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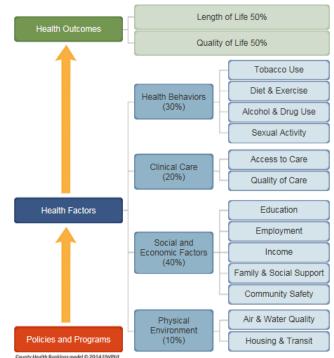
- http://www.countyhealthrankings.org/
- Developed by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute
- First released in 2010 for all U.S. counties, updates released annually but not comparable over time due to changes in definitions and sources
- Counties ranked within each state by indicators and section to allow comparison
- Data sources are national and must have data for *almost all* counties across the U.S.

• Rankings & Roadmaps Contents:

- 34 indicators in 2 sections and 6 sub-sections:
 - Health Outcomes
 - Length of life and Quality of life
 - Health Factors
 - o Health Behaviors, Clinical Care, Social and Economic Factors, Physical Environment
- County Health Rankings are:
 - Generated from national-level data sources
 - Ranks based on comparison to other counties in the state; statistical trend over time for some measures; comparison to WA State and top 10% of U.S. counties

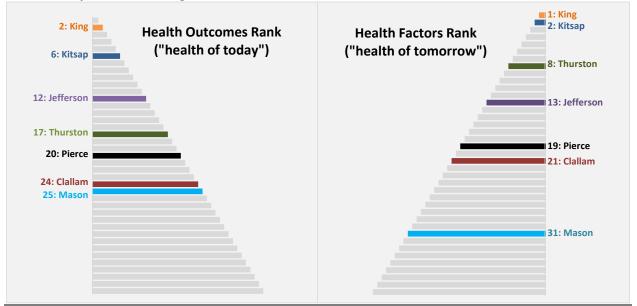
County Health Rankings and Kitsap Public Health Indicators both:

- Raise awareness of community health
- Present a call to action
- Identify areas for more in-depth analysis





2023 County Health Rankings:



Comparison to 2022 Rankings:

- Kitsap County's health outcomes ranking increased from 9th (2022) to 6th (2023) in Washington state.
- Kitsap County's <u>health factors</u> ranking <u>increased</u> from 4th (2022) to 2th (2023) in Washington state.

2023 County Health Rankings Summary for Kitsap County

HEALTH OUTCOMES – KITSAP RANKS 6 TH									
	RANK	AREAS OF STRENGTH	IMPROVING TRENDS	AREAS TO EXPLORE	WORSENING TRENDS				
Length of Life	13 th		 Decrease in years of potential life lost 						
Quality of Life	5 th	 Percentage of adults with fair or poor health Low birthweight 		 Disparities for low birthweight by race/ethnicity 					

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	RANK	AREAS OF	IMPROVING	AREAS TO	WORSENING
		STRENGTH	TRENDS	EXPLORE	TRENDS
Health Behaviors	5 th	 Low rate of physical inactivity Access to locations for physical activity Low rate of births to teenagers 	• Decrease in alcohol-impaired driving deaths	 Adult smoking Adult binge drinking Adult obesity Food environment index 	 Increase in number of sexually transmitted infections (chlamydia)
Clinical Care	4 th	 Low rate of uninsured Low rate of preventable hospital stays 	 Decrease in ratio of population to dentists Decrease in rate of preventable hospital stays Increase in flu vaccinations for Medicare enrollees 	 Disparities for preventable hospital stays Disparities in mammography screening 	 Unchanged ratio of population to primary care physicians Decrease in percent of Medicare enrollees receiving mammography screening
Social and Economic Factors	4 th	 High percentage of adults completing high school Low income inequality 		 Disparities in injury deaths Disparities in children living in poverty 	 Unchanged trend for children living in poverty Unchanged trend for unemployment
Physical Environment	9 th	 Low average daily density of air pollution (PM2.5) Low percentage of households with severe housing problems Low percentage commuting more than 30 minutes 	 Decrease in air pollution (PM2.5) 	 Drinking water violations 	

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