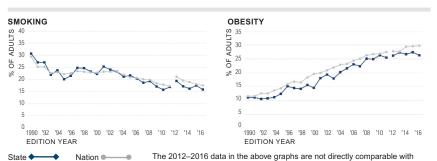
# **New Hampshire**

	Star Rating	201 Value	6 Rank	No. 1 State
BEHAVIORS				
Drug Deaths (deaths per 100,000 population)	**	17.9	38	4.0
STAR RATING Excessive Drinking (% of adults)	**	18.4	32	11.2
Stars Rank High School Graduation (% of students)	****	88.1	7	90.8
**** 1–10 *** 11–20  Obesity (% of adults)	****	26.3	13	20.2
*** 21–30 ** 31–40 Physical Inactivity (% of adults)	****	22.6	14	17.9
★ 41-50 Smoking (% of adults)	****	15.9	17	9.1
Behaviors Total*	****	0.124	9	0.273
COMMUNITY & ENVIRONMENT				
Air Pollution (micrograms of fine particles per cubic meter)	****	6.6	8	4.4
Children in Poverty (% of children)	****	8.7	2	8.0
Infectious Disease (mean z score of chlamydia, pertussis, and <i>Salmonella</i> )*	****	-0.843	3	-1.347
Chlamydia (cases per 100,000 population)	****	271.0	3	254.5
Infectious Disease— Pertussis (cases per 100,000 population)	****	6.3	19	1.0
Salmonella (cases per 100,000 population)	***	14.4	28	6.2
Occupational Fatalities (deaths per 100,000 workers)	****	3.4	8	2.0
Violent Crime (offenses per 100,000 population)	****	199	4	118
Community & Environment Total*	****	0.290	1	0.290
POLICY				
Immunizations—Adolescents (mean z score of HPV, meningococcal, and Tdap)*	****	1.057	4	1.783
HPV Females (% of females aged 13 to 17 years)	****	51.4	7	68.0
Immunizations— HPV Males (% of males aged 13 to 17 years)	****	47.1	2	58.1
Adolescents Meningococcal (% of adolescents aged 13 to 17 years)	****	87.7	11	97.7
Tdap (% of adolescents aged 13 to 17 years)	****	92.4	7	97.1
Immunizations—Children (% of children aged 19 to 35 months)	****	74.1	19	80.6
Lack of Health Insurance (% of population)	***	7.8	16	3.1
Public Health Funding (dollars per person)	**	\$66	33	\$261
Policy Total*	***	0.066	12	0.165
CLINICAL CARE				
Dentists (number per 100,000 population)	****	64.0	14	81.5
Low Birthweight (% of live births)	***	6.9	11	5.9
Preventable Hospitalizations (discharges per 1,000 Medicare enrollees)	****	44.8	16	23.5
Primary Care Physicians (number per 100,000 population)	****	157.4	15	247.7
Clinical Care Total*	***	0.076	12	0.170
ALL DETERMINANTS*	****	0.556	5	0.648
OUTCOMES				
	***	188.0	21	149.3
Cardiovascular Deaths (deaths per 100,000 population)	****	213.9	8	188.2
Diabetes (% of adults)	****	8.1	6	6.8
Disparity in Health Status (% difference by high school education)	***	27.4	23	14.8
Frequent Mental Distress (% of adults)	****	10.9	19	7.1
Frequent Physical Distress (% of adults)	****	10.6	13	8.5
Infant Mortality (deaths per 1,000 live births)	****	5.0	10	4.3
Premature Death (years lost per 100,000 population)	****	6,277	12	5,369
ALL OUTCOMES*	****	0.139	9 6	0.289
OVERALL*	****	0.090	0	0.900

<sup>\*</sup> Value indicates z score. Negative scores are below US value; positive scores are above US value. For complete definitions of measures including data sources and years, see Table 5.



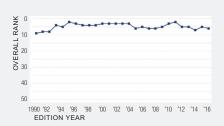
prior years. See Methodology (page 150) for additional information.

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## **Overall** Rank: 6

Change: ▼1 Determinants Rank: 5 Outcomes Rank: 9





#### Strengths:

- · Low percentage of children in poverty
- · High immunization coverage among adolescents
- · Low prevalence of diabetes

#### Challenges:

- · High rate of drug deaths
- · High prevalence of excessive drinking
- · Low per capita public health funding

### Ranking:

New Hampshire is 6th this year; it was 5th in 2015. The state ranks 3rd for senior health and 3rd for the health of women and children.

#### Highlights:

- In the past three years, drug deaths increased 60% from 11.2 to 17.9 deaths per 100,000 population.
- In the past year, HPV immunization among males aged 13 to 17 years increased 43% from 33.0% to 47.1%.
- In the past four years, the percentage of the population without health insurance decreased 31% from 11.3% to 7.8%.
- · In the past three years, preventable hospitalizations decreased 23% from 58.2 to 44.8 discharges per 1,000 Medicare enrollees.
- In the past two years, premature death increased 12% from 5,580 to 6,277 years lost per 100,000 population.

**State Health Department Website:**