

Lee (LE) 2020 Rankings

County Demographics

	County	State
Population	34,055	3,156,145
% below 18 years of age	21.4%	23.2%
% 65 and older	20.3%	17.1%
% Non-Hispanic Black	3.0%	3.8%
% American Indian & Alaska Native	0.3%	0.5%
% Asian	0.7%	2.7%
% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	0.0%	0.1%
% Hispanic	3.6%	6.2%
% Non-Hispanic White	90.7%	85.3%
% not proficient in English	0%	2%
% Females	49.6%	50.2%
% Rural	40.6%	36.0%

	Lee County	Error Margin	Top U.S. Performers ^	Iowa	Rank (of 99)
Health Outcomes					99
Length of Life					93
Premature death	8,800	7,600-10,000	5,500	6,200	
Quality of Life					97
Poor or fair health **	16%	15-16%	12%	14%	
Poor physical health days **	3.4	3.3-3.6	3.1	3.3	
Poor mental health days **	3.8	3.6-4.0	3.4	3.6	
Low birthweight	8%	7-9%	6%	7%	

Additional Health Outcomes (not included in overall ranking)

Life expectancy	76.6	75.6-77.5	81.1	79.4
Premature age-adjusted mortality	440	400-470	270	320
Child mortality	70	40-100	40	50
Infant mortality			4	5
Frequent physical distress	11%	10-11%	9%	10%
Frequent mental distress	12%	12-12%	11%	11%
Diabetes prevalence	13%	9-18%	7%	10%
HIV prevalence	38		41	98

Health Factors					99
Health Behaviors					97

Adult smoking **	18%	17-19%	14%	17%
Adult obesity	40%	34-47%	26%	33%
Food environment index	7.6		8.6	8.2
Physical inactivity	30%	25-36%	20%	24%
Access to exercise opportunities	75%		91%	83%
Excessive drinking **	21%	20-22%	13%	22%
Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	24%	15-34%	11%	27%
Sexually transmitted infections	291.6		161.4	441.6
Teen births	37	33-42	13	19

Additional Health Behaviors (not included in overall ranking)

Food insecurity	14%		9%	11%
Limited access to healthy foods	7%		2%	6%
Drug overdose deaths	13	7-22	10	10
Motor vehicle crash deaths	19	14-26	9	11

Insufficient sleep	30%	29-31%	27%	28%
--------------------	-----	--------	-----	-----

Clinical Care

75

Uninsured	5%	4-6%	6%	5%
Primary care physicians	1,710:1		1,030:1	1,370:1
Dentists	2,130:1		1,240:1	1,500:1
Mental health providers	1,170:1		290:1	640:1
Preventable hospital stays	4,755		2,761	3,808
Mammography screening	41%		50%	51%
Flu vaccinations	49%		53%	53%

Additional Clinical Care (not included in overall ranking)

Uninsured adults	6%	5-7%	7%	7%
Uninsured children	3%	2-3%	3%	3%
Other primary care providers	1,261:1		665:1	990:1

Social & Economic Factors

99

High school graduation	90%		96%	91%
Some college	60%	54-65%	73%	70%
Unemployment	4.0%		2.6%	2.5%
Children in poverty	22%	16-27%	11%	14%
Income inequality	4.1	3.8-4.3	3.7	4.2
Children in single-parent households	33%	27-39%	20%	29%
Social associations	16.9		18.4	15.2
Violent crime	480		63	282
Injury deaths	103	88-118	58	67

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

Disconnected youth	11%	4-17%	4%	5%
Reading scores	3.1		3.4	3.1
Math scores	2.9		3.4	3.1
Median household income	\$48,200	\$43,100-53,400	\$69,000	\$60,100
Children eligible for free or reduced price lunch	53%		32%	40%
Residential segregation - Black/White	55		23	62
Residential segregation - non-white/white	39		14	48
Homicides			2	2
Suicides	24	17-33	11	14
Firearm fatalities	13	8-19	8	9
Juvenile arrests	62			37

Physical Environment

89

Air pollution - particulate matter **	10.7		6.1	9.0
Drinking water violations	No			
Severe housing problems	11%	9-12%	9%	12%
Driving alone to work	84%	81-87%	72%	81%
Long commute - driving alone	21%	18-23%	16%	20%

Additional Physical Environment (not included in overall ranking)

Traffic volume	379			1,461
Homeownership	74%	73-76%	81%	71%
Severe housing cost burden	9%	8-11%	7%	10%

Areas to Explore

Areas of Strength

^ 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