GARRETT COUNTY

Rankings

REPORTS

The 2021 Rankings includes deaths through 2019. See our FAQs for information about when we anticipate the inclusion of deaths attributed to COVID-19.

Garrett (GA)
2021 Rankings

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County Demographics

	County	State
Population	29,014	6,045,680
% below 18 years of age	18.4%	22.1%
% 65 and older	23.1%	15.9%
% Non-Hispanic Black	1.1%	29.9%
% American Indian & Alaska Native	0.2%	0.6%
% Asian	0.4%	6.7%
% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%
% Hispanic	1.2%	10.6%
% Non-Hispanic White	96.2%	50.0%
% not proficient in English	0%	3%
% Females	50.6%	51.6%
% Rural	83.9%	12.8%

	County	Error Margin	Top U.S. Performers ^	Maryland
Health Outcomes				
Length of Life				
Premature death	7,500	6,200-8,700	5,400	7,200
Quality of Life				
Poor or fair health **	17%	15-20%	14%	15%
Poor physical health days **	4.2	3.7-4.6	3.4	3.4
Poor mental health days **	4.6	4.2-5.1	3.8	3.7
Low birthweight	8%	7-10%	6%	9%
Additional Health Outcomes (not included in overall ranking)				
Life expectancy	78.3	77.3-79.4	81.1	79.2
Premature age-adjusted mortality	350	310-390	280	340
Child mortality	50	20-80	40	50
Infant mortality			4	6
Frequent physical distress **	13%	11-14%	10%	10%
Frequent mental distress **	15%	13-16%	12%	11%
Diabetes prevalence	13%	11-15%	8%	11%
HIV prevalence	59		50	653
Health Factors				
Health Behaviors				
Adult smoking **	18%	15-22%	16%	13%
Adult obesity	36%	33-39%	26%	32%
Food environment index	8.3		8.7	8.7
Physical inactivity	27%	24-29%	19%	22%
Access to exercise opportunities	73%		91%	93%
Excessive drinking **	16%	15-17%	15%	15%
Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	39%	29-48%	11%	29%

Sexually transmitted infections	130.0		161.2	586.3
Teen births	23	19-27	12	16

Additional Health Behaviors (not included in overall ranking)

Food insecurity	12%		9%	11%
Limited access to healthy foods	1%		2%	3%
Drug overdose deaths	26	17-39	11	38
Motor vehicle crash deaths	16	11-23	9	9
Insufficient sleep **	37%	35-38%	32%	38%

Clinical Care

Uninsured	7%	6-8%	6%	7%
Primary care physicians	1,820:1		1,030:1	1,130:1
Dentists	2,230:1		1,210:1	1,260:1
Mental health providers	620:1		270:1	360:1
Preventable hospital stays	3,899		2,565	4,134
Mammography screening	42%		51%	42%
Flu vaccinations	41%		55%	52%

Additional Clinical Care (not included in overall ranking)

Uninsured adults	8%	7-9%	7%	8%
Uninsured children	4%	3-5%	3%	3%
Other primary care providers	850:1		620:1	870:1

Social & Economic Factors

High school completion	90%	88-91%	94%	90%
Some college	56%	49-62%	73%	70%
Unemployment	4.4%		2.6%	3.6%
Children in poverty	18%	11-24%	10%	12%
Income inequality	4.3	3.7-4.9	3.7	4.5
Children in single-parent households	16%	12-20%	14%	26%
Social associations	13.0		18.2	9.0
Violent crime	223		63	459
Injury deaths	81	66-95	59	82

Additional Social & Economic Factors (not included in overall ranking)

High school graduation	90%		95%	87%
Disconnected youth			4%	6%
Reading scores			3.3	
Math scores			3.4	
Median household income	$59,300	$54,700-63,800	$72,900	$86,600
Children eligible for free or reduced price lunch	46%		32%	46%
Residential segregation - Black/White			23	63
Residential segregation - non-white/white	27		14	55
Homicides			2	9
Suicides	18	12-27	11	10
Firearm fatalities	13	8-20	8	12
Juvenile arrests	40			26

Physical Environment

Air pollution - particulate matter	5.7		5.2	8.0
Drinking water violations	No			
Severe housing problems	12%	10-14%	9%	16%
Driving alone to work	78%	75-81%	72%	74%
Long commute - driving alone	32%	28-36%	16%	50%

Additional Physical Environment (not included in overall ranking)

Traffic volume	44			734
Homeownership	79%	78-79%	81%	67%
Severe housing cost burden	11%	9-13%	7%	14%
Broadband access	77%	75-79%	86%	86%

^ 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