	26,020	5,175	19.89%
Marion County, WV	22,965	4,503	19.61%
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	12,432	28.02%
Preston County, WV	12,797	2,357	18.42%
Randolph County, WV	10,385	1,699	16.36%
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	1,430,185	27.32%
West Virginia	721,448	153,074	21.22%
United States	127,482,865	40,765,129	31.98%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

### **Substandard Housing: Number of Substandard Conditions Present, Percentage of Total Occupied Housing Units**

This indicator reports the percentage of total occupied housing units by number of substandard conditions.

Report Area	No Conditions	One Condition	Two or Three Conditions	Four Conditions
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>77.19%</b>	<b>21.98%</b>	<b>0.83%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
Fayette County, PA	76.45%	22.89%	0.66%	0.00%
Harrison County, WV	80.11%	18.51%	1.38%	0.00%
Marion County, WV	80.39%	18.20%	1.41%	0.00%
Monongalia County, WV	71.98%	27.31%	0.71%	0.00%
Preston County, WV	81.58%	17.96%	0.46%	0.00%
Randolph County, WV	83.64%	16.36%	0.00%	0.00%
Pennsylvania	72.68%	26.25%	1.06%	0.01%
West Virginia	78.78%	20.38%	0.84%	0.00%
United States	68.02%	30.18%	1.79%	0.01%

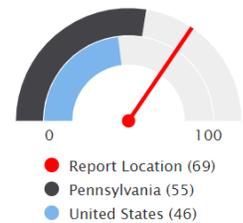
## Other Social & Economic Factors

Economic and social insecurity often are associated with poor health. Poverty, unemployment, and lack of educational achievement affect access to care and a community’s ability to engage in healthy behaviors. Without a network of support and a safe community, families cannot thrive. Ensuring access to social and economic resources provides a foundation for a healthy community.

### Area Deprivation Index

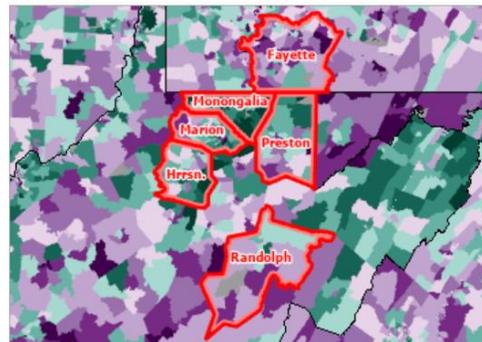
This indicator reports the average (population weighted) Area Deprivation Index (ADI) for the selected area. The Area Deprivation Index ranks neighborhoods and communities relative to all neighborhoods across the nation (National Percentile) or relative to other neighborhoods within just one state (State Percentile). The ADI is calculated based on 17 measures related to four primary domains (Education; Income & Employment; Housing; and Household Characteristics). The overall scores are measured on a scale of 1 to 100 where 1 indicates the lowest level of deprivation (least disadvantaged) and 100 is the highest level of deprivation (most disadvantaged).

Area Deprivation Index Score (National Percentile)



Report Area	Total Population	State Percentile	National Percentile
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>69</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	78	79
Harrison County, WV	65,921	50	75
Marion County, WV	56,205	46	74
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	20	50
Preston County, WV	34,216	42	67
Randolph County, WV	27,932	51	73
Pennsylvania	13,002,700	49	55
West Virginia	1,793,716	50	73
United States	331,129,211	51	46

Data Source: University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Medicine and Public Health, Neighborhood Atlas. 2022.



Area Deprivation Index (2020), State Decile by Block Group, UW\_ADI 2022



### Population Percentages by Tiered Area Deprivation Index

This indicator reports the population percentages for four types of neighborhoods (least disadvantaged, most disadvantaged, and two middle groups) based on tiered Area Deprivation Index (ADI national percentile) for all the block groups in the selected area.

Report Area	Least Disadvantaged	Moderately Disadvantaged	Highly Disadvantaged	Most Disadvantaged
Fayette County, PA	0.00%	3.02%	29.56%	67.42%
Harrison County, WV	0.00%	7.53%	33.37%	59.11%
Marion County, WV	0.00%	5.01%	43.62%	51.37%
Monongalia County, WV	4.40%	32.91%	53.02%	9.68%
Preston County, WV	0.00%	3.17%	29.41%	67.42%

Report Area	Least Disadvantaged	Moderately Disadvantaged	Highly Disadvantaged	Most Disadvantaged
Randolph County, WV	0.00%	0.00%	13.80%	86.20%
Pennsylvania	11.95%	28.55%	33.06%	26.45%
West Virginia	0.56%	9.90%	30.34%	59.20%
United States	27.23%	27.91%	24.52%	20.34%

Source: University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Medicine and Public Health, Neighborhood Atlas 2022.

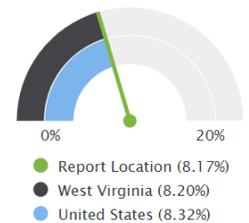
### Households with No Motor Vehicle

This indicator reports the number and percentage of households with no motor vehicle based on the latest 5-year American Community Survey estimates. Of the 171,490 total households in the report area, 14,005 or 8.17% are without a motor vehicle.

Report Area	Total Occupied Households	Households with No Motor Vehicle	% Households with No Motor Vehicle
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>171,490</b>	<b>14,005</b>	<b>8.17%</b>
Fayette County, PA	54,962	4,925	8.96%
Harrison County, WV	26,020	2,296	8.82%
Marion County, WV	22,965	1,725	7.51%
Monongalia County, WV	44,361	3,325	7.50%
Preston County, WV	12,797	771	6.02%
Randolph County, WV	10,385	963	9.27%
Pennsylvania	5,235,339	547,253	10.45%
West Virginia	721,448	59,162	8.20%
United States	127,482,865	10,602,826	8.32%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

Percentage of Households with No Motor Vehicle



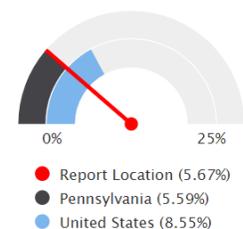
### Insurance – Uninsured Population (ACS)

The lack of health insurance is considered a key driver of health status. In the report area 5.67% of the total civilian non-institutionalized population are without health insurance coverage. The rate of uninsured persons in the report area is greater than the state average of 5.59%. This indicator is relevant because lack of insurance is a primary barrier to healthcare access including regular primary care, specialty care, and other health services that contributes to poor health status.

Report Area	Total Population (For Whom Insurance Status is Determined)	Uninsured Population	Uninsured Population, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>405,632</b>	<b>23,017</b>	<b>5.67%</b>
Fayette County, PA	123,774	5,405	4.37%
Harrison County, WV	64,647	4,493	6.95%
Marion County, WV	55,571	3,560	6.41%
Monongalia County, WV	105,369	5,544	5.26%
Preston County, WV	30,538	2,098	6.87%
Randolph County, WV	25,733	1,917	7.45%
Pennsylvania	12,800,535	715,495	5.59%
West Virginia	1,750,730	108,457	6.19%
United States	327,425,278	28,000,876	8.55%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2019-23.

Uninsured Population, Percent



## Uninsured Population by Gender & Age

Report Area	Male	Female	Under Age 18	Age 18-64	Age 65+
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>6.57%</b>	<b>4.78%</b>	<b>3.14%</b>	<b>8.23%</b>	<b>0.34%</b>
Fayette County, PA	5.07%	3.68%	2.89%	6.50%	0.22%
Harrison County, WV	8.50%	5.45%	3.11%	10.61%	0.45%
Marion County, WV	7.22%	5.59%	6.28%	8.52%	0.10%
Monongalia County, WV	6.38%	4.08%	2.59%	6.87%	0.94%
Preston County, WV	7.17%	6.57%	2.07%	11.17%	0.05%
Randolph County, WV	7.54%	7.36%	0.99%	12.95%	0.00%
Pennsylvania	6.41%	4.79%	4.91%	7.46%	0.51%
West Virginia	7.13%	5.28%	2.95%	9.53%	0.30%
United States	9.59%	7.55%	5.39%	11.98%	0.83%

Source: US Census Bureau, [American Community Survey](#). 2019-23.

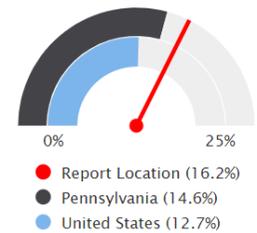
## SNAP Benefits-Population Receiving SNAP

The Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, or SNAP, is a federal program that provides nutrition benefits to low-income individuals and families that are used at stores to purchase food. This indicator reports the average percentage of the population receiving SNAP benefits during the month of July during the most recent report year.

Report Area	Total Population	Population Receiving SNAP Benefits	Population Receiving SNAP Benefits, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>67,872</b>	<b>16.2%</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	30,484	23.7%
Harrison County, WV	65,921	9,335	14.2%
Marion County, WV	56,205	9,169	16.3%
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	8,567	8.1%
Preston County, WV	34,216	5,322	15.6%
Randolph County, WV	27,932	4,995	17.9%
Pennsylvania	13,002,700	1,901,632	14.6%
West Virginia	1,793,716	315,494	17.6%
United States	331,449,281	41,975,381	12.7%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [Small Area Income & Poverty Estimates](#). 2022.

Percentage of Total Population Receiving SNAP Benefits

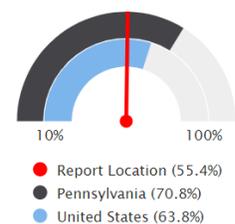


## Social Capital – Voter Participation Rate

This indicator reports the percentage of the adult population (age 18 and older) that voted in the national elections held on November 5, 2024. The results are preliminary as of December 2024. Voter participation rates are calculated as a percentage of the voting-age population (18+), rather than as a percentage of registered voters. In the 2024 election, of the total voting-age population in the report area, Sum(0), individuals were eligible to vote, and Sum(1), Number of participation on election and 55.4% individuals cast a vote.

Report Area	Total Citizens Age 18+	Total Votes Cast	Voter Participation Rate
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>333,940</b>	<b>185,073</b>	<b>55.4%</b>
Fayette County, PA	101,440	63,472	62.6%
Harrison County, WV	51,220	29,495	57.6%
Marion County, WV	44,595	24,634	55.2%
Monongalia County, WV	86,410	41,452	48.0%
Preston County, WV	27,675	14,426	52.1%

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Randolph County, WV	22,600	11,594	51.3%
Pennsylvania	9,931,715	7,034,206	70.8%
West Virginia	1,412,250	762,390	54.0%
United States	238,741,215	152,301,538	63.8%

Data Source: *Fox News, Politico, New York Times*. 2024.

### Social Vulnerability Index (SoVI)

The degree to which a community exhibits certain social conditions, including high poverty, low percentage of vehicle access, or crowded households, may affect that community’s ability to prevent human suffering and financial loss in the event of disaster. These factors describe a community’s social vulnerability. The social vulnerability index is a measure of the degree of social vulnerability in counties and neighborhoods across the United States, where a higher score indicates higher vulnerability. The report area has a social vulnerability index score of 0.45, which is greater than the state average of 0.44.

Social Vulnerability Index Score



Report Area	Total Population	Socioeconomic Theme Score	Household Composition Theme Score	Minority Status Theme Score	Housing & Transportation Theme Score	Social Vulnerability Index Score
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,672</b>	<b>0.52</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.73</b>	<b>0.45</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,417	0.52	0.40	0.29	0.68	0.52
Harrison County, WV	65,862	0.48	0.24	0.15	0.78	0.47
Marion County, WV	56,194	0.47	0.38	0.22	0.56	0.44
Monongalia County, WV	105,988	0.52	0.00	0.37	0.82	0.33
Preston County, WV	34,206	0.52	0.11	0.34	0.74	0.46
Randolph County, WV	28,005	0.65	0.10	0.24	0.79	0.52
Pennsylvania	12,989,208	0.38	0.42	0.53	0.59	0.44
West Virginia	1,792,967	0.51	0.36	0.23	0.58	0.45
United States	331,097,593	0.54	0.47	0.72	0.63	0.58

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the National Center for Health Statistics, *CDC GRASP*. 2022.

### Teen Births

This indicator reports the seven-year average number of births per 1,000 female population age 15-19. Data were from the National Center for Health Statistics - Natality files (2016-2022) and are used for the 2024 County Health Rankings. In the report area, of the 88,545 total female population age 15-19, the teen birth rate is 17.4 per 1,000, which is greater than the state's teen birth rate of 12.4.

Teen Birth Rate Per 1,000 Female Population, Ages 15-19



Report Area	Female Population Age 15-19	Teen Births, Rate per 1,000 Female Population Age 15-19
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>88,545</b>	<b>17.4</b>
Fayette County, PA	23,125	24.3
Harrison County, WV	12,833	23.8
Marion County, WV	12,172	15.0
Monongalia County, WV	29,506	7.5
Preston County, WV	5,699	20.2
Randolph County, WV	5,210	30.5
Pennsylvania	2,807,010	12.4
West Virginia	362,070	22.7
United States	73,099,680	15.5

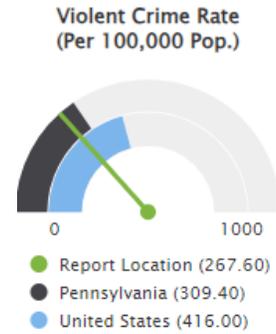
Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Vital Statistics System*. Accessed via *County Health Rankings*. 2017-23.

## Violent Crime - Total

Violent crime includes homicide, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault. Within the report area, the 2015-2017 three-year total of reported violent crimes was 3,643, which equates to an annual rate of 267.60 crimes per 100,000 people, lower than the statewide rate of 309.40.

Report Area	Total Population	Violent Crimes, 3-year Total	Violent Crimes, Annual Rate (Per 100,000 Pop.)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>453,735</b>	<b>3,643</b>	<b>267.60</b>
Fayette County, PA	159,952	1,074	223.80
Harrison County, WV	68,621	552	268.10
Marion County, WV	56,011	510	303.50
Monongalia County, WV	105,115	845	267.90
Preston County, WV	34,326	336	326.20
Randolph County, WV	29,708	326	365.70
Pennsylvania	13,442,380	124,774	309.40
West Virginia	1,842,012	18,973	343.30
United States	366,886,849	4,579,031	416.00

Data Source: Federal Bureau of Investigation, *FBI Uniform Crime Reports*. Additional analysis by the *National Archive of Criminal Justice Data*. Accessed via the *Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research*. 2015-17.

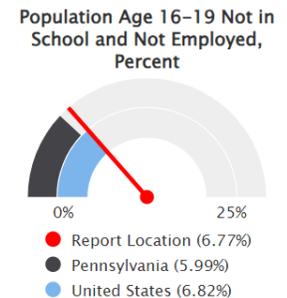


## Young People Not in School and Not Working

This indicator reports the percentage of youth age 16-19 who are not currently enrolled in school and who are not employed. The report area has a total population of 22,401 between the ages, of which 1,516 are not in school and not employed.

Report Area	Population Age 16-19	Population Age 16-19 Not in School and Not Employed	Population Age 16-19 Not in School and Not Employed, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>22,401</b>	<b>1,516</b>	<b>6.77%</b>
Fayette County, PA	5,369	559	10.41%
Harrison County, WV	2,792	226	8.09%
Marion County, WV	2,901	279	9.62%
Monongalia County, WV	8,854	252	2.85%
Preston County, WV	1,181	80	6.77%
Randolph County, WV	1,304	120	9.20%
Pennsylvania	675,469	40,464	5.99%
West Virginia	89,823	7,550	8.41%
United States	17,415,920	1,187,439	6.82%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, *American Community Survey*. 2019-23.

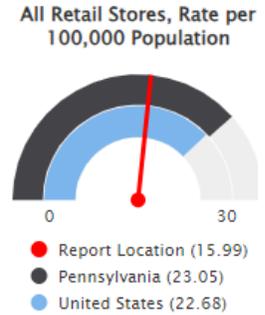


## Physical Environment

A community’s health also is affected by the physical environment. A safe, clean environment that provides access to healthy food and recreational opportunities is important to maintaining and improving community health.

**Food Environment-All Retail Food Outlets**

This indicator reports the number of retail food outlets per 100,000 population. Retail food outlets include all establishments primarily engaged in selling food and beverages for off-site consumption or immediate consumption, encompassing grocery stores, supermarkets, convenience stores, specialty food stores (such as meat or produce markets), and food and beverage vendors. This category also includes both limited-service (fast food) and full-service restaurants, as well as small-scale food retailers and delicatessens. This indicator is relevant because it provides a comprehensive measure of the community food environment. It captures the overall availability and distribution of food sources, which can influence dietary behaviors, nutrition, and access to healthy or affordable food. The presence and density of retail food outlets may also reflect economic vitality and consumer demand in an area.

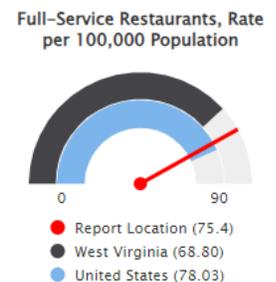


Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Number of Establishments	Establishments, Rate per 100,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>15.99</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	24	18.63
Harrison County, WV	65,921	14	21.24
Marion County, WV	56,205	8	14.23
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	15	14.17
Preston County, WV	34,216	3	8.77
Randolph County, WV	27,932	3	10.74
Pennsylvania	13,002,616	2,997	23.05
West Virginia	1,793,716	333	18.56
United States	331,449,275	75,163	22.68

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [County Business Patterns](#). Additional data analysis by [CARES](#). 2023.

**Food Environment-Full Service Restaurants**

This indicator reports the number of full-service restaurants per 100,000 population. Full-service restaurants are defined as establishments primarily engaged in providing food services to patrons who order and are served while seated, and pay after eating. These establishments typically offer table service, a wider variety of menu options, and a more traditional dining experience compared to limited-service or fast food outlets. This indicator is relevant because it provides insight into local food environments, dining habits, and access to potentially healthier or more diverse food choices. It also reflects aspects of the community’s economic activity and social infrastructure.

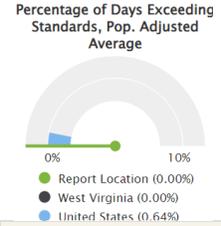


Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Number of Establishments	Establishments, Rate per 100,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>75.4</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	75	58.23
Harrison County, WV	65,921	57	86.47
Marion County, WV	56,205	43	76.51
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	109	103.00
Preston County, WV	34,216	8	23.38
Randolph County, WV	27,932	24	85.92
Pennsylvania	13,002,616	9,433	72.55
West Virginia	1,793,716	1,234	68.80
United States	331,449,275	258,626	78.03

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [County Business Patterns](#). Additional data analysis by CARES. 2023.

### **Air & Water Quality – Particulate Matter 2.5**

This indicator reports the percentage of days with particulate matter 2.5 levels above the National Ambient Air Quality Standard (35 micrograms per cubic meter) per year, calculated using data collected by monitoring stations and modeled to include counties where no monitoring stations occur. This indicator is relevant because poor air quality contributes to respiratory issues and overall poor health.

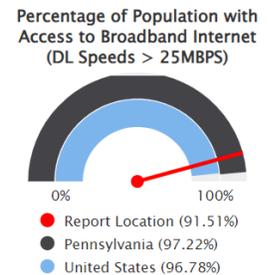


Report Area	Total Population	Average Daily Ambient Particulate Matter 2.5	Days Exceeding Emissions Standards	Days Exceeding Standards, Percent (Crude)	Days Exceeding Standards, Percent (Weighted)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>6.78</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	7.50	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
Harrison County, WV	65,921	6.60	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
Marion County, WV	56,205	7.00	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	6.30	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
Preston County, WV	34,216	6.30	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
Randolph County, WV	27,932	5.80	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
Pennsylvania	12,996,860	8.58	0.00	0.10%	0.11%
West Virginia	1,793,716	6.89	0.00	0.00%	0.00%
United States	330,251,614	9.19	2.00	0.59%	0.64%

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, [National Environmental Public Health Tracking Network](#). 2020.

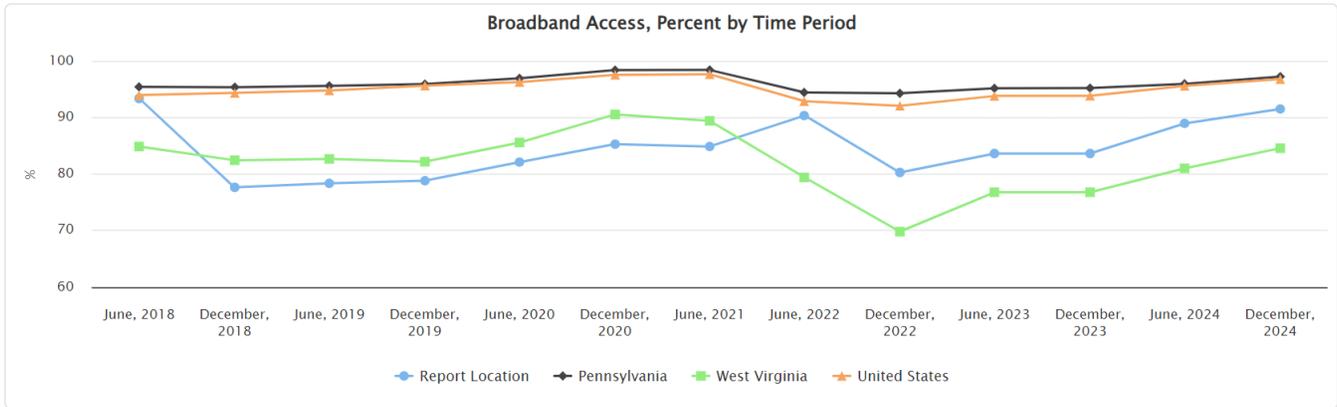
### **Built Environment-Broadband Access**

This indicator reports the percentage of population with access to high-speed internet. Data are based on the reported service area of providers offering download speeds of 25 MBPS or more and upload speeds of 3 MBPS or more. These data represent both wireline and fixed/terrestrial wireless internet providers. Cellular internet providers are not included.



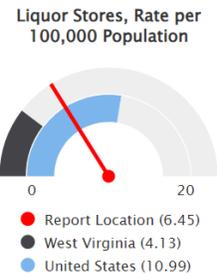
Report Area	Total Number Broadband Serviceable Locations	Access to DL Speeds >= 25MBPS and UL Speeds >= 3MBPS	Access to DL Speeds >= 100MBPS and UL Speeds >= 10MBPS
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>194,674</b>	<b>91.51%</b>	<b>88.35%</b>
Fayette County, PA	62,239	97.33%	95.78%
Harrison County, WV	32,911	90.41%	87.97%
Marion County, WV	26,996	89.98%	86.82%
Monongalia County, WV	38,220	96.15%	94.21%
Preston County, WV	19,154	79.66%	69.82%
Randolph County, WV	15,154	76.00%	70.05%
Pennsylvania	4,896,203	97.22%	95.39%
West Virginia	897,218	84.57%	79.52%
United States	115,813,361	96.78%	94.18%

Data Source: FCC FABRIC Data. Additional data analysis by CARES. December 2024



### Built Environment-Liquor Stores

This indicator reports the number of establishments in the report area primarily engaged in retailing. There are 27 establishments in the report area primarily engaged in retailing packaged alcoholic beverages, such as ale, beer, wine, and liquor. The number of liquor stores per 100,000 population provides a measure of environmental influences on dietary behaviors and the accessibility of healthy foods. Note this data excludes establishments preparing and serving alcohol for consumption on premises (including bars and restaurants) or which sell alcohol as a secondary retail product (including gas stations and grocery stores).

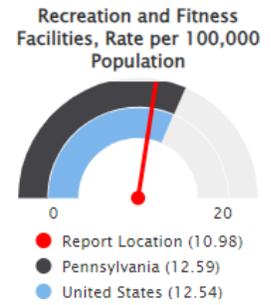


Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Number of Establishments	Establishments, Rate per 10,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>6.45</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	21	16.30
Harrison County, WV	65,921	0	0.00
Marion County, WV	56,205	3	5.34
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	3	2.83
Preston County, WV	34,216	0	0.00
Randolph County, WV	27,932	0	0.00
Pennsylvania	13,002,616	1,810	13.92
West Virginia	1,793,716	74	4.13
United States	331,449,281	36,433	10.99

Data Source: US Census Bureau, [County Business Patterns](#). Additional data analysis by [CARES](#), 2023.

### **Built Environment-Recreation and Fitness Facility Access**

Access to recreation and fitness facilities encourages physical activity and other healthy behaviors. The report area includes 46 establishments primarily engaged in operating fitness and recreational sports facilities featuring exercise and other active physical fitness conditioning or recreational sports activities, such as swimming, skating, or racquet sports.

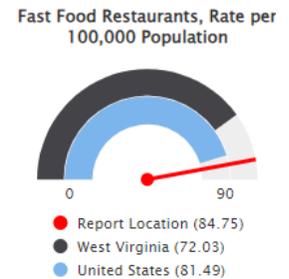


Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Number of Establishments	Establishments, Rate per 10,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>10.98</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	8	6.21
Harrison County, WV	65,921	9	13.65
Marion County, WV	56,205	4	7.12
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	19	17.95
Preston County, WV	34,216	3	8.77
Randolph County, WV	27,932	3	10.74
Pennsylvania	13,002,616	1,637	12.59
West Virginia	1,793,716	118	6.58
United States	331,449,275	41,556	12.54

Data Source: US Census Bureau, *County Business Patterns*. Additional data analysis by CARES, 2023

### **Food Environment-Fast Food Restaurants**

This indicator reports the number of fast food restaurants per 100,000 population. The prevalence of fast food restaurants provides a measure of both access to healthy food and environmental influences on dietary behaviors. Fast food restaurants are defined as limited-service establishments primarily engaged in providing food services (except snack and nonalcoholic beverage bars) where patrons generally order or select items and pay before eating.



Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Number of Establishments	Establishments, Rate per 10,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>84.75</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	98	76.08
Harrison County, WV	65,921	73	110.74
Marion County, WV	56,205	42	74.73
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	117	110.56
Preston County, WV	34,216	12	35.07
Randolph County, WV	27,932	13	46.54
Pennsylvania	13,002,616	9,802	75.38
West Virginia	1,793,716	1,292	72.03
United States	331,449,275	270,088	81.49

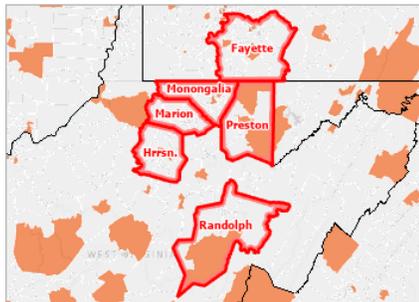
Data Source: US Census Bureau, *County Business Patterns*. Additional data analysis by CARES, 2023

### **Food Environment-Food Desert Census Tracts**

This indicator reports the number of neighborhoods in the report area that are within food deserts. The USDA Food Access Research Atlas defines a food desert as any neighborhood that lacks healthy food sources due to income level, distance to supermarkets, or vehicle access. The report area has a population of 70,856 living in food deserts and a total of 18 census tracts classified as food deserts by the USDA.

Report Area	Total Population (2010)	Food Desert Census Tracts	Other Census Tracts	Food Desert Population	Other Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>421,237</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>70,856</b>	<b>350,381</b>
Fayette County, PA	136,606	7	29	22,359	114,247
Harrison County, WV	69,099	3	19	8,501	60,598
Marion County, WV	56,418	0	18	0	56,418
Monongalia County, WV	96,189	4	20	20,623	75,566
Preston County, WV	33,520	3	5	14,815	18,705
Randolph County, WV	29,405	1	6	4,558	24,847
Pennsylvania	12,702,379	238	2,972	800,303	11,902,076
West Virginia	1,852,994	66	418	250,113	1,602,881
United States	308,745,538	9,293	63,238	39,074,974	269,670,564

Data Source: US Dept. of Agriculture, Economic Research Service, USDA-Food Access Research Atlas. 2019.

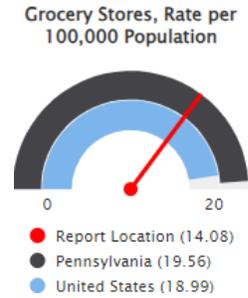


Food Desert Census Tracts, 1 Mi. / 10 Mi. by Tract, USDA - FARA 2019

- Food Desert
- Not a Food Desert
- No Data
- Report Location

### Food Environment-Grocery Stores

Healthy dietary behaviors are supported by access to healthy foods, and Grocery Stores are a major provider of these foods. There are 59 grocery establishments in the report area, a rate of 14.08 per 100,000 population. Grocery stores are defined as supermarkets and smaller grocery stores primarily engaged in retailing a general line of food, such as canned and frozen foods; fresh fruits and vegetables; and fresh and prepared meats, fish, and poultry. Delicatessen-type establishments are also included. Convenience stores and large general merchandise stores that also retail food, such as supercenters and warehouse club stores, are excluded.

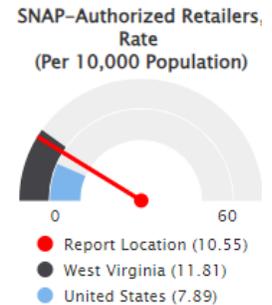


Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Number of Establishments	Establishments, Rate per 100,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>418,900</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>14.08</b>
Fayette County, PA	128,804	21	16.30
Harrison County, WV	65,921	11	16.69
Marion County, WV	56,205	8	14.23
Monongalia County, WV	105,822	11	10.39
Preston County, WV	34,216	3	8.77
Randolph County, WV	27,932	3	10.74
Pennsylvania	13,002,616	2,543	19.56
West Virginia	1,793,716	260	14.50
United States	331,449,275	62,947	18.99

Data Source: US Census Bureau, County Business Patterns. Additional data analysis by CARES, 2023.

### Food Environment-SNAP-Authorized Food Stores

This indicator reports the number of SNAP-authorized food stores as a rate per 10,000 population. SNAP-authorized stores include grocery stores as well as supercenters, specialty food stores, and convenience stores that are authorized to accept SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) benefits. The report area contains a total of 440 SNAP-authorized retailers with a rate of 10.55.



Report Area	Total Population (2023)	Total SNAP-Authorized Retailers	SNAP-Authorized Retailers, Rate per 10,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>416,922</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>10.55</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,967	133	10.48
Harrison County, WV	65,407	83	12.69
Marion County, WV	56,042	69	12.31
Monongalia County, WV	106,520	79	7.42
Preston County, WV	34,204	41	11.99
Randolph County, WV	27,782	35	12.60
Pennsylvania	12,986,518	10,445	8.04
West Virginia	1,784,462	2,107	11.81
United States	335,409,240	264,826	7.89

Data Source: US Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Service, USDA - SNAP Retailer Locator. Additional data analysis by CARES, 2025.

## Top Employers

<b>Top Employers</b>	
<b>Fayette County, PA</b>	<b>Harrison County</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. State Government</li> <li>2. Nemaocolin Woodlands, Inc.</li> <li>3. The Uniontown Hospital</li> <li>4. Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.</li> <li>5. Connellsville Area School District</li> <li>6. Fayette County</li> <li>7. Fayette Resources Incorporated</li> <li>8. Albert Gallatin Area School District</li> <li>9. Laurel Highlands School District</li> <li>10. Uniontown Area School District</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. WVU Medicine</li> <li>2. Harrison County Board of Education</li> <li>3. Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.</li> <li>4. Pratt &amp; Whitney Engine Services, Inc.</li> <li>5. Penney OPCO LLC</li> <li>6. MHI RJ Aviation, Inc.</li> <li>7. Bridgeport, City of</li> <li>8. Precision Pipeline LLC</li> <li>9. Harrison County Commission</li> <li>10. Applied Construction Solutions, Inc.</li> </ol>
<b>Marion County</b>	<b>Monongalia County</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Marion County Board of Education</li> <li>2. First Energy Service Company</li> <li>3. Fairmont State University</li> <li>4. American Consolidated Natural Resources, Inc.</li> <li>5. WVU Medicine</li> <li>6. Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.</li> <li>7. Price Gregory International LLC</li> <li>8. Gabriel Brothers, Inc.</li> <li>9. Novelis Corporation</li> <li>10. Blue Gold Mine Services, LLC</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. West Virginia University Hospitals</li> <li>2. West Virginia University</li> <li>3. Monongalia Board of Education</li> <li>4. WV University Medical Corp TA</li> <li><b>5. Vandalia Health</b></li> <li>6. Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.</li> <li>7. Mylan Pharmaceuticals, Inc.</li> <li>8. West Virginia Univ Research Corp.</li> <li>9. Gabriel Brothers, Inc.</li> <li>10. WV Rehabilitation Hospital, Inc.</li> </ol>
<b>Preston County</b>	<b>Randolph County</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Preston County Board of Education</li> <li><b>2. Vandalia Health</b></li> <li>3. Wal-Mart Associates Inc.</li> <li>4. Superior Reedsville Filtration, LLC</li> <li>5. C.W. Wright Construction Company, Inc.</li> <li>6. Preston Contractors, Inc.</li> <li>7. Adjutant Generals Dept., The</li> <li>8. WVNH Emp LLC</li> <li>9. Preston County Commission</li> <li>10. Jennmar Corporation of WV, Inc.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Vandalia Health</b></li> <li>2. Randolph County Board of Education</li> <li>3. Armstrong Hardwood Flooring Company</li> <li>4. Wal-Mart Associates, Inc.</li> <li>5. Davis and Elkins College</li> <li>6. West Virginia Dept. of Highways</li> <li>7. West Virginia's Choice, Inc.</li> <li>8. WVDCR Dept. of Corrections Rehabilitation</li> <li>9. Elkins Regional Convalescent Center</li> <li>10. EMS, Inc.</li> </ol>

**Schools** (<https://wveis.k12.wv.us/essa/dashboard.html>)

<b>Fayette County, PA</b>	<b>Harrison County</b>
<p><b><u>Elementary Schools</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A.L. Wilson Elementary</li> <li>• Brownsville Area Elementary</li> <li>• Bullskin Elementary</li> <li>• Clark Elementary</li> <li>• Dunbar Township Elementary</li> <li>• Franklin School</li> <li>• Frazier Elementary</li> <li>• Friendship Hill Elementary</li> <li>• George J Plava Elementary</li> <li>• Hatfield Elementary</li> <li>• Hutchinson Elementary</li> <li>• Lafayette Elementary</li> <li>• Marclay School</li> <li>• Marion Elementary</li> <li>• Marshall Elementary</li> <li>• Masontown Elementary</li> <li>• Menallen School</li> <li>• Smithfield Elementary</li> <li>• Springfield Elementary</li> <li>• West Crawford Elementary</li> <li>• Wharton School</li> <li>• Ben Franklin School (K-8)</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Middle Schools</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A.J. McMullen School</li> <li>• Albert Gallatin North Middle School</li> <li>• Albert Gallatin South Middle School</li> <li>• Belle Vernon Area Middle School</li> <li>• Brownsville Area Middle School</li> <li>• Connellsville Area Middle School</li> <li>• Frazier Middle School</li> <li>• Lafayette Middle School</li> <li>• Laurel Highlands Middle School</li> </ul> <p><b><u>High Schools</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Albert Gallatin Area Senior High School</li> <li>• Brownsville Area High School</li> <li>• Connellsville Area Senior High School</li> <li>• Frazier High School</li> <li>• Laurel Highlands Senior High School</li> <li>• Uniontown Area Senior High School</li> <li>• Connellsville Area Career &amp; Technical Center</li> </ul>	<p><b><u>Elementary Schools</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Big Elm Elementary</li> <li>• Johnson Elementary</li> <li>• Lost Creek Elementary</li> <li>• Lumberport Elementary</li> <li>• Mountaineer Elementary</li> <li>• Nutter Fort Intermediate</li> <li>• Nutter Fort Primary</li> <li>• Salem Elementary</li> <li>• Simpson Elementary</li> <li>• Victory Elementary</li> <li>• West Milford Elementary</li> </ul> <p><b><u>Middle Schools</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bridgeport Middle School</li> <li>• Liberty Middle School</li> <li>• Lincoln Middle School</li> <li>• South Harrison Middle School</li> </ul> <p><b><u>High Schools</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bridgeport High School</li> <li>• Lincoln High School</li> <li>• Robert C. Byrd High School</li> <li>• South Harrison High School</li> <li>• United High School</li> <li>• United Technical Center</li> </ul>

<b>Marion County</b>	<b>Monongalia County</b>
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**District - Harrison - School Year 2023 - 2024**

Elementary Schools Enrollment	10 3,818	Middle Schools Enrollment	5 2,156	High Schools Enrollment	5 2,813	Total Schools Enrollment	23 9,598
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3 Alternative School(s) with enrollment of 203 included in District Totals

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**District - Marion - School Year 2023 - 2024**

Elementary Schools Enrollment	9 2,438	Middle Schools Enrollment	7 2,631	High Schools Enrollment	3 2,194	Total Schools Enrollment	19 7,263
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**District - Monongalia - School Year 2023 - 2024**

Elementary Schools Enrollment	10 5,421	Middle Schools Enrollment	4 2,199	High Schools Enrollment	3 3,544	Total Schools Enrollment	17 11,164
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State / District Summary

Monongalia



District Information

Total Enrollment (October FY24)	11,164
Total Enrollment - Full Academic Year (FY24)	10,096
Attendance Rate (FY24)	92.94 %
Graduation Rate - 4 Year Cohort	94.84 %
Graduation Rate - 5 Year Cohort	95.05 %
Per Pupil School Level Expenditures - Federal \$	\$1,426.94
Per Pupil School Level Expenditures - State/Local \$	\$8,563.53
Per Pupil District Level Expenditures - Federal \$	\$532.57
Per Pupil District Level Expenditures - State/Local \$	\$5,348.82
Per Pupil Expenditures - Total \$	\$15,871.86
Per Pupil Expenditures reflect unaudited FY2024 financial data	



**District - Preston - School Year 2023 - 2024**

Elementary Schools Enrollment	2 458	Middle Schools Enrollment	7 2,373	High Schools Enrollment	1 1,120	Total Schools Enrollment	10 3,951
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State / District Summary

Preston



District Information

Total Enrollment (October FY24)	3,951
Total Enrollment - Full Academic Year (FY24)	3,496
Attendance Rate (FY24)	92.91 %
Graduation Rate - 4 Year Cohort	87.27 %
Graduation Rate - 5 Year Cohort	87.59 %
Per Pupil School Level Expenditures - Federal \$	\$1,330.28
Per Pupil School Level Expenditures - State/Local \$	\$7,433.02
Per Pupil District Level Expenditures - Federal \$	\$1,209.04
Per Pupil District Level Expenditures - State/Local \$	\$3,663.25
Per Pupil Expenditures - Total \$	\$13,635.59
Per Pupil Expenditures reflect unaudited FY2024 financial data	



**District - Randolph - School Year 2023 - 2024**

Elementary Schools Enrollment	7 1,612	Middle Schools Enrollment	1 600	High Schools Enrollment	4 1,295	Total Schools Enrollment	13 3,532
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1 Alternative School(s) with enrollment of 25 included in District Totals

[State](#) / District Summary

District Information

**Randolph**



Total Enrollment (October FY24)	3,532
Total Enrollment - Full Academic Year (FY24)	3,141
Attendance Rate (FY24)	92.95 %
Graduation Rate - 4 Year Cohort	96.32 %
Graduation Rate - 5 Year Cohort	93.13 %
Per Pupil School Level Expenditures - Federal \$	\$2,166.26
Per Pupil School Level Expenditures - State/Local \$	\$6,958.17
Per Pupil District Level Expenditures - Federal \$	\$871.58
Per Pupil District Level Expenditures - State/Local \$	\$4,007.49
Per Pupil Expenditures - Total \$	\$14,003.50
Per Pupil Expenditures reflect unaudited FY2024 financial data	

## Fayette County, PA Public Safety

Public safety in Fayette County, PA is a multifaceted effort involving various agencies and initiatives. The Fayette County Emergency Management Agency (FCEMA) coordinates emergency services and resources, focusing on planning, prevention, mitigation, response, and recovery. The Sheriff's Office also plays a key role, providing services like concealed carry permits and utilizing a mobile app for community outreach and reporting. Various other agencies contribute to public safety in Fayette County, including local police departments, fire departments, and emergency medical services.



The Fayette County Emergency Management Agency's (FCEMA) mission is to support the direction, coordination and deployment of emergency services and resources in Fayette County to protect the citizens, property and environment of Fayette County.

Fayette County PA has four fire departments (one in Fayette City and three in Uniontown) and forty seven voluntary fire departments located in Adah, Allison, Belle Vernon(2), Brownsville (3), Connellsville(5), Dunbar(3), Everson, Farmington, Fairchance, Grindstone, Hopwood, Hiller, Indian Head, Issabella, LaBelle, Lemont Furnace, Markleysburg, Masontown, McCellandtown(2), New Salem(2), Newell, Normalville, Ohiopyle, Perryopolis, Pt. Marion, Republic, Ronco, Smock, So. Connellsville, Smithfield(2), Uniontown(2), Vanderbilt(2) and West Leisenring.

Pennsylvania residents have access to either a local county/municipal health department or a State Health Center. Fayette County PA has a state health center location in Uniontown.

## Harrison County Public Safety

Public safety in Harrison County, WV, is primarily maintained by the Harrison County Sheriff's Office and the Clarksburg Police Department. The Sheriff's Office, headed by Sheriff Robert Matheny, is the chief law enforcement agency for the county, responsible for policing, maintaining peace, making arrests, and serving court documents. The Clarksburg Police Department focuses on law enforcement within the city of Clarksburg, with various divisions including detectives, a SWAT team, and an honor guard.

The county also has a robust Emergency Management department that handles non-emergency assistance requests and works with the 911 center to ensure efficient handling of emergency calls. Harrison County Emergency Squad, Inc., a West Virginia non-profit corporation, is one of the leading providers of pre-hospital and intra-hospital ambulance services in West Virginia. Established in 1966, its mission states, ***"to provide the citizens of Harrison County with excellent emergency ambulance service regardless of their ability to pay."*** HCES has two locations in Clarksburg and one location in Shinnston.



Harrison County has three fire departments (two in Bridgeport and one in Clarksburg) and fourteen voluntary fire departments located in Anmore, Lost Creek(2), Lumberport, Mt. Clare, Nutter Fort, Reynoldsville, Salem, Shinnston, Spelter, Stonewood, Clarksburg, Wallace and West Milford.

The Harrison-Clarksburg Health Department's mission is to protect and promote the public health of the citizens of Harrison County by encouraging healthy lifestyles and upholding and implementing all public health laws and regulations. Harrison-Clarksburg Health Department offers a wide range of clinical services with a focus on preventing disease, promote wellness, and protecting our communities. Click below to see a list of those services and related links.



### **Marion County Public Safety**

Public safety in Marion County, WV involves various agencies working together, including the Marion County Sheriff's Office, Fairmont Police Department, Fairmont Fire Department, and Marion County EMS. These agencies utilize the West Virginia Statewide Interoperable Radio Network (SIRN) for communication. Citizens can also access non-emergency assistance through County Emergency Management.

Marion County Rescue Squad offers programs to provide quality ambulance service to the residents of Marion County.

Marion County has one fire department in Fairmont and thirteen voluntary fire departments located in Barrackville, Baxter, Boothsville, Fairmont (2), Fairview, Farmington, Grant Town, Mannington, Monongah, Rivesville, Pleasant Valley and Worthington.

The Marion County Health Department's mission is "Preventing, protecting and promoting the public health needs of our community." The Marion County Health Department is a small health department that strives to prevent, protect, and promote public health needs in Marion County. The health department offers preventive measures at a low or no cost to all citizens of Marion County through a variety of clinical and environmental programs. The health department's goal is to keep the citizens of Marion County disease free and help live a healthy lifestyle in the process.



### **Monongalia County Public Safety**

Public safety in Monongalia County, WV is a multifaceted issue involving various agencies and resources. The Monongalia County Sheriff's Office is a key player, alongside other local and state law enforcement, emergency services, and community initiatives.



MECCA 911 provides the highest level of public safety services to the residents of Monongalia County. We serve as first responders in emergencies and oversee all aspects of public safety services provided to our community - Police, Fire, and EMS. MECCA 911 not only answers emergency and non-emergency phone calls, we are responsible for dispatching 6 Police Departments, 14 Fire Departments, and 3 EMS services in the county.

Monongalia County has one fire department in Morgantown and twelve voluntary fire departments located in Blacksville, Cassville, Granville, Morgantown (6), Star City, Wadestown and Westover.



The mission of Monongalia County Health Department is to achieve a healthy community by protecting and promoting public health through education, training, advocacy and the provision of health services.

### **Preston County Public Safety**

Public safety services in Preston County, West Virginia include the Preston County Office of Emergency Management/E911, Preston County Sheriff’s Department, WV State Police, Preston County Health Department, Fire and Rescue Departments and Ambulance Services.

There are four EMS locations in Preston County (Bruceton EMS in Bruceton Mills, Union EMS in Aurora, Terra Alta EMS, and KAMP EMS in Kingwood).



The Preston County Sheriff’s Office is responsible for protecting & serving the people of Preston County. In addition to duties related to law enforcement, the Sheriff also serves as the Treasurer of the county and collects taxes levied by the county.

Preston County has twelve voluntary fire departments located in Albright, Aurora, Bruceton Mills (Bruceton-Brandonville), Kingwood, Masontown, Horse Shoe Run (Mount Grove), Newburg, Reedsville, Rowlesburg, Terra Alta and Tunnelton (Fellowsville and Tunnelton).

The mission of the Preston County Health Department is to protect, promote, and improve the health and well-being of all residents of the county by:

- Investigating and reporting infectious disease as well as monitoring disease surveillance and statistics to prevent communicable disease outbreak.
- Assuring implementation of statues and regulations enacted by local, state and federal government to protect the public health through health promotion, surveillance, and environmental health best practices.
- Assessing the county health needs and encouraging greater community participation to promote and improve the health status of the county population, as a whole.



### **Randolph County Public Safety**

Randolph County, West Virginia public safety services include the Sheriff’s Office, Office of Emergency Management and 911 of Randolph County, the Randolph County Ambulance Authority and ten Fire Departments.

The mission of the Randolph County Sheriff’s Office is to serve and protect the citizens of, and visitors to, Randolph County. We are dedicated to providing fair, impartial law enforcement services that preserve the Constitutional Rights of the people. Some of the services provided by the sheriff’s office include conducting investigations, tax collection, service of process, and providing court security and guardianship services.



The Randolph County Office of Emergency Management is responsible for the planning, coordination, and implementation of all emergency management and Homeland Security related activities for Randolph County. Most of these activities are mandated by the State of West Virginia under West Virginia Code, Chapter 15, Article 5, as well as federal laws and regulations under the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act (SARA) Title III and the Homeland Security Act. The mission of the Randolph County Office of Emergency Management is to develop and maintain emergency plans and coordinate the use of County, State and Federal resources to prepare, respond, recover and mitigate the effects of natural and man-made disasters on the citizens of Randolph County.



RCEMS run approximately 7000 runs a year that range from emergency 911 calls and Inter Facility transports to specialty hospitals. RCEMS has 10 ambulances distributed between 3 stations which include Elkins (Headquarters), Mill creek and Harman. RCEMS provides mutual aid and paramedic intercepts to 7 surrounding counties. RCEMS supports 10 local fire departments in county and 3 law enforcement agencies.

The Randolph County 911 Center maintains and operates the Randolph County 911 Emergency Communications system in such fashion that all calls, whether emergency or non-emergency in nature, are answered in an efficient and effective manner that assures to the greatest degree possible the safety of responders and the general public; provides such service in a courteous and professional manner; and works at all times to preserve and protect the lives and property of all persons in Randolph County.

Randolph County has one fire department in Elkins and nine voluntary fire departments located in Beverly, Coalton, Dailey, Harmon, Huttonsville, Kerens, Pickens, Valley Head and Whitmer.



## COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT PROCESS

The service area for the community needs assessment includes Fayette County PA, Harrison County, Marion County, Monongalia County, Preston County and Randolph County. The assessment process encompassed the following:

- **Service Area Counties - Survey Results and Data Dashboards**
  - **Monongalia County Health Department Community Health Needs Assessment Survey**
  - **West Virginia Health Affairs Institute Community Health Needs Survey**
  - **North Central West Virginia Community Action Inc. Community Needs Assessment**
  - **WV Department of Health and Human Resources Office of Drug Control Policy Data Dashboard**
  - **Department of Health and Human Services emPOWER Emergency Planning de-identified data set**
- **Community Health Need Assessment for the Service Area Counties utilizing SparkMap**
- **Social Service Agency utilization**

### Service Area Counties - Results and Data Dashboards

**A. Survey Data** – The 2025 Community Health Needs Assessment was designed by the Health Promotions Team at the **Monongalia County Health Department** with input from community partners. The survey was distributed at community events, through social media posts, via email lists and through community businesses and organizations. Monongalia County was the target audience, but results were also collected from Marion and Preston Counties. There were a total of 1,457 responses to the survey. Of the survey respondents, 25.7% were between the ages of 18 and 30, 26.6% were between the ages of 31 and 45, 21.5% were between the ages of 46 and 60, and 26.1% were over 60. 34% of the respondents completed graduate school, 28.9% completed a bachelor’s degree, 6.2% completed an associate degree, 3.7% completed vocational studies, 16.1% completed some college and 10.2% graduated high school. Yearly household income varied among survey respondents with 19.4% earning less than \$35,000, 22.4% earning between \$35,000 and \$60,000, 23% earning between \$60,000 and \$100,000, and 35.2% earning more than \$100,000. The majority of the respondents were female (71.5%). 24.2% of the respondents were male and the remaining 4.2% were either transgender, genderqueer/nonconforming, or preferred not to say.

Survey respondents were asked questions about community perceptions and most respondents either agreed or strongly agreed that they were accepted by their community, their community was a safe place and that their community was a clean place.

Survey respondents were also asked about access to care. The top areas respondents reported difficulty in accessing care include:

- **Mental Health**
- **Dental Services**
- **Primary Care**
- **Chronic Disease Management**
- **Family Planning**
- **Substance Use Treatment.**

The top factors impacting access to care include high cost of care, appointment availability, work schedule, lack of insurance, transportation, and lack of childcare. High cost of care and appointment availability were the top factors impacting access to care across all age groups over 18 and across all income ranges.

Survey respondents listed their top hardship concerns to include:

- **Anxiety**
- **Depression**
- **Loneliness**
- **Unable to pay miscellaneous bills**
- **Missed or late on rent/utilities**

Anxiety, depression and loneliness were the top 3 hardships across all gender groups and all age groups over 18.

From the fill-in questions, the survey respondents listed their top concerns as:

- **Homelessness/housing**
- **Vaccine availability**
- **Cost of health care**
- **Senior care**
- **Behavioral health care/mental health care**
- **Road conditions**
- **Lack of sidewalks**
- **Health education**

**B. Survey Data** – The West Virginia Health Affairs Institute conducted a community health survey in 2025 with input from community residents of Monongalia, Marion, Preston, and neighboring counties. The primary source of quantitative data was through a community survey with 193 responses. Of the survey respondents, 59% were between the ages of 40 and 64 with 37% being under 40 years of age and 4% being 65+ years of age. 65% of the respondents held a bachelor’s degree or higher, 24% had either technical/vocational degree/certification, associate degree or some college or certification, while 11% had a high school diploma or equivalent (GED). Yearly household income varied among respondents with 36% earning more than \$100,00 per year, 35% earning between \$50,000 and \$99,999 per year, and 18% earning less than \$49,999 per year. Of the survey respondents, 61% were married or in a domestic partnership, 15% were divorced, 18% were never married, 3% widowed and 1% separated.

When asked to list the 3 most important health problems in your county, the following health problems were identified:

- **Mental Health Problems** with 64% response rate
- **Obesity** with 57% response rate
- **Drug and/or Alcohol Use** with 53% response rate

When asked the 3 most important problems related to quality of life in your county, the following problems were identified:

- **Cost of Health Care and/or Medications** with 50% response rate
- **Poverty** with 37% response rate
- **Homelessness** with 25% response rate

Respondents were asked to list what they think would help improve the health in their community. Some of the responses include social services (23), build environment (22), access to care (20), food (19), education (16), community recreation (13), mental health (13), cost of healthcare (12), housing (11) and transportation (11).

Respondents feel that they have access to good health care and are satisfied with the health care that they have received, but feel as though they needed more timely care for specialists, more affordable health care/medications and access to mental health.

**C. North Central West Virginia Community Action Association** with the help of Kingery and Company, LLC, conducted a community needs assessment in Barbour, Greenbrier, Marion, Monongalia, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Taylor, Tucker and Webster counties in 2022.

A Needs Assessment Steering Committee, comprised of NCWVCAA staff, board members and community representatives, was responsible for attending meetings, identifying community partners to host focus groups, reviewing the data and determining priority community needs. The areas of focus included:

- Employment
- Health
- Transportation
- Education
- Nutrition
- Emergency Situations
- Housing
- Use of Income
- Children's Needs

A primary source of quantitative data was through a community survey which had 633 respondents. In addition, a quantitative service provider survey was completed to assess needs from a service provider perspective to identify services already provided and potential gaps in services. There were 42 service provider respondents. A third form of primary data collection came from holding focus groups with community members in various settings within the service area. 55 people participated in the focus groups. As a result of analyzing the data listed above, the priority needs identified for the service area (Barbour, Greenbrier, Marion, Monongalia, Pocahontas, Preston, Randolph, Taylor, Tucker & Webster counties) include the following:

1. Housing (Affordability & Accessibility)
2. Emergency Situations (Funding & Eligibility)
3. Health/Behavioral Development (Geographical Resources)
4. Children's Needs (Nutrition, Behavioral, Daily Needs)

The priority needs identified for **Marion County** include:

1. **Housing** (Lack of affordable, Addiction, Mental Health Issues(Barriers))
2. **Transportation** (Lack of public transportation, Rural Areas)
3. **Civic Engagement/Community Involvement** (Too many programs with limited resources and funds, Negative output vs. focused/properly funded specific programs)
4. **Children** (Access to affordable childcare, education resources, programs to help low-income families)

The priority needs identified for **Monongalia County** include:

1. **Housing** (Lack of affordable, Lack of funds to buy house, Lack of safe housing)
2. **Employment** (Lack of open jobs, Lack of good paying jobs, Lack of full time + benefits for jobs, Lack of resume building)
3. **Transportation** (Lack of safe transportation, Lack of public transportation (schedule), Lack of where buses can go)
4. **Children** (Lack of childcare, Affordable childcare, Lack of affordable after school/summer recreation programs)

The priority needs identified for **Preston County** include:

1. **Housing** (Not affordable, Lack of low-income housing)
2. **Transportation** (Can't afford repairs or payments, Lack of public transportation)
3. **Health & Social** (Lack of transportation, Lack of health knowledge, Lack of MH services)
4. **Employment/Education** (Lack of employment opportunities and lack of adult education opportunities)

The priority needs identified for **Randolph County** include:

1. **Health** (Affordable prescription drugs, Lack of dental services, Lack of low-cost health care)

2. **Housing** (Affordable house payments, Added expense of owning a house, House repairs)
3. **Employment** (Lack of knowledge-how to budget, Lack of knowledge on how to save resources)
4. **Children** (Lack of recreation, Lack of after school programs, Lack of summer activities)

The community survey common themes and takeaways for the region include:

- 26.60% of survey participants said **Health** was an issue with top reasons why:
  - Affordability of prescription drugs
  - Lack of dental services
  - Lack of free or low-cost medical services
- 15.01% of survey participants said **Income** was an issue with top reasons why:
  - Lack of knowledge about money management
  - Lack of knowledge on how to save/invest money
  - Lack of knowledge about addressing credit issues
- 13.67% of survey participants said **Transportation** was an issue with top reasons why:
  - Cost of vehicle repair
  - Cost of owning and operating a vehicle
  - Lack of public transportation

The service provider common themes and takeaways for the region include:

- **Use of Income** (Assistance with problem-solving credit issues, Assistance on getting/enforcing child support, Assistance accessing resources (food stamps, medical coverage, etc.))
- **Transportation** (Assistance on how to buy a vehicle, Assistance on building credit to buy a vehicle, Assistance learning how to drive or get a driver's license)
- **Employment** (Assistance with education to obtain a job, Assistance with training to obtain job, Assistance with managing cost of childcare)

Focus Group common themes and takeaways for the region include:

- Elderly struggling to pay rent and for medicine
- Taking care of elderly parents
- Obtaining health insurance
- Food insecurities
- Drug epidemic
- Babies born addicted to drugs
- Grandparents raising grandchildren
- Petty crimes associated with drugs
- Youth mental health
- Job opportunities for young adults
- Education system
- Safe place to socialize

**D. WVDHHR Office of Drug Control Policy and the West Virginia Board of Pharmacy** reported the following information for service area counties and West Virginia:

- **WVDHHR Office of Drug Control Policy Data Dashboard** - The WV Office of Drug Control Policy reported the following information for Emergency Medical Services Responses to Suspected Overdoses and ER Visits Related to Overdose:

	Harrison County			Marion County		
	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024
<b>Emergency Medical Services Responses for Suspected Overdoses</b>						
Responses to Date	299	343	232	215	204	126
Percent Given Naloxone	69.7%	65.9%	56.5%	69.3%	65.7%	55.6%
Treated & Transported	64.5%	63.0%	68.5%	67.9%	75.5%	80.2%
Refused Care	20.0%	18.7%	12.5%	13.0%	11.8%	7.1%
Treated & Released AMA	14.1%	14.9%	11.2%	13.0%	9.8%	1.6%
Dead on Scene	2.4%	3.2%	6.0%	3.7%	3.9%	8.7%
Evaluated No Treatment	0.0%	0.3%	0.9%	2.3%	1.0%	2.4%
Percent Male	62.1%	63.2%	60.0%	59.5%	59.3%	68.3%
Percent Female	36.9%	36.0%	40.0%	40.0%	39.2%	31.7%
<b>ER Visits Related to Overdoses</b>						
Visits to Date	300	386	316	140	210	159
Discharged	61.2%	73.9%	66.9%	57.9%	75.1%	73.0%
Transferred	36.6%	24.5%	32.2%	41.1%	23.2%	25.4%
Admitted	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.6%	0.8%
Deceased	1.8%	1.6%	1.0%	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%

	Monongalia County			Preston County		
	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024
<b>Emergency Medical Services Responses for Suspected Overdoses</b>						
Responses to Date	504	509	330	88	106	69
Percent Given Naloxone	59.1%	52.1%	43.6%	64.8%	66.0%	62.3%
Treated & Transported	70.2%	72.1%	78.2%	73.9%	79.2%	76.8%
Refused Care	20.0%	18.5%	15.2%	18.2%	5.7%	14.5%
Treated & Released AMA	8.3%	6.9%	2.4%	2.3%	2.8%	1.4%
Dead on Scene	0.8%	1.0%	3.0%	5.7%	10.4%	7.2%
Evaluated No Treatment	0.6%	0.8%	0.6%	0.0%	1.9%	0.0%
Percent Male	61.7%	61.4%	60.4%	71.6%	72.6%	62.3%
Percent Female	37.3%	37.8%	39.6%	28.4%	27.4%	37.7%
<b>ER Visits Related to Overdoses</b>						
Visits to Date	546	632	481	37	47	25
Discharged	64.5%	74.5%	69.1%	81.8%	80.0%	64.0%
Transferred	28.5%	18.2%	21.8%	18.2%	20.0%	36.0%
Admitted	6.0%	6.6%	7.8%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Deceased	1.0%	0.7%	1.3%	N/A	N/A	N/A

	Randolph County			West Virginia		
	2022	2023	2024	2022	2023	2024
<b>Emergency Medical Services Responses for Suspected Overdoses</b>						
Responses to Date	85	85	74	9,037	8,845	5,934
Percent Given Naloxone	62.4%	58.8%	52.7%	71.1%	70.6%	62.1%
Treated & Transported	78.8%	67.1%	79.7%	63.4%	63.0%	67.4%
Refused Care	17.6%	27.1%	17.6%	21.1%	19.1%	12.5%

Treated & Released AMA	2.4%	2.4%	0.0%	12.1%	11.1%	6.2%
Dead on Scene	0.0%	2.4%	1.4%	2.6%	3.3%	4.3%
Evaluated No Treatment	1.2%	1.2%	0.0%	0.8%	1.0%	0.5%
Percent Male	44.7%	48.2%	56.2%	59.8%	60.3%	56.8%
Percent Female	52.9%	48.2%	41.1%	37.5%	36.6%	40.0%
<b>ER Visits Related to Overdoses</b>						
Visits to Date	62	76	85	6,090	7,390	6,073
Discharged	93.3%	89.2%	85.5%	73.4%	74.1%	75.6%
Transferred	6.7%	9.5%	13.3%	17.0%	17.6%	19.3%
Admitted	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.2%	7.0%	3.9%
Deceased	N/A	1.4%	1.2%	1.5%	1.3%	1.2%

- In May of 2025, The Office of Drug Surveillance and Misuse Prevention and Pennsylvania State police reported the following using data from the Overdose Information Network and PA DOH regarding overdoses by county.

	Fayette County				Pennsylvania			
	PA DOH Data		ODIN Data		PA DOH Data		ODIN Data	
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate
Fatal Overdoses	77	6.21	35	2.82	4,719	3.64	1,218	0.94
Nonfatal Overdoses	419	33.81	53	4.28	37,371	28.83	6,452	4.98
Overdose Reversal Drug Administered			55	4.44			4,681	3.61
Overdoses – Opioid	67	5.41	28	2.26	3,926	3.04	968	0.75
Overdoses - No Opioids	10	0.81	7	0.56	788	0.61	250	0.19
Overdoses - Fentanyl	55	4.44	21	1.69	3,621	2.79	759	0.59

**E. HHS emPOWER Map Data – Department of Health and Human Services emPOWER**

**Program** provides de-identified data to help communities protect the health of at-risk Medicare beneficiaries, including those individuals who live independently and rely on electricity-dependent durable medical and assistive equipment and devices, and/or certain essential health care services. The data is updated monthly and is from June 2025. The findings are as follows:

	Harrison County	Marion County	Monongalia County
# Medicare Beneficiaries	17,078	14,590	15,336
Electricity-Dependent DME All	1,303	1,082	997
Facility ESRD Dialysis Any DME	77	44	55
O2 Services Any DME	518	422	414
Home Health Services Any DME	195	165	145
At-Home Hospice Any DME	66	50	45
Any Health Care Service Any DME	856	681	659

	Preston County	Randolph County	West Virginia
# Medicare Beneficiaries	8,390	7,677	451,269
Electricity-Dependent DME All	591	655	36,650
Facility ESRD Dialysis Any DME	55	22	2,204
O2 Services Any DME	252	346	14,949
Home Health Services Any DME	123	142	6,945
At-Home Hospice Any DME	110	55	2,411
Any Health Care Service Any DME	540	565	26,509

	Fayette County	Pennsylvania
# Medicare Beneficiaries	37,945	2,964,247
Electricity-Dependent DME All	3,022	137,291
Facility ESRD Dialysis Any DME	244	7,943
O2 Services Any DME	831	33,019
Home Health Services Any DME	487	23,185
At-Home Hospice Any DME	165	7,761
Any Health Care Service Any DME	1,727	71,908

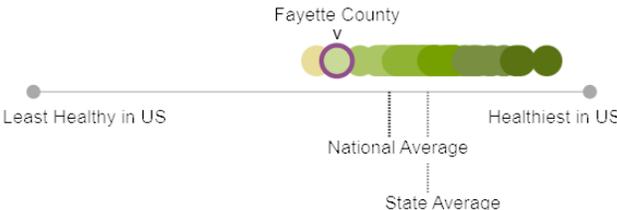
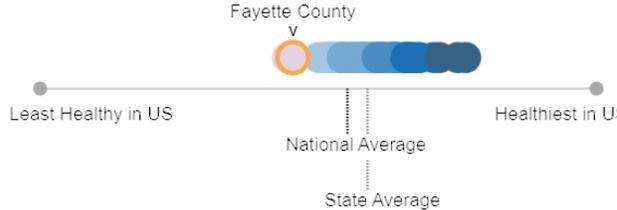
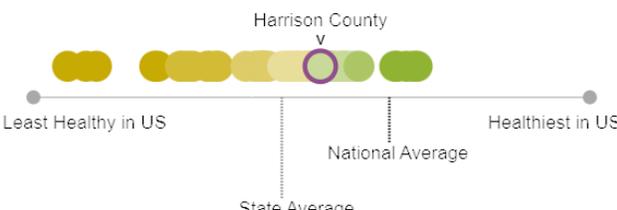
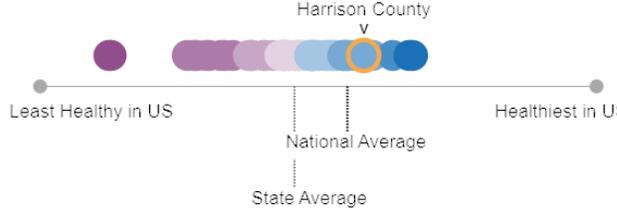
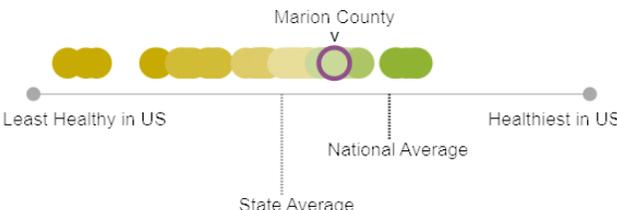
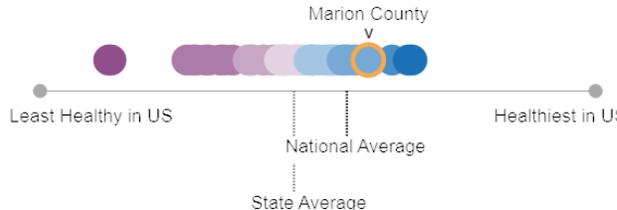
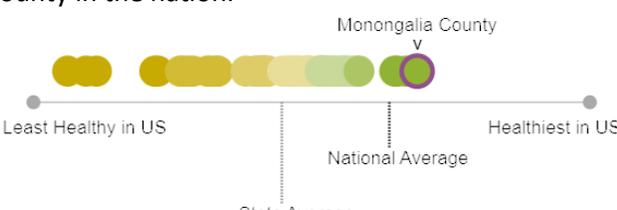
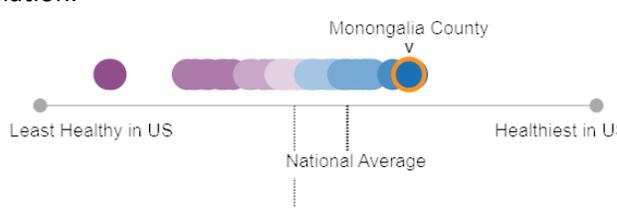
### Community Health Need Assessment for Service Area Counties utilizing SparkMap

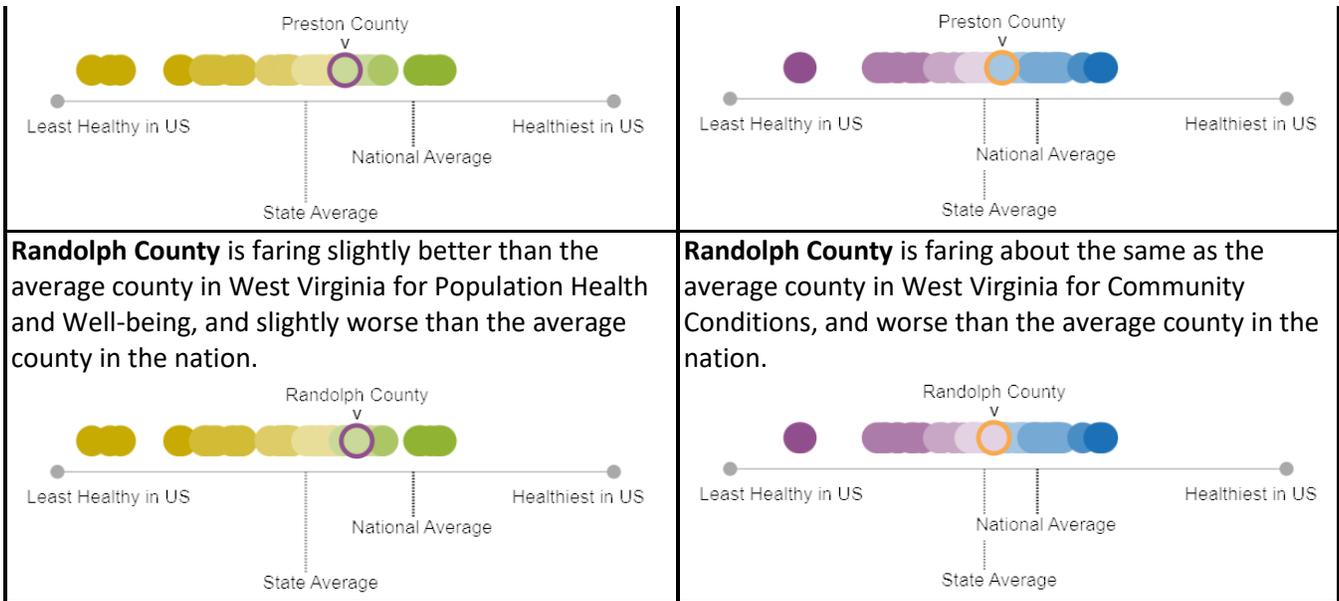
SparkMap is a product of the Center for Applied Research and Engagement Systems (CARES) and hosted by the University of Missouri. SparkMap is a tool for enhanced community impact. It uses reliable and timely secondary data from the US Census Bureau, American Community Survey (ACS), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Department of Transportation, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and more. Data geographies range from state, county, city, census tract, school district and zip code levels. The data for service area counties was reviewed for favorable and unfavorable trends. The following trends were unfavorable for Service Area:

- Demographics (Population Change, Population with a Disability, Limited English Proficiency)
- Income & Economics (Labor Force Participation Rate, Unemployment Rate, Per Capita Income, Poverty-Children Below 100% FPL, Percent Students Eligible for Free or Reduced School Lunch, Poverty-Population Below 100% FPL)
- Education (Preschool Enrollment (Age 3-4), Population with No High School Diploma, Population Age 25+ with Bachelor’s Degree, High School Graduation Rate)
- Housing & Families (Housing Vacancy, Housing Costs-Cost Burden (30%), Housing Quality-Substandard Housing)
- Other Social & Economic Factors (Area Deprivation Index, Uninsured Population, Percent Total Population Receiving SNAP Benefits, Voter Participation Rate, Social Vulnerability Index, Teen Births, Young People Not in School and Not Working)
- Physical Environment (Retail Food Outlets, Full-Service Restaurants, Broadband Access, Liquor Stores, Recreation and Fitness Facility Access, Fast Food Restaurants, Grocery Stores, SNAP Authorized Food Stores)
- **Clinical Care and Prevention** (Diabetes Management-Hemoglobin A1c Test, Hospitalizations-Preventable Conditions)
- **Health Behaviors** (Heavy Alcohol Consumption, Binge Drinking, Physical Inactivity, Chlamydia Incidence, Gonorrhea Incidence, Insufficient Sleep, Current Smokers)
- **Health Outcomes** (Cancer Incidence-All Sites, Chronic Conditions (Asthma, Diabetes Prevalence, Heart Disease, High Blood Pressure), Mortality (Cancer, Coronary Heart Disease, Lung Disease, Motor Vehicle Crash, Premature Death, Suicide, Unintentional Injury (Accident)), Obesity, Poor or Fair Health)

Additional data from the *Community Health Needs Assessment through SparkMap* can be found in Appendix A.

**County Health Rankings & Roadmaps** give us a quantitative overview of health outcomes and health factors for the Service Area Counties.

<b>Population Health and Well-Being</b>	<b>Community Conditions</b>
<p><b>Fayette County</b> is faring worse than the average county in Pennsylvania for Population Health and Well-being, and slightly worse than the average county in the nation.</p> 	<p><b>Fayette County</b> is faring worse than the average county in Pennsylvania for Community Conditions, and worse than the average county in the nation.</p> 
<p><b>Harrison County</b> is faring slightly better than the average county in West Virginia for Population Health and Well-being, and slightly worse than the average county in the nation.</p> 	<p><b>Harrison County</b> is faring better than the average county in West Virginia for Community Conditions, and about the same as the average county in the nation.</p> 
<p><b>Marion County</b> is faring slightly better than the average county in West Virginia for Population Health and Well-being, and slightly worse than the average county in the nation.</p> 	<p><b>Marion County</b> is faring better than the average county in West Virginia for Community Conditions, and about the same as the average county in the nation.</p> 
<p><b>Monongalia County</b> is faring better than the average county in West Virginia for Population Health and Well-being, and slightly better than the average county in the nation.</p> 	<p><b>Monongalia County</b> is faring better than the average county in West Virginia for Community Conditions, and better than the average county in the nation.</p> 
<p><b>Preston County</b> is faring slightly better than the average county in West Virginia for Population Health and Well-being, and slightly worse than the average county in the nation.</p>	<p><b>Preston County</b> is faring slightly better than the average county in West Virginia for Community Conditions, and slightly worse than the average county in the nation.</p>



### Social Service Agency Utilization

To further identify primary and chronic disease needs and other health issues of uninsured, low-income persons, and minority groups, the beneficiary utilization of 211 West Virginia - United Way services for the Service Area Counties was reviewed. Between August 7, 2024 and August 6, 2025, there were 8,875 requests for the Service Area Counties compared to 42,794 requests for the entire state of West Virginia. The services utilized and the number of beneficiaries for the Service Area Counties included:

	Harrison	Marion	Monongalia	Preston	Randolph	WV SA Counties
Housing & Shelter	514	452	2,103	277	153	3,499
Utilities	559	435	714	178	201	2,087
Food	90	138	388	31	42	689
Healthcare & COVID	58	49	75	25	11	218
Mental Health & Addictions	22	33	58	0	12	125
Employment & Income	75	204	444	76	102	901
Clothing & Household	40	107	91	7	14	259
Child Care & Parenting	6	8	8	0	0	22
Government & Legal	23	35	231	25	17	331
Transportation Assistance	69	31	112	18	13	243
Education	1	4	6	3	0	14
Disaster	10	52	24	0	0	86
Other	70	103	174	36	18	401
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,537</b>	<b>1,651</b>	<b>4,428</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>8,875</b>

<b>Top Identified Needs</b>	<b>Fayette County PA</b>
Electric Service Payment Assistance	391
Rent Payment Assistance	173
Undesignated Temporary Financial Assistance	159
Utility Disconnection Protection	145
Food Pantries	130
Housing Related Coordinated Entry	88
Heating Fuel Payment Assistance	54
Water Service Payment Assistance	54
Rental Deposit Assistance	54
Low Income/Subsidized Private Rental Housing	50
Community Shelters	47
Utility Bill Payment Plan Negotiation Assistance	42
Housing Search Assistance	41
Electric Service Shutoff Suspension Programs	37
Eviction Prevention Assistance	35
<b>Number of Presented Needs</b>	<b>2,235</b>

Source: PA 211 State Dashboard September 2023 to August 2025

The assessment process findings were systematically analyzed to develop a list of the top community issues for the Service Area Counties. These issues (in alphabetical order) include:

**Access to Health Care, Dental Services & Medications**

**Affordable Childcare, After School Resources & Educational Resources**

**Children's Needs (Nutrition, Behavioral, Daily Needs)**

**Chronic Conditions (Asthma, Cancer, Diabetes, Heart Disease, High Blood Pressure, Lung Disease)**

**Educational/Employment Opportunities**

**Emergency Situations (Funding & Eligibility)**

**Health Education & Promotion including Health Screenings**

**Homelessness/Affordable, Safe Housing**

**Lack of Safe, Public Transportation**

**Mental Health (Anxiety, Depression & Loneliness)**

**Obesity/Physical Inactivity**

**Substance Use/Abuse including Drugs & Alcohol**

A survey, utilizing survey monkey, was sent to key community partners/stakeholders to prioritize the community health issues for the Service Area Counties. Below is the priority matrix that was used in the survey.

Scale 1 = Completely Disagree 2 = Strongly Disagree 3 = Disagree 4 = Neither Agree nor Disagree 5 = Agree 6 = Strongly Agree 7 = Completely Agree	1. Problem is greater in the Service Area Counties compared to the state or the region.	2. Mon Health Medical Center can reduce long-term cost to the community by addressing this problem.	3. Mon Health Medical Center can create a major improvement in the quality of life by addressing this problem.	4. Mon Health Medical Center can solve this problem.	5. Mon Health Medical Center can do something about this problem with existing leadership and resources.	6. Mon Health Medical Center can make progress on this problem in the short-term.	Total
<b>Access to Health Care, Dental Services and/or Medications</b>							
<b>Affordable Childcare, After School Resources &amp; Educational Resources</b>							
<b>Children’s Needs (Nutrition, Behavioral, Daily Needs)</b>							
<b>Chronic Conditions (Asthma, Cancer, Diabetes, Heart Disease, High Blood Pressure, Lung Disease)</b>							
<b>Educational/Employment Opportunities</b>							
<b>Emergency Situations (Funding &amp; Eligibility)</b>							
<b>Health Education &amp; Promotion including Health Screenings</b>							
<b>Homelessness/Affordable, Safe Housing</b>							
<b>Lack of Safe, Public Transportation</b>							
<b>Mental Health (Anxiety, Depression &amp; Loneliness)</b>							
<b>Obesity/Physical Inactivity</b>							
<b>Substance Use/Abuse including Drugs &amp; Alcohol</b>							

The ranking of results are listed below with the top 5 most significant in bold font. Mon Health Medical Center will focus their implementation strategies on the top 5 most significant community health issues, although their strategies may include the other listed issues as well.

Rank	Issue	Score
<b>1</b>	<b>Health Education &amp; Promotion including Health Screenings</b>	<b>35.590</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Emergency Situations (Funding &amp; Eligibility)</b>	<b>35.250</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Substance Use/Abuse including Drugs &amp; Alcohol</b>	<b>34.660</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Access to Health Care, Dental Services &amp; Medications</b>	<b>34.340</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>Obesity/Physical Inactivity</b>	<b>34.000</b>
6	Chronic Conditions (Asthma, Cancer, Diabetes, Heart Disease, High Blood Pressure, & Lung Disease)	33.430
7	Educational/Employment Opportunities	32.830
8	Affordable Childcare, After School Resources & Educational Resources	32.500
9	Lack of Safe, Public Transportation	31.920
10	Children's Needs (Nutrition, Behavioral, Daily Needs)	31.760
11	Mental Health (Anxiety, Depression & Loneliness)	31.500
12	Homelessness/Affordable, Safe Housing	30.010



# MON HEALTH MEDICAL CENTER COMMUNITY NEEDS PLANNING

Approved by the Mon Health Medical Center Board of Trustees, November 21, 2025

## OVERVIEW and MISSION

Mon Health Medical Center is a 164-bed, not-for-profit, acute care hospital located in Morgantown, Monongalia County, West Virginia. Mon Health Medical Center is committed to improving the health of our community. Our staff of highly trained professionals works closely as a team to provide compassionate, professional healthcare that meets the highest standards of excellence. Our mission is “Enhancing the health of our communities through clinical excellence one person at a time.”

Our vision and values also show our commitment to our community:

**Mon Health Medical Center brings the highest quality health care to our communities through:**

- **Being the compassionate patient-centered provider of choice.**
- **Being the employer of choice.**
- **Leading in education and training.**

Values: **Excellence, Compassion, Integrity, Accountability, Respect, Innovation**

Approximately 335 doctors and 172 APPs have privileges to practice at Mon Health Medical Center. Nearly 697 nurses and non-clinical staff serve the community with emergency services and other specialized care including cardiology, cardiothoracic surgery, dermatology, endoscopy surgery, gastroenterology, gynecologic oncology, infectious disease, medical oncology, neurology, obstetrics/gynecology, oculofacial surgery, psychiatric care, respiratory care, robotic surgery, sleep center, and urogynecology.

Mon Health Medical Center maintains a Level IV Trauma Center Designation, Acute Stroke Ready certification, and Chest Pain Accreditation as well as other program and imaging modality specific accreditations and certifications.



Based on the West Virginia Hospital Association data for 2024, Mon Health Medical Center had 8,437 inpatient admissions, 136,969 outpatient visits, and 22,854 visits to our Emergency Department. Mon Health Medical Center’s inpatient payer mix is 53.8% Medicare, 15.0% Medicaid, 20.0% Commercial, 3.8% Government, 5.0% PEIA and 2.4% Self-Pay. Mon Health Medical Center’s outpatient payer mix is 40% Medicare, 12% Medicaid, 32% Commercial, 8% PEIA, 5% Government, and 3% Self-Pay.

Mon Health Medical Center is a part of Mon Health System, which has integrated with Charleston Area Medical Center (CAMC) Health System and Davis Health System to form Vandalia Health. The health systems that make up Vandalia Health share a vision for making the highest quality care accessible and affordable to everyone who needs it by sharing expertise and resources, strengthening healthcare throughout the state and providing quality care, close to home for the community we serve.



## COMMUNITY BENEFIT

The residents of the service area counties depend on Mon Health Medical Center to provide convenient, quality and compassionate care – care delivered regardless of a patient’s ability to pay.

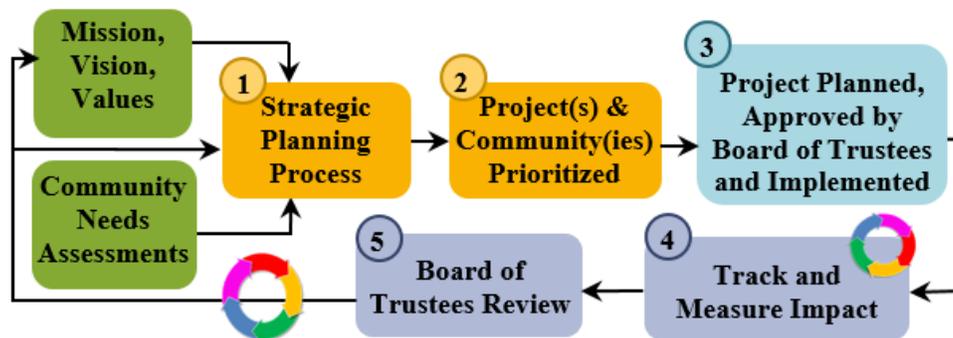
Our programs and services go well beyond the traditional health care we think of when we consider hospital care and are delivered both inside and outside the walls of our hospitals. They are driven by our mission, *Enhancing the health of our communities through clinical excellence one person at a time*. Employees across the health system actively support a variety of community programs through both volunteer efforts and professional engagement. Their contributions include participating in local health fairs, assisting with school-based wellness initiatives, and representing the organization at community events such as 4-H camps, senior expos, county fairs, and community safety days.

Community benefit is defined as a program or activity that provides treatment and/or promotes health and healing as a response to an identified community need; seeks to increase access to health care and improve community health; and seeks to achieve at least one community benefit criteria:

- *Improve access to health care services*
- *Enhance health of the community*
- *Advance medical or health knowledge*
- *Relieve or reduce the burden of government or other community efforts (CHA website)*

Mon Health Medical Center further refines this definition to include community benefits as programs or services that address community health and health-related needs and provide measurable improvement in health access, health status, and the use of health resources.

The following outlines Mon Health Medical Center’s community support process:



Mon Health Medical Center supports and strengthens the communities of its service area counties through our annual planning process <sup>1</sup> where we review the needs assessment findings and priorities to develop our community strategy and the community(ies) within the service area that are impacted. <sup>2</sup> This strategy is based on issues identified through the needs assessment process and supplemented with findings from review of our internal data. Strategies are identified and plans are funded, implemented, <sup>3</sup> tracked and measured. <sup>4</sup> The Mon Health Medical Center Board of Trustees approves the plan and reviews plan progress annually. <sup>5</sup>

As part of the strategic planning process, Mon Health Medical Center determines if there are additional areas of support that can be provided to address the identified community health needs assessment issues. The following table lists programs and support already in place and provided by Mon Health Medical Center that address these community priorities and are identified and funded as part of the operational and community benefit planning by the Mon Health Medical Center Board of Trustees.

NEED ADDRESSED BY MON HEALTH MEDICAL CENTER		RANKING SCORE	HOW ADDRESSED BY MON HEALTH MEDICAL CENTER
#1	<b>Health Education &amp; Promotion including Health Screenings</b>	<b>35.590</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Present Health education to local organizations about the importance of health care and screenings</li> <li>• Host educational booths at sporting events to promote breast, colon and other preventative health screenings</li> <li>• 4 blood drives hosted annually for staff and community members</li> <li>• Free vein screenings offered</li> </ul>
#2	<b>Emergency Situations (Funding &amp; Eligibility)</b>	<b>35.250</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Collaboration with local EMS: Coordinated disaster and emergency preparedness planning within Mon Medical Center through the Emergency Management office</li> </ul>
#3	<b>Substance Use/Abuse including Drugs &amp; Alcohol</b>	<b>34.660</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opioid treatment navigation team available</li> <li>• Smoke free campus for employees</li> <li>• Provide recovery care program, following COAT model (comprehensive opioid addiction treatment) with group therapy and weekly counseling</li> <li>• Peer Coach in ER</li> <li>• Participate in community collaboratives supporting prevention efforts in county</li> <li>• Provide medication assisted treatment (MAT), detox, and inpatient programming for patients experiencing opioid addiction</li> <li>• Conduct universal screenings in healthcare settings to identify individuals with SUD</li> <li>• Partner with Preston County schools to implement SUD education prevention</li> <li>• Plan educational presentation for annual school Health Fair</li> <li>• Educational materials disseminated to students and families</li> <li>• Identify, develop, and compile needed educational material</li> <li>• Make materials available at all health fairs and corporate events</li> <li>• Participate in Save-a-life Day</li> <li>• Provide Narcan training at community events</li> </ul>
#4	<b>Access to Health Care, Dental Services and/or Medications</b>	<b>34.340</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Currently providing care in behavioral health, cardiac rehabilitation, digestive care, dermatology, endocrinology, gynecology, hematology/oncology, imaging services, laboratory, neurology, occupational medicine, physical therapy, podiatry, primary care, pulmonology, respiratory care, rheumatology, sleep medicine, urology, vein center, and wound care</li> <li>• 21 off site locations across Mon County for health care services</li> </ul>
#5	<b>Obesity/Physical Inactivity</b>	<b>34.000</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Free Health Education series offered in Spring focusing on nutrition and exercise</li> <li>• Provide nutrition education at Family Wellness nights at local schools</li> <li>• Fitness Center available 5 days a week</li> </ul>

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Train staff in the Diabetes Learning Center about adult weight management</li> <li>• Work with referring providers to increase awareness of program</li> <li>• Coordinate with insurance companies to increase coverage of MNT when provided by an RDN</li> <li>• Identify supplier/order branded items</li> <li>• Provide sponsorship to local chapter coordinator</li> <li>• Provide other marketing materials/logos as needed for inclusion on materials GOTR will prepare</li> </ul>
#6	<b>Chronic Conditions (Asthma, Cancer, Diabetes, Heart Disease, High Blood Pressure and Lung Disease)</b>	<b>33.430</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sports physicals and annual wellness physicals</li> <li>• Offer specialists in most chronic health conditions including oncology</li> <li>• Advanced Pulmonary Surgical Care</li> <li>• Primary care providers through our Clinically Integrated Network (CIN) focus on improving all health outcomes</li> <li>• Offer low-dose CT scans</li> </ul>
#7	<b>Educational/Employment Opportunities</b>	<b>32.830</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staff serve on advisory committees for high school and college health career programs</li> <li>• Serve as clinical site for following students: medical residents, medical fellows, nursing, respiratory therapy, physical therapy, pharmacy, ultrasound, CNA, MA, phlebotomy, and laboratory</li> <li>• Participate in Career Days at local elementary &amp; middle schools</li> <li>• Participate in High School career fairs and showcases highlighting all departments</li> <li>• Participate in job fairs at local technical schools, colleges, and universities</li> <li>• Job shadowing/Observing</li> <li>• Tuition assistance program</li> </ul>
#10	<b>Children's Needs (Nutrition, Behavioral, Daily Needs)</b>	<b>31.760</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hospital staff member serving on local food pantry collaborative and homeless shelters</li> <li>• Staff participate in service project packing 800+ meals for Backpack Program and building beds for children in the local community</li> <li>• Hosts food drives on site each year</li> </ul>
#11	<b>Mental Health (Anxiety, Depression &amp; Loneliness)</b>	<b>31.500</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct universal screenings in healthcare settings to identify individuals in need of mental health services</li> <li>• Therapist for Recovery Care</li> <li>• Access to Psychiatrist Care</li> <li>• Develop program's educational resources and identify participants</li> </ul>

The following community needs are not addressed by Mon Health Medical Center and the rationale is provided for each.

	<b>NEED NOT ADDRESSED</b>	<b>RANKING SCORE</b>	<b>REASON NOT ADDRESSED</b>
#8	<b>Affordable Childcare, After School Resources &amp; Educational Resources</b>	<b>32.500</b>	Mon Health Medical Center does not have the capability or funding to address this issue.
#9	<b>Lack of Safe, Public Transportation</b>	<b>31.920</b>	Mon Health Medical Center does not have the capability or funding to address this issue.
#12	<b>Homelessness/Affordable, Safe Housing</b>	<b>30.010</b>	This issue is addressed by other organizations in our community.

## MON HEALTH SYSTEM INFRASTRUCTURE TO ADDRESS COMMUNITY NEED

As part of the Mon Health System, Mon Health Medical Center has access to a number of resources that support community need.

Mon Health Medical Center provides compassionate, quality care to our community residents throughout every stage of life, with a focus on our key strengths of (1) clinical and technical excellence, (2) a culture and infrastructure built on performance excellence, and (3) a strong commitment to education. We understand the leadership role that health care must play, not only in delivering exceptional medical care, but also in providing charity care, education, corporate contributions and building community partnerships that directly impact the lives of the people we serve every day.

What sets Mon Health Medical Center apart is our close connection to the community and our track record of partnerships to address local health issues. As part of Mon Health System and Vandalia Health System, we invest our time and resources creatively, recognizing that health care reform continues to drive declining reimbursement alongside a growing need for access. Our history has always been one of stepping up to meet community needs, whether through local programs, or by partnering with Mon Health System and the Vandalia Health System to expand services. We recognize the responsibility we carry in serving north central West Virginia and southwestern Pennsylvania, where our patients live in the Appalachian valleys and mountains, areas that remain challenging to access.



At Mon Health Medical Center, we believe our responsibility extends beyond what's expected of a typical hospital. We seek to innovate, to partner, and to implement programs that ensure the people of our community can enjoy all that West Virginia has to offer through the best possible health and well-being.

### MEDICAL EDUCATION

Mon Health Medical Center works with educational affiliates such as West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine, Fairmont State University, Pierpont Community and Technical College, West Virginia University, Wheeling University, Marshall University, West Virginia Junior College, Mon County Technical Education Center, Laurel Business Institute, and Preston High School.

### CLINICAL TRAINING SITE

Mon Health Medical Center serves as a clinical training site for more than 360 student learners per year through educational affiliations from West Virginia and regional colleges and universities and the local high school. Currently, there are 38 affiliations with health professions programs in multiple disciplines including nursing, respiratory therapy and other health disciplines.



**Mon Health Medical Center Foundation** is the fund-raising organization for Mon Health System. Mon Health is consistently recognized as one of the best community hospitals in the nation, and ensuring you have a quality choice in healthcare is our driving force. Since its creation nearly five decades ago, the Foundation has been supporting the mission of enhancing the health of our communities we serve, one person at a time. Our top priorities are providing you with optimal care and improving lives in any way we can. Because of you, we are continually progressing the lives of our patients and colleagues through unique programs, upgrades to our facilities, and specialized equipment. Together, we provide the margin of excellence that is expected every time you walk through our doors. Your support strengthens and defines healthcare in our region now, and for generations to come. The Mon Health Medical Center Foundation is guided by a volunteer board of directors representing many facets of our community, as well as a staff of individuals with many years' experience and strong community ties and loyalty.



Mon Health Medical Center is strengthened through the resources of **Mon Health Medical Group**, which consists of multiple physician specialty departments that support our mission of “Enhancing the health of our communities through clinical excellence one person at a time.” When essential physician needs or access issues arise — particularly when local providers cannot offer certain specialty services — Mon Health Medical Group steps in to fill the gap.

Today, Mon Health Medical Group and Vandalia Health provide Mon Health Medical Center with a range of specialty physicians in areas such as cardiology, neurology, nephrology, and mental health, often through a mix of on-site and telemedicine services. These same services are shared with other Mon Health System hospitals in the surrounding areas ensuring that care is available across the region. Importantly, Mon Health Medical Group sees a disproportionate share of uninsured and underinsured patients, reflecting our shared commitment to care for all, regardless of ability to pay.

## **INPUT RECEIVED ON THE COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGIES FROM THE PUBLIC**

Mon Health Medical Center’s Community Benefit Reports, which include the Community Needs Assessment and Implementation Strategies, are made widely available on the Mon Health Medical Center website at <https://www.monhealth.com/main/community-wellness>. Mon Health Medical Center has not received any input from the public through the website.

## **INPUT OF ACTIONS TAKEN TO ADDRESS THE SIGNIFICANT HEALTH NEEDS IDENTIFIED IN MON HEALTH MEDICAL CENTER’S PRIOR COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSEMENT**

Progress toward achievement of implementation strategies identified in Mon Health Medical Center’s 2022 Community Health Needs Assessment and report on the Implementation Strategies in 2023 through 2025 were considered in the following ways:

- a. Progress toward achievement of each implementation strategy will be reviewed and assessed to determine if further action could bring additional improvement.
- b. Once the current year CHNA top issues are identified from the community health needs assessment and analysis of Mon Health Medical Center’s service area, the issues will be compared to the prior implementation strategies to determine if continued focus is warranted for any of the issues or if new strategies need to be developed.

# APPENDIX A

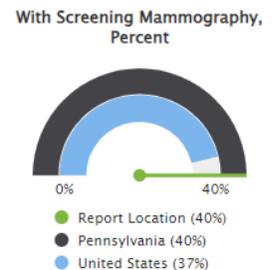
## Clinical Care and Prevention

A lack of access to care presents barriers to good health. Supply of facilities and physicians, the rate of uninsurance, financial hardship, transportation barriers, cultural competency, and coverage limitations affect access. Rates of morbidity, mortality, and emergency hospitalizations can be reduced if community residents access services such as health screenings, routine tests, and vaccinations. Prevention indicators can call attention to a lack of access or knowledge regarding one or more health issues and can inform program interventions.

### Cancer Screening – Mammogram (Medicare)

This indicator reports the unsmoothed, age-adjusted rate screening mammography for female among the Medicare Fee-For-Service (FFS) population for the year 2023. Data were sourced from the CMS Mapping Medicare Disparities (MMD) tool.

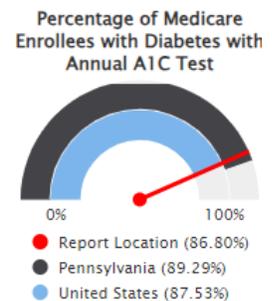
Report Area	Female FFS Beneficiaries	With Screening Mammography, Total	With Screening Mammography, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>22,202</b>	<b>8,838</b>	<b>40%</b>
Fayette County, PA	6,163	2,342	38%
Harrison County, WV	4,496	2,023	45%
Marion County, WV	3,535	1,343	38%
Monongalia County, WV	3,719	1,562	42%
Preston County, WV	2,207	839	38%
Randolph County, WV	2,083	729	35%
Pennsylvania	700,937	280,375	40%
West Virginia	120,185	42,065	35%
United States	16,853,060	6,235,632	37%



Data Source: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, *Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool*, 2023.

### Diabetes Management – Hemoglobin A1c Test

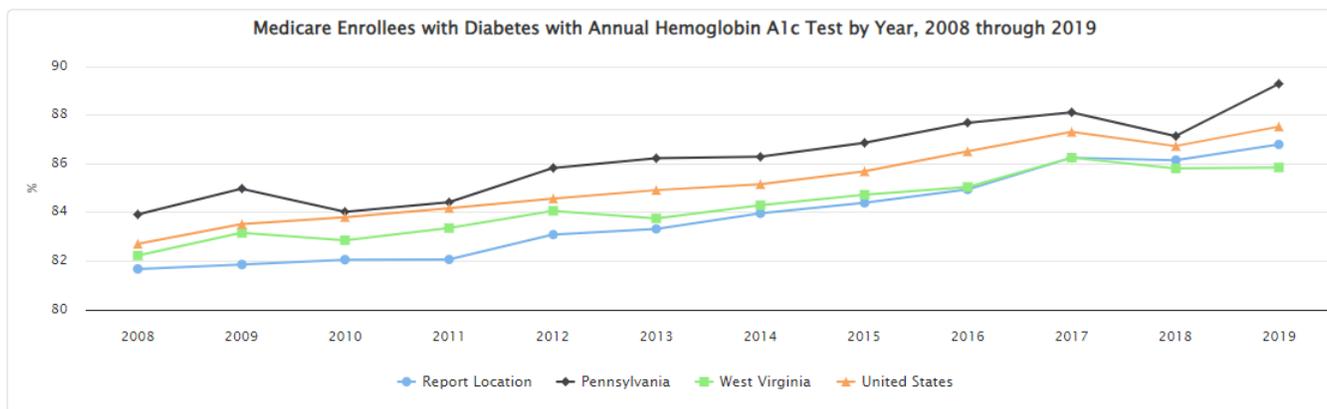
This indicator reports the percentage of diabetic Medicare patients who have had a hemoglobin A1c (hA1c) test, a blood test which measures blood sugar levels, administered by a health care professional in the past year. Data is obtained from the Dartmouth Atlas Data - Selected Primary Care Access and Quality Measures (2008-2019). This indicator is relevant because engaging in preventive behaviors allows for early detection and treatment of health problems. This indicator can also highlight a lack of access to preventive care, a lack of health knowledge, insufficient provider outreach, and/or social barriers preventing utilization of services. As of year 2019, 4,801 or 86.80% Medicare enrollees with diabetes have had an annual exam out of 5,531 Medicare enrollees with diabetes in the report area.



Report Area	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes with Annual Exam	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes with Annual Exam, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>5,531</b>	<b>4,801</b>	<b>86.80%</b>
Fayette County, PA	1,499	1,360	90.73%

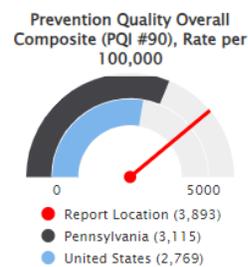
Harrison County, WV	1,174	1,017	86.63%
Marion County, WV	826	698	84.50%
Monongalia County, WV	857	704	82.15%
Preston County, WV	639	553	86.54%
Randolph County, WV	536	469	87.50%
Pennsylvania	137,722	122,969	89.29%
West Virginia	31,995	27,468	85.85%
United States	6,792,740	5,945,988	87.53%

Data Source: Dartmouth College Institute for Health Policy & Clinical Practice, *Dartmouth Atlas of Health Care*. 2019.



### Hospitalizations – Preventable Conditions

This indicator reports the unsmoothed, age-adjusted rate of Prevention Quality Overall Composite (PQI #90) among the Medicare Fee-For-Service (FFS) population for the year 2023. Data were sourced from the CMS Mapping Medicare Disparities (MMD) tool.



Report Area	FFS Beneficiaries	Prevention Quality Overall Composite (PQI #90), Total	Prevention Quality Overall Composite (PQI #90), Rate per 100,000
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>41,616</b>	<b>1,620</b>	<b>3,893</b>
Fayette County, PA	11,699	470	4,019
Harrison County, WV	8,159	316	3,874
Marion County, WV	6,528	340	5,204
Monongalia County, WV	6,932	283	4,087
Preston County, WV	4,262	126	2,949
Randolph County, WV	4,036	85	2,111
Pennsylvania	1,273,736	39,677	3,115
West Virginia	229,055	9,307	4,063
United States	30,900,366	855,631	2,769

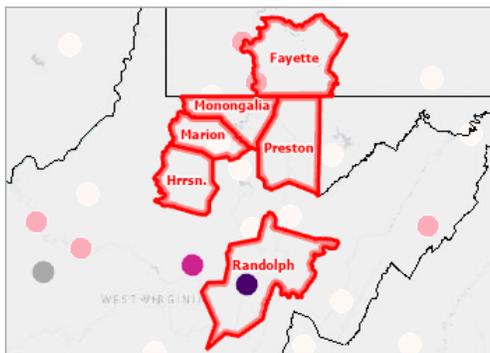
Data Source: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, *Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool*. 2022.

### Health Care - FQHC Area Served

This indicator provides details about the area served by Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC) and/or FQHC Look-alikes that operate within the report area. An FQHC is a federally funded nonprofit health center or clinic that serves a medically underserved area or populations Federally qualified health centers provide primary care services regardless of ability to pay. Services are provided on a sliding scale fee based on ability to pay. An FQHC may operate one or more service delivery sites and provide services to individual in multiple cities and/or counties. The list below displays the service-area (county based) of the FQHCs who operate any service-delivery sites within the report area.

Provider Name	Number of Service-Delivery Sites	Area Served (Counties)
CENTERVILLE CLINICS INC	40	Fayette, PA; Greene, PA; Washington, PA
CLAY BATTELLE HEALTH SERVICES ASSOC.	2	Monongalia, WV; Wetzell, WV
COMMUNITY CARE OF WEST VIRGINIA	79	Braxton, WV; Clay, WV; Harrison, WV; Lewis, WV; Pocahontas, WV; Randolph, WV; Upshur, WV
CORNERSTONE CARE	15	Allegheny, PA; Fayette, PA; Greene, PA; Washington, PA
MONONGAHELA VALLEY ASSOCIATION OF	6	Harrison, WV; Marion, WV
PENDLETON COMMUNITY CARE	8	Pendleton, WV; Randolph, WV
PRESTON-TAYLOR COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS, INC.	11	Grant, WV; Preston, WV; Taylor, WV; Tucker, WV
VALLEY HEALTH CARE, INC.	57	Cabell, WV; Kanawha, WV; Lawrence, OH; Lincoln, WV; Marion, WV; Mason, WV; Ohio, WV; Putnam, WV; Raleigh, WV; Randolph, WV; Wayne, WV
VALLEY HEALTH SYSTEMS, INC.	57	Cabell, WV; Kanawha, WV; Lawrence, OH; Lincoln, WV; Marion, WV; Mason, WV; Ohio, WV; Putnam, WV; Raleigh, WV; Randolph, WV; Wayne, WV
WESTERN MARYLAND HEALTH CARE CORPORATION	5	Allegany, MD; Garrett, MD; Preston, WV

Data Source: US Department of Health & Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration 2023



HRSA Facility Data - Total Patients, Total Patients, HRSA - Uniform Data System 2023

- Over 80,000
- 40,000 - 80,000
- 15,000 - 39,999
- Under 15,000
- No Data
- Report Location

### **Health Care – FQHC Patient Profile**

This indicator provides a demographic profile of patients seen in Federally Qualified Health Centers or FQHC Look-alikes that operate one or more service delivery sites within the report area.

Report Area	Total Patients	Under Age 18	Age 18-64	Age 65 and Older
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>262,194</b>	<b>25.39%</b>	<b>57.01%</b>	<b>17.60%</b>
Fayette County, PA	53,576	23.53%	55.03%	21.44%
Harrison County, WV	50,441	28.58%	55.42%	16.00%
Marion County, WV	14,427	27.11%	55.60%	17.29%
Monongalia County, WV	3,937	17.20%	57.58%	25.22%
Preston County, WV	20,878	14.84%	56.41%	28.75%
Randolph County, WV	118,932	26.80%	58.82%	14.38%
Pennsylvania	926,570	28.41%	57.88%	13.71%
West Virginia	602,053	24.09%	56.86%	19.06%
United States	29,685,584	29.30%	58.95%	11.93%

### **FQHC Patient Profile - Payer and Insurance Status**

Report Area	Medicare	Medicaid/CHIP	Other Third Party	Uninsured
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>15.77%</b>	<b>36.37%</b>	<b>36.78%</b>	<b>11.08%</b>
Fayette County, PA	20.07%	40.27%	31.14%	8.52%
Harrison County, WV	17.55%	34.91%	38.13%	9.40%
Marion County, WV	16.13%	39.94%	34.13%	9.79%
Monongalia County, WV	24.36%	23.80%	42.11%	9.73%
Preston County, WV	25.89%	24.24%	42.39%	7.47%
Randolph County, WV	10.97%	37.35%	37.90%	13.78%
Pennsylvania	14.33%	48.18%	24.91%	12.73%
West Virginia	19.30%	34.33%	37.75%	8.61%
United States	11.16%	50.10%	21.14%	17.65%

### **Health Care – FQHC Patient Services Profile**

This indicator provides an overview of patient services provided to individuals seen in Federally Qualified Health Centers or FQHC Look-alikes that operate one or more service delivery sites within the report area. Percentages may exceed 100% as patients may be seen for more than one type of service.

Report Area	Total Patients	Medical Patients	Dental Patients	Mental Health Patients
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>262,194</b>	<b>88.05%</b>	<b>18.81%</b>	<b>6.42%</b>
Fayette County, PA	53,576	72.01%	21.46%	8.50%
Harrison County, WV	50,441	97.10%	2.24%	6.54%
Marion County, WV	14,427	90.88%	13.82%	3.64%
Monongalia County, WV	3,937	85.37%	21.74%	8.00%
Preston County, WV	20,878	86.32%	18.41%	5.00%
Randolph County, WV	118,932	91.49%	25.22%	5.96%
Pennsylvania	926,570	80.62%	22.72%	8.72%
West Virginia	602,053	91.73%	12.95%	7.16%
United States	29,685,584	84.98%	20.17%	8.97%

### **Health Care – FQHC Preventative Services**

This indicator provides an overview of the prevalence of select preventative services utilization among patients seen in Federally Qualified Health Centers or [FQHC Look-alikes](#) that operate one or more service delivery sites within the report area. Percentages may exceed 100% as patients may be seen or more than one type of service.

Report Area	Total Patients	Cervical Cancer Screening	Breast Cancer Screening	Colorectal Cancer Screening	Childhood Immunization Status
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>262,194</b>	<b>42.33%</b>	<b>51.97%</b>	<b>44.54%</b>	<b>22.50%</b>
Fayette County, PA	53,576	36.13%	52.32%	52.59%	32.14%
Harrison County, WV	50,441	53.51%	60.47%	54.28%	29.61%
Marion County, WV	14,427	36.95%	49.77%	43.92%	19.78%
Monongalia County, WV	3,937	31.56%	53.60%	41.61%	No data
Preston County, WV	20,878	39.82%	56.16%	57.17%	No data
Randolph County, WV	118,932	41.83%	47.69%	34.74%	17.46%
Pennsylvania	926,570	50.59%	56.70%	44.23%	32.25%
West Virginia	602,053	47.31%	52.24%	44.95%	25.48%
United States	29,685,584	53.97%	51.42%	40.26%	31.44%

### **Health Care – FQHC Medical Conditions**

This indicator provides an overview of the prevalence of select medical conditions among patients seen in Federally Qualified Health Centers or [FQHC Look-alikes](#) that operate one or more service delivery sites within the report area. Percentages may exceed 100% as patients may be seen or more than one type of service.

Report Area	Total Patients	Diabetes	Hypertension	Asthma	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>262,194</b>	<b>14.39%</b>	<b>30.59%</b>	<b>4.81%</b>	<b>0.05%</b>
Fayette County, PA	53,576	18.75%	39.34%	4.86%	No data
Harrison County, WV	50,441	14.02%	26.51%	5.23%	0.04%
Marion County, WV	14,427	15.74%	32.73%	5.07%	0.06%
Monongalia County, WV	3,937	20.86%	40.15%	5.00%	0.00%
Preston County, WV	20,878	16.81%	40.72%	5.45%	No data
Randolph County, WV	118,932	11.78%	26.02%	4.47%	0.05%
Pennsylvania	926,570	16.11%	30.76%	6.86%	0.83%
West Virginia	602,053	16.05%	33.29%	4.48%	0.13%
United States	29,685,584	16.69%	28.48%	5.32%	0.95%

### **Health Care – FQHC Maternal and Child Health**

This indicator provides an overview of the prenatal and perinatal health measures among prenatal care patients seen in Federally Qualified Health Centers or FQHC Look-alikes that operate one or more service delivery sites within the report area.

Report Area	Total Prenatal Care Patients	Early Entry into Prenatal Care	Low and Very Low Birth Weight
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>2,213</b>	<b>89.93%</b>	<b>12.12%</b>
Fayette County, PA	0	No data	No data
Harrison County, WV	54	76.26%	No data
Marion County, WV	159	87.09%	12.12%

Monongalia County, WV	0	No data	No data
Preston County, WV	21	81.82%	No data
Randolph County, WV	1,977	90.62%	12.12%
Pennsylvania	11,843	73.77%	8.92%
West Virginia	6,008	86.93%	10.71%
United States	557,069	79.82%	8.62%

## Health Behaviors

Health behaviors such as poor diet, a lack of exercise, and substance abuse contribute to poor health status.

### Alcohol – Heavy Alcohol Consumption

In the report area, 62,310, or 18.35% adults self-report excessive drinking in the last 30 days, which is less than the state rate of 19.80%. Data for this indicator were based on survey responses to the 2022 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) annual survey and are used for the 2025 County Health Rankings. Excessive drinking is defined as the percentage of the population who report at least one binge drinking episode involving five or more drinks for men and four or more for women over the past 30 days, or heavy drinking involving more than two drinks per day for men and more than one per day for women, over the same time period. Alcohol use is a behavioral health issue that is also a risk factor for a number of negative health outcomes, including: physical injuries related to motor vehicle accidents, stroke, chronic diseases such as heart disease and cancer, and mental health conditions such as depression and suicide. There are a number of evidence-based interventions that may reduce excessive/binge drinking; examples include raising taxes on alcoholic beverages, restricting access to alcohol by limiting days and hours of retail sales, and screening and counseling for alcohol use disorder (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Preventing Excessive Alcohol Use, 2020).



Report Area	Population Age 18+	Adults Reporting Excessive Drinking	Percentage of Adults Reporting Excessive Drinking
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>339,521</b>	<b>62,310</b>	<b>18.35%</b>
Fayette County, PA	103,002	20,780	20.17%
Harrison County, WV	51,410	8,109	15.77%
Marion County, WV	44,915	7,864	17.51%
Monongalia County, WV	89,310	16,383	18.34%
Preston County, WV	28,155	5,076	18.03%
Randolph County, WV	22,729	4,095	18.02%
Pennsylvania	10,334,570	2,046,110	19.80%
West Virginia	1,428,183	235,224	16.47%
United States	259,718,875	50,260,536	19.35%

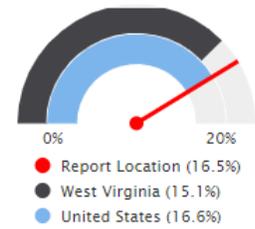
Data Source: University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute, County Health Rankings. 2022.

### Alcohol – Binge Drinking

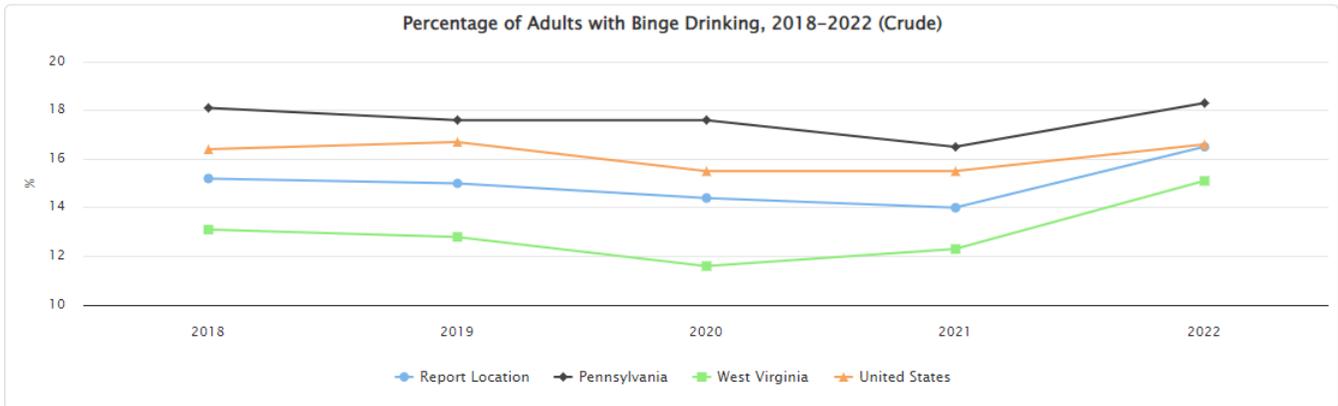
This indicator reports the percentage of adults age 18 and older who report having five or more drinks (men) or four or more drinks (women) on an occasion in the past 30 days. Within the report area there are 16.5% adults age 18+ who reported having four or more drinks in the last month of the total population age 18+.

Report Area	Total Population	Adults Age 18+ Binge Drinking in the Past 30 Days (Crude)	Adults Age 18+ Binge Drinking in the Past 30 Days (Age-Adjusted)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>415,263</b>	<b>16.5%</b>	<b>17.9%</b>
Fayette County, PA	125,755	16.6%	19.5%
Harrison County, WV	64,915	13.9%	15.9%
Marion County, WV	55,952	15.7%	17.2%
Monongalia County, WV	106,869	18.9%	17.8%
Preston County, WV	34,172	15.8%	17.5%
Randolph County, WV	27,600	15.4%	17.9%
Pennsylvania	12,972,008	18.3%	20.2%
West Virginia	1,775,156	15.1%	17.0%
United States	333,287,557	16.6%	18.0%

Percentage of Adults Age 18+ Binge Drinking in the Past 30 Days



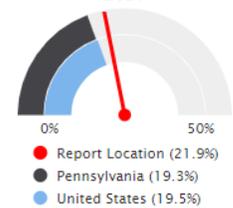
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### Physical Inactivity

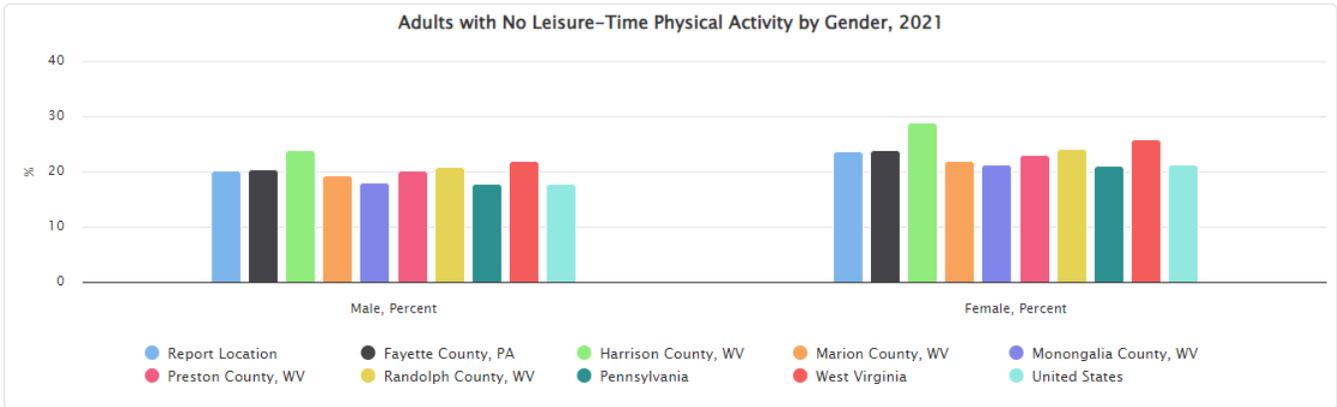
Within the report area, 75,322 or 21.9% of adults aged 20 and older self-report no active leisure time, based on the question: "During the past month, other than your regular job, did you participate in any physical activities or exercises such as running, calisthenics, golf, gardening, or walking for exercise?" This indicator is relevant because current behaviors are determinants of future health and this indicator may illustrate a cause of significant health issues, such as obesity and poor cardiovascular health.

Percentage of Adults with No Leisure-Time Physical Activity, 2021



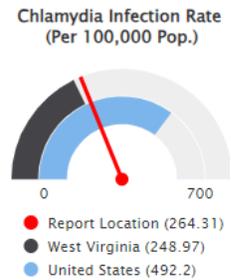
Report Area	Population Age 20+	Adults Age 20+ with No Leisure Time Physical Activity	Adults Age 20+ with No Leisure Time Physical Activity, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>No data</b>	<b>75,322</b>	<b>21.9%</b>
Fayette County, PA	No data	24,105	22.0%
Harrison County, WV	No data	14,039	26.3%
Marion County, WV	No data	9,502	20.6%
Monongalia County, WV	No data	16,034	19.6%
Preston County, WV	No data	6,304	21.5%
Randolph County, WV	No data	5,338	22.4%
Pennsylvania	No data	2,043,733	19.3%
West Virginia	1,381,111	353,488	23.8%
United States	232,759,569	47,072,403	19.5%

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion*. 2021.



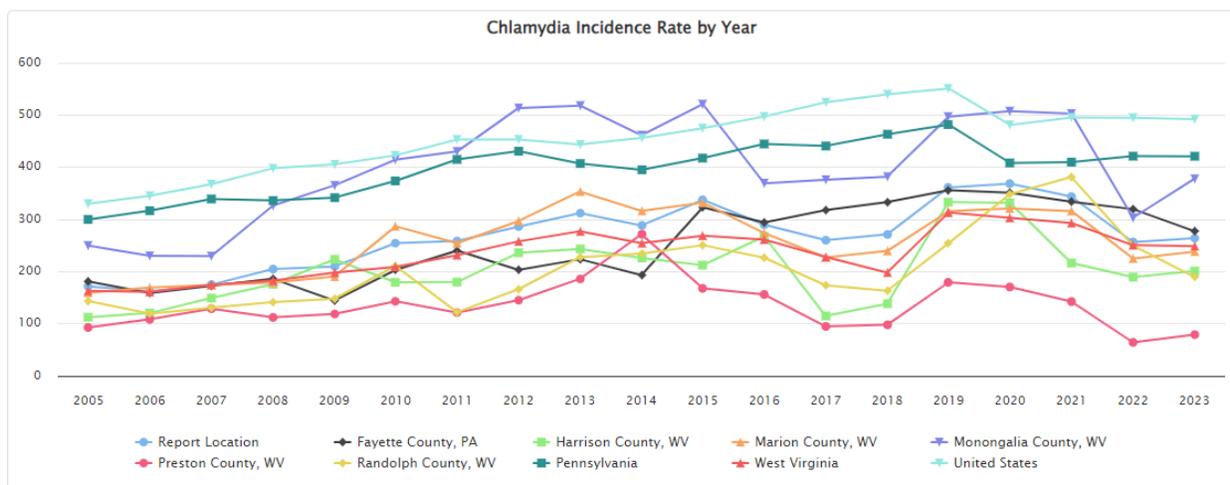
### STI – Chlamydia Incidence

This indicator reports the number chlamydia cases occurring in the report area. Rates are presented per 100,000 population. The number of cases is based on laboratory-confirmed diagnoses that occurred between January 1st and December 31st of the latest reporting year. These data are delivered to and analyzed by the CDC as part of the Nationally notifiable STD surveillance system.



Report Area	Total Population	Chlamydia Infections	Chlamydia Infections Rate per 100,000 Pop.
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>413,528</b>	<b>1,093</b>	<b>264.31</b>
Fayette County, PA	123,915	344	277.61
Harrison County, WV	64,639	130	201.12
Marion County, WV	55,807	133	238.32
Monongalia County, WV	107,718	407	377.84
Preston County, WV	34,099	27	79.18
Randolph County, WV	27,350	52	190.13
Pennsylvania	12,961,683	54,600	421.24
West Virginia	1,770,071	4,407	248.97
United States	334,914,895	1,648,568	492.2

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention*. 2023.



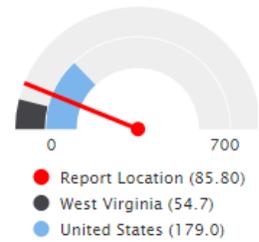
## STI – Gonorrhea Incidence

This indicator reports the number gonorrhea cases occurring in the report area. Rates are presented per 100,000 population. The number of cases is based on laboratory-confirmed diagnoses that occurred between January 1st and December 31st of the latest reporting year. These data are delivered to and analyzed by the CDC as part of the Nationally notifiable STD surveillance system.

Report Area	Total Population	Gonorrhea Infections	Gonorrhea Infections Rate per 100,000 Pop.
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>413,528</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>85.80</b>
Fayette County, PA	123,915	147	118.6
Harrison County, WV	64,639	49	75.8
Marion County, WV	55,807	34	60.9
Monongalia County, WV	107,718	116	107.7
Preston County, WV	34,099	3	8.8
Randolph County, WV	27,350	6	21.9
Pennsylvania	12,961,683	18,758	144.7
West Virginia	1,770,071	968	54.7
United States	334,914,895	599,604	179.0

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Gonorrhea Infection Rate (Per 100,000 Pop.)



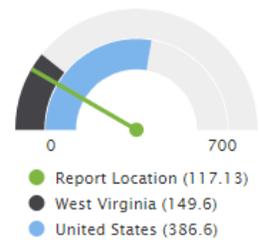
## STI – HIV Incidence

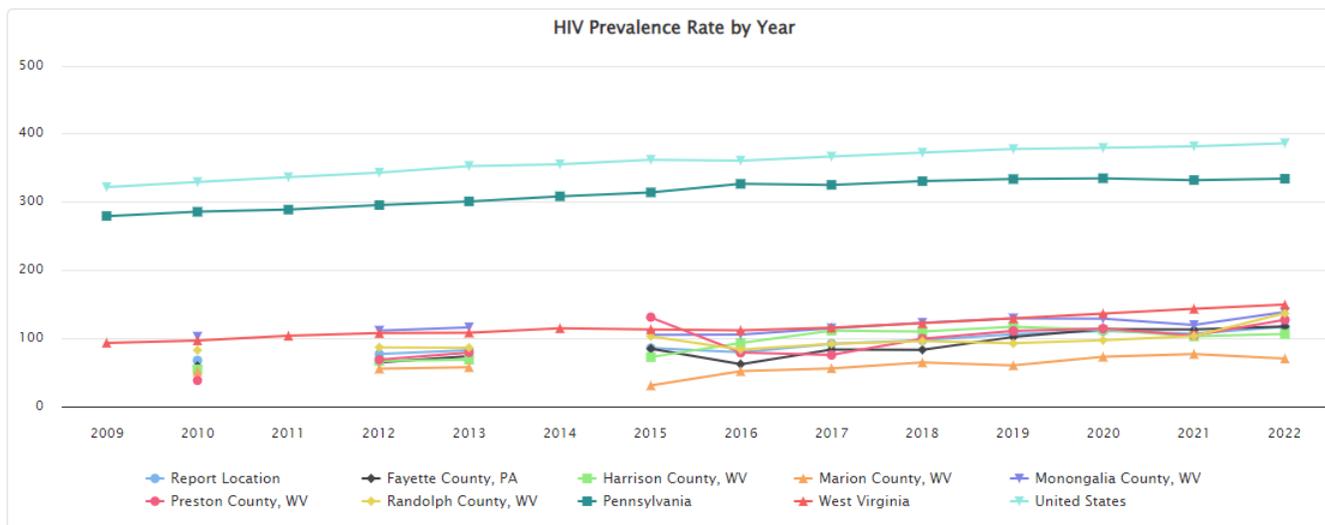
This indicator reports the prevalence of HIV in the report area as a rate per 100,000 population over age 13. The data reflect persons living with diagnosed HIV infection at the end of the latest reporting year, or persons living with infection ever classified as stage 3 (AIDS) at the end of the latest report year.

Report Area	Population Age 13+	Population with HIV / AIDS	Population with HIV / AIDS Rate per 100,000 Pop.
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>361,123</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>117.13</b>
Fayette County, PA	108,919	128	117.5
Harrison County, WV	55,446	59	106.4
Marion County, WV	48,199	34	70.5
Monongalia County, WV	94,600	131	138.5
Preston County, WV	29,857	38	127.3
Randolph County, WV	24,102	33	136.9
Pennsylvania	11,134,682	37,233	334.4
West Virginia	1,530,380	2,289	149.6
United States	282,494,087	1,092,023	386.6

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention*. 2022.

Population with HIV / AIDS, Rate per 100,000 Pop.

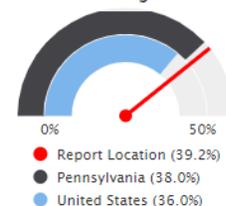




### Insufficient Sleep

This indicator reports the percentage of adults age 18 and older who report usually getting insufficient sleep (<7 hours for those aged =18 years, on average, during a 24-hour period). Within the report area there are 39.2% adults age 18+ sleeping less than 7 hours on average of the total population of the total population age 18+.

Percentage of Adults Age 18+ Sleeping Less Than 7 Hours on Average



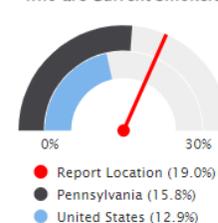
Report Area	Total Population (2020)	Adults Age 18+ Sleeping Less Than 7 Hours on Average (Crude)	Adults Age 18+ Sleeping Less Than 7 Hours on Average (Age-Adjusted)
Report Location	415,263	39.2%	40.4%
Fayette County, PA	125,755	38.2%	39.8%
Harrison County, WV	64,915	39.0%	40.1%
Marion County, WV	55,952	40.2%	41.1%
Monongalia County, WV	106,869	39.0%	40.1%
Preston County, WV	34,172	38.7%	39.6%
Randolph County, WV	27,600	43.3%	44.8%
Pennsylvania	12,972,008	38.0%	39.2%
West Virginia	1,775,156	40.7%	42.0%
United States	333,287,557	36.0%	36.8%

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System*. Accessed via the *PLACES data Portal*. 2022.

### Tobacco Usage - Current Smokers

This indicator reports the percentage of adults age 18 and older who report having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetime and currently smoke every day or some days. Within the report area there are 19.0% adults age 18+ who have smoked and currently smoke of the total population age 18+.

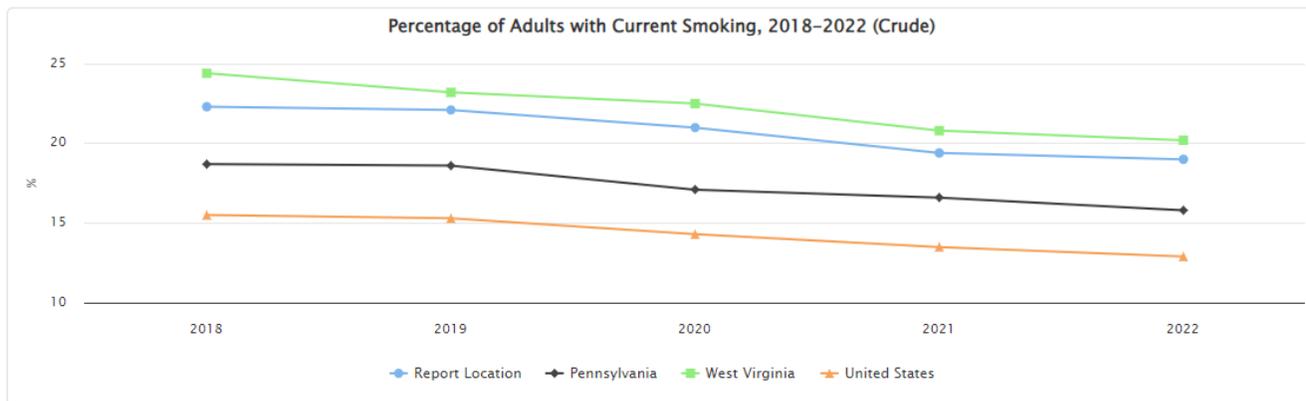
Percentage of Adults Age 18+ who are Current Smokers



Report Area	Total Population	Adults Age 18+ as Current Smokers (Crude)	Adults Age 18+ as Current Smokers (Age-Adjusted)
Report Location	415,263	19.0%	19.9%
Fayette County, PA	125,755	20.7%	21.4%
Harrison County, WV	64,915	19.5%	20.0%
Marion County, WV	55,952	18.9%	19.3%

Monongalia County, WV	106,869	15.1%	17.2%
Preston County, WV	34,172	22.8%	23.1%
Randolph County, WV	27,600	20.1%	21.0%
Pennsylvania	12,972,008	15.8%	16.4%
West Virginia	1,775,156	20.2%	21.0%
United States	333,287,557	12.9%	13.2%
Report Location	415,263	<b>19.0%</b>	19.9%

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System*. Accessed via the *PLACES data Portal*. 2022.



## Health Outcomes

Measuring morbidity and mortality rates allows assessing linkages between social determinants of health and outcomes. By comparing, for example, the prevalence of certain chronic diseases to indicators in other categories (e.g., poor diet and exercise) with outcomes (e.g., high rates of obesity and diabetes), various causal relationships may emerge, allowing a better understanding of how certain community health needs may be addressed.

### Birth Outcomes - Low Birth Weight (CDC)

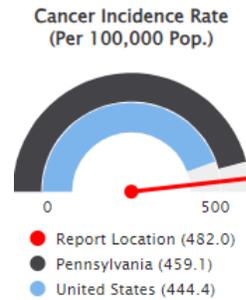
This indicator reports the percentage of live births where the infant weighed less than 2,500 grams (approximately 5 lbs., 8 oz.). These data are reported for a 7-year aggregated time period. Data were from the National Center for Health Statistics - Natality Files (2017-2023) and are used for the 2025 County Health Rankings.

Report Area	Total Live Births	Low Birthweight Births	Low Birthweight Births, Percentage
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>No data</b>	<b>No data</b>	<b>No data</b>
Fayette County, PA	8,536	817	9.6%
Harrison County, WV	4,748	433	9.1%
Marion County, WV	3,893	369	9.5%
Monongalia County, WV	7,059	578	8.2%
Preston County, WV	2,143	217	10.1%
Randolph County, WV	1,913	178	9.3%
Pennsylvania	925,841	77,602	8.4%
West Virginia	123,062	11,855	9.6%
United States	25,914,651	2,176,957	8.4%

Data Source: University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute, *County Health Rankings*. 2017-2023.

## Cancer Incidence – All Sites

This indicator reports the age adjusted incidence rate (cases per 100,000 population per year) of cancer (all sites) adjusted to 2000 U.S. standard population age groups (Under age 1, 1-4, 5-9, ..., 80-84, 85 and older). Within the report area, there were 2,659 new cases of cancer reported. This means there is a rate of 482.0 for every 100,000 total population.



Report Area	Estimated Total Population	New Cases (Annual Average)	Cancer Incidence Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>551,670</b>	<b>2,659</b>	<b>482.0</b>
Fayette County, PA	192,417	873	453.7
Harrison County, WV	92,036	490	532.4
Marion County, WV	74,603	376	504.0
Monongalia County, WV	103,649	480	463.1
Preston County, WV	47,458	225	474.1
Randolph County, WV	41,505	215	518.0
Pennsylvania	17,304,291	79,444	459.1
West Virginia	2,522,866	12,357	489.8
United States	392,542,529	1,744,459	444.4

Data Source: *State Cancer Profiles, 2017-21.*

## Top Five Most Commonly Diagnosed Cancers

The table below shows counts and age-adjusted incidence rates of the five most common newly diagnosed cancers by site for the 5-year period 2017-2021.

	Fayette PA			Harrison			Marion		
	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate
1	All Cancer Sites	873	453.7	All Cancer Sites	490	532.4	All Cancer Sites	376	504
2	Lung & Bronchus	143	68.4	Lung & Bronchus	84	85.3	Lung & Bronchus	61	75.1
3	Breast	106	111.2	Breast	63	136.9	Breast	47	124.1
4	Colon & Rectum	83	43.5	Prostate	53	112.6	Prostate	41	102.9
5	Prostate	76	273.5	Colon & Rectum	50	55.7	Colon & Rectum	36	49.4

\*(All Stages^), 2017-2021

	Monongalia			Preston			Randolph		
	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate
1	All Cancer Sites	480	463.1	All Cancer Sites	225	474.1	All Cancer Sites	215	518
2	Breast	75	146.6	Prostate	32	125	Lung & Bronchus	37	82.5
3	Lung & Bronchus	57	53.3	Lung & Bronchus	32	63.3	Prostate	30	126.4
4	Prostate	56	105.4	Breast	31	137.3	Breast	27	138.5
5	Colon & Rectum	40	38.8	Colon & Rectum	21	44.6	Colon & Rectum	19	46.8

\*(All Stages^), 2017-2021

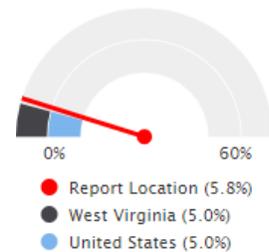
	Pennsylvania			West Virginia			US		
	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate	Cancer Site*	New Cases	Cancer Incidence Rate
1	Breast	11,354	131.2	Lung & Bronchus	2,067	76.1	Breast	258,398	129.8
2	Lung & Bronchus	10,599	57.8	Breast	1,566	124.7	Prostate	224,883	113.2
3	Prostate	9,701	109.2	Prostate	1,336	99.7	Lung & Bronchus	216,523	53.1
4	Colon & Rectum	6,343	37.2	Colon & Rectum	1,100	44.3	Colon & Rectum	140,088	36.4
5	Bladder	3,893	21.5	Bladder	569	21.3	Melanoma of the Skin	86,630	22.7

\*(All Stages^), 2017-2021

### Chronic Conditions – Asthma (Medicare Population)

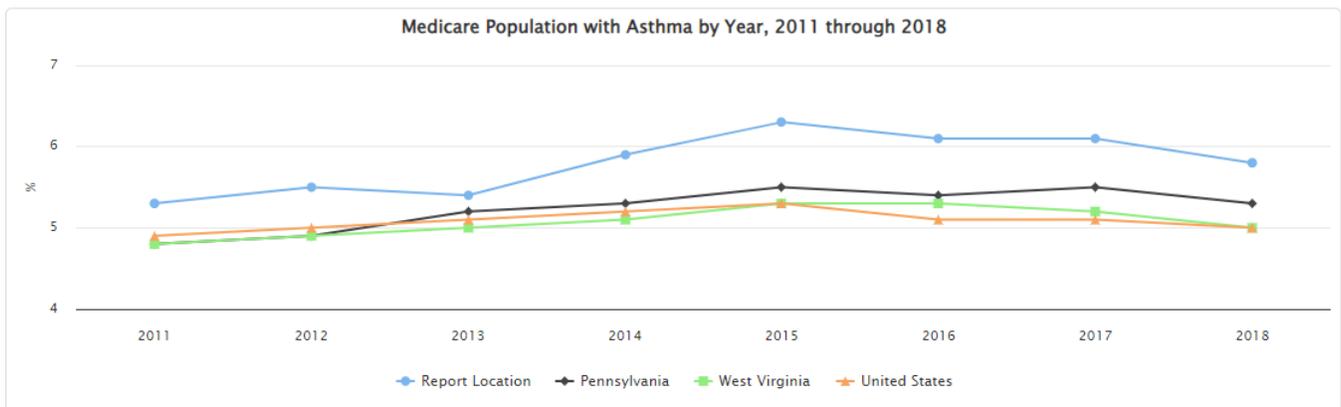
This indicator reports the number and percentage of the Medicare Fee-for-Service population with asthma. Data are based upon Medicare administrative enrollment and claims data for Medicare beneficiaries enrolled in the Fee-for-Service program. Within the report area, there were 2,810 beneficiaries with asthma based on administrative claims data in the latest report year. This represents 5.8% of the total Medicare Fee-for-Service beneficiaries.

Percentage of Medicare Beneficiaries with Asthma



Report Area	Total Medicare Fee-for-Service Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries with Asthma	Percentage with Asthma
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>48,770</b>	<b>2,810</b>	<b>5.8%</b>
Fayette County, PA	12,915	532	4.1%
Harrison County, WV	10,207	565	5.5%
Marion County, WV	7,874	437	5.5%
Monongalia County, WV	7,586	632	8.3%
Preston County, WV	5,074	295	5.8%
Randolph County, WV	5,114	349	6.8%
Pennsylvania	1,360,967	72,353	5.3%
West Virginia	276,812	13,901	5.0%
United States	33,499,472	1,665,694	5.0%

Data Source: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, *CMS Geographic Variation Public Use File*, 2018.



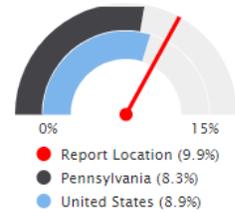
### Chronic Conditions – Diabetes Prevalence (Adult)

This indicator reports the number and percentage of adults age 20 and older who have ever been told by a doctor that they have diabetes. This indicator is relevant because diabetes is a prevalent problem in the U.S.; it may indicate an unhealthy lifestyle and puts

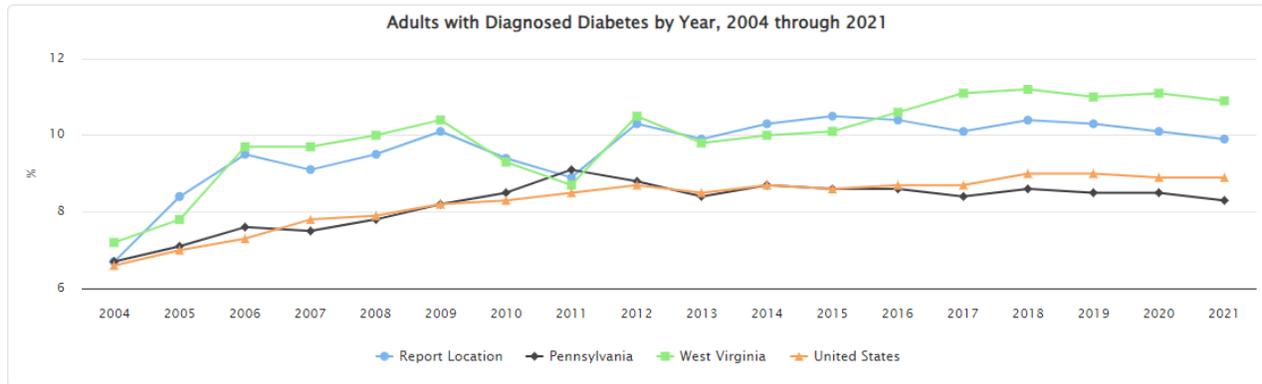
individuals at risk for further health issues. Within the report area, 37,366 of adults age 20 and older have diabetes. This represents 9.9% of all the adults age 20+.

Report Area	Population Age 20+	Adults Age 20+ with Diagnosed Diabetes	Adults Age 20+ with Diagnosed Diabetes, Age-Adjusted Rate
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>324,381</b>	<b>37,366</b>	<b>9.9%</b>
Fayette County, PA	99,853	10,185	8%
Harrison County, WV	49,734	7,858	13%
Marion County, WV	43,037	5,853	11.6%
Monongalia County, WV	82,685	7,359	9.3%
Preston County, WV	27,195	3,617	10.9%
Randolph County, WV	21,877	2,494	9.1%
Pennsylvania	9,950,438	978,647	8.3%
West Virginia	1,380,294	183,606	10.9%
United States	232,706,003	23,263,962	8.9%

Percentage of Adults Age 20+ with Diagnosed Diabetes (Age-Adjusted), 2021



Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion*. 2021.

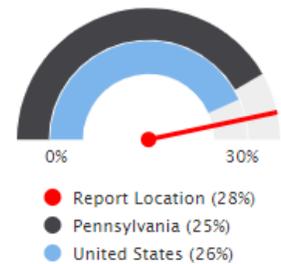


### Chronic Conditions - Diabetes Prevalence (Medicare Population)

This indicator reports the unsmoothed age-adjusted rate of diabetes prevalence for Medicare FFS population in 2023. Data were obtained from the CMS Mapping Medicare Disparities tool.

Report Area	FFS Beneficiaries	Diabetes Prevalence, Total	Diabetes Prevalence, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>41,616</b>	<b>11,549</b>	<b>28%</b>
Fayette County, PA	11,699	3,159	27%
Harrison County, WV	8,159	2,448	30%
Marion County, WV	6,528	1,763	27%
Monongalia County, WV	6,932	1,733	25%
Preston County, WV	4,262	1,236	29%
Randolph County, WV	4,036	1,211	30%
Pennsylvania	1,273,736	318,434	25%
West Virginia	229,055	68,717	30%
United States	30,900,366	8,034,095	26%

Diabetes Prevalence, Percent



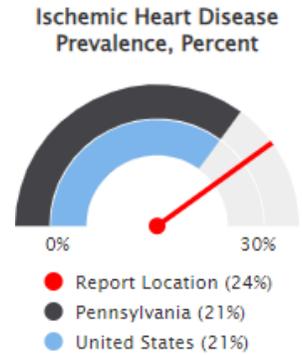
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### **Chronic Conditions - Heart Disease (Medicare Population)**

This indicator reports the unsmoothed age-adjusted rate of ischemic heart disease prevalence for Medicare FFS population in 2023. Data were obtained from the CMS Mapping Medicare Disparities tool.

Report Area	FFS Beneficiaries	Ischemic Heart Disease Prevalence, Total	Ischemic Heart Disease Prevalence, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>41,616</b>	<b>9,884</b>	<b>24%</b>
Fayette County, PA	11,699	2,574	22%
Harrison County, WV	8,159	1,958	24%
Marion County, WV	6,528	1,697	26%
Monongalia County, WV	6,932	1,664	24%
Preston County, WV	4,262	1,023	24%
Randolph County, WV	4,036	969	24%
Pennsylvania	1,273,736	267,485	21%
West Virginia	229,055	57,264	25%
United States	30,900,366	6,489,077	21%

Data Source: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, *Mapping Medicare Disparities Tool*. 2023.

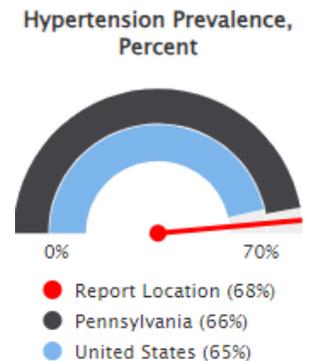


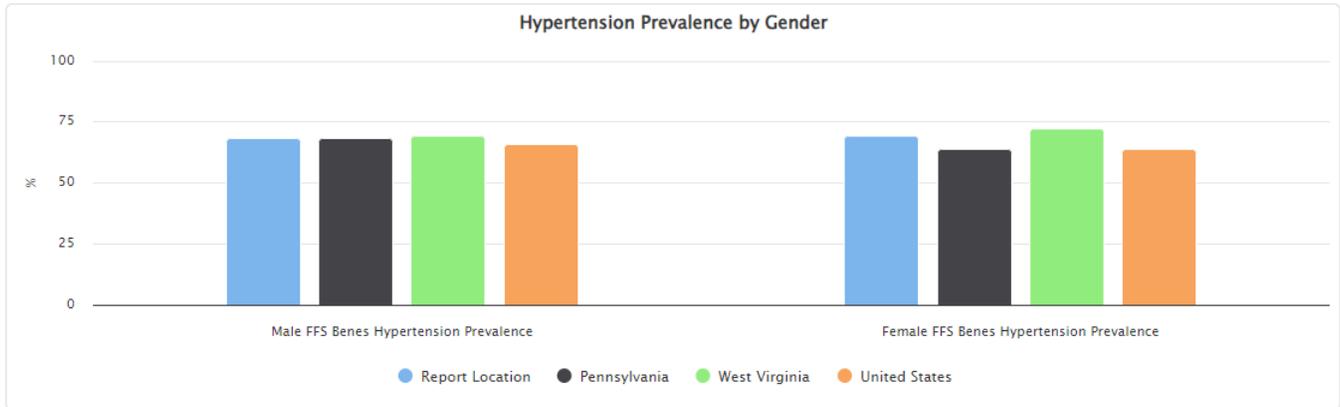
### **Chronic Conditions - High Blood Pressure (Medicare Population)**

This indicator reports the unsmoothed age-adjusted rate of hypertension prevalence for Medicare FFS population in 2023. Data were obtained from the CMS Mapping Medicare Disparities tool.

Report Area	FFS Beneficiaries	Hypertension Prevalence, Total	Hypertension Prevalence, Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>41,616</b>	<b>28,457</b>	<b>68%</b>
Fayette County, PA	11,699	8,072	69%
Harrison County, WV	8,159	5,630	69%
Marion County, WV	6,528	4,374	67%
Monongalia County, WV	6,932	4,575	66%
Preston County, WV	4,262	2,941	69%
Randolph County, WV	4,036	2,866	71%
Pennsylvania	1,273,736	840,666	66%
West Virginia	229,055	160,339	70%
United States	30,900,366	20,085,238	65%

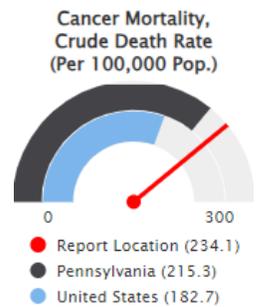
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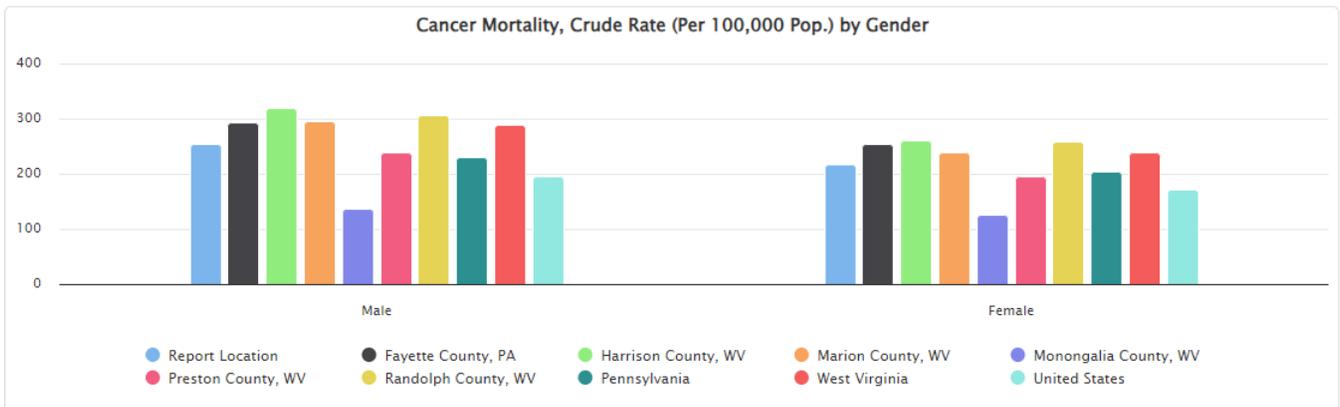
**Mortality – Cancer**

This indicator reports the 2019-2023 five-year average rate of death due to malignant neoplasm (cancer) per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because cancer is a leading cause of death in the United States. Within the report area, there are a total of 4,882 deaths due to cancer. This represents a crude death rate of 234.1 per every 100,000 total population.



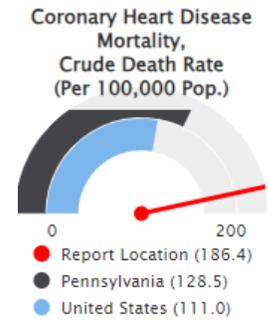
Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>4,882</b>	<b>234.1</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	1,729	272.7
Harrison County, WV	65,768	950	288.9
Marion County, WV	55,959	743	265.6
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	697	130.7
Preston County, WV	33,888	368	217.2
Randolph County, WV	27,968	395	282.5
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	138,821	215.3
West Virginia	1,781,024	23,448	263.3
United States	331,563,969	3,028,887	182.7

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Vital Statistics System*. Accessed via *CDC WONDER*. 2019-2023.



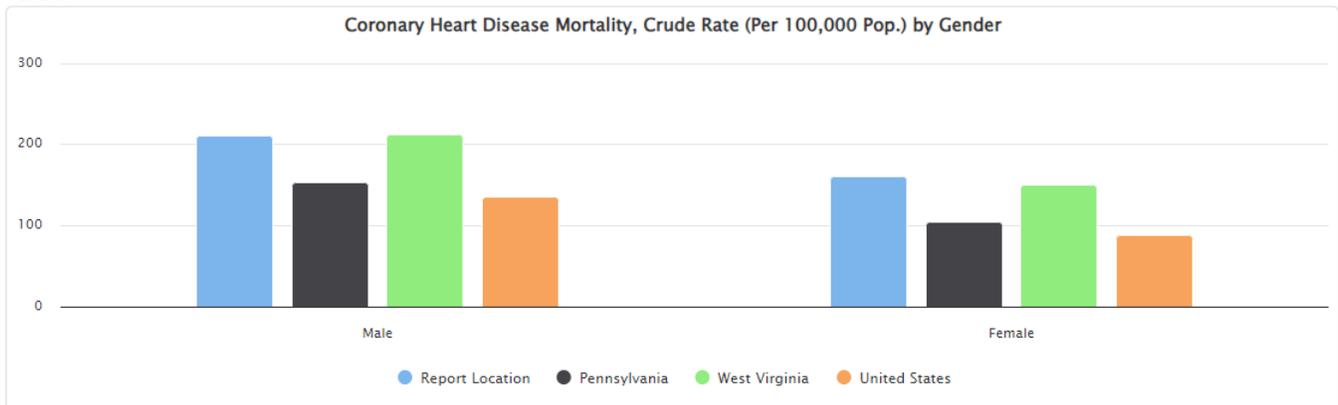
### **Mortality – Coronary Heart Disease**

This indicator reports the 2019-2023 five-year average rate of death due to coronary heart disease (ICD10 Codes I20-I25) per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because coronary heart disease is a leading cause of death in the United States. Within the report area, there are a total of 3,887 deaths due to coronary heart disease. This represents a crude death rate of 186.4 per every 100,000 total population.



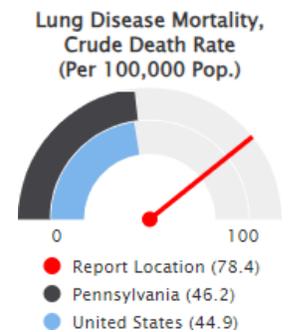
Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>3,887</b>	<b>186.4</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	1,404	221.4
Harrison County, WV	65,768	691	210.1
Marion County, WV	55,959	640	228.7
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	544	102.0
Preston County, WV	33,888	322	190.0
Randolph County, WV	27,968	286	204.5
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	82,861	128.5
West Virginia	1,781,024	16,098	180.8
United States	331,563,969	1,840,172	111.0

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Vital Statistics System*. Accessed via *CDC WONDER*, 2019-2023.



### **Mortality - Lung Disease**

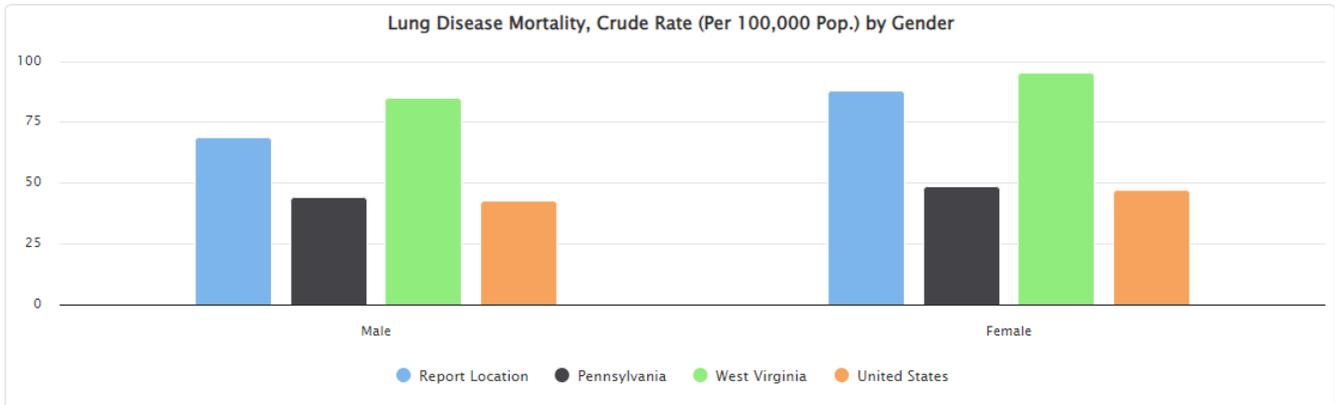
This indicator reports the 2019-2023 five-year average rate of death due to chronic lower respiratory disease per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because lung disease is a leading cause of death in the United States. Within the report area, there are a total of 1,634 deaths due to lung disease. This represents a crude death rate of 78.4 per every 100,000 total population.



Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>1,634</b>	<b>78.4</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	563	88.8
Harrison County, WV	65,768	317	96.4
Marion County, WV	55,959	248	88.6
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	217	40.7

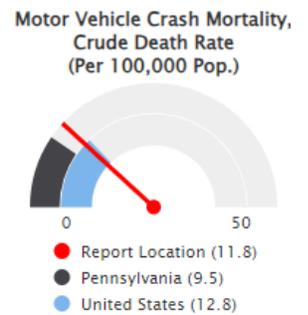
Preston County, WV	33,888	155	91.5
Randolph County, WV	27,968	134	95.8
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	29,818	46.2
West Virginia	1,781,024	8,027	90.1
United States	331,563,969	744,717	44.9

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Vital Statistics System*. Accessed via *CDC WONDER*, 2019-2023.



### Mortality – Motor Vehicle Crash

This indicator reports the 2019-2023 five-year average rate of death due to motor vehicle crash per 100,000 population, which include collisions with another motor vehicle, a nonmotorist, a fixed object, and a non-fixed object, an overturn, and any other non-collision. Figures are reported as crude rates. This indicator is relevant because motor vehicle crash deaths are preventable and they are a cause of premature death. Within the report area, there are a total of 246 deaths due to motor vehicle crash. This represents a crude death rate of 11.8 per every 100,000 total population. Fatality counts are based on the decedent's residence and not the location of the crash.

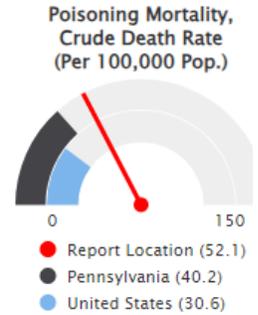


Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>11.8</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	94	14.8
Harrison County, WV	65,768	34	10.3
Marion County, WV	55,959	32	11.4
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	32	6.0
Preston County, WV	33,888	28	16.5
Randolph County, WV	27,968	26	18.6
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	6,140	9.5
West Virginia	1,781,024	1,383	15.5
United States	331,563,969	211,504	12.8

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Vital Statistics System*. Accessed via *CDC WONDER*, 2019-2023.

## **Mortality – Poisoning**

This indicator reports the 2019-2023 five-year average rate of death due to poisoning (including drug overdose) per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because poisoning deaths, especially from drug overdose, are a national public health emergency. Within the report area, there are a total of 1,086 deaths due to poisoning. This represents a crude death rate of 52.1 per every 100,000 total population.



Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>1,086</b>	<b>52.1</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	387	61.0
Harrison County, WV	65,768	214	65.1
Marion County, WV	55,959	165	59.0
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	209	39.2
Preston County, WV	33,888	66	39.0
Randolph County, WV	27,968	45	32.2
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	25,903	40.2
West Virginia	1,781,024	6,554	73.6
United States	331,563,969	506,909	30.6

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *National Vital Statistics System*. Accessed via *CDC WONDER*. 2019-2023.

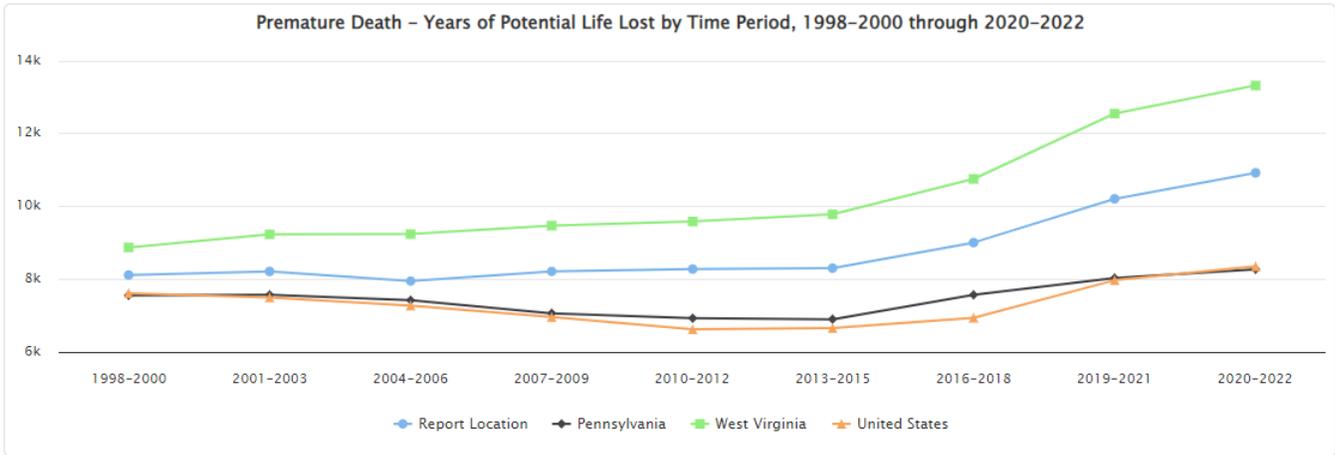
## **Mortality – Premature Death**

This indicator reports the Years of Potential Life Lost (YPLL) before age 75 per 100,000 population for all causes of death. Figures are reported as rates age-adjusted to year 2000 standard. YPLL measures premature death and is calculated by subtracting the age of death from the 75 year benchmark. Data were from the National Center for Health Statistics - Mortality Files (2020-2022) and are used for the 2025 County Health Rankings. This indicator is relevant because a measure of premature death can provide a unique and comprehensive look at overall health status. Within the report area, there are a total of 8,269 premature deaths from 2020 to 2022. This represents an age-adjusted rate of 10,708 years potential life lost before age 75 per every 100,000 total population.



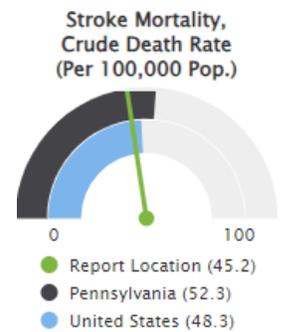
Report Area	Premature Deaths, 2019-2021	Years of Potential Life Lost, 2019-2021	Years of Potential Life Lost, Rate per 100,000 Population
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>8,269</b>	<b>123,499</b>	<b>10,708</b>
Fayette County, PA	3,121	43,751	12,648
Harrison County, WV	1,492	21,443	11,897
Marion County, WV	1,168	17,195	11,153
Monongalia County, WV	1,217	22,675	7,459
Preston County, WV	683	10,580	11,315
Randolph County, WV	588	7,856	10,398
Pennsylvania	195,063	2,945,604	8,274
West Virginia	42,671	652,212	13,324
United States	4,763,989	77,421,586	8,367

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, *CDC National Vital Statistics system*. Accessed via *County Health Rankings*. 2020-2022.



**Mortality - Stroke**

This indicator reports the 2019–2023 five-year average rate of death due to cerebrovascular disease (stroke) per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because stroke is a leading cause of death in the United States. Within the report area, there are a total of 942 deaths due to stroke. This represents a crude death rate of 45.2 per every 100,000 total population.

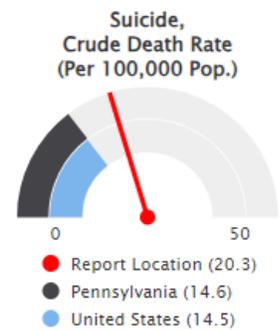


Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>942</b>	<b>45.2</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	360	56.8
Harrison County, WV	65,768	138	42.0
Marion County, WV	55,959	130	46.5
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	143	26.8
Preston County, WV	33,888	78	46.0
Randolph County, WV	27,968	93	66.5
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	33,730	52.3
West Virginia	1,781,024	5,168	58.0
United States	331,563,969	801,191	48.3

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Vital Statistics System. Accessed via CDC WONDER. 2019-2023.

**Mortality - Suicide**

This indicator reports the 2019–2023 five-year average rate of death due to intentional self-harm (suicide) per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because suicide is an indicator of poor mental health. Within the report area, there are a total of 423 deaths due to suicide. This represents a crude death rate of 20.3 per every 100,000 total population.



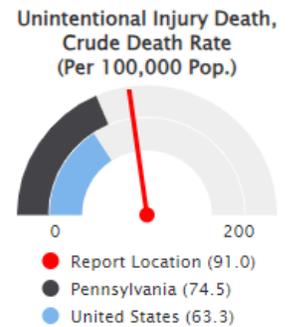
Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>20.3</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	140	22.1
Harrison County, WV	65,768	80	24.3

Marion County, WV	55,959	49	17.5
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	68	12.8
Preston County, WV	33,888	43	25.4
Randolph County, WV	27,968	43	30.8
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	9,406	14.6
West Virginia	1,781,024	1,761	19.8
United States	331,563,969	240,465	14.5

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, [National Vital Statistics System](#). Accessed via [CDC WONDER](#). 2019-2023..

### **Mortality – Unintentional Injury (Accident)**

This indicator reports the 2019-2023 five-year average rate of death due to unintentional injury per 100,000 population. Figures are reported as crude rates. Rates are resummarized for report areas from county level data, only where data is available. This indicator is relevant because unintentional injuries are a leading cause of death in the United States. Within the report area, there are a total of 1,897 deaths due to unintentional injury. This represents a crude death rate of 91.0 per every 100,000 total population.

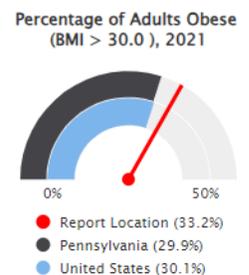


Report Area	Total Population, 2019-2023 Average	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>417,063</b>	<b>1,897</b>	<b>91.0</b>
Fayette County, PA	126,800	714	112.6
Harrison County, WV	65,768	336	102.2
Marion County, WV	55,959	274	97.9
Monongalia County, WV	106,681	314	58.9
Preston County, WV	33,888	139	82.0
Randolph County, WV	27,968	120	85.8
Pennsylvania	12,896,598	48,014	74.5
West Virginia	1,781,024	10,997	123.5
United States	331,563,969	1,048,667	63.3

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, [National Vital Statistics System](#). Accessed via [CDC WONDER](#). 2019-2023.

### **Obesity**

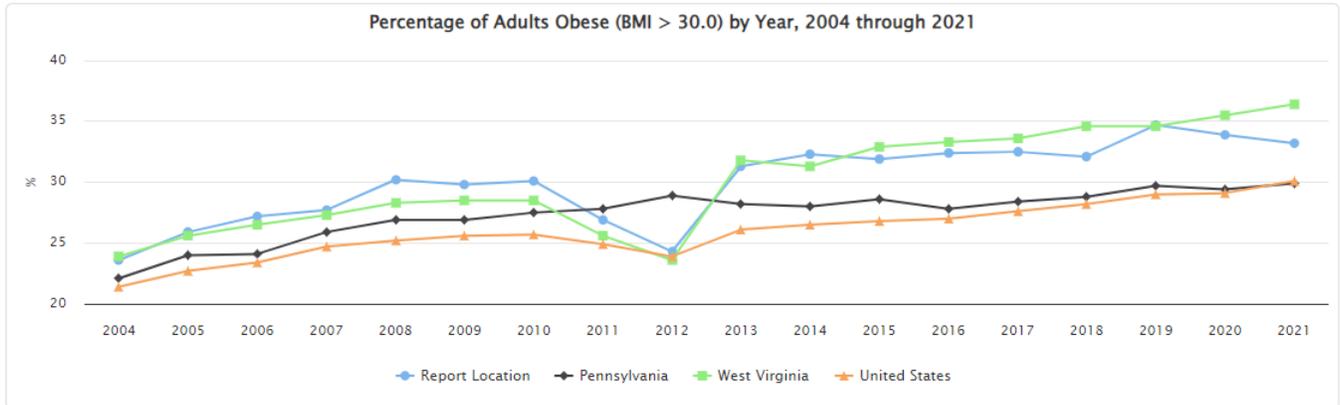
This indicator reports the number and percentage of adults aged 20 and older self-report having a Body Mass Index (BMI) greater than 30.0 (obese). Respondents were considered obese if their Body Mass Index (BMI) was 30 or greater. Body mass index (weight [kg]/height [m]<sup>2</sup>) was derived from self-report of height and weight. Excess weight may indicate an unhealthy lifestyle and puts individuals at risk for further health issues. Within the report area, there are a total of 108,138 adults age 20 and older who self-reported having a BMI greater than 30.0. This represents a 33.2% of the survey population.



Report Area	Population Age 20+	Adults with BMI > 30.0 (Obese)	Adults with BMI > 30.0 (Obese), Percent
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>325,590</b>	<b>108,138</b>	<b>33.2%</b>
Fayette County, PA	100,386	29,413	29.2%
Harrison County, WV	49,893	18,211	36.4%

Marion County, WV	43,030	15,577	36.3%
Monongalia County, WV	83,128	26,019	31.6%
Preston County, WV	27,223	11,352	41.6%
Randolph County, WV	21,930	7,566	34.5%
Pennsylvania	9,949,130	2,983,059	29.9%
West Virginia	1,381,296	503,126	36.4%
United States	232,757,930	70,168,831	30.1%

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion. 2021.

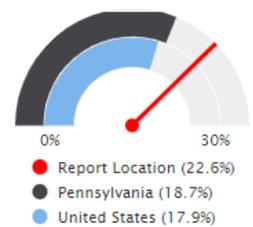


### Poor or Fair Health

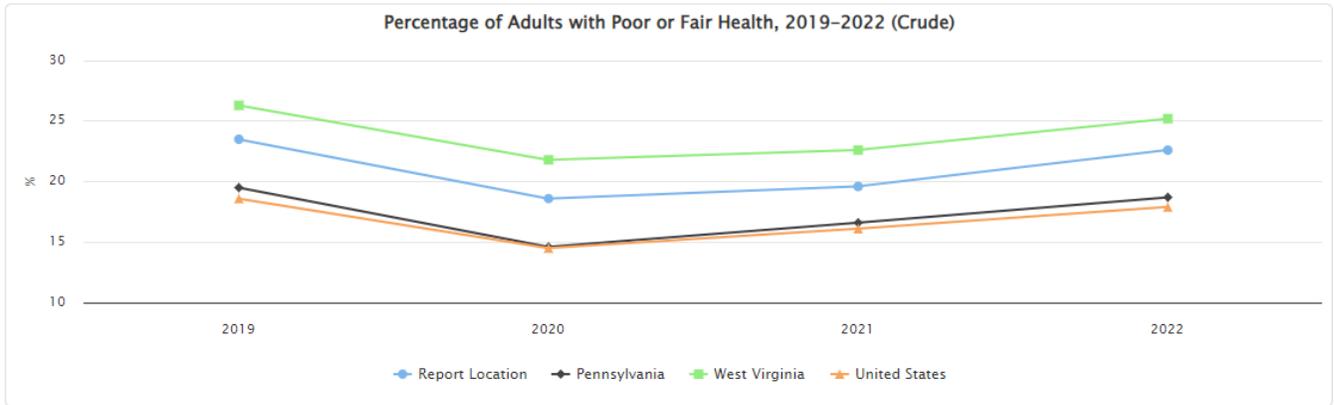
This indicator reports the number and percentage of adults age 18 and older who self-report their general health status as “fair” or “poor.” In this report area, the estimated prevalence of fair or poor health among adults aged 18 years and older was 22.6%.

Report Area	Total Population	Adults Age 18+ with Poor or Fair General Health (Crude)	Adults Age 18+ with Poor or Fair General Health (Age-Adjusted)
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>415,263</b>	<b>22.6%</b>	<b>21.5%</b>
Fayette County, PA	125,755	22.8%	20.6%
Harrison County, WV	64,915	23.7%	21.7%
Marion County, WV	55,952	24.0%	21.9%
Monongalia County, WV	106,869	19.2%	20.6%
Preston County, WV	34,172	26.8%	25.1%
Randolph County, WV	27,600	24.9%	22.7%
Pennsylvania	12,972,008	18.7%	17.6%
West Virginia	1,775,156	25.2%	23.3%
United States	333,287,557	17.9%	17.0%

Percentage of Adults Age 18+ with Poor or Fair General Health



Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System. Accessed via County Health Rankings. 2022.

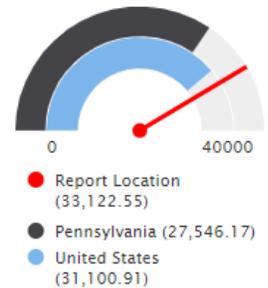


## Special Topics – COVID-19

### COVID-19 – Confirmed Cases

This indicator reports incidence rate of confirmed COVID-19 cases per 100,000 population. Data for this indicator reflect the total confirmed cases since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic until the dataset discontinuation in March, 2023. Data are obtained from the Johns Hopkins University data feed. In the report area, there have been 140,166 total confirmed cases of COVID-19. The rate of confirmed cases is 33,122.55 per 100,000 population, which is greater than the state average of 27,546.17. Data are current as of 03/10/2023.

COVID-19 Cases, Rate per 100,000 Population



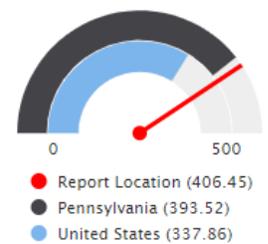
Report Area	Total Population	Total Confirmed Cases	Confirmed Cases, Rate per 100,000 Population	Last Update
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>423,174</b>	<b>140,166</b>	<b>33,122.55</b>	<b>03/10/2023</b>
Fayette County, PA	130,441	39,057	29,942.27	03/10/2023
Harrison County, WV	67,554	26,120	38,665.36	03/10/2023
Marion County, WV	56,097	20,364	36,301.41	03/10/2023
Monongalia County, WV	106,420	31,434	29,537.68	03/10/2023
Preston County, WV	33,839	11,090	32,772.84	03/10/2023
Randolph County, WV	28,823	12,101	41,983.83	03/10/2023
Pennsylvania	12,807,060	3,527,854	27,546.17	03/10/2023
West Virginia	1,805,832	641,856	35,543.51	03/10/2023
United States	326,262,499	101,470,604	31,100.91	03/10/2023

Data Source: [Johns Hopkins University](#). Accessed via [ESRI](#). Additional data analysis by [CARES](#). 2022.

### COVID-19 – Mortality

This indicator reports mortality rate from patients with confirmed COVID-19 disease per 100,000 population. Data for this indicator reflect the total deaths since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic until the dataset discontinuation in March, 2023. Data are obtained from the Johns Hopkins University data feed. In the report area, there have been 1,720 total deaths among patients with confirmed cases of the coronavirus disease COVID-19. The mortality rate in the report area is 406.45 per 100,000 population, which is greater than the state average of 393.52. Data are current as of 03/10/2023.

COVID-19 Deaths, Crude Rate per 100,000 Population

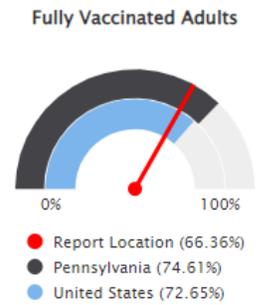


Report Area	Total Population	Total Deaths	Deaths, Rate per 100,000 Population	Last Update
<b>Report Location</b>	<b>423,174</b>	<b>1,720</b>	<b>406.45</b>	<b>03/10/2023</b>
Fayette County, PA	130,441	759	581.87	03/10/2023
Harrison County, WV	67,554	290	429.29	03/10/2023
Marion County, WV	56,097	208	370.79	03/10/2023
Monongalia County, WV	106,420	218	204.85	03/10/2023
Preston County, WV	33,839	145	428.50	03/10/2023
Randolph County, WV	28,823	100	346.95	03/10/2023
Pennsylvania	12,807,060	50,398	393.52	03/10/2023
West Virginia	1,805,832	7,951	440.30	03/10/2023
United States	326,262,499	1,102,319	337.86	03/10/2023

Data Source: [Johns Hopkins University](#). Accessed via [ESRI](#). Additional data analysis by [CARES](#). 2022.

## COVID-19 Fully Vaccinated Adults

This indicator reports the percent of adults fully vaccinated for COVID-19. Data is updated daily from the CDC API. Vaccine hesitancy is the percent of the population estimated to be hesitant towards receiving a COVID-19 vaccine. The Vaccine Coverage Index is a score of how concerning vaccine rollout may be in some communities compared to others, with values ranging from 0 (least concerning) to 1 (most concerning).



Report Area	Percent of Adults Fully Vaccinated	Estimated Percent of Adults Hesitant About Receiving COVID-19 Vaccination	Vaccine Coverage Index	Last Update
Report Location	<b>66.36%</b>	10.64%	0.24	09/28/2022
Fayette County, PA	68.40%	13.73%	0.26	09/28/2022
Harrison County, WV	62.20%	9.91%	0.16	09/28/2022
Marion County, WV	66.70%	9.91%	0.24	09/28/2022
Monongalia County, WV	64.70%	8.62%	0.17	09/28/2022
Preston County, WV	67.50%	8.62%	0.36	09/28/2022
Randolph County, WV	64.30%	10.21%	0.43	09/28/2022
Pennsylvania	74.61%	10.73%	0.15	09/28/2022
West Virginia	66.37%	9.91%	0.32	09/28/2022
United States	72.65%	10.34%	0.44	09/28/2022

Data Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the National Center for Health Statistics, *CDC GRASP*, 2019-23.

Report prepared by [Spark Map](#).

The **Fayette County PA** Family Resource Guide:

<https://www.fayettecountypa.org/DocumentCenter/View/6298/2022-Fayette-County-Family-Resource-Directory-PDF>

The **Harrison County** Family Resource Guide:

<https://wvfrn.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/Harrison-County-Family-Resource-Quick-Guide-1.pdf>

The **Marion County** Family Resource Guide:

<https://wvfrn.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/Marion-County-Quick-Reference-Resource-Guide.pdf>  
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The **Monongalia County** Family Resource Guide:

<https://wvfrn.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/02/2025-Monongalia-County-Resource-Guide.pdf>

The **Preston County** Family Resource Guide:

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The **Randolph County** Family Resource Guide:

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## Quick Guide of Mon County Resources

### Assistance – Misc.

211 dial 2-1-1 or text your zip code to 898-211  
Catholic Charities WV 304-292-6597  
Christian Help 304-296-0221  
Sleep in Heavenly Peace (WV-Monongalia Co Chapter)  
912-713-3131  
Social Security Administration 866-894-8525

### Children & Families

Assist Connect and Encourage (ACE) Program 304-216-3019  
CASA For Kids 304-599-1087  
Childcare Resource Center - Monongalia 304-292-7357  
Children's Home Society of WV 304-284-0992  
Down Syndrome Network of West Virginia 304-545-6613  
Family Advocacy, Support, and Training (FAST) education advocates 304-296-0001  
Monongalia County Child Advocacy Center 304-598-0344  
Monongalia County Head Start & Early Head Start 304-296-4901  
Monongalia County Starting Points Family Support Center 304-288-9905  
National Youth Advocate Program (NYAP) 304-368-8957  
Pressley Ridge 304-296-0944  
Riverton Behavioral Health 681-443-9010  
StepStone Family and Youth Services 304-977-7379  
Valley HealthCare Systems 304-296-1731 ext. 4811  
UnPuzzled Parents Connect 304-476-6687  
West Virginia Foster Care Ombudsman 304-558-1117  
West Virginia Parent Training & Information 304-472-5697  
WV Birth to Three Region I 304-214-5775  
WV Healthy Start/HAPI Project 304-376-0086  
WVU Medicine Children's Injury Prevention and Safety Program 304-554-8519

### Councils

WV Reentry Council for Monongalia, Marion, & Preston Counties 304-974-1400

### Disability

Disability Rights of WV (DRWV) 304-346-0847  
Renaissance Care 304-292-6880  
UnPuzzled Parents Connect 304-476-6687  
Visiting Homemaker Service, Inc. 304-599-7743  
WVU Center for Excellence in Disabilities/ Paths for Parents Program 304-293-4692

### Elder and In-Home-Care

Choice Care at Home 304-291-9066

Morgantown HealthCare Center 304-285-2720  
New Horizon Senior Living Center 304-329-2741  
Preston County Senior Citizens, Inc. 304-329-0464  
Renaissance Care 304-292-6880  
Senior Monongalians, Inc 304-296-2503  
Sundale Rehabilitation and Nursing Center 304-599-0497  
Visiting Homemaker Service, Inc. 304-599-7743  
WV Caring 304-599-4200  
WVU Medicine Home Health and Hospice 304-974-3431

### Food

Catholic Charities WV 304-292-6597  
Christian Help 304-296-0221  
Community Kitchen, Inc. 681-209-5465  
Morgantown Area Meals on Wheels 304-599-1954  
Salvation Army 304-296-3525  
Scott's Run Settlement House 304-599-5020

### Homelessness, Housing, & Homeowners

FMHA 304-363-0860  
Grace Shelter (888) 900-2989  
WV Coalition to End Homelessness 304-842-9522  
WV Homeowners Rescue Program 844-542-0035

### Jobs/Employment

Christian Help 304-296-0221  
Job Corps 681-587-8912  
Mon Health - Mon Pathways to Success 304-598-1485  
Workforce West Virginia 1-800-252-jobs  
West Virginia Women Work 304-598-0114

### Leisure

Spark! Imagination and Science Center 304-292-4646

### Legal

17th Judicial Public Defender Corp 304-974-1400  
A Rising Tide Academy 703-705-2074  
Lawyer in the School & Legal Aid of WV 304-296-0001  
Morgantown Police Department (Social Work) 304-284-7492  
Rape and Domestic Violence Information Center (RDVIC) 304-292-5100

### LGBTQIA+

Project Rainbow 304-415-9114

### Medical and Mental Health

Aetna 1-888-348-2922  
Connecting Champions 307-206-4346  
DBSA WV 304-241-1862  
DHHR 304-285-3175

Healthy Minds- Clarksburg, United Summit Center  
Intentional Wellness & Consulting 304-288-3504  
WVU Medicine 304-623-5661  
Highmark Health Options 1-844-325-6251  
Interim HealthCare 304-598-8900  
MidAtlantic AIDS Education & Training Center  
304-293-3305  
Mon Health Progressing through Postpartum (P3)  
Program 304-216-2222  
Monongalia County Health Department 304-943-  
7774  
Rosenbaum Family House 304-598-6094  
Sapphire Protect 304-435-2111  
Suicide & Crisis Line 988  
The Health Plan 1-800-624-6961  
Thomas Integrative Psychotherapy 304-318-7752  
UniCare Health Plan of WV 1-800-782-0095  
Valley Healthcare Systems 304-296-1731  
Wellspring Family Services 304-292-1716  
WV Navigator 844-982-2737  
WVSL Solutions 304-413-4300  
WVU Medicine Children's Critical Care and  
Trauma Injury Prevention and Safety Program  
304-554-8519

#### **Recovery**

Groups Recover Together 304-395-2544  
Help4WV 844-435-7498  
Lauren's Wish 304-241-4000  
Recovery Centers of America 681-209-6377  
Restore Addiction Recovery and Wellness, LLC  
304-554-2281  
Start Your Recovery 1-800-662-4357  
Tobacco Quit Line 877-966-8784  
1-800-GAMBLER

#### **Training**

West Virginia Leadership Academy 304-680-4837

#### **Transportation**

Modivcare 844-549-8353  
Mountain Line Transit Authority 304-291-7433

#### **Veterans**

U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs 304-844-  
8659  
Valley HealthCare Systems 304-296-1731 ext.  
4453

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