

2018 Pratt County Community Health Needs Assessment

An assessment of Pratt County conducted jointly by Pratt Regional Medical Center and the Pratt County Health Department.

This Community Health Needs Assessment was conducted for Pratt County by Pratt Regional Medical Center and the Pratt County Health Department with oversight from the Pratt Health Coalition. The purpose for conducting a Community Health Needs Assessment is to identify, prioritize and address current health issues in Pratt County.

Pratt Regional Medical Center and the Pratt County Health Department primarily serve the medical needs of the citizens of Pratt and the surrounding rural area in Pratt County, a population totaling 9,547 residents. Pratt County includes its county seat, Pratt, a city of approximately 6,000 residents located in the plains of south-central Kansas. Since 2010, Pratt County's population has decreased by 1.1%, compared to the state's 2.1% increase. (County population in 2010 was 9,656.)

Description of the Community Served

Deemed the "Gateway to the High Plains" the area in which Pratt is located is a rolling plain of green grassland, broken by the Ninnescah River and the hills along Elm and Turkey creeks.

Pratt is proud of its 270 acres of parks. Once a tall-grass prairie, Pratt is known as "a tree city." The largest park in Pratt, Lemon Park, is approximately 117 acres and has a nature trail, wood sculptures, pond, shelter houses, gazebo, lighted walking path, baseball, softball, and playground facilities.

Pratt is a regional center for shopping, medical care, higher education, cultural activities, outdoor recreation, agriculture, and industry. The hub of Kansas Wildlife and Parks management is located near Pratt and the Kansas Department of Wildlife and Parks Nature Center is located just two miles east and one mile south of Pratt.

The median income for Pratt County is \$48,995 for 2013-2018. The 2017 population breakdown by age group is: 50.9% ages 19 to 64; 24.4% under the age of 18; 7.0% under the age of 5. Pratt's 65 and older population (19.5%) is higher than the state percentage, which is 15.4%.

Pratt Regional Medical Center is a licensed 35-bed not-for-profit hospital, with 16 physicians on staff. The hospital offers an emergency department, an intensive care unit, a medical/surgical unit, a radiology department, Family Birthing Suites, Pratt Rehabilitation and Residence Center, home health services, a general surgery and gynecology surgery clinic (The Surgicenter) and an orthopedic surgery center (South Central Kansas Bone and Joint Center). PRMC operates rural health clinics in Stafford, St. John, and Sylvia Kansas. These clinics allow for additional access to healthcare for rural residents in the area.

Pratt is fortunate to have a medical staff consisting of four family practice physicians, three internal medicine physicians, a psychologist, a gastroenterologist, a hematologist-oncologist, a radiologist, a general surgeon, two orthopedic surgeons, a podiatrist and a pain management specialist. Pratt also has four full-time dentists.

Other physicians consult and see patients on a monthly basis in Pratt to provide more specialized care such as cardiology, dermatology, otolaryngology, urology, cardiothoracic, neurology and nephrology.

The community survey process began in January 2018. The feedback portion of the assessment was completed in May 2018. The data processing and action planning took place in July and August 2018. Feedback from the survey, combined with data from sources such as www.kansashealthmatters.org, County Health Rankings and Roadmaps, and Healthy Kansas 2020 helped health care providers, community leaders and volunteers identify and prioritize strategies to address current health needs in Pratt County. Data regarding health-related issues in Pratt County was compiled into four infographics (pages 3-6). A more detailed report on Pratt County's key health indicators from KansasHealthMatters.org is included at the end of this report.

Listed below are 20 Identified Community Needs: KansasHealthMatters.org Data and Input from Community Stakeholder Meeting and Surveys

1. Obesity: Percentage of Adults Consuming Fruits & Vegetables 5 or More Times Per Day; Percentage of Adults Who are Overweight
2. Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Cerebrovascular Disease
3. Percentage of Adults Ages 18 Years and Older Who Received A Flu Shot During the Past 12 Months
4. Teen Pregnancy: Percent of all Births Occurring to Teens (15-19); Percent of births Where Mother Smoked During Pregnancy; Percent of Births Where Prenatal Care began in First Trimester
5. Suicide: Age-adjusted Suicide Mortality Rate per 100,000 population; Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost – Suicide
6. Traffic Injuries: Age-adjusted Traffic Injury Mortality Rate per 100,000 population; Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Traffic Injury
7. Access to Mental Health Providers
8. Increase in rate of Sexually Transmitted Diseases
9. Housing Availability: Foreclosure Rate; Homeownership
10. Low-Income Persons who are SNAP Participants
11. Lack of Day Care Providers
12. Abuse and Violence
13. Uninsured Population
14. Chronic Disease Management
15. Nutrition Education
16. Need for Improved Communication
17. Access to Healthcare: Agape Healthcare Clinic
18. Decrease Local Taxes
19. Drug and Alcohol Use/Abuse
20. Public Transportation

Pratt County Births 2016

84%

had at least adequate prenatal care
(78% prenatal care in first trimester)

85

born at 39 weeks or later

126

live births to
Pratt County residents

5%

low birthweight

85%

breastfed at birth

7.91%

Pratt County Population
has children ages 0-4

15%

children living in poverty
KS 14 US 20

94%

insured (to 19 years of age)

9

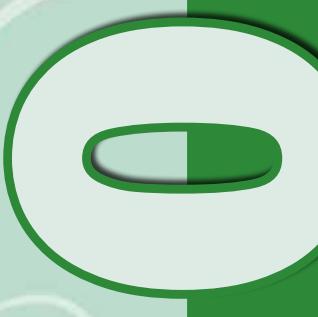
teen pregnancies

19%
born to moms who smoked
during pregnancy

7

abortions in Kansas
31%
born out of wedlock

1
=
inadequate prenatal care



- deaths in first 7 days of life
- deaths in first year of life



AMONG KANSAS
COUNTIES

HEALTH BEHAVIORS



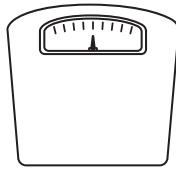
**SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED
INFECTIONS**
PR CO 4.3 cases per 1000
KS 6.3 cases per 1000



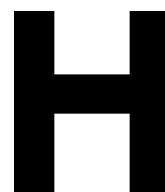
**NO LEISURE/PHYSICAL
ACTIVITY**
PR CO 31% KS 25%



ADULT SMOKING
PR CO 15% KS 16%



OBESITY BMI > 30
PR CO 35% KS 32 %



**PREVENTABLE HOSPITAL
EVENTS***
PR CO 59:1000 KS 52:1000

*pneumonia, dehydration, asthma, diabetes, and other conditions which could have been prevented if adequate primary care resources were available and accessed by those patients.



POOR PHYSICAL HEALTH
PR CO 3.0 days per month
KS 3.1 days per month

53



MEDIAN HOUSEHOLD INCOME
\$48,995 PR CO
\$53,571 KS



CHILDREN ELIGIBLE FOR
FREE AND REDUCED LUNCH
41.17% PR CO
49.17% KS



LIFE EXPECTANCY
FEMALE 81 PR CO/KS
MALE 76 PR CO/KS



HOUSING UNITS MEDIAN
VALUE
\$86,300 PR CO
\$135,300 KS



SINGLE PARENT HOUSEHOLDS
27% PR CO
29% KS



55% OF THOSE SURVEYED SAY PRATT COUNTY NEEDS MORE HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS.

COMMUNITY NEEDS SURVEY

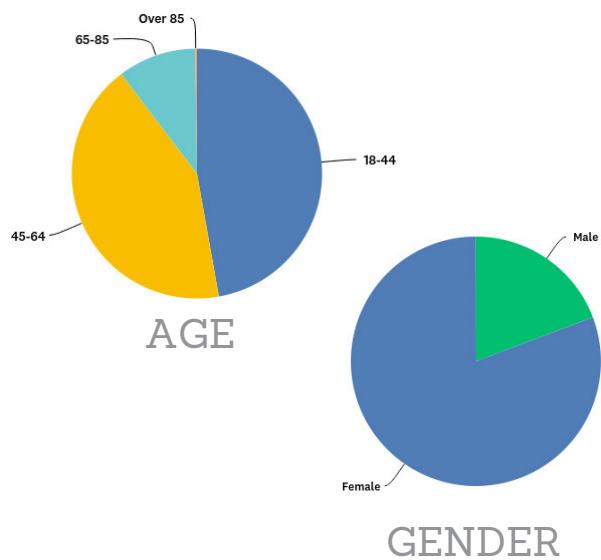
RESULTS SUMMARY



8% OF THOSE SURVEYED NEED PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ON EVENINGS, WEEKENDS AND HOLIDAYS.

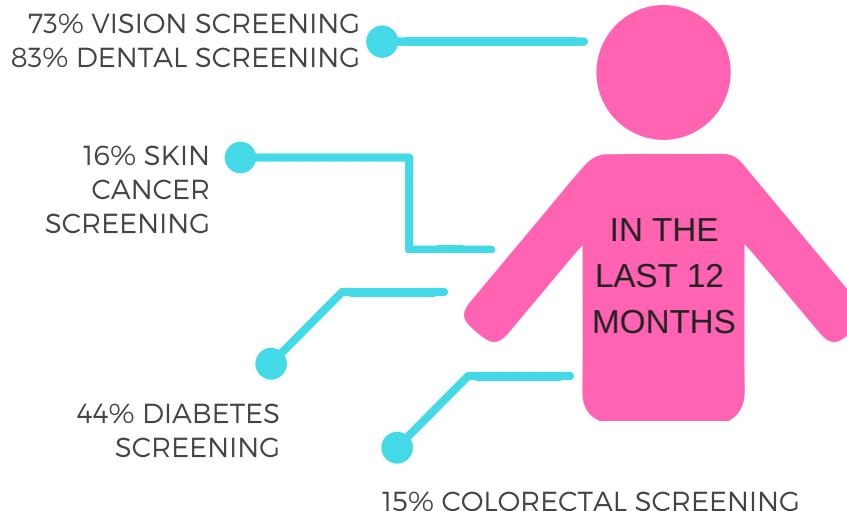
BASICS

483 ONLINE SURVEYS
33 PAPER SURVEYS



HEALTH BEHAVIORS

96% OF THOSE WHO COMPLETED THE SURVEY HAVE A PROVIDER THEY USE FOR PRIMARY CARE.



THE FOUR MOST IMPORTANT ISSUES THAT MUST BE ADDRESSED TO IMPROVE THE HEALTH AND QUALITY OF LIFE IN PRATT COUNTY ACCORDING TO THE SURVEY.

152

PEOPLE RANKED DAYCARE AVAILABILITY AS POOR OR VERY POOR.

59%

WOULD RATE PRATT COUNTY AS A SOMEWHAT HEALTHY COUNTY.

227

PEOPLE SAY THEY OFTEN OR SOMETIMES CANNOT AFFORD TO BUY HEALTHY FOODS.



A healthy community is not based solely upon physical health, but on other factors such as: the economy, economic development and the environment. This is a list of criteria used to evaluate the list of 20 health needs identified through the fact-finding process. These factors were then shared during the Community Stakeholder meeting for discussion. All stakeholders were given the opportunity to share during the discussion.

- The number of persons affected.
- The seriousness of the issue.
- Whether the health need particularly affected persons living in poverty or reflected health disparities.
- Availability of community resources to address the need.

Three years ago (in 2015), a Community Health Needs Assessment was completed for Pratt County. That assessment identified a number of health needs in Pratt County, and as a result, priority was given to these identified issues:

- Obesity/Healthy Lifestyles
- Community Building/Economic Development
- Positive Decision Making for Adolescents and Teens
- Access to Healthcare

The 2018 Community Health Needs Assessment confirmed that the community and collation work has been heading in the right direction; therefore, these priorities will remain our priorities for the next three years.

Question #5 in the 2018 CHNA survey asked: Because of the last Community Health Needs Assessment (completed in 2015) priority was given to these identified issues:

1. Obesity/Healthy Lifestyles
2. Community Building/Economic Development
3. Risky Behavior Suppression
4. Access to Healthcare.

In your opinion, should these priorities remain the same or should they change?

Remain the same	64.11%
	309
Need to change	35.89%
	173

More than 64% said we need to keep them the same, and about 35% said they need to change.

Obesity/Healthy Lifestyles

Educating the community on healthy lifestyle choices, coupled with a health friendly environment, should result in improving the health of citizens and the obesity rates in Pratt County.

For the past several years, the Pratt Health Coalition has been working together to create a more healthy environment for Pratt County. The Coalition has worked with city officials to create designated bike paths and additional sidewalks. They have worked with area businesses to create healthier work environments through Work Well Kansas, encouraging employees to be active and eat healthy foods. They have also hosted two Pratt Adventures, which are free events that encourage families to get outdoors and enjoy the parks and activities available in Pratt.

The Coalition is working to create an environment that promotes healthy lifestyles by building sidewalks, walking trails and bike paths. Building it a little bit at a time will help create a healthier environment.

The Pratt Health Foundation hosts an annual Bicycle Safety and Fitness course for third and fourth grade students in Pratt as well as the annual Dental Check-Up event at Pratt and Skyline schools. The bike safety and fitness course and the dental screening both began with grants. The Pratt Health Foundation does not receive grant money to conduct either one of them anymore, but because of the benefit both events provide, they choose to continue to have them every year with a minimal cost and a great return.

The Pratt Health Coalition and the Pratt Health Foundation will continue to work to educate the community about healthy lifestyles while they continue to focus on creating a healthier environment in Pratt County.

Pratt Health Coalition Members

Kansas Dept. of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism – Linda Lanterman

Pratt City Commission – Bill Hlavachick

Pratt County Commission – Glenna Borho

Pratt County Health Dept. – Darci VanDerVyver

Pratt County Extension – Jody Drake

PRMC – Andie Dean

Pratt Health Foundation – DeWayne Bryan

USD 382 – Suzan Patton

Blythe Family Fitness – Kristina Kauffman

Peoples Bank – Scott Smith

Community Building/Economic Development

There is a need to improve or focus on community building and economic development in Pratt County.

The Circles program in Pratt County has many volunteers that are working to provide support and help families learn new ways to overcome poverty, which in turn economically benefits the community. The Circles program is based out of the Hope Center in Pratt. Individuals who are willing to work together with others can create a positive outcome and gain the knowledge and support they need to overcome

poverty. Volunteers are coming together to offer support and guidance to those who want to make a positive change in their lives.

The Hope Center is an example of collaborative community effort. It provides a one stop shop for people who are looking for community resources. PRMC relocated the Prescription Assistance Program to the Hope Center. The Hope Center is located on South Main Street in Pratt.

Collaboration is important to community building. Through volunteer efforts, the Hope Center and Circles program will be a focus for the future. There are many other collaborative efforts taking place in the Pratt community.

Risky Behavior Suppression

Young people are faced with many decisions that could affect their lives in either a positive or negative way. Concerns regarding teen pregnancy, drug, and alcohol use and other risky behaviors are important to the community. Our youth are our future.

Another local coalition, the Pratt Prevention Partnership has been meeting regularly for the past six years to build a foundation for a sustainable coalition that will work to help youth in the Pratt community make positive decisions and avoid using drugs and alcohol.

The Pratt Prevention Partnership meets on the first Wednesday of every month at noon at Pratt Regional Medical Center. The group welcomes anyone who is interested in helping youth make positive decisions and say no to drugs and alcohol.

Pratt Prevention Partnership Members

DCCA – Joy Schwartz

Pratt County Health Department – Darci VanDerVyver

Pratt County Sheriff's Office – Jimmy White

Pratt City Library– Dereese McAbee

USD 382 - Suzan Patton

USD 438 – Sara Lewton

Community Corrections – Amanda Lovell

Pratt County Attorney – Tracey Beverlin

Recovery Community – Andrea Arnett

Pratt Regional Medical Center – Andie Dean

KMMM Radio - Lisa Coss

Access to Healthcare

Continuing to support the activities and efforts of the Agape Health Clinic will take a commitment from volunteers, physicians and the community. Remaining focused on the mission to provide access to health care is a priority.

For several years now, local healthcare providers have been providing care for those who are uninsured through the Agape Health Clinic. The free clinic is open on the first Saturday of every month. Local doctors, mid-levels, nurses and volunteers work together to provide this service for the Pratt community.

PRMC's Marketplace Navigator assists those who need health insurance through the marketplace. This position was created through a shared expense with a grant from United Methodist Ministries. The Navigator helps consumers understand the new requirements to enroll in health coverage and to understand their options under the Affordable Care Act. The Marketplace Navigator is available to the community from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and is willing to meet after hours or on weekends at the office if necessary.

Overall, the community is doing a good job of providing quality healthcare. Providing access to healthcare remains a priority. It is important not to lose sight of this priority, as there will always be room for improvement.

In the 2018 CHNA, question #4 asked: **How you would rate the "Overall Quality" of healthcare in Pratt County?**

Very Good	21.37% 103
Good	53.11% 256
Fair	21.16% 102
Poor	3.53% 17
Very Poor	0.83% 4

Who was Involved in the Community Health Needs Assessment? How was it conducted?

The Community Health Needs Assessment was initiated and chaired jointly by Pratt Regional Medical Center and the Pratt County Health Department. Each provided roughly equal financial and in-kind support for the assessment process. Oversight of the assessment was provided by the Pratt Health Coalition.

PRMC and Pratt County Health Department representatives researched other Kansas Community Health Needs Assessment processes and developed a series of questions that would relate to and help measure progress from the work done since the 2015 CHNA. It was decided that an online survey would be the most efficient way to gather feedback from the community. The online survey questions were designed to find out if the coalition work that has been done in Pratt County over the past several years was working. Are we headed in the right direction? Are our priorities still relevant? Where do we go from here?

An online survey was launched on Pratt Regional Medical Center's website in January 2018 and remained open until May 19, 2018. To encourage a wide range of participation, special invitations that included a link to the survey were sent via e-mail to key community leaders; large employers; and all educational, governmental, civic and health related organizations within Pratt County. Paper surveys were distributed at PRMC, the Hope Center and the Health Department. In order to insure input from members of the medically underserved, low-income, and minority populations in the community paper surveys were completed at each of the monthly Agape Health Clinic events from January until May. To ensure input from persons with a broad knowledge of the community, notice of the available online and paper surveys were announced, as a public service, on the local radio station, on the PRMC Facebook page and in the local newspaper.

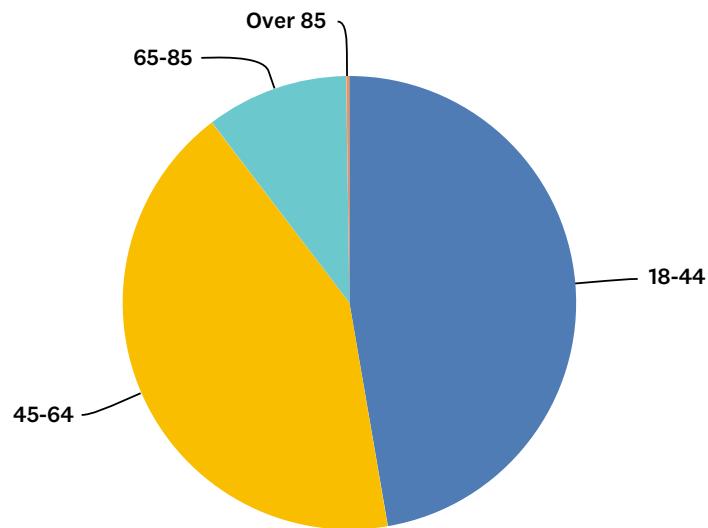
Overall, 483 people participated in the survey. Complete data results from the survey are included on the following pages.

Q1 What is your zip code?

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Q2 What is your age

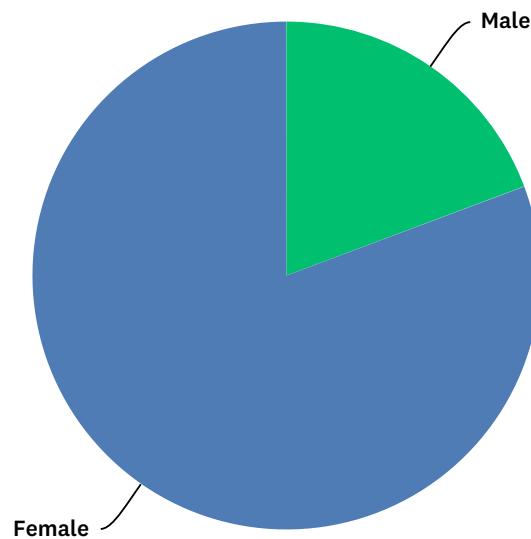
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Under 18	0.00%	0
18-44	47.30%	228
45-64	42.32%	204
65-85	10.17%	49
Over 85	0.21%	1
TOTAL		482

Q3 What is your gender

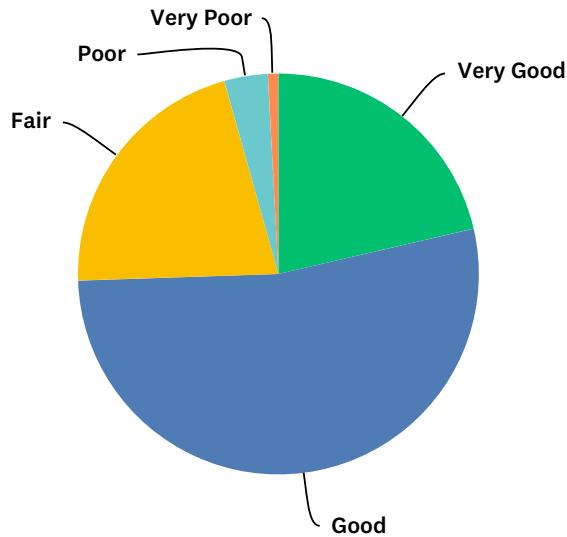
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Male	19.29%	93
Female	80.71%	389
TOTAL		482

Q4 How you would rate the "Overall Quality" of healthcare in Pratt County?

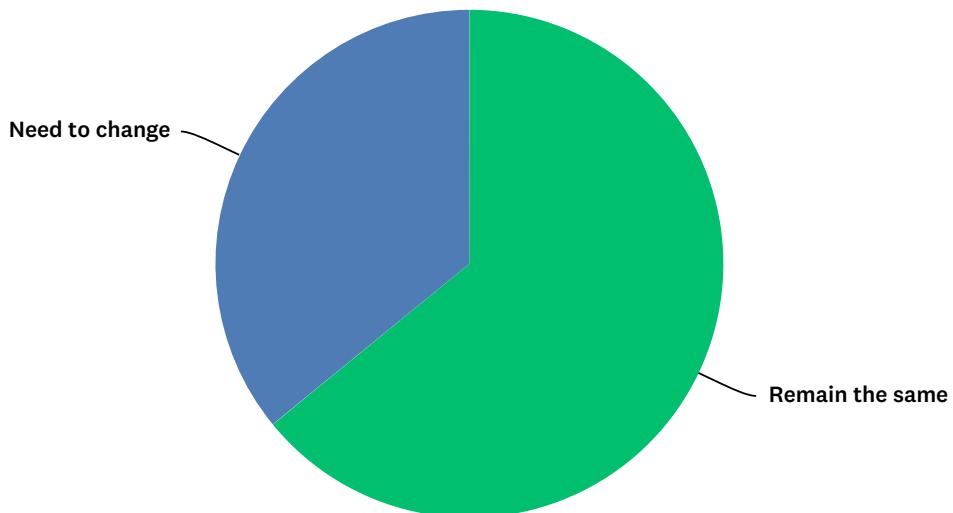
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very Good	21.37%	103
Good	53.11%	256
Fair	21.16%	102
Poor	3.53%	17
Very Poor	0.83%	4
TOTAL		482

Q5 As a result of the last Community Health Needs Assessment (completed in 2015) priority was given to these identified issues in NO specific order: Obesity/Healthy LifestylesCommunity Building/Economic DevelopmentPositive Decision Making for Adolescents and TeensAccess to HealthcareIn your opinion, should these priorities remain the same or should they change?

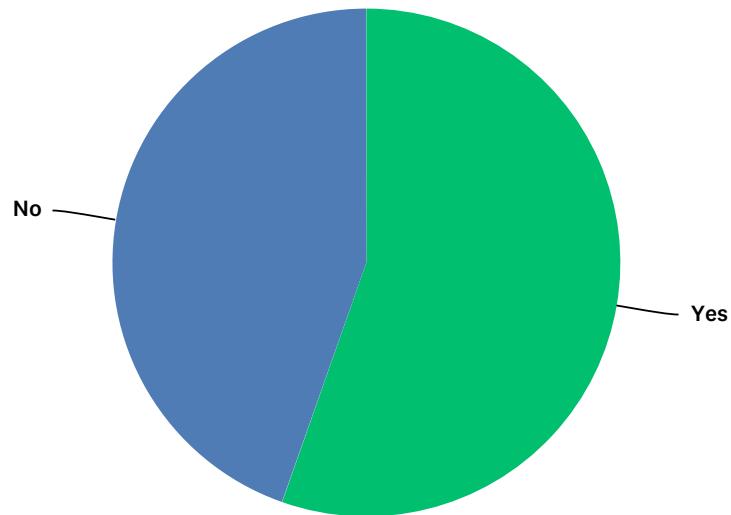
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Remain the same	64.11%	309
Need to change	35.89%	173
TOTAL		482

Q6 In your opinion, does Pratt County need more healthcare providers?

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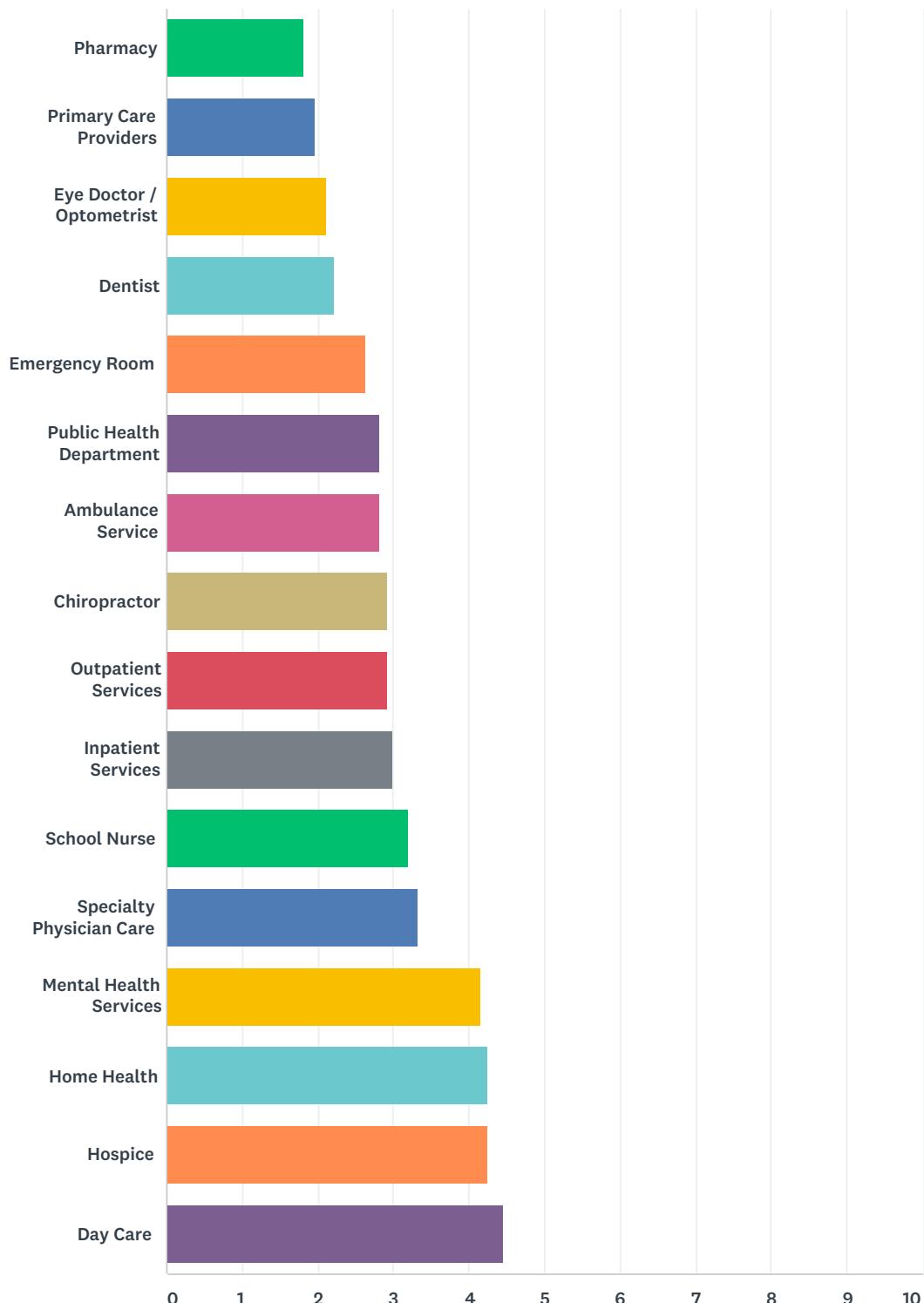
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	55.39%	267
No	44.61%	215
TOTAL		482

Q7 Are there healthcare services that you feel could be improved or added in Pratt County? (Please specify)

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Q8 How satisfied are you with each of these healthcare services in our community?

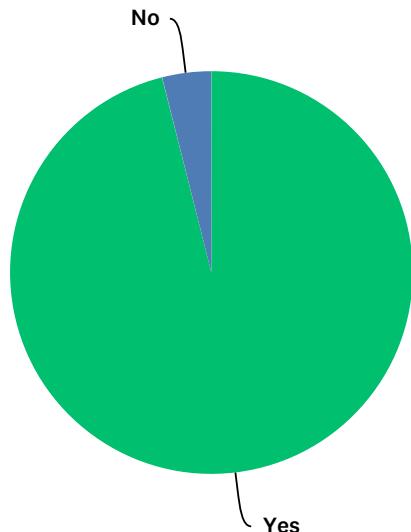
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Pharmacy	48.76% 235	35.48% 171	9.75% 47	1.45% 7	1.04% 5	3.53% 17	482	1.81
Primary Care Providers	37.14% 179	41.91% 202	13.90% 67	3.32% 16	1.24% 6	2.49% 12	482	1.97
Eye Doctor / Optometrist	41.29% 199	35.27% 170	11.20% 54	3.32% 16	0.83% 4	8.09% 39	482	2.11
Dentist	35.06% 169	36.72% 177	15.15% 73	5.39% 26	0.83% 4	6.85% 33	482	2.21
Emergency Room	25.31% 122	31.74% 153	19.92% 96	8.92% 43	5.81% 28	8.30% 40	482	2.63
Public Health Department	16.80% 81	42.74% 206	18.46% 89	3.11% 15	1.24% 6	17.63% 85	482	2.82
Ambulance Service	35.06% 169	30.08% 145	6.43% 31	1.04% 5	0.41% 2	26.97% 130	482	2.83
Chiropractor	25.93% 125	34.44% 166	12.03% 58	1.87% 9	0.41% 2	25.31% 122	482	2.92
Outpatient Services	16.39% 79	41.91% 202	16.39% 79	3.53% 17	1.24% 6	20.54% 99	482	2.93
Inpatient Services	20.75% 100	37.76% 182	13.49% 65	2.49% 12	1.24% 6	24.27% 117	482	2.99
School Nurse	23.24% 112	28.63% 138	12.03% 58	4.77% 23	3.32% 16	28.01% 135	482	3.20
Specialty Physician Care	12.86% 62	26.76% 129	24.48% 118	9.13% 44	5.39% 26	21.37% 103	482	3.32
Mental Health Services	3.32% 16	11.20% 54	26.14% 126	16.80% 81	10.37% 50	32.16% 155	482	4.16
Home Health	9.34% 45	19.29% 93	14.73% 71	3.11% 15	1.87% 9	51.66% 249	482	4.24
Hospice	10.58% 51	17.84% 86	13.49% 65	3.94% 19	2.70% 13	51.45% 248	482	4.25
Day Care	2.28% 11	6.85% 33	21.58% 104	19.92% 96	11.62% 56	37.76% 182	482	4.45

Q9 Do you or your family have a provider you use for primary care?

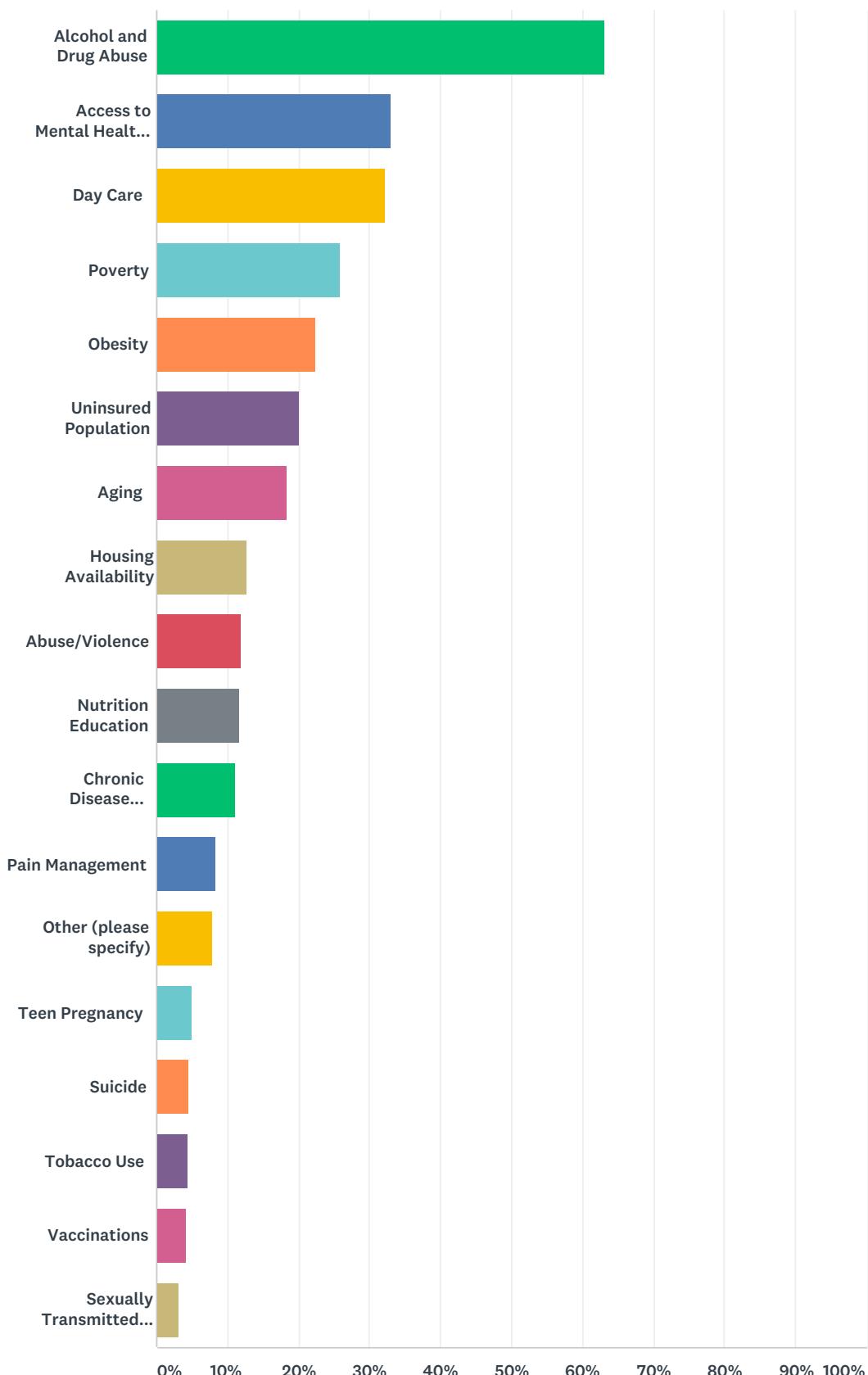
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	96.06%	463
No	3.94%	19
TOTAL		482

Q10 What are the THREE most important ISSUES that must be addressed to improve the health and quality of life in Pratt County?

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ANSWER CHOICES

RESPONSES

Alcohol and Drug Abuse

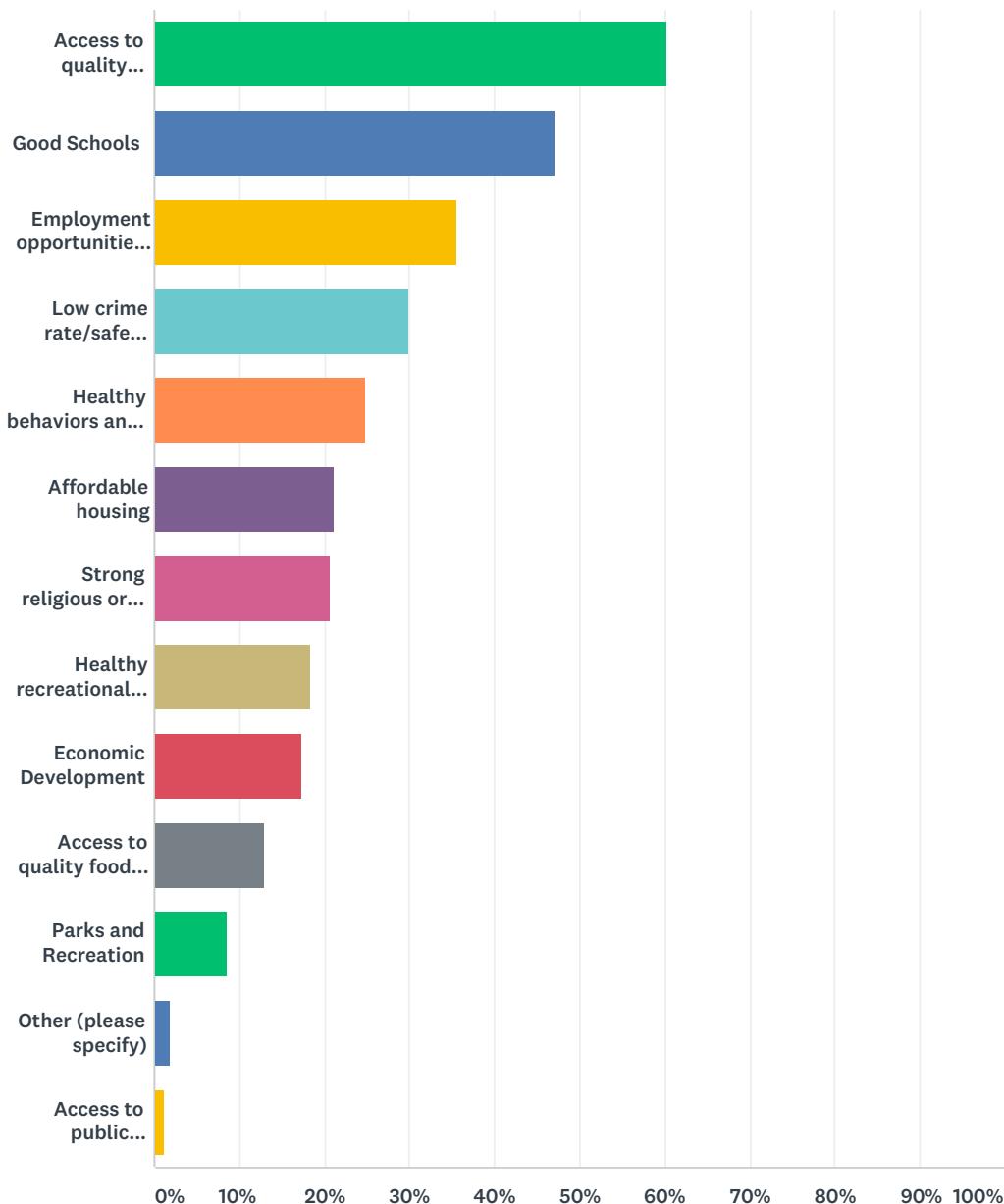
63.28%

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Access to Mental Health Services	32.99%	159
Day Care	32.16%	155
Poverty	25.93%	125
Obesity	22.41%	108
Uninsured Population	20.12%	97
Aging	18.46%	89
Housing Availability	12.86%	62
Abuse/Violence	11.83%	57
Nutrition Education	11.62%	56
Chronic Disease Prevention	11.00%	53
Pain Management	8.30%	40
Other (please specify)	7.88%	38
Teen Pregnancy	4.98%	24
Suicide	4.56%	22
Tobacco Use	4.36%	21
Vaccinations	4.15%	20
Sexually Transmitted Diseases	3.11%	15
Total Respondents: 482		

Q11 What do you believe are the THREE most important CHARACTERISTICS of a "healthy community"?

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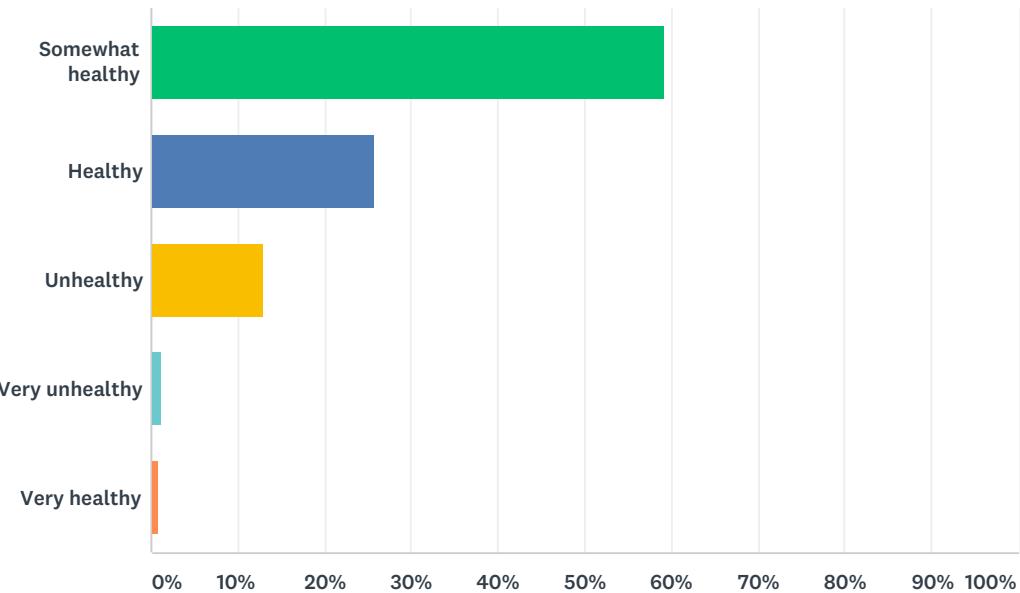


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Access to quality healthcare	60.17%
Good Schools	47.10%
Employment opportunities and job skills training	35.48%
Low crime rate/safe neighborhoods	29.88%
Healthy behaviors and lifestyles	24.90%

Affordable housing	21.16%	102
Strong religious or spiritual values	20.75%	100
Healthy recreational opportunities for youth and families	18.46%	89
Economic Development	17.43%	84
Access to quality food choices and farmers markets	13.07%	63
Parks and Recreation	8.51%	41
Other (please specify)	1.87%	9
Access to public transportation	1.24%	6
Total Respondents: 482		

Q12 In consideration of the previous question, how would you rate Pratt County as a "Healthy Community?"

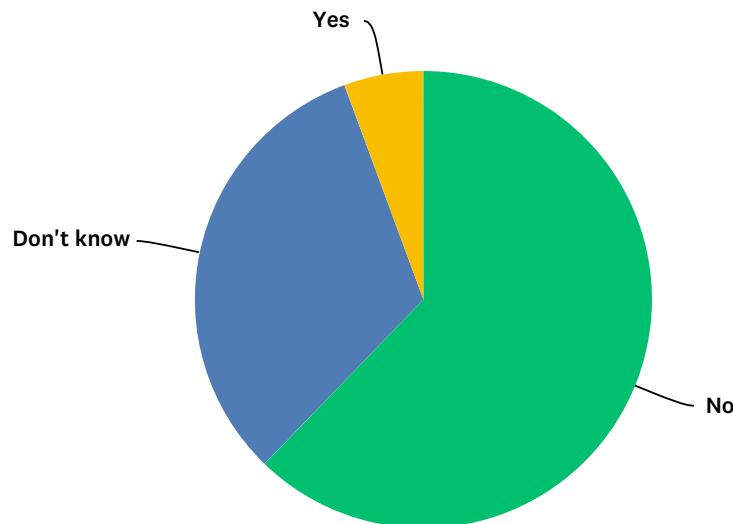
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Somewhat healthy	59.13%	285
Healthy	25.73%	124
Unhealthy	13.07%	63
Very unhealthy	1.24%	6
Very healthy	0.83%	4
TOTAL		482

Q13 In general, do you think that families in Pratt County have access to an adequate supply of childcare services?

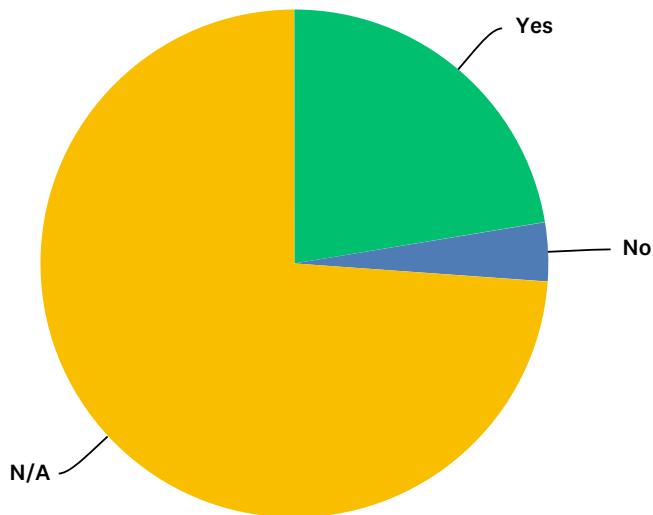
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
No	62.24%	300
Don't know	32.16%	155
Yes	5.60%	27
TOTAL		482

Q14 If you are a full-time stay at home caregiver, would you accept paid employment outside of your home, work on your farm or go to school if adequate childcare services were more available and affordable in Pratt County?

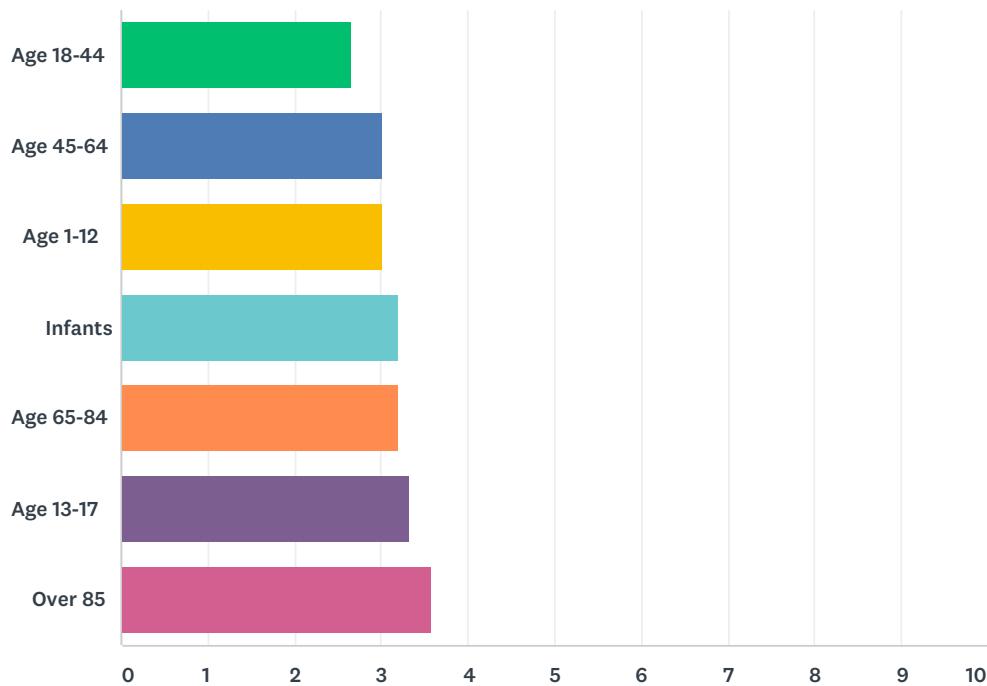
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	22.41%	108
No	3.73%	18
N/A	73.86%	356
TOTAL		482

Q15 Please rank, in your opinion, how our current healthcare providers in Pratt County are handling the needs of the following ages?

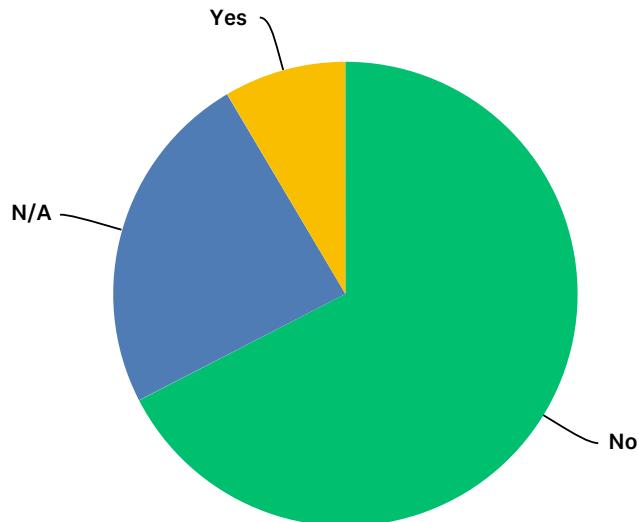
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	VERY GOOD	GOOD	FAIR	POOR	VERY POOR	N/A	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Age 18-44	14.94% 72	47.93% 231	19.71% 95	3.11% 15	1.87% 9	12.45% 60	482	2.66
Age 45-64	16.60% 80	40.46% 195	16.39% 79	2.28% 11	0.83% 4	23.44% 113	482	3.01
Age 1-12	19.09% 92	38.59% 186	13.69% 66	2.90% 14	1.66% 8	24.07% 116	482	3.02
Infants	20.33% 98	32.78% 158	12.45% 60	3.32% 16	2.90% 14	28.22% 136	482	3.20
Age 65-84	16.18% 78	35.48% 171	14.94% 72	5.19% 25	1.45% 7	26.76% 129	482	3.21
Age 13-17	11.20% 54	38.80% 187	16.39% 79	3.11% 15	1.66% 8	28.84% 139	482	3.32
Over 85	13.90% 67	28.22% 136	15.35% 74	6.43% 31	2.07% 10	34.02% 164	482	3.57

Q16 Are you ever in need of public transportation on evenings, weekends or holidays?

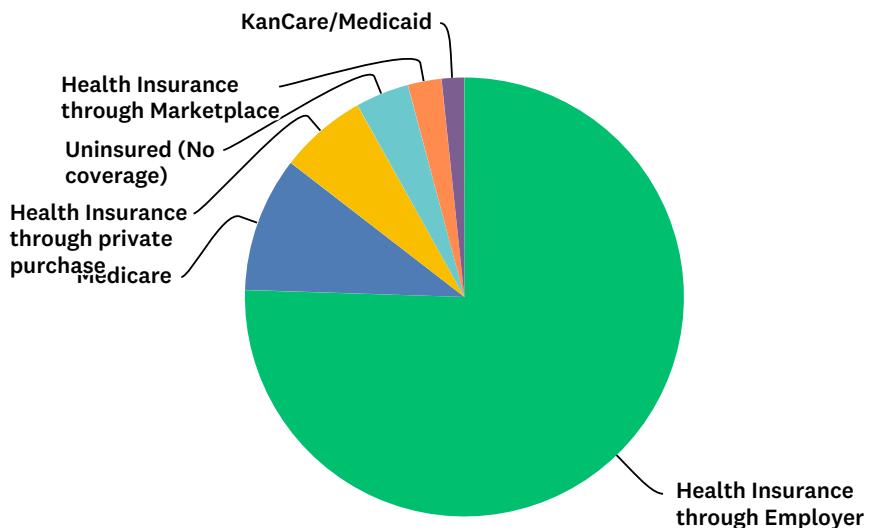
Answered: 482 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
No	67.43%	325
N/A	24.07%	116
Yes	8.51%	41
TOTAL		482

Q17 Do you currently have health insurance coverage?

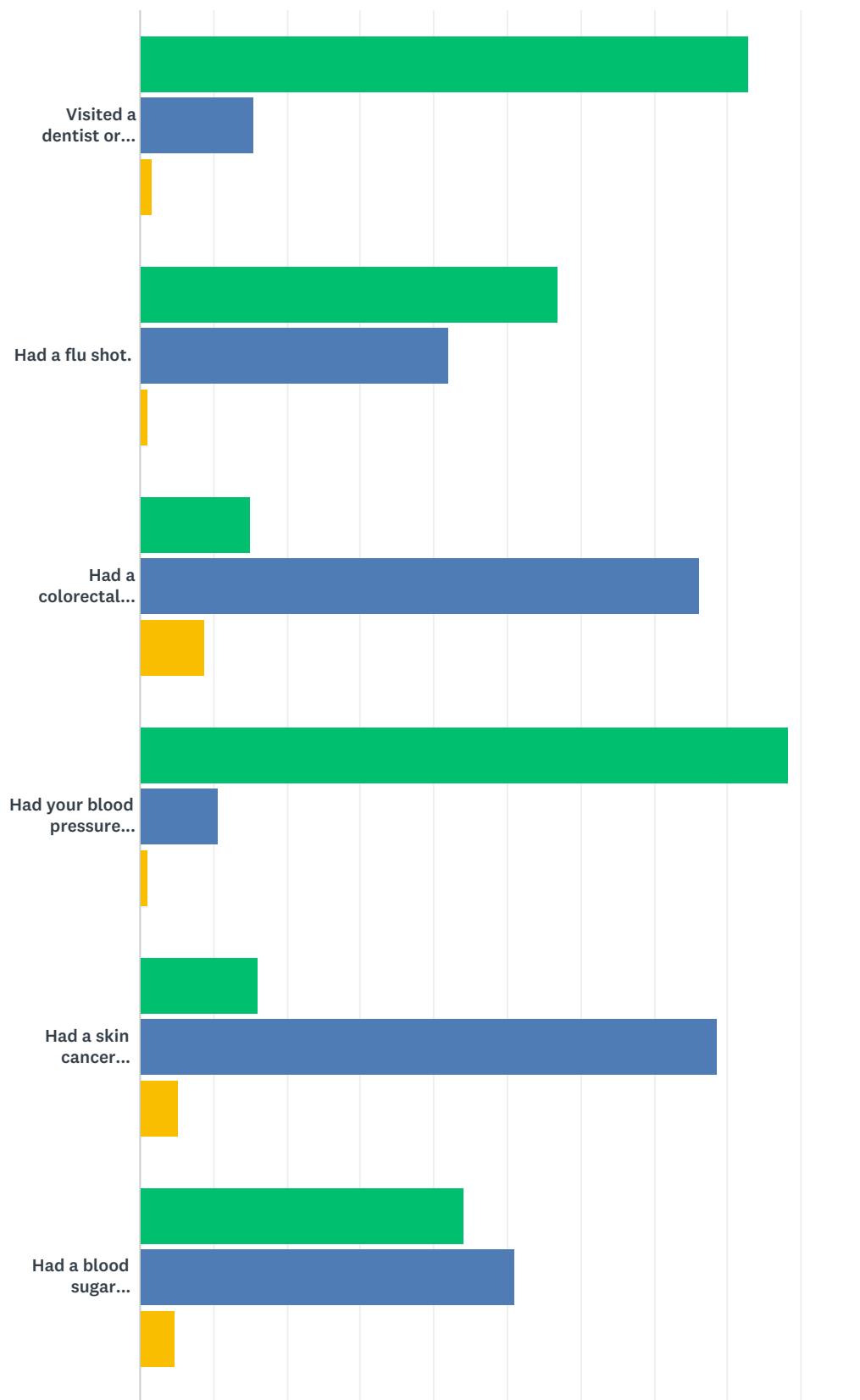
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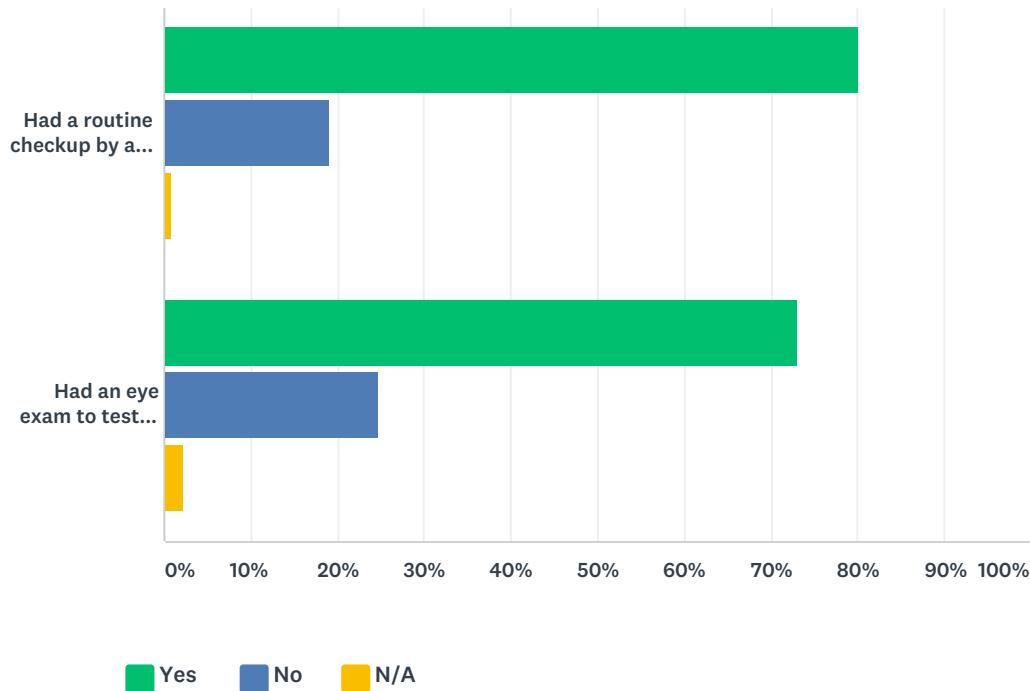


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Health Insurance through Employer	75.52% 364
Medicare	9.96% 48
Health Insurance through private purchase	6.43% 31
Uninsured (No coverage)	3.94% 19
Health Insurance through Marketplace	2.49% 12
KanCare/Medicaid	1.66% 8
TOTAL	482

Q18 For each of the following health behaviors, select an answer based on your activity the past 12 months.

Answered: 482 Skipped: 0



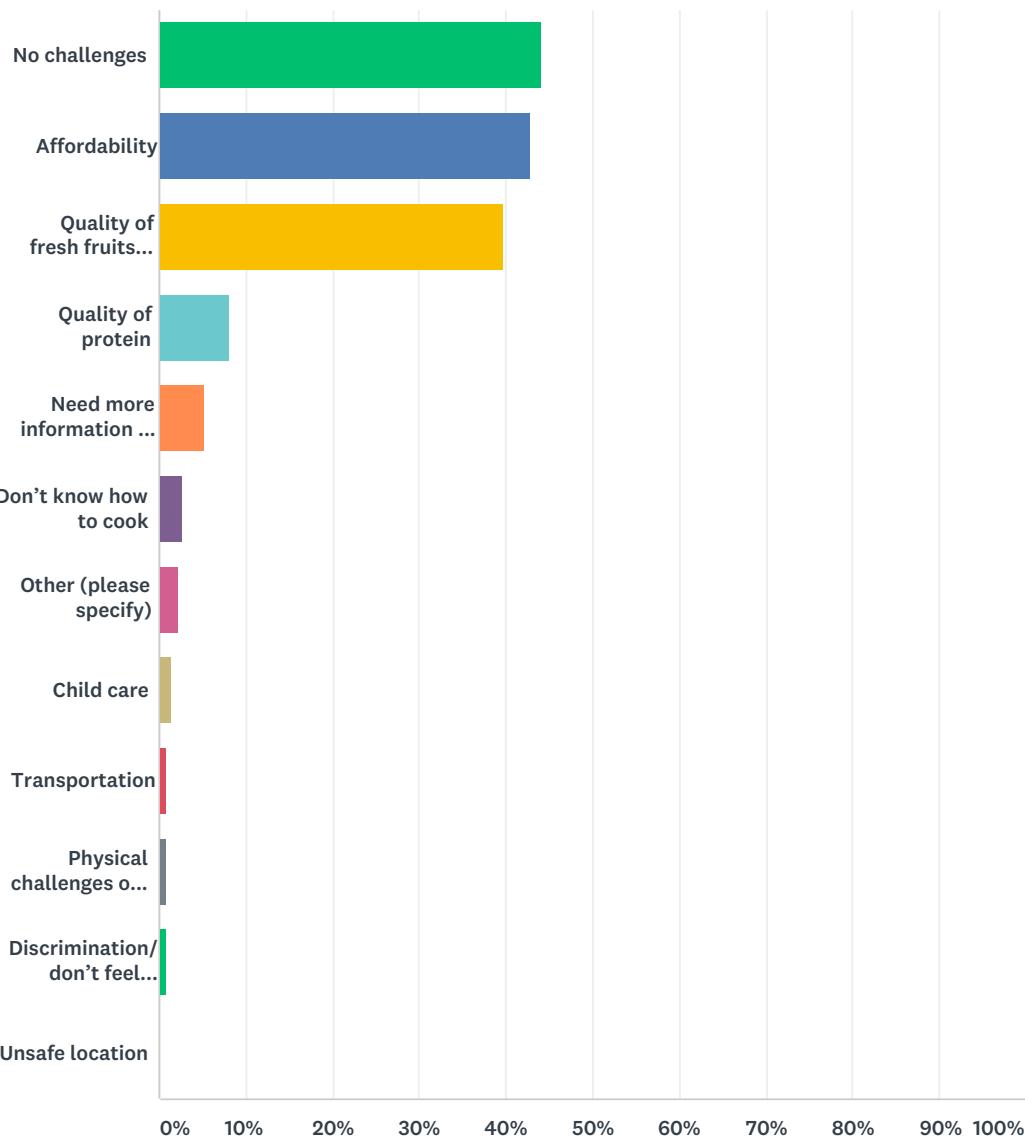


■ Yes ■ No ■ N/A

	YES	NO	N/A	TOTAL
Visited a dentist or dental clinic for any reason.	82.78% 399	15.56% 75	1.66% 8	482
Had a flu shot.	56.85% 274	42.12% 203	1.04% 5	482
Had a colorectal cancer screening.	15.15% 73	76.14% 367	8.71% 42	482
Had your blood pressure checked.	88.38% 426	10.58% 51	1.04% 5	482
Had a skin cancer screening.	16.18% 78	78.63% 379	5.19% 25	482
Had a blood sugar test/diabetes screening.	44.19% 213	51.04% 246	4.77% 23	482
Had a routine checkup by a doctor, nurse practitioner, or PA.	80.08% 386	19.09% 92	0.83% 4	482
Had an eye exam to test vision and eye health.	73.03% 352	24.69% 119	2.28% 11	482

Q19 What, if any, are your challenges to accessing fresh fruits, vegetables, and protein? (Please check all that apply)

Answered: 482 Skipped: 0

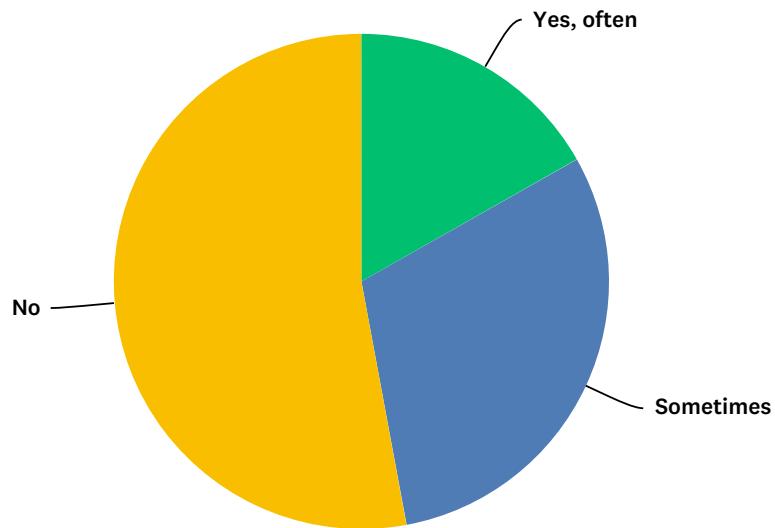


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
No challenges	44.19% 213
Affordability	42.95% 207
Quality of fresh fruits and vegetables	39.83% 192
Quality of protein	8.09% 39
Need more information on healthy foods/healthy diet	5.19% 25
Don't know how to cook	2.70% 13
Other (please specify)	2.28% 11

Child care	1.45%	7
Transportation	0.83%	4
Physical challenges of shopping	0.83%	4
Discrimination/don't feel welcome	0.83%	4
Unsafe location	0.00%	0
Total Respondents: 482		

Q20 Are there times when you cannot afford to buy healthy foods for a diet high in fruits, vegetables, and protein?

Answered: 482 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes, often	16.80%	81
Sometimes	30.29%	146
No	52.90%	255
TOTAL		482

A community stakeholder meeting took place at Pratt City Fire Building on July 17, 2018. Approximately 20 people attended the meeting. There were representatives from the community, business sector, schools, county, city, hospice, health department and hospital in attendance.

At the stakeholder meeting, results from the online survey were reviewed and discussed. Data from the www.kansashealthmatters.org website was reviewed. Key health indicators were reviewed and discussed. Comments and feedback took place after reviewing the data and survey results. The general consensus was to continue with the current priorities, and build upon local coalitions and community collaboration.

Feedback from the online survey and stakeholder meeting was then reviewed by the Pratt Health Coalition. They also reviewed data collected, discussed trends and identified comparisons within the community and with similar sized counties. Coalition members agree the priorities should remain the same, and the coalitions and volunteer efforts in the community should continue their work to make improvements.

Next Steps

Building upon the coalitions and collaborative efforts that are in place will continue to improve the health of Pratt County residents. The past three years have allowed the community to lay a foundation for collaboration and communication. Maintaining interest and activity are challenges we face. Expanding the dialogue about the health needs assessment, priorities and activities that are taking place will generate motivation to continue working on the priorities.

This assessment is available on Pratt Regional Medical Center website www.prmc.org. A copy may also be obtained by calling Pratt Regional Medical Center at 620-450-1444.

This report was amended on 4-16-19 by Andie Dean, Community Relations Manager.

All Data

Indicator Legend

Our icons are color-coded. Green  is good. Red  is bad. Blue  is neutral.

The gauge represents the **distribution** of communities reporting the data, and tells you how you compare to other communities. Keep in mind that in some cases, high values are "good" and sometimes high values are "bad."

 Green represents the best half.

 Yellow represents the 2nd worst quarter.

 Red represents the worst quarter.

The circle represents a comparison to a **target value**.

 The current value has met, or is better than the target value.

 The current value not met the target value.

The diamond represents a comparison to a **single value**.

   The current value is lower than the comparison value.

   The current value is higher than the comparison value.

 The current value is not statistically different from the comparison value.

The square represents the measured **trend**.

   There has been a non-significant increase over time.

   There has been a non-significant decrease over time.

   There has been a significant increase over time.

   There has been a significant decrease over time.

 There has been neither a statistically significant increase nor decrease over time.

The triangle represents a comparison to a **prior value**.

   The current value is higher than the previously measured value.

   The current value is lower than the previously measured value.

 The current value is not statistically different from the previously measured value.

County: Pratt

Health / Access to Health Services



County: Pratt

Health / Cancer

Indicator	Value	Compared To:			
		KS Counties	U.S. Counties	KS Value	US Value
Cancer: Medicare Population	7.9% (2015)				
				Prior Value (8.4%)	Trend
Colorectal Cancer Rate	36.3 Per 100,000 population (2010-2014)				
			Prior Value (40.7)	Prior Value (35.5)	Trend
Female Breast Cancer Rate	136.7 Per 100,000 female population (2010-2014)				
			KS Value (123.0)	Prior Value (145.1)	Trend
Lung & Bronchus Cancer Rate	58.6 Per 100,000 population (2010-2014)				
			KS Value (59.0)	Prior Value (59.2)	Trend
Male Prostate Cancer Rate	117.7 Per 100,000 male population (2010-2014)				
			KS Value (123.5)	Prior Value (99.3)	Trend

County: Pratt

Health / Diabetes

	Value	Compared To:		
		KS Value	Prior Value	Trend
Diabetes Hospital Admission Rate	11.6 Per 10,000 population (2015-2017)			
Diabetes: Medicare Population	24.7% (2015)			

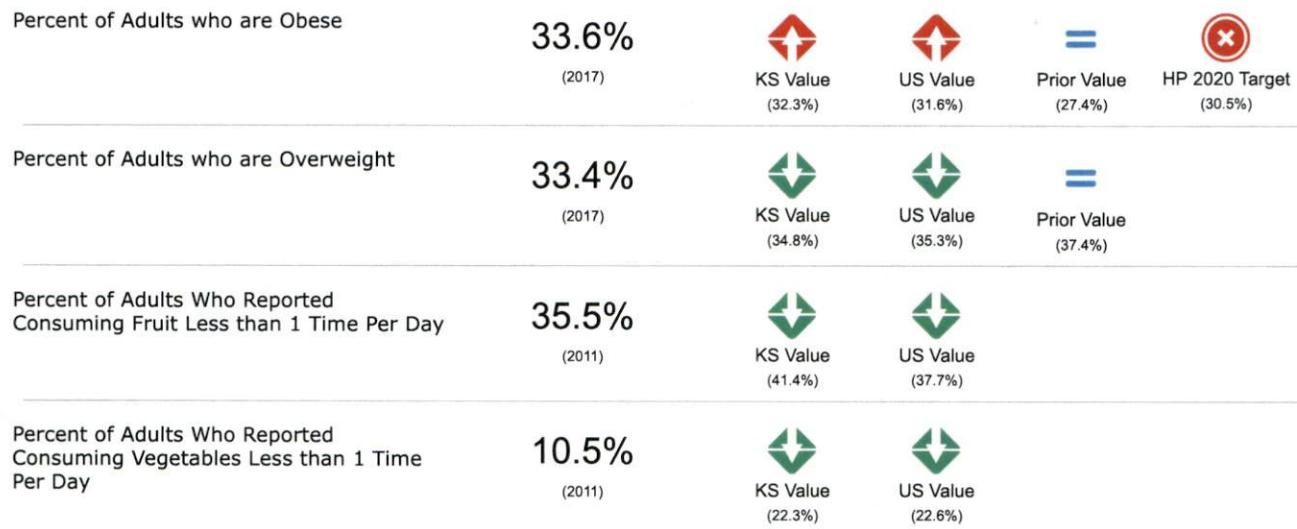
County: Pratt

Health / Disabilities

Persons with a Disability (5-year)	VALUE	COMPARED TO:			
	11.3%			=	
	(2013-2017)	KS Value (12.7%)	US Value (12.6%)	Prior Value (13.9%)	Trend

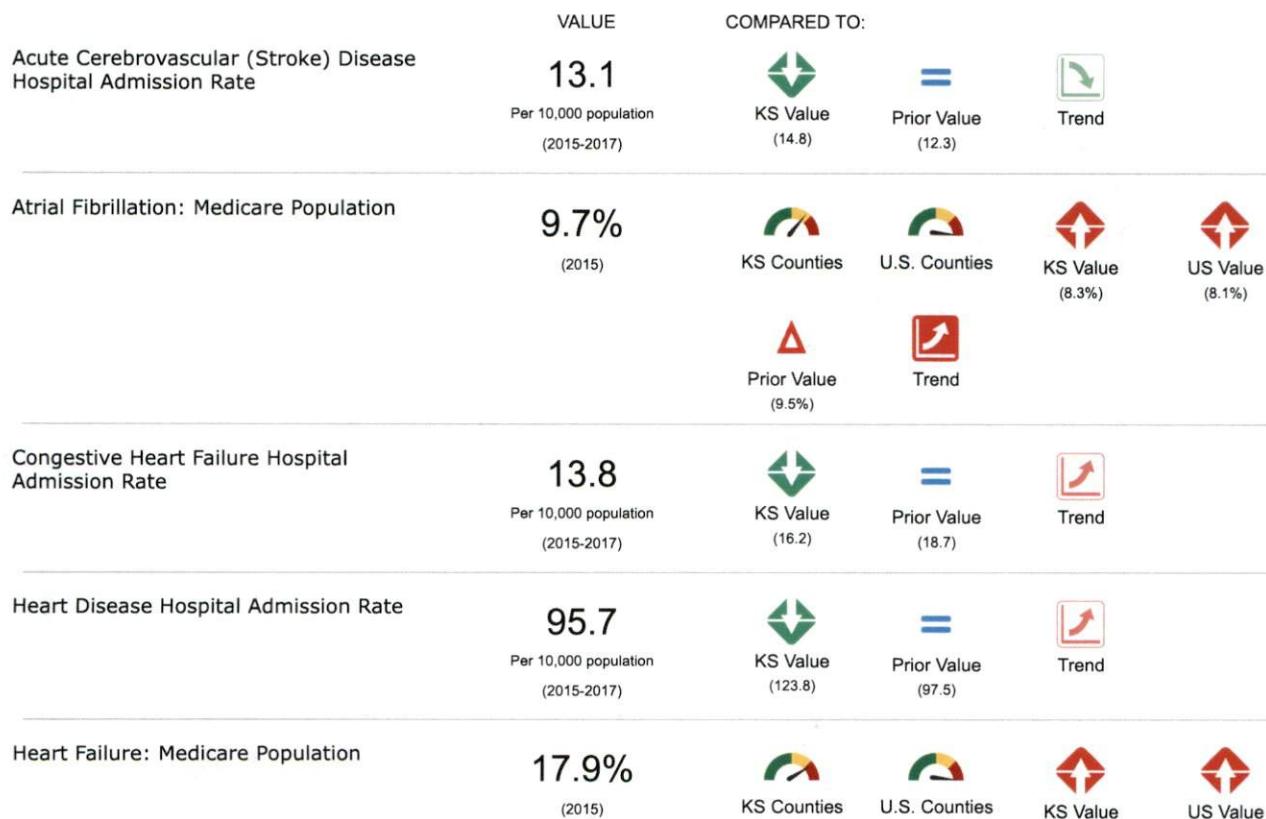
County: Pratt

Health / Exercise, Nutrition, & Weight



County: Pratt

Health / Heart Disease & Stroke



County: Pratt

Health / Maternal, Fetal & Infant Health

	Value	Compared To:			
		KS Value	US Value	Prior Value	Trend
Infant Mortality Rate	8.3 Deaths per 1,000 live births (2011-2015)				
	HP 2020 Target (6.0)				
Number of Births per 1,000 Population	12.9 Births per 1,000 population (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (13.0)	US Value (11.8)	Prior Value (14.2)		Trend
Percent of all Births Occurring to Teens (15-19)	8.9% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (5.9%)	US Value (18.8%)	Prior Value (8.4%)		Trend
Percent of Births Occurring to Unmarried Women	34.1% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (35.9%)	US Value (39.8%)	Prior Value (33.0%)		Trend
Percent of births Where Mother Smoked During Pregnancy	15.9% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (10.5%)	US Value (6.9%)	Prior Value (19.3%)		Trend
	HP 2020 Target (1.4%)				
Percent of Births Where Prenatal Care began in First Trimester	75.5% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (81.2%)	US Value (77.3%)	Prior Value (73.7%)		Trend
	HP 2020 Target (77.9%)				
Percent of Births with Inadequate Birth Spacing	11.9% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (10.1%)	US Value (11.8%)	Prior Value (11.0%)		Trend
Percent of Births with Low Birth Weight	6.7% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (7.1%)	US Value (8.3%)	Prior Value (5.8%)		Trend
	HP 2020 Target (7.8%)				
Percent of WIC Mothers Breastfeeding Exclusively	17.7% (2017)				
	KS Value (13.8%)	Prior Value (16.2%)			
Percentage of Premature Births	7.3% (2015-2017)				
	KS Value (9.1%)	US Value (9.9%)	Prior Value (8.0%)		Trend



HP 2020 Target
(11.4%)

County: Pratt

Health / Medicine, Drugs, & Medical Technology

Poisoning (Drugs) Hospital Admission Rate	VALUE	COMPARED TO:
	2.2 Per 10,000 population (2014-2016)	 KS Value (2.5)  Prior Value (2.9) 

County: Pratt

Health / Mental Health & Mental Disorders

Depression: Medicare Population	VALUE	COMPARED TO:			
	19.2% (2015)				
		KS Counties	U.S. Counties	KS Value (17.8%)	US Value (16.7%)
				Prior Value (16.8%)	Trend

Mental Behavior Hospital Admissions Rate

62.6		=	
Per 10,000 population (2015-2017)	KS Value (72.7)	Prior Value (67.0)	Trend

County: Pratt

Health / Mortality Data

Age-adjusted Alzheimer's Disease Mortality Rate per 100,000 population	VALUE	COMPARED TO:	
	23.0	 KS Value (23.5)	 US Value (31.0)

Age-adjusted Cancer Mortality Rate per 100,000 population

164.0			
Deaths per 100,000 population (2015-2017)	KS Value (158.8)	US Value (158.5 in 2014- 2016)	Prior Value (188.5)
	HP 2020 Target (161.4)		

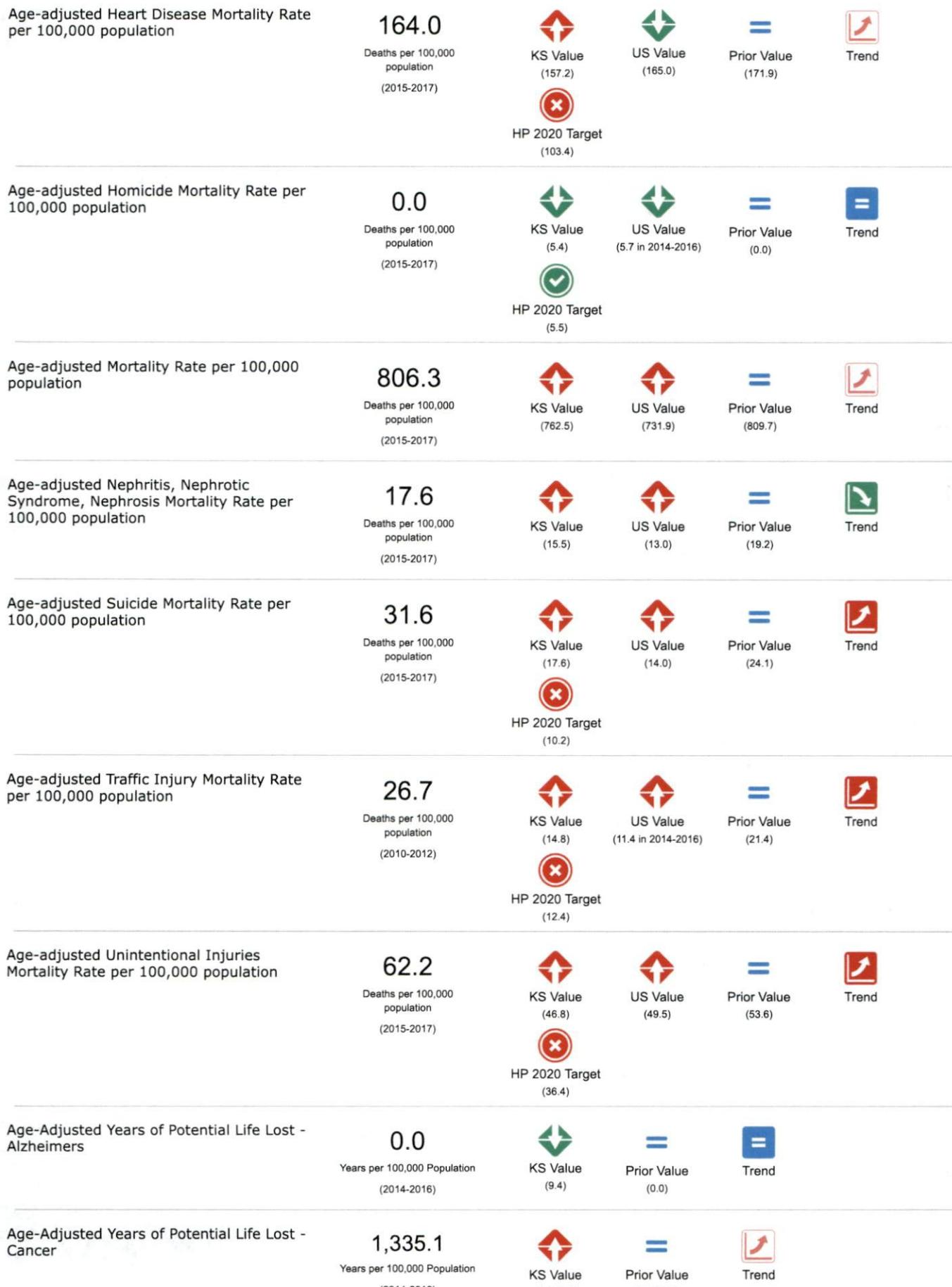
Age-adjusted Cerebrovascular Disease Mortality Rate per 100,000 population

	KS Value (37.9)	US Value (37.6)	Prior Value (52.9)	Trend
HP 2020 Target (34.8)				
Deaths per 100,000 population (2015-2017)				

Age-adjusted Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease Mortality Rate per 100,000 population

64.2			=	
Deaths per 100,000 population (2015-2017)	KS Value (49.7)	US Value (40.9)	Prior Value (60.4)	Trend

Age-adjusted Diabetes Mortality Rate per 100,000



Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Cerebrovascular Disease	216.0		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2012-2014)	KS Value (143.9)	Prior Value (214.3)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	291.2		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2014-2016)	KS Value (201.1)	Prior Value (425.0)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Diabetes	166.8		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2014-2016)	KS Value (168.8)	Prior Value (558.2)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Heart Disease	725.6		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2014-2016)	KS Value (863.6)	Prior Value (862.7)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Homicide	0.0		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2011-2013)	KS Value (185.6)	Prior Value (0.0)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome Nephrosis	90.9		▲	
Years per 100,000 Population (2008-2010)	KS Value (94.3)	Prior Value (0.0)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Suicide	820.6		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2014-2016)	KS Value (557.0)	Prior Value (646.0)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Traffic Injury	1,245.7		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2010-2012)	KS Value (521.5)	Prior Value (1,023.9)		
Age-Adjusted Years of Potential Life Lost - Unintentional Injuries	987.0		=	
Years per 100,000 Population (2014-2016)	KS Value (1,065.1)	Prior Value (2,147.5)		

County: Pratt

Health / Older Adults & Aging

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:	
Alzheimer's Disease or Dementia: Medicare Population	10.5% (2015)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties
		 KS Value (10.3%)	 US Value (9.9%)
		 Prior Value (10.1%)	 Trend

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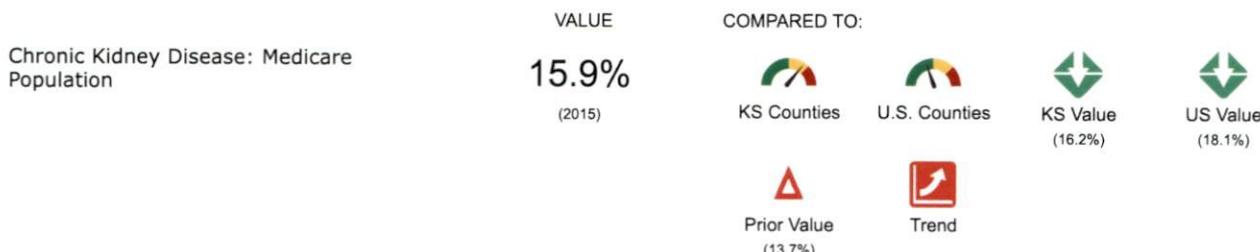
Health / Oral Health

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:
Percentage of Screened 3-12 Grade Students w No Dental Sealants	83.1% (2014-2015)	 KS Value  Prior Value



County: Pratt

Health / Other Chronic Diseases



County: Pratt

Health / Prevention & Safety



County: Pratt

Health / Respiratory Diseases





Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Hospital Admission Rate

15.0

Per 10,000 population
(2015-2017)

Prior Value
(15.2)



COPD: Medicare Population

13.1%

(2015)



US Value
(11.2%)



Pneumonia (Bacterial) Hospital Admission Rate

26.6

Per 10,000 population
(2015-2017)

Prior Value
(32.2)



County: Pratt

Health / Substance Abuse

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:	
Percent Medicare Part D Beneficiaries Having Daily Opioid Dosage >= 50 MME	38.6% (2017)	KS Value (33.3%) Prior Value (42.0%) Trend	
Percent Medicare Part D Beneficiaries Having Daily Opioid Dosage >= 90 MME	20.6% (2017)	KS Value (16.6%) Prior Value (23.3%) Trend	
Percent Medicare Part D Beneficiaries Receiving Both Long & Short Acting Opioids	7.8% (2017)	KS Value (7.6%) Prior Value (9.5%) Trend	
Percent Medicare Part D Beneficiaries Receiving Opioid & Benzodiazepine Prescriptions	15.1% (2017)	KS Value (15.1%) Prior Value (13.0%) Trend	
Percent of Adults Who are Binge Drinkers	12.3% (2017)	KS Value (17.2%) US Value (17.4%) HP 2020 Target (24.4%)	
Percent of Adults Who Currently Smoke Cigarettes	22.1% (2017)	KS Value (17.4%) US Value (17.1%) HP 2020 Target (12.0%)	
Percent of Medicare Part D Beneficiaries Receiving Opioids Supply Greater Than 10-Days	46.6% (2017)	KS Value (37.8%) Prior Value (46.5%) Trend	
Percent of Medicare Part D Claims With Opioid Prescriptions Written For More Than 10-Day Supply	73.9% (2017)	KS Value (71.0%) Prior Value (72.1%) Trend	

County: Pratt

Health / Wellness & Lifestyle

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:			
		KS Counties	U.S. Counties	KS Value	US Value
Life Expectancy for Females	81.4 Years (2014)			KS Value (81.0)	US Value (81.5)
				Prior Value (81.4)	Trend
Life Expectancy for Males	75.5 Years (2014)			KS Value (76.5)	US Value (76.7)
				Prior Value (75.5)	Trend
Percent of Adults Who Reported That They Always Wear a Seatbelt When They Drive or Ride in a Car	69.6% (2017)			KS Value (83.4%)	US Value (94.3%)
				HP 2020 Target (92%)	
Percent of Adults with Fair or Poor Self-Perceived Health Status	18.8% (2017)			KS Value (16.7%)	US Value (17.7%)

County: Pratt

Economy

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:
Total Health Care and Social Assistance Receipts/Revenue	64,206	

County: Pratt

Economy / Economic Climate

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:
All Firms	873	 Prior Value (1,333)
Firms Owned by Men	61.6% (2012)	 KS Value (52.3%)  US Value (53.7%)
Firms Owned by Minorities	4.2% (2012)	 KS Value (10.9%)  US Value (28.8%)
Firms Owned by Nonminorities	87.9% (2012)	 KS Value (85.5%)  US Value (68.7%)
Firms Owned by Nonveterans	89.0%	 Prior Value (1,333)

Firms Owned by Veterans	11.7%		KS Value (9.0%)		US Value (9.1%)
Firms Owned by Women	16.7%		KS Value (32.3%)		US Value (35.8%)

County: Pratt

Economy / Employment

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:			
		Prior Value	Trend	KS Value	US Value
Employer Establishments	387 Number of Establishments (2016)				
Female Population 16+ in Civilian Labor Force	57.9% (2013-2017)				
				Prior Value (56.5%)	Trend
Population 16+ in Civilian Labor Force	64.1% (2013-2017)				
				Prior Value (61.2%)	US Value (63.0%)
Total Employment	3,452 Paid Employees (2016)				
Total Employment Change	-7.3% (2015-2016)				
				Prior Value (0.7%)	US Value (2.1%)
Unemployed Workers in Civilian Labor Force	2.4% (November 2018)				
				Prior Value (2.4%)	US Value (3.5%)

County: Pratt

Economy / Government Assistance Programs

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:
Households with Cash Public Assistance Income	1.7%	   



Kansas Medical Assistance Programs - Adults per 1000 Population, 20-64 Age-Group	90.8	Per 1,000 population (2017)	KS Value (89.4)	Prior Value (85.3)	Trend
Kansas Medical Assistance Programs - Children per 1000 Population, 0-19 Age-Group	443.7	Per 1,000 population (2017)	KS Value (438.6)	Prior Value (433.0)	Trend
Students Eligible for the Free Lunch Program	37.0%	(2016-2017)	KS Counties	U.S. Counties	KS Value (38.9%)

County: Pratt

Economy / Homeownership

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:		
Homeowner Vacancy Rate	0.8% (2013-2017)	 KS Counties  U.S. Counties  KS Value (1.8%)  US Value (1.7%)	 Prior Value (0.8%)	 Trend
Homeownership	59.3% (2013-2017)	 KS Counties  U.S. Counties  KS Value (59.2%)  US Value (56.0%)	 Prior Value (57.4%)	 Trend
Median Housing Unit Value	\$87,600 (2013-2017)	 KS Counties  KS Value (\$139,200)  US Value (\$193,500)	 Trend	 Prior Value (\$86,300)
Median Monthly Owner Costs for Households without a Mortgage	\$449 (2013-2017)	 KS Counties  KS Value (\$476)  US Value (\$474)	 Trend	 Prior Value (\$431)
Mortgaged Owners Median Monthly Household Costs	\$1,061 (2013-2017)	 KS Counties  KS Value (\$1,310)  US Value (\$1,515)	 Prior Value (\$1,072)	



County: Pratt

Economy / Housing Affordability & Supply

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:		
Housing Units	4,481			
	Housing units (2017)	Prior Value (4,471)	Trend	
Median Household Gross Rent	\$709			
	(2013-2017)	KS Counties	KS Value (\$801)	US Value (\$982)
			Trend	
Renters Spending 30% or More of Household Income on Rent	34.9%			
	(2013-2017)	KS Counties	U.S. Counties	KS Value (44.1%)
				US Value (50.6%)
		Prior Value (32.9%)	Trend	
Severe Housing Problems	12.0%			
	(2010-2014)	KS Counties	U.S. Counties	KS Value (13.6%)
				US Value (18.8%)
		Prior Value (10.6%)	Trend	

County: Pratt

Economy / Income

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:		
Median Household Income	\$53,415 (2013-2017)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 KS Value (\$55,477)
			 Trend	 US Value (\$57,652)
Per Capita Income	\$27,063 (2013-2017)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 KS Value (\$29,600)
			 Trend	 US Value (\$31,177)

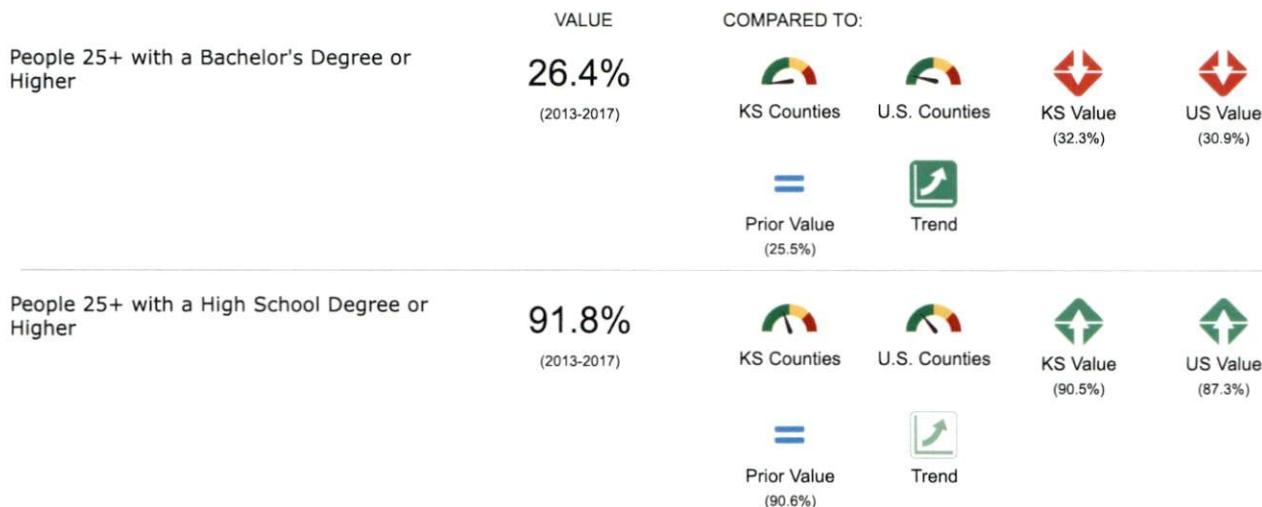
County: Pratt

Economy / Poverty

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:		
Children Living Below Poverty Level	10.7% (2013-2017)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 KS Value

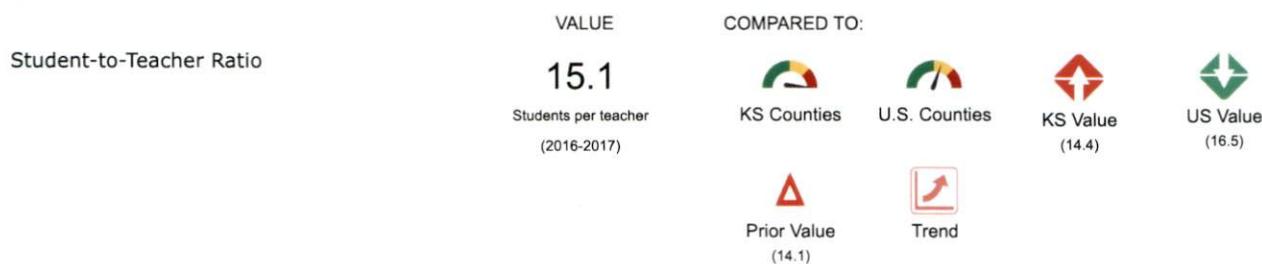
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Education / Educational Attainment in Adult Population



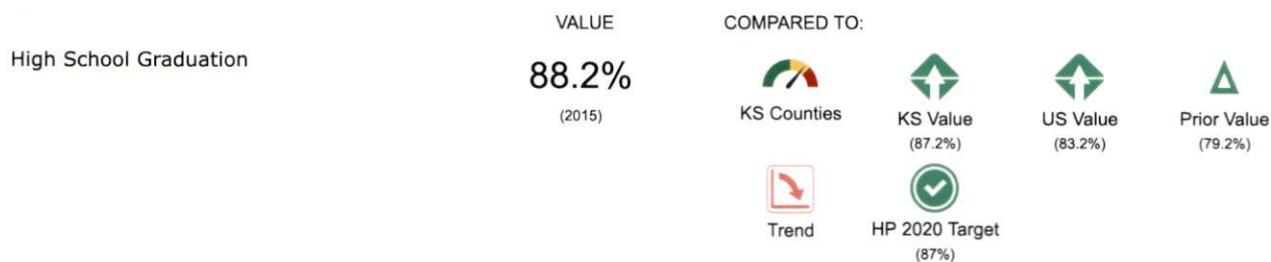
County: Pratt

Education / School Resources



County: Pratt

Education / Student Performance K-12



County: Pratt

Environment / Built Environment



Fast Food Restaurant Density	0.91	Restaurants per 1,000 population (2014)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (0.93)	 Trend
Food Environment Index	7.9	(2018)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 KS Value (7.0)	 US Value (7.7)
			 Prior Value (7.7)	 Trend		
Grocery Store Density	0.30	Stores per 1,000 population (2014)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (0.31)	 Trend
Households with No Car and Low Access to a Grocery Store	0.8%	(2015)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (1.0%)	
Liquor Store Density	31.3	Stores per 100,000 population (2016)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 KS Value (21.9)	 US Value (10.5)
			 Prior Value (31.0)	 Trend		
Low-Income and Low Access to a Grocery Store	6.0%	(2015)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (5.8%)	
People 65+ with Low Access to a Grocery Store	4.0%	(2015)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (3.9%)	
People with Low Access to a Grocery Store	23.2%	(2015)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (23.0%)	
Recreation and Fitness Facilities	0.20	Facilities per 1,000 population (2014)	 US Value (0.06)	 Prior Value (0.21)	 Trend	
SNAP Certified Stores	0.7	Stores per 1,000 population (2016)	 KS Counties	 U.S. Counties	 Prior Value (0.7)	 Trend

County: Pratt

Environment / Water

	VALUE	COMPARED TO:
Public Water Supply - Percent of Population Served Unaffected by SDWA Coliform Violations	100.0 Percentage (2017)	 KS Value (100.0)  Prior Value (100.0)  Trend

Public Water Supply - Percent of Population Served Unaffected by SDWA Nitrate Violations

100.0

Percentage
(2017)



KS Value
(99.8)



Prior Value
(100.0)



Trend