Idaho

OVERALL RANK: 16
Change: no change

Strengths:
- Low prevalence of low birthweight
- Low violent crime rate
- Small difference in health status by high school education

Challenges:
- Low percentage of high school graduation
- Low HPV immunization coverage among adolescent males
- Low rate of primary care physicians

Highlights:
- Since 2012, smoking decreased 15% from 17.2% to 14.7% of adults
- Since 2007, drug deaths increased 86% from 7.8 to 14.5 deaths per 100,000 population
- In the past three years, low birthweight increased 9% from 6.4% to 7.0% of live births
- In the past two years, mental health providers increased 8% from 193.6 to 208.8 per 100,000 population
- Since 2012, disparity in health status decreased 29% from 30.9% to 22.0%
- Despite decreasing since 2012, frequent mental distress increased 28% in the past four years from 9.3% to 11.9% of adults

Senior Report Rank: 24
Health of Women and Children Report Rank: 22
State Health Department Website: healthandwelfare.idaho.gov

Behaviors

Rating Value Rank No. 1 State
Drug Deaths (deaths per 100,000 population) ++++ 14.5 15 7.2
Excessive Drinking (% of adults) ++++ 16.5 14 11.3
High School Graduation (% of students) + 79.7 43 91.0
Obesity (% of adults) ++++ 28.4 12 22.9
Physical Inactivity (% of adults) ++++ 20.5 8 16.4
Smoking (% of adults) ++++ 14.7 16 9.0

Behaviors Total

Community & Environment

Air Pollution (micrograms of fine particles per cubic meter) ++++ 6.8 15 4.4
Infectious Disease (mean z score of chlamydia, pertussis and Salmonella)* ++++ -0.780 3 1.230

Infectious Diseases—Adolescents (mean z score of HPV, meningococcal and Tdap)*
Chlamydia (cases per 100,000 population) ++++ 361.1 6 228.0
Pertussis (cases per 100,000 population) ++ 5.2 21 0.7
Salmonella (cases per 100,000 population) ++++ 12.0 9 6.5

Occupational Fatalities (deaths per 100,000 workers) ++ 4.6 26 2.7
Violent Crime (offenses per 100,000 population) ++++ 227 11 112

Community & Environment Total

Policy

Immunizations—Adolescents (mean z score of HPV, meningococcal and Tdap)* ++ -0.343 34 1.863

Immunizations—Adolescents
HPV Females (% ages 13–17) ++ 47.9 40 76.1
HPV Males (% ages 13–17) + 39.2 42 80.0
Meningococcal (% ages 13–17) ++++ 89.4 14 98.7
Tdap (% ages 13–17) ++ 86.7 38 97.5

Immunizations—Children (ages 19–35 months)
MMR (% ages 12 months) ++++ 94.7 16 97.5

Public Health Funding (dollars per person) ++++ $150 4 $281

Uninsured (% of population) ++ 10.6 40 2.8

Policy Total

-0.010 34 0.206

Clinical Care

Dentists (number per 100,000 population) ++++ 53.3 30 82.7
Low Birthweight (% of live births) ++++ 7.0 11 6.2
Mental Health Providers (number per 100,000 population) ++ 208.8 32 626.6
Preventable Hospitalizations (discharges per 1,000 Medicare enrollees) ++++ 32.3 4 233
Primary Care Physicians (number per 100,000 population) ++ 96.6 50 274.9

Clinical Care Total

-0.002 24 0.188

All Determinants

0.226 19 0.687

Outcomes

Cancer Deaths (deaths per 100,000 population) ++++ 184.8 17 149.8
Cardiovascular Deaths (deaths per 100,000 population) ++++ 2478 26 193.8
Diabetes (% of adults) ++++ 10.2 17 7.0
Disparity in Health Status (% difference by high school education) ++++ 22.0 13 14.5
Frequent Mental Distress (% of adults) ++++ 11.9 17 9.3
Frequent Physical Distress (% of adults) ++++ 11.5 17 9.6
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births) ++++ 5.4 13 3.8
Premature Death (years lost before age 75 per 100,000 population) ++++ 6669 15 5665

All Outcomes

0.107 15 0.234

OVERALL

0.333 16 0.850

* Value indicates z score. Negative scores are below U.S. value, positive scores are above U.S. value. Years reflect edition year, not data source year. For measure definitions, including data sources and years, see Table 9.