

Taylor (TY) 2020 Rankings

County Demographics

	County	State
Population	6,191	3,156,145
% below 18 years of age	23.5%	23.2%
% 65 and older	22.1%	17.1%
% Non-Hispanic Black	0.4%	3.8%
% American Indian & Alaska Native	0.3%	0.5%
% Asian	0.5%	2.7%
% Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	0.1%	0.1%
% Hispanic	8.2%	6.2%
% Non-Hispanic White	89.9%	85.3%
% not proficient in English	3%	2%
% Females	49.3%	50.2%
% Rural	100.0%	36.0%

	Taylor County	Error Margin	Top U.S. Performers ^	Iowa	Rank (of 99)
Health Outcomes					63
Length of Life					61
Premature death	6,700	4,500-9,600	5,500	6,200	
Quality of Life					65
Poor or fair health **	15%	14-15%	12%	14%	
Poor physical health days **	3.4	3.2-3.6	3.1	3.3	
Poor mental health days **	3.7	3.5-3.9	3.4	3.6	
Low birthweight	6%	4-8%	6%	7%	

Additional Health Outcomes (not included in overall ranking)

Life expectancy	78.8	76.6-81.0	81.1	79.4
Premature age-adjusted mortality	330	250-410	270	320
Child mortality			40	50
Infant mortality			4	5
Frequent physical distress	10%	10-11%	9%	10%
Frequent mental distress	12%	11-12%	11%	11%
Diabetes prevalence	12%	6-21%	7%	10%
HIV prevalence			41	98

Health Factors **50**

Health Behaviors **68**

Adult smoking **	16%	16-17%	14%	17%
Adult obesity	32%	24-42%	26%	33%
Food environment index	8.8		8.6	8.2
Physical inactivity	26%	18-35%	20%	24%
Access to exercise opportunities	64%		91%	83%
Excessive drinking **	19%	18-20%	13%	22%
Alcohol-impaired driving deaths	50%	22-71%	11%	27%
Sexually transmitted infections	372.3		161.4	441.6
Teen births	23	16-33	13	19

Additional Health Behaviors (not included in overall ranking)

Food insecurity	10%		9%	11%
Limited access to healthy foods	1%		2%	6%
Drug overdose deaths			10	10
Motor vehicle crash deaths			9	11
Insufficient sleep	26%	25-27%	27%	28%

Clinical Care

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Uninsured	7%	6-8%	6%	5%
Primary care physicians	6,180:1		1,030:1	1,370:1
Dentists	2,060:1		1,240:1	1,500:1
Mental health providers	6,190:1		290:1	640:1
Preventable hospital stays	2,319		2,761	3,808
Mammography screening	52%		50%	51%
Flu vaccinations	44%		53%	53%

Additional Clinical Care (not included in overall ranking)

Uninsured adults	8%	7-9%	7%	7%
Uninsured children	4%	3-6%	3%	3%
Other primary care providers	2,064:1		665:1	990:1

Social & Economic Factors

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High school graduation	97%		96%	91%
Some college	55%	48-62%	73%	70%
Unemployment	2.0%		2.6%	2.5%
Children in poverty	16%	10-21%	11%	14%
Income inequality	4.2	3.7-4.8	3.7	4.2
Children in single-parent households	27%	18-35%	20%	29%
Social associations	16.2		18.4	15.2
Violent crime	41		63	282
Injury deaths	74	47-112	58	67

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

Disconnected youth			4%	5%
Reading scores	3.0		3.4	3.1
Math scores	3.1		3.4	3.1
Median household income	\$47,800	\$42,400-53,200	\$69,000	\$60,100
Children eligible for free or reduced price lunch	45%		32%	40%
Residential segregation - Black/White			23	62
Residential segregation - non-white/white	56		14	48
Homicides			2	2
Suicides			11	14
Firearm fatalities			8	9
Juvenile arrests				37

Physical Environment

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Air pollution - particulate matter **	9.0		6.1	9.0
Drinking water violations	No			
Severe housing problems	10%	8-12%	9%	12%
Driving alone to work	79%	75-82%	72%	81%
Long commute - driving alone	28%	23-32%	16%	20%

Additional Physical Environment (not included in overall ranking)

Traffic volume	139			1,461
Homeownership	77%	75-78%	81%	71%
Severe housing cost burden	7%	4-10%	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