

Standardized Stratification of Data for Reporting

*Default categories for use in
reporting as appropriate*

Demographic Stratification

1. Age:

AHRQ HCUP stratification combined with MEPS

- » <1
- » 1-4
- » 5-17
- » 18
- » 19-25
- » 26-34
- » 35-44
- » 45-64
- » 65-74
- » 75-84
- » 85+
- » Missing

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2. Race + Ethnicity:

- Proposed categories:
 - » White (Non-Hispanic)
 - » Black (Non-Hispanic)
 - » Hispanic, White
 - » Hispanic, Black
 - » Native American
 - » Asian/Pacific Islander
 - » Multiple
 - » Other
 - » Unspecified

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3. Income:

– Proposed categories:

- » <50 % of FPL (Federal Poverty Level)
- » 51% - 100% of FPL
- » 101%-200 of FPL
- » 201% - 300% of FPL
- » 301 – 400% of FPL
- » Over 400% of FPL

4. Gender

Population Categories

1. Sub-populations:

- Proposed categories (not mutually exclusive)
 - » Aged
 - » Disabled
 - » General Assistance
 - » Low-income children and families
 - » Non-aged adults
 - » Primary Language not English
 - » Foster Care Children

Health Service Categories

2. Services:

- Proposed categories (Based on National Health Expenditure Account standards):
 - » Hospital Care
 - » Physician & Clinical Services (including Behavioral, Mental Health, Specialty)
 - » Other Professional Services (practitioners other than physicians and dentists, including behavioral, mental, specialty)
 - » Prescription drugs and Non-Durable Medical Products
 - » Durable Medical Equipment
 - » Dental Services
 - » Home Health Care
 - » Long-term Care (Skilled nursing facility, nursing home care)
 - » Home and Community Based Services (HCBS)
 - » Hospice Care
 - » Other Personal Health Care

Geographic Divisions

- For comparisons and benchmarking:
 - National vs. State vs. Surrounding states
 - County-level if available

Smaller geographic sub-divisions:

- Voting Districts
- Urban vs. Non-Urban Locales:
 - » KDHE designation
 - » NCES / Census Bureau classification: City, Suburb, Town, Rural

Geographic Divisions (cont'd)

KDHE :

- Urban counties:
 - » population of higher than 150.0 persons per square mile.
 - » 6 counties (2004 Census): Douglas, Johnson, Leavenworth, Sedgwick, Shawnee, and Wyandotte.
- Semi-urban counties:
 - » population of 40.0 to 149.9 persons per square mile.
 - » 11 counties (2004 Census)
- Densely-settled rural counties:
 - » population of 20.0 to 39.9 persons per square mile.
 - » 20 counties (2004 Census)
- Rural counties:
 - » population of 6.0 to 19.9 persons per square mile.
 - » 35 counties (2004 Census)
- Frontier counties:
 - » population of less than 6.0 persons per square mile.
 - » 33 counties (2004 Census)

Geographic Divisions (cont'd)

National Center for Education Statistics Urban-Centric Locale Codes :

- **11 - City, Large:**
 - Territory inside an urbanized area and inside a principal city with population of 250,000 or more.
- **12 - City, Midsize:**
 - Territory inside an urbanized area and inside a principal city with population less than 250,000 and greater than or equal to 100,000.
- **13 - City, Small:**
 - Territory inside an urbanized area and inside a principal city with population less than 100,000.
- **21 - Suburb, Large:**
 - Territory outside a principal city and inside an urbanized area with population of 250,000 or more.
- **22 - Suburb, Midsize:**
 - Territory outside a principal city and inside an urbanized area with population less than 250,000 and greater than or equal to 100,000.
- **23 - Suburb, Small:**
 - Territory outside a principal city and inside an urbanized area with population less than 100,000.
- **31 - Town, Fringe:**
 - Territory inside an urban cluster that is less than or equal to 10 miles from an urbanized area.
- **32 - Town, Distant:**
 - Territory inside an urban cluster that is more than 10 miles and less than or equal to 35 miles from an urbanized area.
- **33 - Town, Remote:**
 - Territory inside an urban cluster that is more than 35 miles from an urbanized area.
- **41 - Rural, Fringe:**
 - Census-defined rural territory that is less than or equal to 5 miles from an urbanized area, as well as rural territory that is less than or equal to 2.5 miles from an urban cluster.
- **42 - Rural, Distant:**
 - Census-defined rural territory that is more than 5 miles but less than or equal to 25 miles from an urbanized area, as well as rural territory that is more than 2.5 miles but less than or equal to 10 miles from an urban cluster.
- **43 - Rural, Remote:**
 - Census-defined rural territory that is more than 25 miles from an urbanized area and is also more than 10 miles from an urban cluster.