

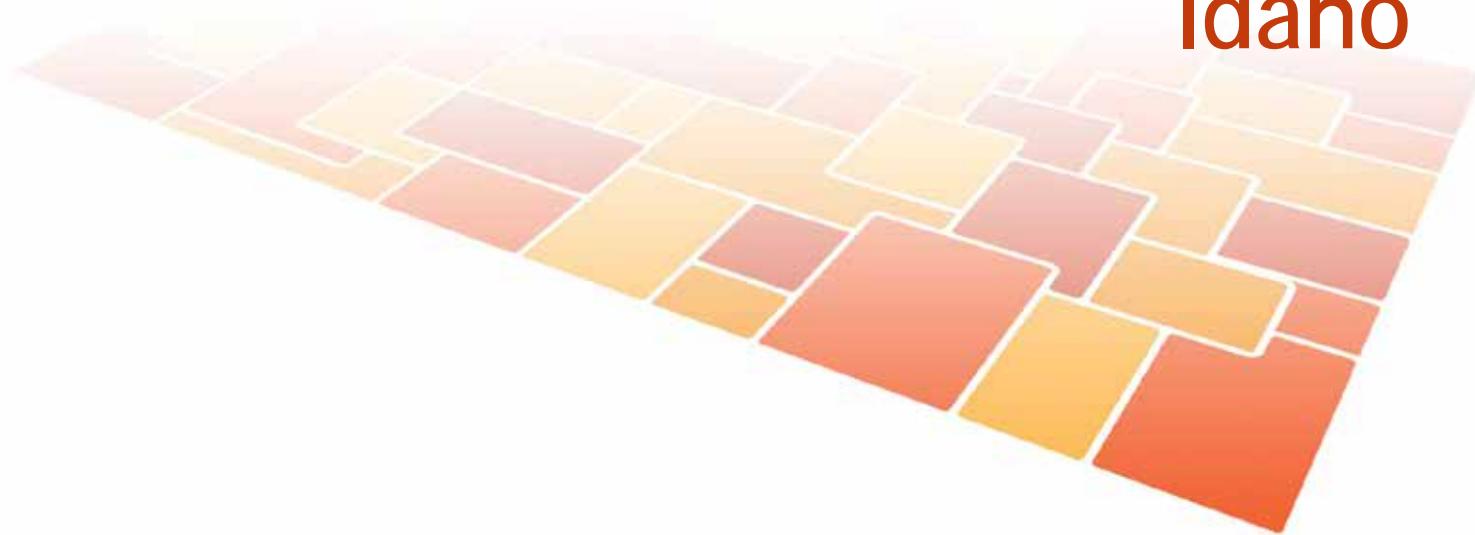
County Health Rankings & Roadmaps

Building a Culture of Health, County by County

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2014 *Rankings*

Idaho



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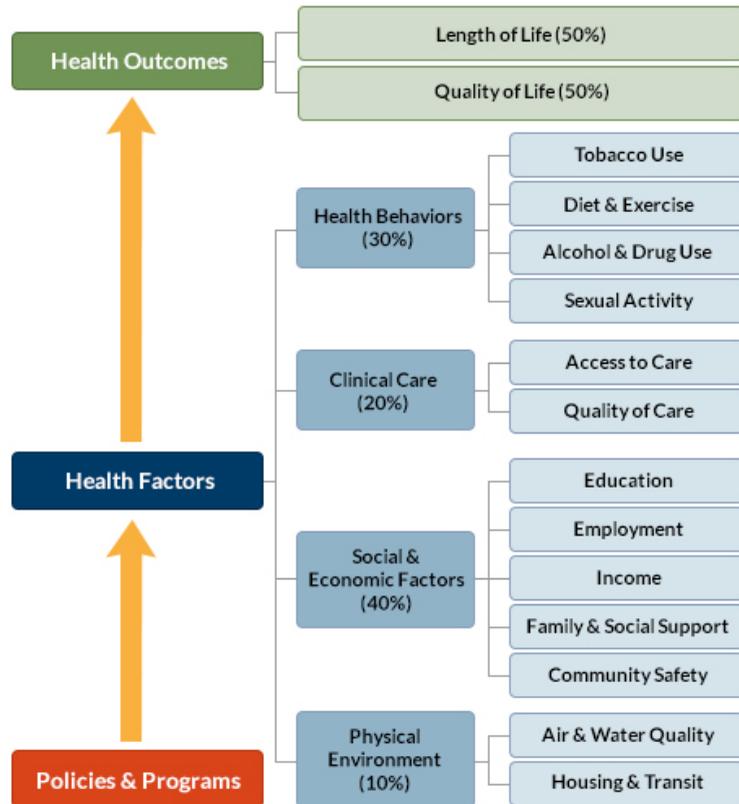
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INTRODUCTION

The *County Health Rankings & Roadmaps* program helps communities identify and implement solutions that make it easier for people to be healthy in their schools, workplaces, and neighborhoods. Ranking the health of nearly every county in the nation, the *County Health Rankings* illustrate *what we know* when it comes to what is making people sick or healthy. The *Roadmaps* show *what we can do* to create healthier places to live, learn, work, and play. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) collaborates with the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute (UWPHI) to bring this program to cities, counties, and states across the nation.

WHAT ARE THE COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS?

The *County Health Rankings* measure the health of nearly every county in the nation. Published online at countyhealthrankings.org, the *Rankings* help counties understand what influences how healthy residents are and how long they will live. The *Rankings* look at a variety of measures that affect health, such as high school graduation rates, access to healthy foods, rates of smoking, obesity, and teen births. Based on data available for each county, the *Rankings* are unique in their ability to measure the overall health of each county in all 50 states. They have been used to garner support for local health improvement initiatives among government agencies, healthcare providers, community organizations, business leaders, policy makers, and the public.



HOW ARE PEOPLE USING THE RANKINGS?

- Ø Highlighting community success
- Ø Identifying root causes of poor health
- Ø Supporting policy change
- Ø Engaging communities in health improvement

For more information, visit countyhealthrankings.org

WHAT ARE THE ROADMAPS TO HEALTH?

The *Roadmaps to Health* help communities bring people together to look at the many factors that influence health, select strategies that work, and make changes that will have a lasting impact. The *Roadmaps* focus on helping communities determine what they can do and what they can learn from others.

What You Can Do

The *Roadmaps to Health* Action Center provides step-by-step guides, tools, and webinars to help groups working to improve the health of their communities. Community Coaches also provide customized consultation to local communities that have demonstrated a willingness to address factors that we know influence health, such as education, income, and community safety.

The Action Center also features *What Works for Health* – a searchable database of evidence-informed policies and programs that can improve health.

Learning From Others

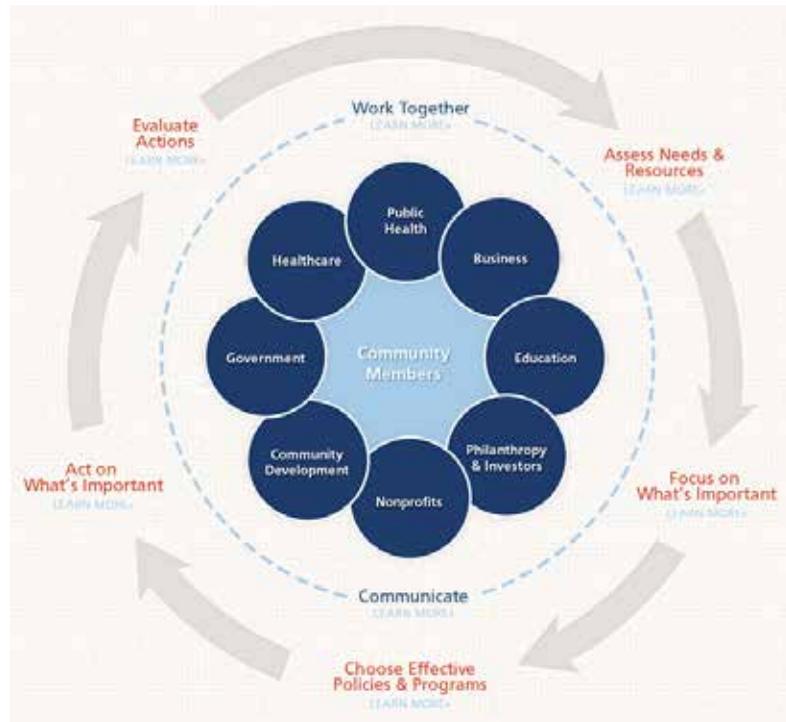
Honoring the efforts of communities working at the forefront of health improvement, the Robert Wood

Johnson Foundation annually awards the *RWJF Culture of Health Prize* to outstanding communities that are working toward better health. The *Prize* recognizes communities with strong and diverse partnerships that are coming together with a shared vision and commitment to address multiple factors that affect health and make lasting changes that create a culture of health for all. Visit countyhealthrankings.org or rwjf.org/prize to learn about the work of past prize winners.

At countyhealthrankings.org, we also feature stories from communities across the nation who have used data from the *County Health Rankings* or have engaged in strategies to improve health. For example, you can learn from the successes and challenges of the 30 *Roadmaps to Health* Community Grantees. These grantees are working to create positive policy or systems changes that address social and economic factors that influence how healthy people are and how long they live, such as education and community safety. You might also want to contact your local affiliate of United Way Worldwide, the National Business Coalition on Health, or the National Association of Counties - their national parent organizations have partnered with us to raise awareness and stimulate action to improve health in their local members' communities.

How can you get involved?

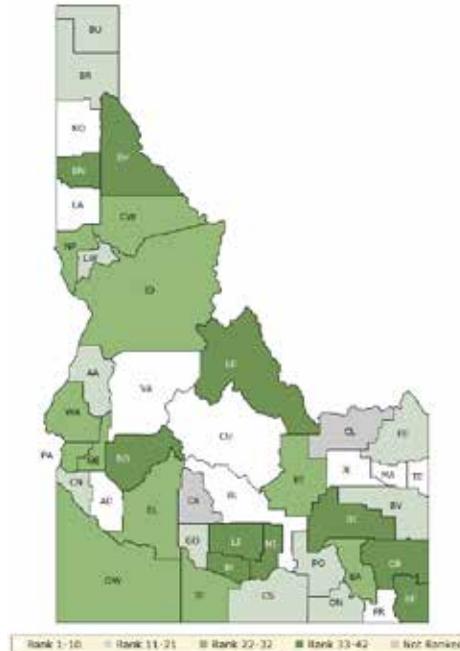
In communities large and small, people from all walks of life are taking ownership and action to improve health. Visit countyhealthrankings.org to get ideas and guidance on how you can take action in your community. Working with others, you can improve the health of your community.



The green map below shows the distribution of Idaho's **health outcomes**, based on an equal weighting of length and quality of life.

Lighter colors indicate better performance in the respective summary rankings. Detailed information on the underlying measures is available on our web site.

HEALTH OUTCOMES RANKS

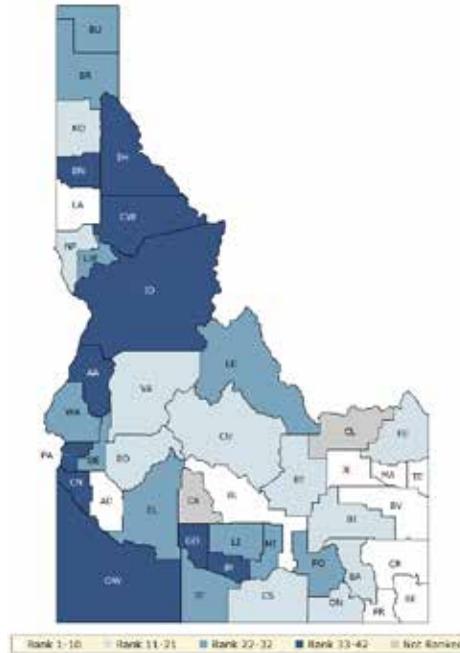


County	Rank	County	Rank	County	Rank	County	Rank
Ada	6	Butte	26	Gem	28	Minidoka	34
Adams	14	Camas	NR	Gooding	21	Nez Perce	25
Bannock	31	Canyon	17	Idaho	23	Oneida	11
Bear Lake	42	Caribou	37	Jefferson	7	Owyhee	29
Benewah	40	Cassia	19	Jerome	35	Payette	32
Bingham	33	Clark	NR	Kootenai	9	Power	15
Blaine	4	Clearwater	24	Latah	2	Shoshone	41
Boise	38	Custer	10	Lemhi	39	Teton	8
Bonner	20	Elmore	22	Lewis	16	Twin Falls	27
Bonneville	18	Franklin	5	Lincoln	36	Valley	3
Boundary	12	Fremont	13	Madison	1	Washington	30

The blue map displays Idaho's summary ranks for **health factors**, based on weighted scores for health behaviors, clinical care, social and economic factors, and the physical environment.

Lighter colors indicate better performance in the respective summary rankings. Detailed information on the underlying measures is available on our web site.

HEALTH FACTORS RANKS



County	Rank	County	Rank	County	Rank	County	Rank
Ada	2	Butte	20	Gem	30	Minidoka	27
Adams	38	Camas	NR	Gooding	36	Nez Perce	14
Bannock	12	Canyon	33	Idaho	34	Oneida	11
Bear Lake	9	Caribou	8	Jefferson	7	Owyhee	35
Benewah	41	Cassia	16	Jerome	40	Payette	37
Bingham	19	Clark	NR	Kootenai	15	Power	24
Blaine	3	Clearwater	39	Latah	5	Shoshone	42
Boise	21	Custer	13	Lemhi	23	Teton	10
Bonner	29	Elmore	25	Lewis	28	Twin Falls	22
Bonneville	6	Franklin	4	Lincoln	31	Valley	18
Boundary	32	Fremont	17	Madison	1	Washington	26

Summary Health Outcomes & Health Factors Rankings

Counties receive two ranks:

- Health Outcomes
- Health Factors

Each of these ranks represents a weighted summary of a number of measures.

Health outcomes represent how healthy a county is while health factors represent what influences the health of the county.

Rank	Health Outcomes	Rank	Health Factors
1	Madison	1	Madison
2	Latah	2	Ada
3	Valley	3	Blaine
4	Blaine	4	Franklin
5	Franklin	5	Latah
6	Ada	6	Bonneville
7	Jefferson	7	Jefferson
8	Teton	8	Caribou
9	Kootenai	9	Bear Lake
10	Custer	10	Teton
11	Oneida	11	Oneida
12	Boundary	12	Bannock
13	Fremont	13	Custer
14	Adams	14	Nez Perce
15	Power	15	Kootenai
16	Lewis	16	Cassia
17	Canyon	17	Fremont
18	Bonneville	18	Valley
19	Cassia	19	Bingham
20	Bonner	20	Butte
21	Gooding	21	Boise
22	Elmore	22	Twin Falls
23	Idaho	23	Lemhi
24	Clearwater	24	Power
25	Nez Perce	25	Elmore
26	Butte	26	Washington
27	Twin Falls	27	Minidoka
28	Gem	28	Lewis
29	Owyhee	29	Bonner
30	Washington	30	Gem
31	Bannock	31	Lincoln
32	Payette	32	Boundary
33	Bingham	33	Canyon
34	Minidoka	34	Idaho
35	Jerome	35	Owyhee
36	Lincoln	36	Gooding
37	Caribou	37	Payette
38	Boise	38	Adams
39	Lemhi	39	Clearwater
40	Benewah	40	Jerome
41	Shoshone	41	Benewah
42	Bear Lake	42	Shoshone

Not Ranked: Camas, Clark

2014 County Health Rankings: Measures, Data Sources, and Years of Data

	Measure	Data Source	Years of Data
HEALTH OUTCOMES			
Length of Life	Premature death	National Center for Health Statistics	2008-2010
Quality of Life	Poor or fair health	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2006-2012
	Poor physical health days	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2006-2012
	Poor mental health days	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2006-2012
	Low birthweight	National Center for Health Statistics	2005-2011
HEALTH FACTORS			
HEALTH BEHAVIORS			
Tobacco Use	Adult smoking	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2006-2012
Diet and Exercise	Adult obesity	National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion	2010
	Food environment index	USDA Food Environment Atlas, Map the Meal Gap	2010-2011
	Physical inactivity	National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion	2010
	Access to exercise opportunities	OneSource Global Business Browser, Delorme map data, ESRI, & US Census Tigerline Files	2010 & 2012
Alcohol and Drug Use	Excessive drinking	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2006-2012
	Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	Fatality Analysis Reporting System	2008-2012
Sexual Activity	Sexually transmitted infections	National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB prevention	2011
	Teen births	National Center for Health Statistics	2005-2011
CLINICAL CARE			
Access to Care	Uninsured	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates	2011
	Primary care physicians	HRSA Area Resource File	2011
	Dentists	HRSA Area Resource File	2012
	Mental health providers	CMS, National Provider Identification	2013
Quality of Care	Preventable hospital stays	Medicare/Dartmouth Institute	2011
	Diabetic screening	Medicare/Dartmouth Institute	2011
	Mammography screening	Medicare/Dartmouth Institute	2011
SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC FACTORS			
Education	High school graduation	data.gov, supplemented with National Center for Education Statistics	2010-2011
	Some college	American Community Survey	2008-2012
Employment	Unemployment	Bureau of Labor Statistics	2012
Income	Children in poverty	Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates	2012
Family and Social Support	Inadequate social support	Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System	2005-2010
	Children in single-parent households	American Community Survey	2008-2012
Community Safety	Violent crime	Uniform Crime Reporting - FBI	2009-2011
	Injury deaths	CDC WONDER	2006-2010
PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT			
Air and Water Quality	Air pollution - particulate matter ¹	CDC WONDER	2011
	Drinking water violations	Safe Drinking Water Information System	FY 2012-2013
Housing and Transit	Severe housing problems	HUD, Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy	2006-2010
	Driving alone to work	American Community Survey	2008-2012
	Long commute – driving alone	American Community Survey	2008-2012

¹ Not available for AK and HI.

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