



## Berkeley County Health Profile<sup>6</sup>

INDICATOR	MEASURE	COUNT	VALUE	RANK <sup>1</sup>	STATE
Births <sup>2</sup>	Births with expected payor Medicaid (percent of all live births; 2014-2016)	3533	41.3	NA	51.2
	Breastfeeding initiation (percent of all live births; 2014-2016)	6993	86.0	3	74.6
	Low birthweight births (<2,500 grams; percent of all live births; 2014-2016)	698	8.6	9	9.5
	Mothers receiving adequate prenatal care (percent of all live births; 2014-2016)	5852	72.0	31	74.6
	Mothers who smoked during pregnancy (percent of all live births; 2014-2016)	732	9.0	10	10.0
	Preterm births (<37 weeks gestation; percent of all live births; 2014-2016)	860	10.6	13	11.0
	Teen live births (rate per 1,000 female population aged 15-19; 2014-2016)	456	25.2	13	26.1
Infant Mortality <sup>2</sup>	Infant mortality (rate per 1,000 live births; 2014-2016)	44	5.4	12	6.8
Chronic Diseases, Risk Factors, and Health Behaviors <sup>3</sup>	Coronary heart disease (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	2.5	5	4.6
	Stroke (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	2.8	5	3.8
	Heart attack (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	3.0	4	4.8
	Hypertension (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	35.9	4	38.7
	Diabetes (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	11.1	6	12.3
	Current asthma (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	7.9	20	12.6
	Current smoking (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	19.3	17	20.4
	Adults categorized as obese, aged 20+ (BMI ≥30; percent; 2014-2016)	NA	35.7	26	32.7
	Reported leisure time physical activity in the past 30 days (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	76.7	7	73.7
	Received a flu vaccine in the last year, aged 65+ (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	62.7	25	62.8
	Received a pneumococcal vaccine ever, aged 65+ (percent; 2014-2016)	NA	69.5	25	71.8
Mortality <sup>2</sup>	Accidental drug overdose (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	87	14.0	31	14.7
	Alzheimer's disease (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	178	40.8	24	43.0
	Cancer (malignant neoplasms only; age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	1012	168.1	12	168.4
	Cerebrovascular disease (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	226	44.2	17	45.4
	Chronic lower respiratory disease (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	303	54.8	32	48.5
	Diabetes (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	116	19.6	12	22.5
	Diseases of the heart (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	805	149.5	3	176.8
	Motor vehicle accident (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	118	19.2	17	19.0
	Suicide (age-adjusted rate per 100,000 population; 2014-2016)	103	16.6	34	15.3
	All causes (age-adjusted rate per 1,000 population; 2014-2016)	4245	7.7	5	8.3
Population Demographics <sup>4</sup>	Families below the poverty level (percent; 2012-2016)	NA	10.1	NA	12.8
	Population Non-Hispanic white (percent; 2016)	NA	65.3	NA	64.7
	Population Non-Hispanic black (percent; 2016)	NA	24.9	NA	27.6
	Population Non-Hispanic other (percent; 2016)	NA	3.5	NA	2.2
	Population Hispanic/Latino (percent; 2016)	NA	6.3	NA	5.5
Health Care Access	Delayed seeing a doctor in the last year due to cost (percent; 2014-2016) <sup>3</sup>	NA	17.8	26	16.7
	Has at least one person considered a personal doctor or health care provider (percent; 2014-2016) <sup>3</sup>	NA	76.9	40	77.8
	Population insured by Medicaid (percent; 2010-2014) <sup>4</sup>	NA	67.2	NA	64.4
	Population insured by private health insurance (percent; 2010-2014) <sup>4</sup>	NA	12.7	NA	13.8
	Population without health insurance (percent; 2010-2014) <sup>4</sup>	NA	13.3	NA	13.3
Home and Environmental Hazards	Elevated (≥5 mcg/dL) blood lead tests in children <6 years of age (percent of all tests; 2016) <sup>5</sup>	NA	2.1	16	2.6
	Homes built prior to 1980 (percent; 2012-2016) <sup>4</sup>	NA	27.9	NA	39.3

1 - Ranking based on VALUE column, Regardless of the INDICATOR a ranking of 1 is always better, NA - Not Applicable.

2 - Source: Division of Biostatistics, DHEC

3 - Source: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, DHEC

4 - Source: 2012-2016 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, US Census Bureau, US Department of Commerce

5 - Source: Lead Surveillance, DHEC

6 - Estimates for counties with low populations contain more error.

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