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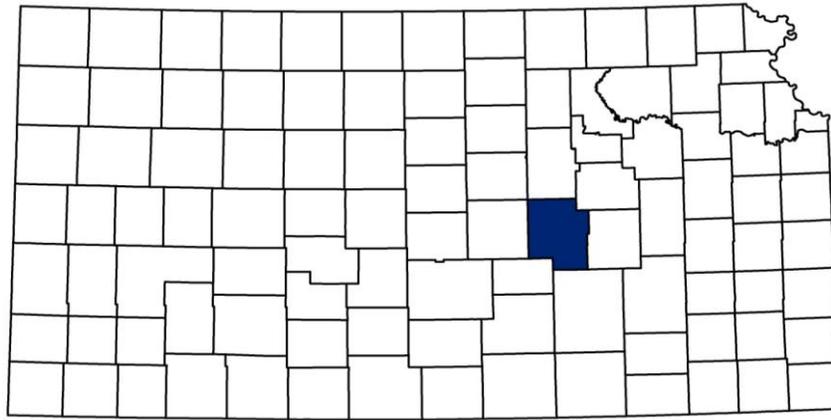
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Percentage of Adults with Doctor Diagnosed Arthritis, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	6,634	24.1	0.3	23.5	24.8
Marion County	37	28.8	4.9	19.2	38.4
Gender					
Men	12	26.6	7.5	11.8	41.4
Women	25	31.0	6.4	18.5	43.4
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	37	30.3	5.1	20.3	40.4
Race					
White	34	28.6	5.0	18.8	38.4
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	25	27.9	5.7	16.7	39.1
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	14	23.3	6.5	10.5	36.1
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	18	18.0	4.9	8.4	27.5

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	19	25.1	6.1	13.1	37.1
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	29	26.5	5.2	16.3	36.8
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	34	28.0	5.0	18.2	37.8
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had been told by a doctor or other health professional that they have some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus or fibromyalgia.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

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Percentage of Adults with Current Asthma, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	1,901	9.1	0.3	8.6	9.6
Marion County	13	14.3	4.0	6.5	22.1
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	13	15.1	4.2	6.9	23.3
Race					
White	13	14.7	4.1	6.7	22.7
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	13	15.7	4.3	7.2	24.2
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had been told by a doctor, nurse or other health professional that they had asthma and that they currently have asthma.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

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Percentage of Adults with Diagnosed Hypertension, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	8,757	32.8	0.4	32.0	33.5
Marion County	53	42.0	5.2	31.8	52.2
Gender					
Men	23	43.6	7.8	28.4	58.8
Women	30	40.5	6.9	26.9	54.0
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	51	41.5	5.3	31.0	52.0
Race					
White	48	41.4	5.3	31.0	51.8
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	28	32.9	5.9	21.3	44.5
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	28	40.4	7.1	26.4	54.4
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	32	33.8	5.8	22.5	45.1

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	32	40.8	6.7	27.7	53.8
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	42	41.8	5.9	30.3	53.3
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	51	43.9	5.4	33.3	54.5
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had been told by a doctor, nurse or other health professional that they have high blood pressure.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† **Living with a Disability:** Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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**Percentage of Adults Who Did Not Have Their Blood Cholesterol Checked
Within the Past Five Years, 2017 ‡**

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	2,246	15.2	0.4	14.5	15.9
Marion County	18	17.8	4.3	9.5	26.2
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	17	17.6	4.4	9.1	26.2
Race					
White	16	17.8	4.4	9.3	26.4
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	15	26.4	6.3	14.1	38.7
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	10	20.9	6.2	8.7	33.2
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	14	18.9	5.0	9.2	28.6

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	<i>13</i>	<i>16.4</i>	<i>4.5</i>	<i>7.6</i>	<i>25.1</i>
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	<i>17</i>	<i>17.9</i>	<i>4.4</i>	<i>9.3</i>	<i>26.6</i>
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had not checked their blood cholesterol in the past five years or never had their blood cholesterol checked.

Denominator: All respondents excluding unknowns and refusals.

‡ In 2017, the cholesterol questions have been modified for all states.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults Tested and Diagnosed with High Cholesterol, 2017 ‡

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	7,314	34.1	0.4	33.2	34.9
Marion County	41	39.7	5.7	28.4	51.0
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	28	53.1	8.2	37.0	69.2
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	39	38.1	5.8	26.7	49.5
Race					
White	39	39.8	5.9	28.3	51.3
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	24	39.4	7.1	25.6	53.2
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	21	35.1	7.4	20.6	49.7
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	29	36.8	6.5	24.1	49.6

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	20	33.0	7.1	19.0	46.9
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	34	40.5	6.5	27.9	53.2
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	39	38.8	5.8	27.4	50.2
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had been told by a doctor, nurse or other health professional that they have high blood cholesterol.

Denominator: Respondents who had ever had their blood cholesterol checked, excluding unknowns and refusals.

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**Percentage of Adults Who Were Ever Diagnosed with a Depressive Disorder,
2017**

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	4,374	20.9	0.4	20.2	21.6
Marion County	26	23.2	4.6	14.2	32.2
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	19	31.4	7.0	17.7	45.1
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	25	23.1	4.7	13.8	32.3
Race					
White	22	22.5	4.7	13.3	31.7
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	17	21.9	5.4	11.3	32.5
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	15	17.5	4.8	8.2	26.9

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	19	27.1	6.2	15.0	39.2
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	15	17.0	4.7	7.9	26.2
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	24	21.1	4.4	12.4	29.7
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had ever been told by a doctor, nurse or other health professional that they have a depressive disorder (including depression, major depression, dysthymia, or minor depression).

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults Who Reported Living with a Disability, 2017†

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	5,832	25.9	0.4	25.2	26.7
Marion County	30	24.3	4.6	15.2	33.4
Gender					
Men	11	23.8	7.1	9.9	37.7
Women	19	24.8	6.1	12.9	36.8
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	29	25.1	4.8	15.7	34.6
Race					
White	25	23.3	4.7	14.1	32.6
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	14	20.0	5.6	8.9	31.0
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	21	20.6	4.8	11.2	30.0
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	28	24.5	4.8	15.1	33.9
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living)

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults Not Participating in the Recommended Level of Physical Activity (Aerobic and Strengthening), 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	7,754	41.2	0.5	40.3	42.1
Marion County	63	56.2	5.6	45.2	67.2
Gender					
Men	26	51.5	8.2	35.4	67.6
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	60	55.8	5.8	44.5	67.2
Race					
White	57	55.5	5.7	44.2	66.7
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	46	63.9	6.3	51.5	76.3
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	29	48.6	7.8	33.4	63.9
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	44	50.2	6.4	37.6	62.8

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	49	52.7	6.2	40.6	64.9
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	57	54.2	5.9	42.7	65.7
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who did not participate in the recommended level of aerobic and strengthening exercises during the past month.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

The aerobic guideline is defined as 150 minutes a week of moderate-intensity aerobic activity, or 75 minutes a week of vigorous-intensity aerobic activity, or an equivalent combination of moderate- and vigorous-intensity aerobic activity.

The strengthening guideline is defined as muscle-strengthening activities that involved all major muscle groups two or more times per week.

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Percentage of Adults Not Participating in Any Physical Activity Other Than Their Regular Job in the Past 30 Days (Leisure Time Physical Activity), 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	5,721	27.9	0.4	27.1	28.7
Marion County	40	28.6	4.5	19.7	37.6
Gender					
Men	17	29.9	7.0	16.3	43.5
Women	23	27.5	6.0	15.8	39.2
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	38	28.4	4.6	19.3	37.5
Race					
White	36	28.0	4.6	19.0	37.1
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	29	36.9	6.2	24.8	49.0
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	16	24.0	6.0	12.2	35.8
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	25	25.0	5.0	15.2	34.8

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	29	25.5	4.8	16.2	34.9
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	38	30.3	4.8	20.8	39.8
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they did not participate in any physical activities or exercise, other than their regular job, in the past 30 days.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

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**Percentage of Adults Who Reported Consuming Fruit Less than 1 Time Per Day,
2017‡**

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	6,946	37.5	0.4	36.7	38.4
Marion County	36	34.9	5.4	24.4	45.5
Gender					
Men	22	47.5	8.3	31.3	63.7
Women	14	23.6	6.7	10.6	36.7
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	34	34.2	5.5	23.4	44.9
Race					
White	32	34.4	5.5	23.7	45.1
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	24	33.5	6.2	21.4	45.7
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	19	36.4	7.6	21.5	51.2
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	27	35.8	6.2	23.7	47.8

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	21	32.1	6.5	19.3	44.8
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	25	28.4	5.5	17.5	39.2
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	31	33.3	5.5	22.4	44.1
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they consumed fruit less than 1 time per day.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

‡ In 2017, the fruit and vegetable questions have been modified for all states. Fruit consumption includes: fruits and 100% PURE fruit juices/blends.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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**Percentage of Adults Who Reported Consuming Vegetables Less than 1 Time
Per Day, 2017‡**

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	3,049	17.3	0.4	16.6	18.0
Marion County	15	12.2	3.6	5.1	19.3
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	15	12.8	3.8	5.3	20.2
Race					
White	*	*	*	*	*
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	*	*	*	*	*
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they consumed vegetables less than 1 time per day.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

‡ In 2017, the fruit and vegetable questions have been modified for all states. Vegetable consumption includes: green leafy or lettuce salad, fried potatoes, any other kind of potatoes/sweet potatoes, or other vegetables.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults with No Personal Doctor or Health Care Provider, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	3,646	22.4	0.4	21.7	23.2
Marion County	23	18.0	4.0	10.1	25.9
Gender					
Men	13	24.4	6.7	11.3	37.5
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	21	17.4	4.1	9.3	25.5
Race					
White	20	18.0	4.1	9.8	26.1
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	15	17.0	4.6	8.1	25.9
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	17	18.9	4.8	9.6	28.3

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	16	19.2	5.3	8.9	29.5
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	18	14.2	3.7	6.9	21.5
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they had no personal doctor or health care provider.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults with Fair or Poor Self-Perceived Health Status, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	3,766	16.7	0.3	16.0	17.3
Marion County	23	17.5	4.0	9.8	25.3
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	13	19.7	5.7	8.4	31.0
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	22	18.1	4.1	10.0	26.2
Race					
White	20	16.9	4.0	9.0	24.8
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	14	16.9	5.0	7.1	26.8
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	18	15.5	4.0	7.6	23.4
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	22	17.2	4.0	9.4	25.0
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported that in general their health is fair or poor.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults Who Reported Their Physical Health Was Not Good on 14 or More Days in the Past 30 Days, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	2,574	11.3	0.3	10.8	11.8
Marion County	17	14.1	3.8	6.7	21.6
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	16	14.5	4.0	6.7	22.3
Race					
White	14	13.3	3.8	5.8	20.8
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	16	13.4	3.7	6.1	20.8
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported 14 or more days when their physical health was not good in the past 30 days.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

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Percentage of Adults Who Reported Their Poor Physical or Mental Health Kept Them From Doing Their Usual Activities, such as Self-care, Work or Recreation in the Past 30 Days, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	4,399	40.8	0.6	39.6	42.0
Marion County	23	38.8	7.3	24.4	53.7
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	22	40.7	7.7	25.6	55.7
Race					
White	21	38.3	7.5	23.6	53.0
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	22	40.3	7.7	25.3	55.3
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported one or more days in the past 30 days when their poor physical or mental health kept them from doing their usual activities, such as self-care, work or recreation.

Denominator: Respondents with at least one day in the past 30 days when their physical or mental health was not good, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

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**Percentage of Adults Ages 18 Years and Older Who Did Not Get Immunized
Against Influenza During the Past 12 Months, 2017**

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	11,141	61.6	0.4	60.7	62.4
Marion County	65	55.1	5.4	44.5	65.8
Gender					
Men	33	66.5	7.7	51.5	81.5
Women	32	45.2	7.3	31.0	59.5
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	63	56.2	5.6	45.3	67.1
Race					
White	59	54.7	5.6	43.8	65.6
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	43	54.8	6.4	42.2	67.5
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	32	54.3	7.6	39.3	69.3
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	53	60.2	6.1	48.1	72.2

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	43	56.4	6.8	43.1	69.6
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	53	54.7	6.0	43.0	66.4
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	58	51.2	5.7	40.1	62.3
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they did not get a flu shot or flu vaccine sprayed in their nose during the past 12 months.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

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**Percentage of Adults Who Reported That They Do Not Always Wear a Seatbelt
When They Drive or Ride in a Car, 2017**

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	3,294	16.6	0.3	16.0	17.3
Marion County	27	28.2	5.0	18.3	38.0
Gender					
Men	15	37.1	8.0	21.3	52.8
Women	12	20.4	6.0	8.6	32.3
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	26	28.1	5.2	18.0	38.3
Race					
White	23	28.1	5.2	18.0	38.2
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	18	30.5	6.3	18.2	42.9
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	14	30.8	7.3	16.5	45.2
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	22	31.9	6.0	20.1	43.6

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	20	30.8	6.3	18.4	43.2
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	20	26.8	5.5	16.1	37.5
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	23	28.1	5.3	17.6	38.5
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Respondents who reported they nearly always, sometimes, seldom or never use a seatbelt when they ride or drive in a car.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

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Percentage of Adults Who Currently Smoke Cigarettes, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	3,145	17.4	0.4	16.7	18.1
Marion County	19	15.5	3.9	7.9	23.1
Gender					
Men	*	*	*	*	*
Women	*	*	*	*	*
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	17	13.8	3.8	6.5	21.2
Race					
White	14	14.4	3.9	6.8	22.1
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	*	*	*	*	*
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	*	*	*	*	*
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	*	*	*	*	*

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Weight Category					
Normal or Underweight (BMI < 25)	*	*	*	*	*
Overweight (25 ≤ BMI < 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Obese (BMI ≥ 30)	*	*	*	*	*
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	16	13.7	3.7	6.5	20.9
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents who reported they have smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their entire life and that they now smoke some days or every day.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

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Percentage of Adults Who Are Obese, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	6,551	32.3	0.4	31.5	33.2
Marion County	47	43.3	5.6	32.3	54.2
Gender					
Men	20	42.8	8.1	27.0	58.7
Women	27	43.7	7.8	28.5	58.9
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	44	42.5	5.7	31.3	53.7
Race					
White	42	43.0	5.7	31.8	54.2
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	34	54.7	6.7	41.6	67.8
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	27	48.8	7.8	33.5	64.1
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	32	40.5	6.4	27.9	53.0

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	27	37.9	7.0	24.3	51.6
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	37	42.8	6.3	30.5	55.0
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	45	46.2	5.8	34.8	57.7
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents with a body mass index greater than or equal to 30, based on self-reported height and weight.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

Italicized prevalence estimates have a margin of error >5 and should be interpreted with caution.

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Percentage of Adults Who Are Overweight or Obese, 2017

Marion County

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Kansas	13,706	67.2	0.4	66.3	68.0
Marion County	86	79.0	4.4	70.3	87.7
Gender					
Men	42	82.6	5.6	71.5	93.7
Women	44	75.1	6.8	61.8	88.4
Age Group					
18 to 44 Years	*	*	*	*	*
45 to 64 Years	*	*	*	*	*
65 Years and Older	*	*	*	*	*
Ethnicity					
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*
Non-Hispanic	83	79.6	4.4	71.0	88.3
Race					
White	80	79.2	4.5	70.4	88.0
African American	*	*	*	*	*
Other	*	*	*	*	*
Multi-Race	*	*	*	*	*
Education					
High School Graduate or Less	*	*	*	*	*
Some College or College Graduate	55	81.3	4.8	71.8	90.8
Annual Household Income					
Less than \$35,000 per Year	*	*	*	*	*
\$35,000 or Higher per Year	46	84.5	4.9	74.9	94.2
Disability Status					
Living with a Disability†	*	*	*	*	*
Living without a Disability	63	79.7	5.0	69.9	89.5

	Unweighted Frequency	Weighted Percentage	Standard Error	95% Confidence Limits	
				Lower	Upper
Leisure Time Physical Activity					
Participates in leisure time physical activity	51	75.3	5.9	63.7	86.8
Does not participate in leisure time physical activity	*	*	*	*	*
Smoking Status					
Current smoker	*	*	*	*	*
Non-smoker	71	81.4	4.6	72.4	90.4
Health Insurance Status					
Insured	82	82.9	3.8	75.5	90.4
Uninsured	*	*	*	*	*

Numerator: Respondents with a body mass index greater than or equal to 25, based on self-reported height and weight.

Denominator: All respondents, excluding unknowns and refusals.

† Living with a Disability: Respondents who have at least one of the six disability types (hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and/or independent living).

* Insufficient sample and/or statistically unreliable estimate

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Technical Notes

The 2017 BRFSS data for your county/region on health risk indicators, analyzed by various subpopulation groups (e.g. gender, age group, ethnicity, etc.), are included in this report. The indicators are summarized in tables that show:

- Unweighted Frequency: the number of respondents who reported the risk behavior
- Weighted Percentage: the prevalence estimate for the risk behavior within a particular subpopulation group category
- Standard Error: used to compute the 95% confidence limits
- Lower and upper 95% confidence limits

Prevalence estimates vary in precision depending on sample size. One way of describing the precision of an estimate is the margin of error, which is the half-width of the confidence interval. When the sample size is large for a particular subpopulation group, the corresponding margin of error for an estimate is small. When the sample size is small for a particular subpopulation group, the corresponding margin of error for an estimate is large. Large margins of error (i.e. >5) indicate that an estimate may be less precise. Prevalence estimates that have a margin of error >5 are *italicized* in this report and should be interpreted with caution.

To determine whether two weighted percentages are significantly different from one another, the reader must compare the confidence intervals. Confidence intervals which do not overlap indicate a statistically significant difference between the two prevalence estimates while overlapping confidence intervals indicate that two estimates are not statistically different from one another. It is incorrect to say two estimates are different if their confidence limits overlap.

Estimates have been censored with an asterisk ("*") when the sample size was inadequate and/or when the estimates were statistically unreliable. Specifically, estimates were censored when any of the following conditions were met:

- the numerator of the indicator is less than 5
- the denominator of the indicator is less than 50
- the relative standard error (RSE) is greater than 30 percent

RSE is obtained by dividing the standard error of the estimate by the estimate itself, then multiplying that result by 100 to be expressed as a percent.

2011 BRFSS data represent a new baseline for public health surveillance. Due to changes in BRFSS survey methodology, the BRFSS estimates for 2011 and subsequent years cannot be compared to estimates from the years prior to 2011.

For more information on changes to the Kansas BRFSS survey methodology beginning in 2011, please visit: <http://www.kdheks.gov/brfss/newmethod.html>

For more detailed technical notes on the Kansas BRFSS, please visit: <http://www.kdheks.gov/brfss/technotes.html>

In 2017, cholesterol questions and fruits and vegetables modules were modified for all states. Due to the changes in methodology, we do not advise comparing 2017 findings to the previous modules.

For more information on new fruits and vegetables module: please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/nutrition/data-statistics/using-the-new-BRFSS-modules.html>

In 2017 and 2016, a six-item set of questions identify disability in hearing, vision, cognition, mobility, self-care, and independent living for all states. Respondents who responded "yes" to at least one of the six functional disability questions were identified as adults living with a disability.

For more information on disability questions: please visit https://www.cdc.gov/brfss/data_documentation/pdf/BRFSS_Data_Users_Guide_on_Disability_Questions_2018-508.pdf

Please visit the BRFSS questionnaires below to see the questions on specific topics:

2017 Kansas BRFSS: <http://www.kdheks.gov/brfss/PDF/ks2017svy.pdf>

2016 Kansas BRFSS: <http://www.kdheks.gov/brfss/PDF/ks2016svy.pdf>

2015 Kansas BRFSS: <http://www.kdheks.gov/brfss/PDF/ks2015svy.pdf>