



The 2022 Rankings include deaths attributable to COVID-19 from 2020. See our FAQs for more information on COVID-specific data.

Taylor (TY) 2022 Rankings

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County Demographics

	County	State
Population	6,092	3,163,561
% below 18 years of age	23.2%	22.9%
% 65 and older	23.4%	17.9%
% Non-Hispanic Black	0.4%	4.0%
% American Indian & Alaska Native	0.4%	0.6%
% Asian	0.4%	2.8%
% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	0.1%	0.2%
% Hispanic	8.4%	6.5%
% Non-Hispanic White	89.7%	84.5%
% not proficient in English **	3%	2%
% Females	49.0%	50.2%
% Rural	100.0%	36.0%

	County	Error Margin	Top U.S. Performers ^	Iowa
Health Outcomes				
Length of Life				
Premature death	7,600	5,000-11,200	5,600	6,500
Quality of Life				
Poor or fair health **	17%	15-19%	15%	14%
Poor physical health days **	3.6	3.4-3.9	3.4	3.1
Poor mental health days **	4.3	4.0-4.5	4.0	4.1
Low birthweight	6%	4-8%	6%	7%
Additional Health Outcomes (not included in overall ranking)				
COVID-19 age-adjusted mortality **			43	99
Life expectancy	78.2	75.8-80.7	80.6	78.7
Premature age-adjusted mortality	360	280-450	290	340
Child mortality			40	50
Infant mortality			4	5
Frequent physical distress **	12%	11-13%	10%	9%
Frequent mental distress **	14%	13-15%	13%	13%
Diabetes prevalence **	10%	9-10%	8%	9%
HIV prevalence			38	110
Health Factors				
Health Behaviors				
Adult smoking **	20%	17-23%	15%	17%
Adult obesity **	36%	35-38%	30%	34%
Food environment index	9.1		8.8	8.4
Physical inactivity **	31%	28-34%	23%	26%
Access to exercise opportunities	57%		86%	73%

Excessive drinking **	22%	21-23%	15%	25%
Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	33%	11-55%	10%	27%
Sexually transmitted infections	490.1		161.8	508.5
Teen births	20	13-29	11	16
Additional Health Behaviors (not included in overall ranking)				
Food insecurity	8%		9%	9%
Limited access to healthy foods	1%		2%	6%
Drug overdose deaths			11	11
Motor vehicle crash deaths			9	11
Insufficient sleep **	34%	32-35%	32%	33%
Clinical Care				
Uninsured	8%	7-10%	6%	6%
Primary care physicians	3,060:1		1,010:1	1,350:1
Dentists	3,050:1		1,210:1	1,440:1
Mental health providers	6,090:1		250:1	570:1
Preventable hospital stays	2,849		2,233	3,134
Mammography screening	54%		52%	53%
Flu vaccinations	50%		55%	54%
Additional Clinical Care (not included in overall ranking)				
Uninsured adults	10%	8-12%	7%	7%
Uninsured children	5%	3-6%	3%	3%
Other primary care providers	1,520:1		580:1	840:1
Social & Economic Factors				
High school completion	90%	89-91%	94%	92%
Some college	59%	51-67%	74%	71%
Unemployment	3.7%		4.0%	5.3%
Children in poverty	14%	8-20%	9%	12%
Income inequality	3.8	3.3-4.3	3.7	4.2
Children in single-parent households	13%	6-21%	14%	21%
Social associations	13.1		18.1	14.8
Violent crime	41		63	282
Injury deaths	81	53-120	61	70
Additional Social & Economic Factors (not included in overall ranking)				
High school graduation			96%	91%
Disconnected youth			4%	6%
Reading scores	3.3		3.3	3.1
Math scores	3.1		3.4	3.1
School segregation	0.16		0.02	0.19
School funding adequacy	-\$348			\$1,880
Gender pay gap	0.81	0.68-0.95	0.88	0.78
Median household income	\$70,500	\$66,100 to \$75,000	\$75,100	\$62,400
Living wage **	\$35.72			\$37.38
Children eligible for free or reduced price lunch	48%		32%	42%
Residential segregation - Black/white			27	62
Residential segregation - non-white/white	39		16	45
Childcare cost burden **	19%		18%	24%
Childcare centers **	6		12	8
Homicides			2	3
Suicides			11	16
Firearm fatalities			8	10
Juvenile arrests	8			37
Physical Environment				
Air pollution - particulate matter	7.8		5.9	8.2
Drinking water violations	No			
Severe housing problems	10%	7-12%	9%	12%
Driving alone to work	76%	72-81%	72%	80%
Long commute - driving alone	28%	24-33%	16%	21%
Additional Physical Environment (not included in overall ranking)				
Traffic volume	0			260
Homeownership	81%	79-84%	81%	71%
Severe housing cost burden	5%	2-7%	7%	10%
Broadband access	79%	76-82%	88%	83%

^ 10th/90th percentile, i.e., only 10% are better.

** Data should not be compared with prior years

Note: Blank values reflect unreliable or missing data

