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| Organization and professionalism | 15/15 |
| Correct utilization of design principles | 29/30 |
| Appropriateness of analysis | 28/30 |
| Quality and thoroughness | 25/25 |
| Total | 97/100 |

Comments:

Section headings used: introduction/methods/analysis and results/conclusion/references

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Good description of background and source of data as well as research hypotheses of interest.

statement of alternative hypothesis: see my last email in Angel.

Uses appropriate analysis technique and also performs covariate adjustment.

With so many levels (states), you could have tried to see if there is a regional effect by re-categorizing the states into say northeast, Midwest, etc.

Includes model diagnostics and investigates appropriate transformations.