

# Montrose County

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# Agenda

- 1 **Welcome**
- 2 **County Data Report**
- 3 **Key Informant Interview**
- 4 **Community Survey**
- 5 **Next steps**



# Regional Health Assessment Timeline

1

Secondary Data,  
Key Informant  
Interviews,  
Community  
Survey

2

Complete Health  
Assessment by  
December of  
2022

3

Prioritization  
Process: Winter  
2022/2023

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slide**

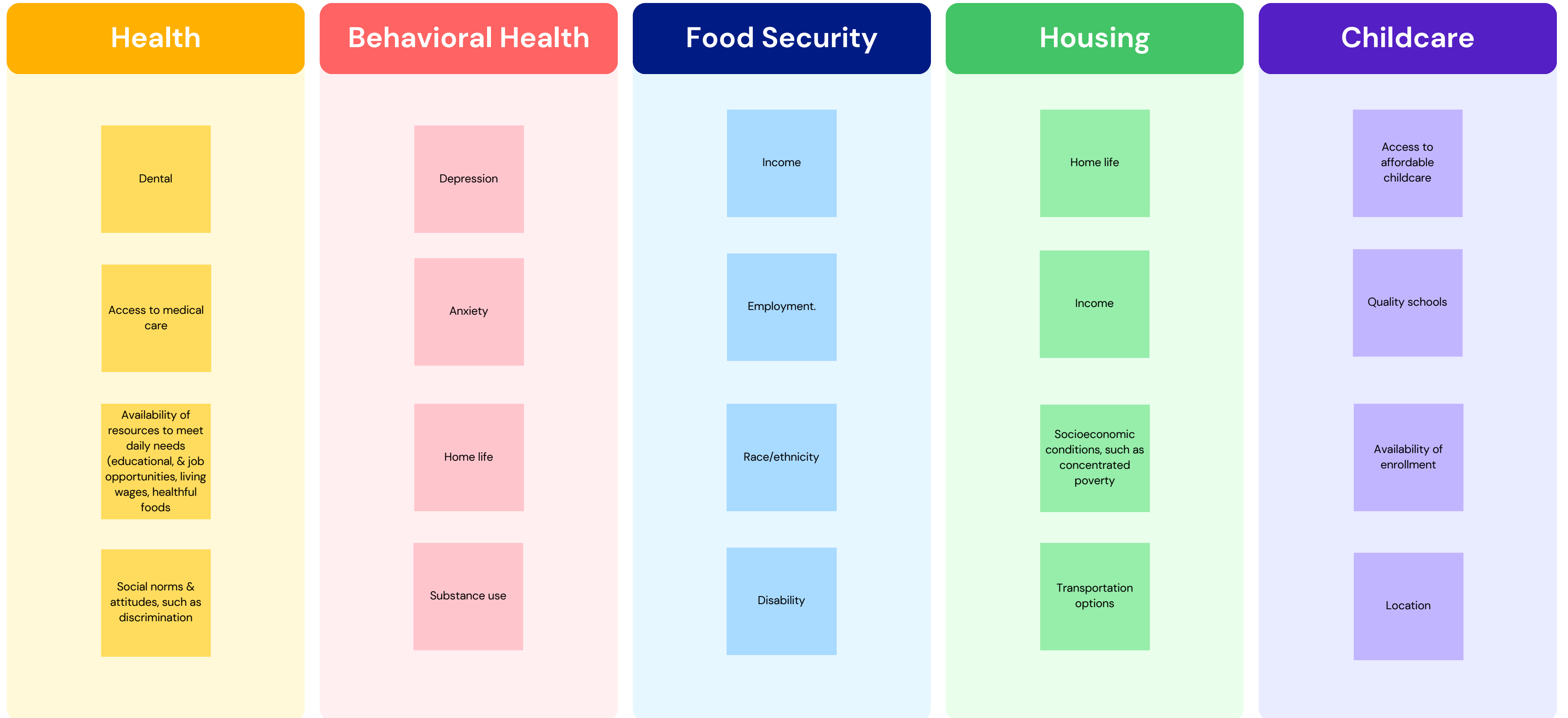
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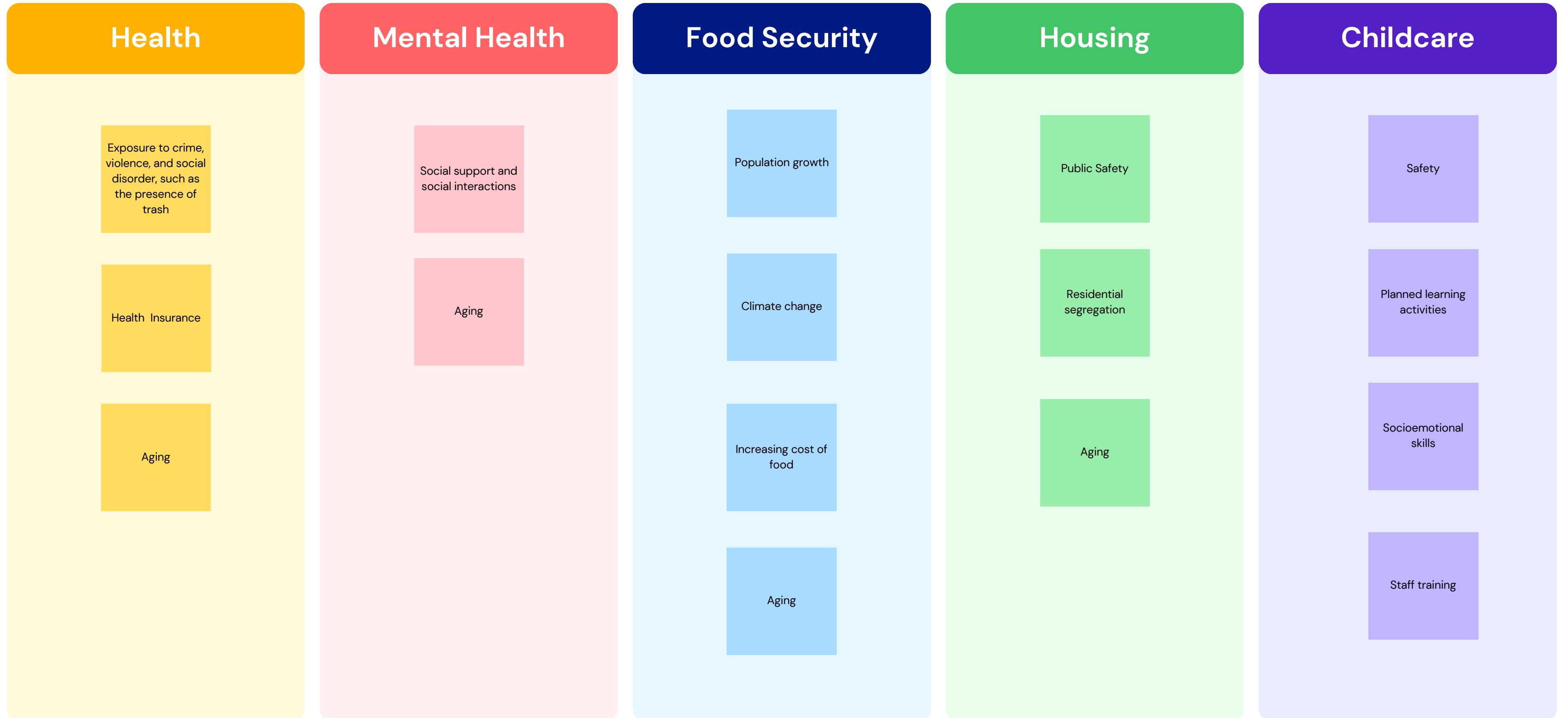
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**Ask questions**

# Framework



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**Availability of resources to meet daily needs**



**Social norms & attitudes, such as discrimination**



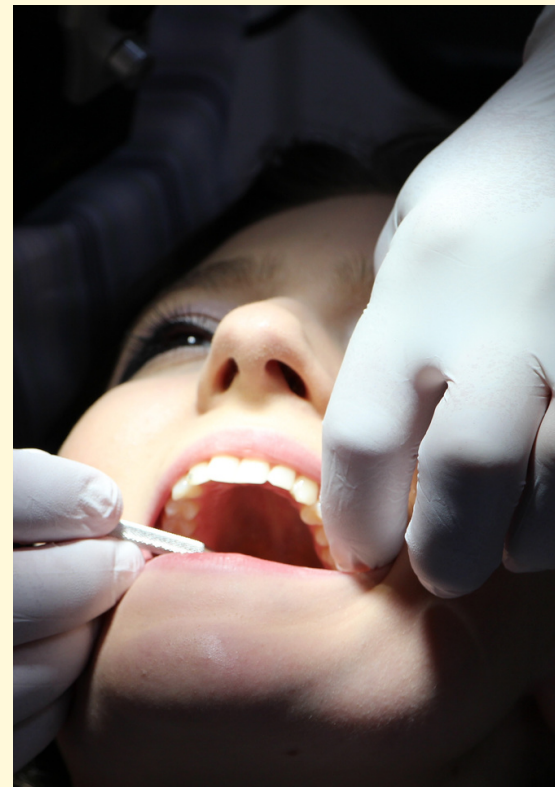
**Aging**

# Health

**Access to medical care**



**Dental**



**Exposure to crime, violence, and social disorder, such as the presence of trash**



**Health Insurance**



**Depression**



**Anxiety**



**Aging**

# Behavioral Health

**Home Life**



**Social Support and social interactions**



**Substance abuse**







**Income**



**Climate change**



**Disability**



**Race/Ethnicity**

# Food Security

**Employment**



**Increasing cost of food**



**Aging**



**Population growth**



**Home life**



**Socioeconomic conditions**

**Transportation options**



**Aging**

# Housing

**Residential Segregation**



**Income**



**Public Safety**





**Location**



**Socioemotional skills**



**Affordable childcare**

**Safety**

**Quality schools**

# Childcare



**Availability of enrollment**



**Staff training**

**Planned learning activities**



# Data Sources



**State of Colorado**

**Colorado Health  
Indicators Dataset**

**Colorado Equity  
Compass**

**Community  
Commons**

**Colorado  
Children's  
Campaign**

**Kids Count**

# Data Considerations

**COVID-19 pandemic**

**Race/ethnicity**

**Small numbers**

**Online data sources**

# WCPHP Interest Areas



**Affordable &  
Healthy  
Housing**



**Aging in Place  
(Older Adult  
Health)**



**Behavioral &  
Mental Health**



**Affordability &  
Access to Care**

# Demographics – Montrose County

**Total Population**

**42,280**

**Population Change from 2010-2020**

↑ Montrose County: 3.40%

↑ Colorado: 14.8%

Source: Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2016-20.

# Demographics

## Total Population by Race/Ethnicity

	Delta	Gunnison	Hinsdale	Montrose	Ouray	San Miguel	Colorado
<b>Non-Hispanic White</b>	80.81%	86.52%	86.43%	75.91%	93.19%	85.49%	67.50%
<b>Non-Hispanic Black</b>	0.65%	0.23%	1.66%	0.14%	1.55%	0.01%	3.94%
<b>Non-Hispanic Asian</b>	0.86%	0.38%	0.38%	0.82%	0.00%	1.39%	3.14%
<b>Non-Hispanic Native American or Alaska Native</b>	0.68%	1.03%	1.66%	1.15%	0.41%	0.95%	0.52%
<b>Non-Hispanic Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander</b>	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.13%	0.06%	0.00%	0.14%
<b>Non-Hispanic Some Other Race</b>	0.42%	0.13%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.21%	0.21%
<b>Non-Hispanic Multiple Races</b>	1.37%	2.16%	0.26%	1.24%	2.07%	1.04%	2.89%
<b>Hispanic or Latino</b>	15.23%	9.56%	9.60%	20.58%	2.72%	10.91%	21.66%

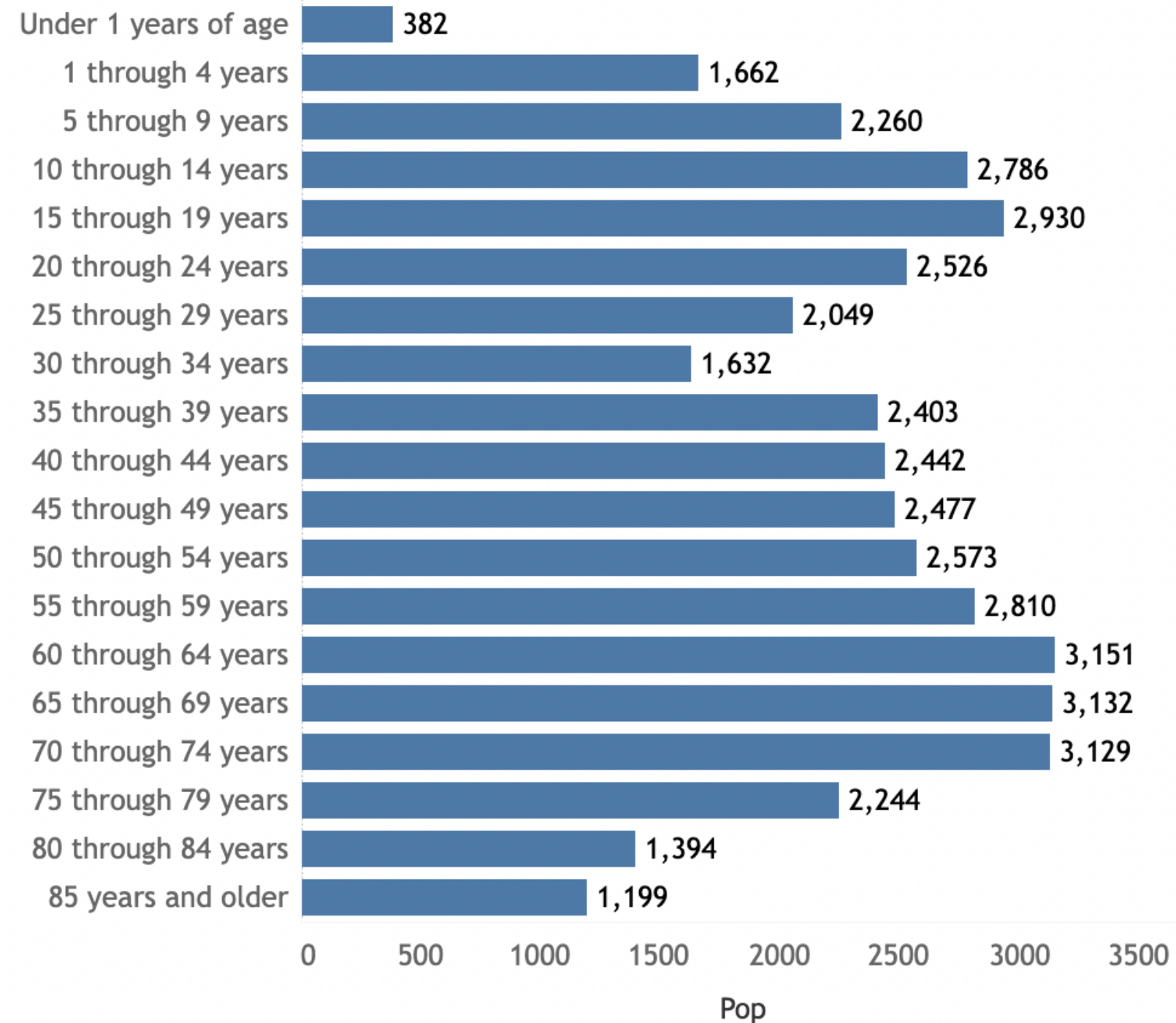
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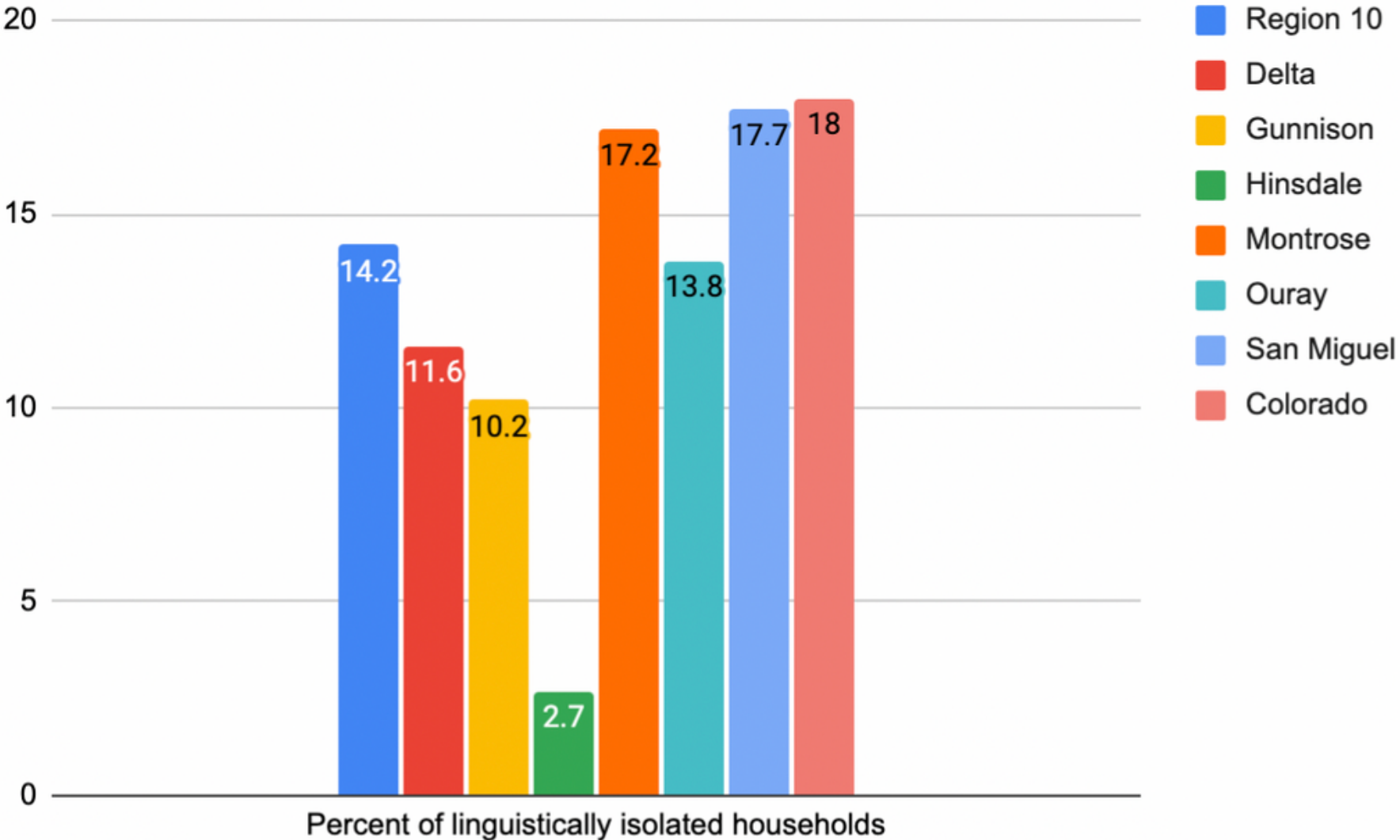
## Montrose County Population by Age

### Age Groups



# Demographics

**Percent of Linguistically Isolated Households**



A limited English-speaking household is one in which all members 14 years old and over have at least some difficulty with English.

<b>Region 10</b>	14.2% (11.7, 15.7)
<b>Delta</b>	11.6% (8.3, 14.9)
<b>Gunnison</b>	10.2% (6.2, 14.2)
<b>Hinsdale</b>	2.7% (0, 11.7)
<b>Montrose</b>	17.2% (14.5, 19.8)
<b>Ouray</b>	13.8% (7.5, 20)
<b>San Miguel</b>	17.7% (12.5, 22.9)
<b>Colorado</b>	18% (17.7, 18.3)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2015-19.

# Demographics – Montrose County

**Population Age 25+ with Bachelor's Degree or Higher, Percent**



**Montrose County: 24.56%**  
**Lower** than the state (41.60%)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2016-20.



**Population Age 25+ with No High School Diploma, Percent**



**Montrose County: 11.07%**  
**Higher** than the state (7.92%)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2016-20.

# Demographics – Montrose County

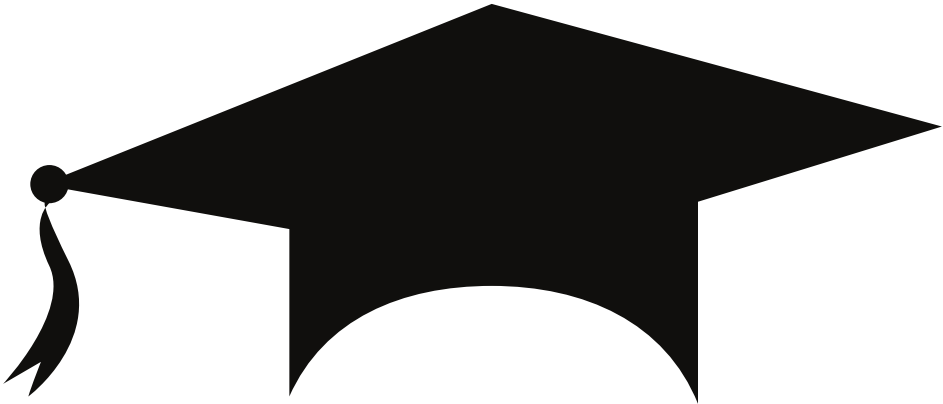
**Population Age 3-4 Enrolled in School, Percent**



Montrose County: 36.56%

**Lower** than the state (48.54%)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2016-20.



**Graduation Rate**



Montrose County: 74.90%

**Lower** than the state (81.70%)

Source: Data Source: US Department of Education, ED Facts. 2020-2021.

Colorado's child care system has long been under-resourced. The pandemic exacerbated existing workforce and affordability challenges.



According to the National Association for the Education of Young Children, in mid-2021:

**80%**  
of Colorado child  
care centers  
surveyed reported  
a staffing shortage

**47%**  
were serving fewer children

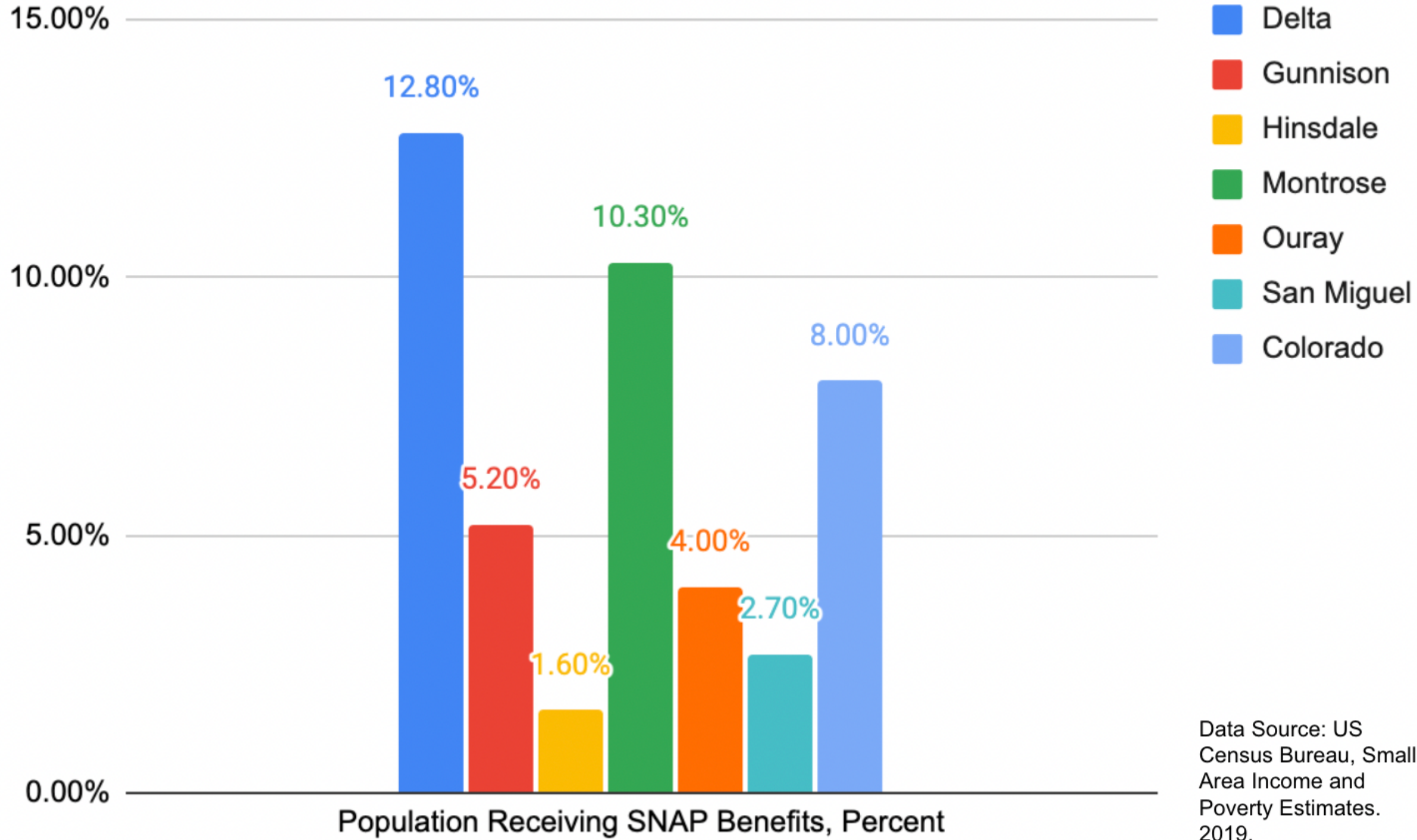
**40%**  
were unable to open classrooms

**34%**  
had longer waitlists

**26%**  
had to reduce operating hours

Source: National Association for the Education of Young Children, 2021.

# Socioeconomic Factors



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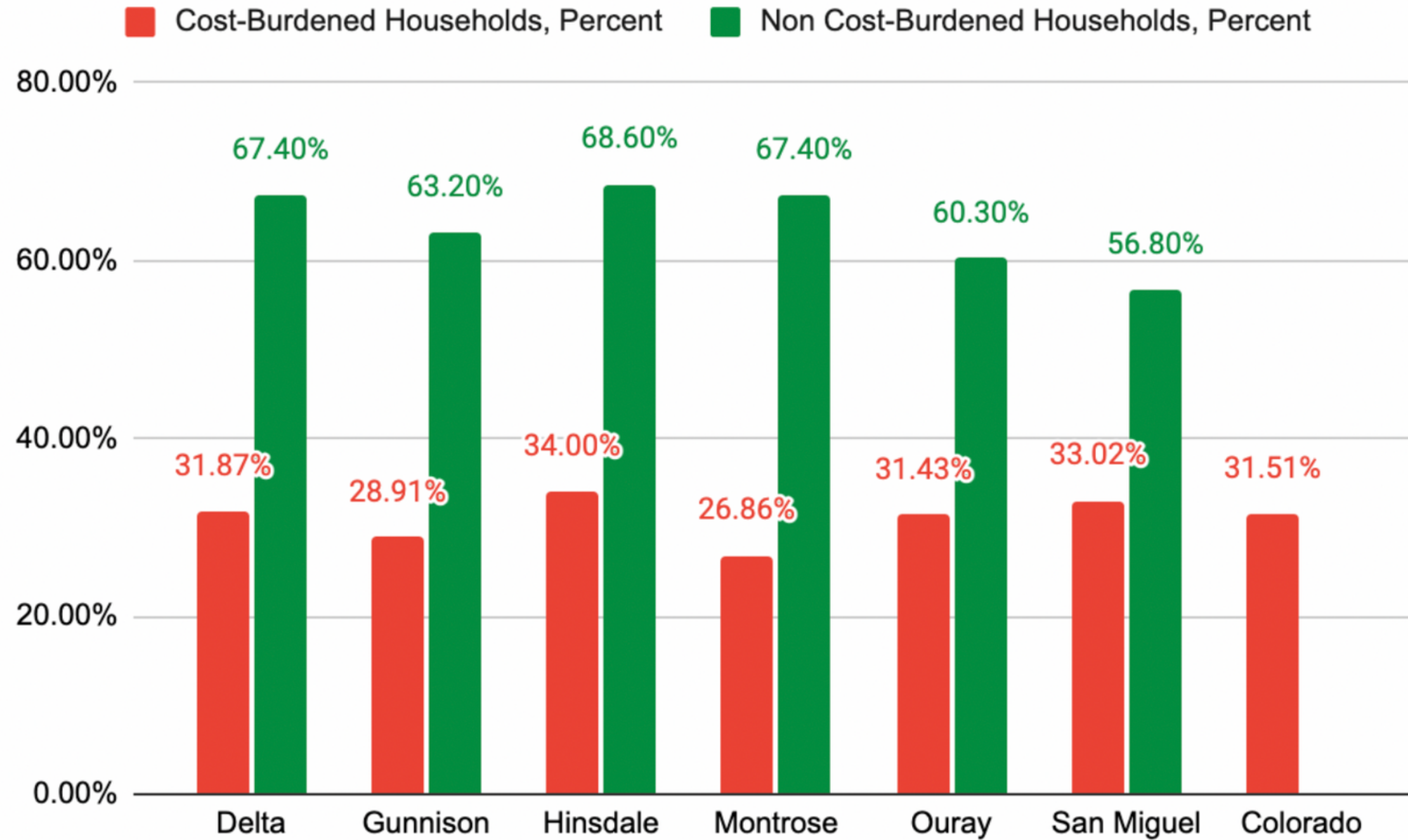
## Percent Change in Poverty Level

	Percent Change in Poverty Level
<b>Delta</b>	-5.40%
<b>Gunnison</b>	-0.60%
<b>Hinsdale</b>	-6.40%
<b>Montrose</b>	0.40%
<b>Ouray</b>	5.20%
<b>San Miguel</b>	-2.70%

Change in the percentage of households with incomes twice the federal poverty level from 2012 to 2017.

Source: Colorado Equity Compass

# Affordable/Healthy Housing



Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2016-20.



# Affordable/Healthy Housing

Percent of renter-occupied housing units with gross rent 50% or greater of household income in the past 12 months



**Montrose County:**

**21.8%**

Colorado: 23%

Occupied Housing Units with One or More Substandard Conditions, Percent



**Montrose County:**

**27.55%**

Colorado: 31.9%

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey. 2016-20.

Percent of renter-occupied housing units



**Montrose County:**

**25.8%**

Colorado: 32.5%

# Affordable/Healthy Housing

County	Housing Affordability
Delta	41.6%
Gunnison	48.9%
Hinsdale	34.8%
Montrose	45.3%
Ouray	32.7%
San Miguel	43.8%

Source: Colorado Equity Compass

This is the percentage of housing that is affordable for median income households. Having higher housing affordability is associated with more positive health outcomes.

# Behavioral/Mental Health Montrose County

2017  
Priority

## Adult Current Smokers

Age Adjusted



**17%**

Colorado: 13.9%

Source: BRFSS, SparkMap\*

2019

## Binge Drinking

males 5+/females 4+ drinks on 1 occasion in the past 30 days



**13.7%**

95% CI: 7, 20.4



Colorado

**18.7%**

95% CI: 17.9, 19.1

Source: BRFSS, COHID

2018-2020

## No Leisure Time Activity

Light moderate physical activity



**19.7%**

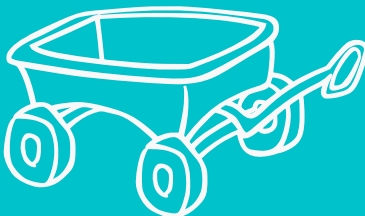
Colorado: 16.4%

Source: BRFSS, SparkMap\*

2019

## Child Maltreatment Rate

Physical abuse, sexual abuse, emotional abuse and/or neglect



**18 per 100,000**

Colorado: 9.7 per 100,000

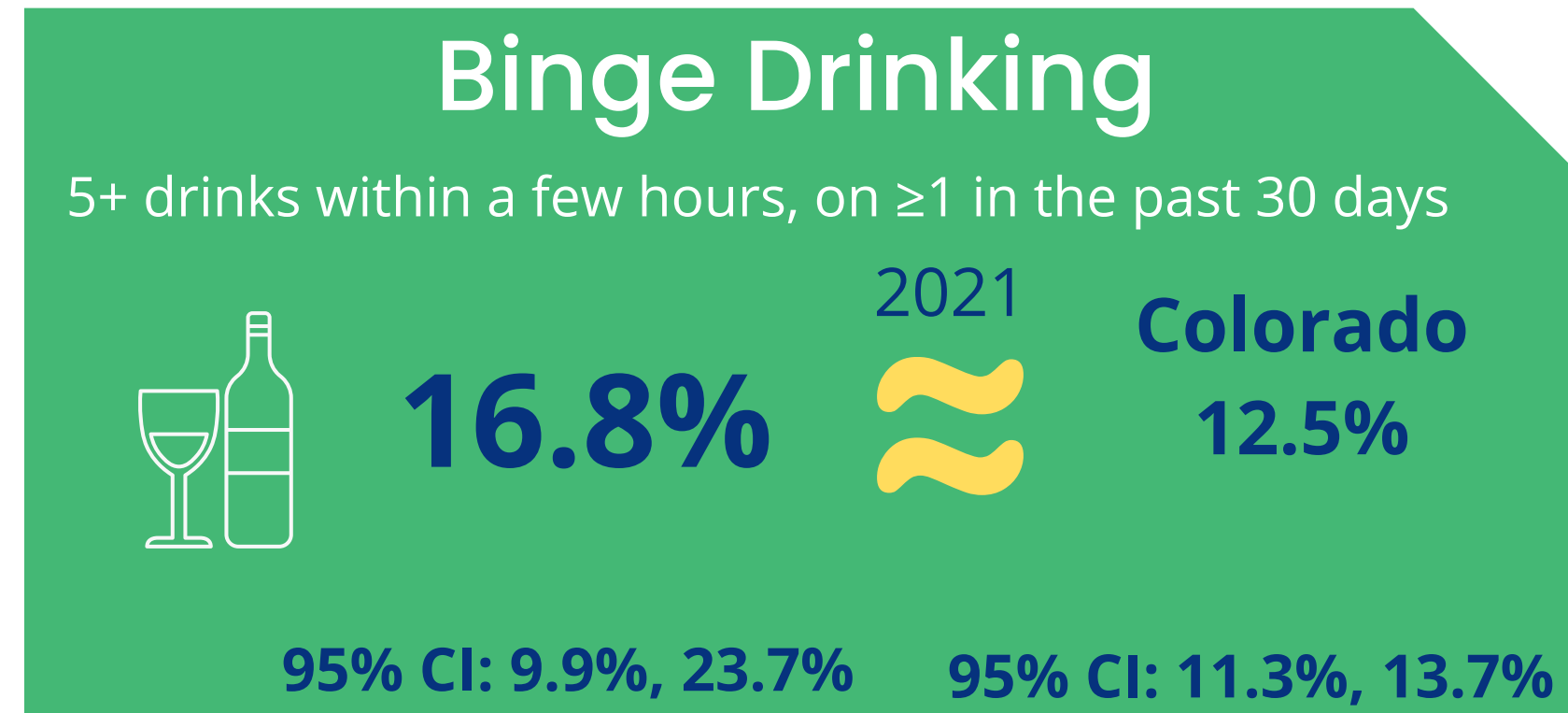
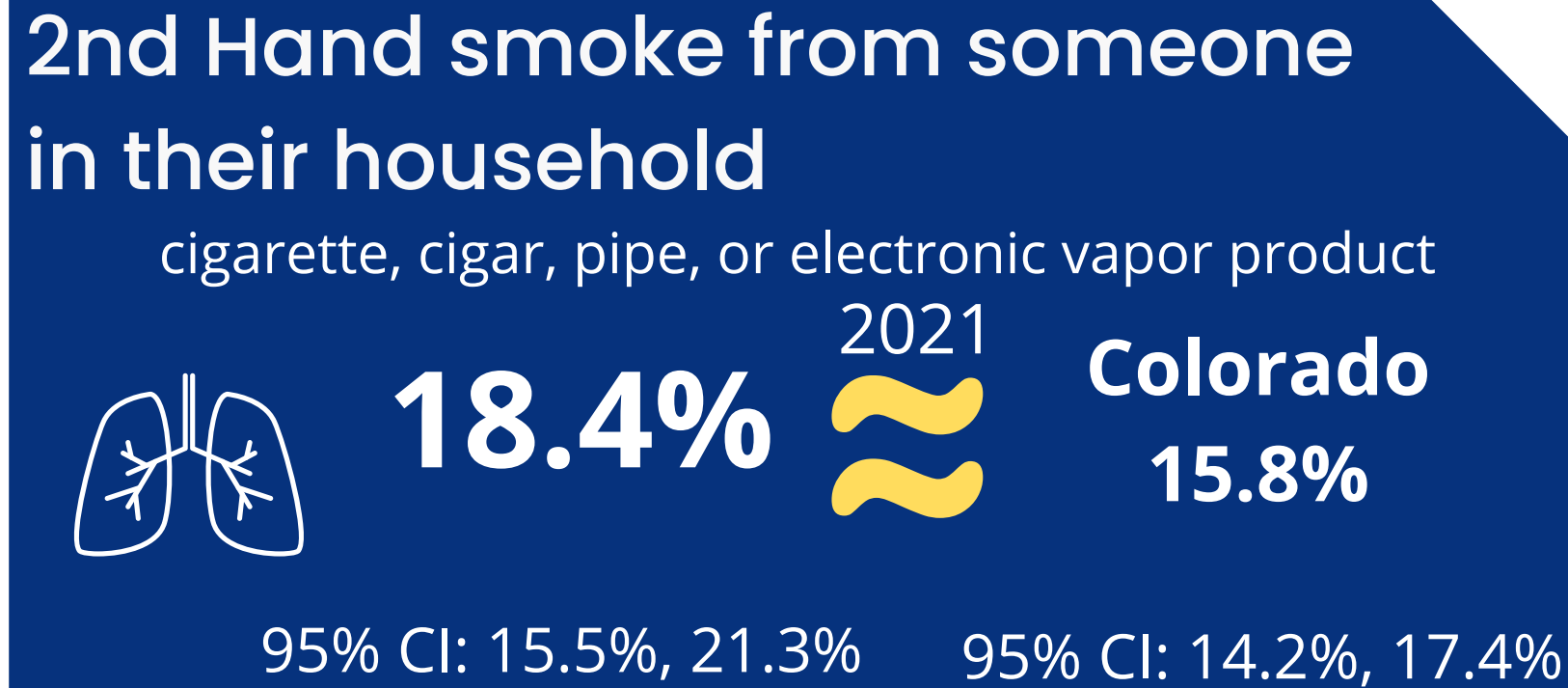
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Source: Colorado Department of Human Services, COHID

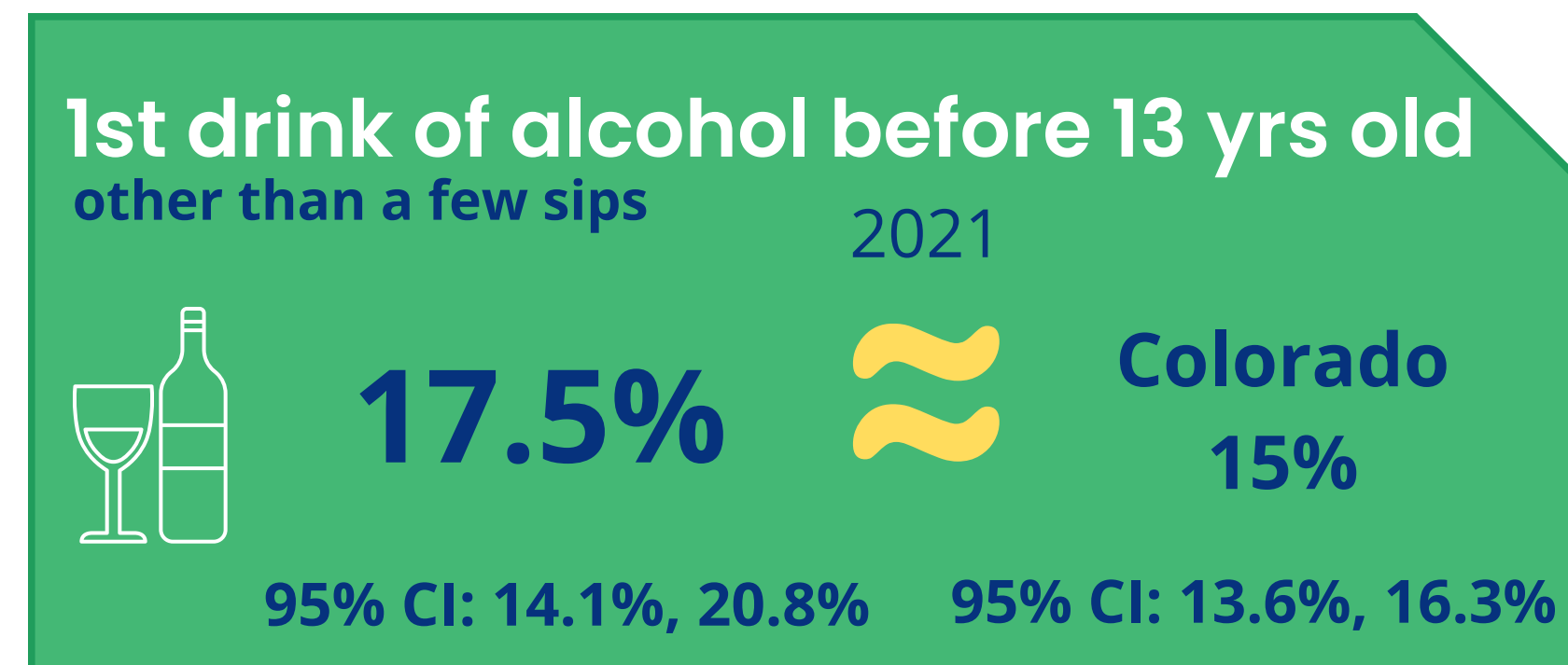
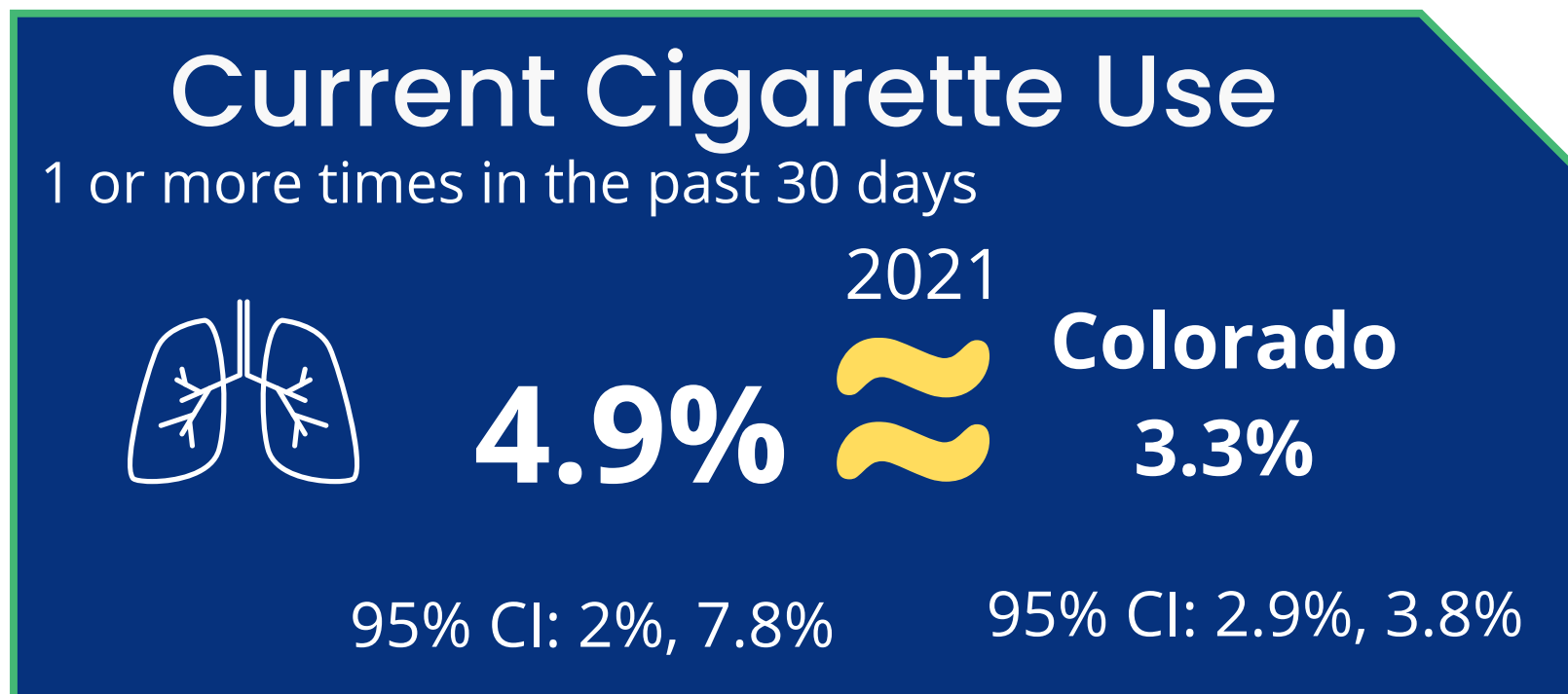
# Region 10

# Behavioral/Mental Health

## Middle School & High School Students



Source: Healthy Kids Colorado Survey



# Region 10

# Behavioral/Mental Health

## Middle School & High School Students

### Current Electronic Vapor Use



**34.9%**

2021  
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**Colorado**  
**30.4%**

95% CI: 29.8%, 40%

95% CI: 29.1%, 31.7%

### Attempted Suicide

1 or + times in the last 12 months



**6.7%**

2021  
≈

**Colorado**  
**7.2%**

95% CI: 5%, 8.3%

95% CI: 6.8%, 7.7%

Source: Healthy Kids Colorado Survey

### Physical Activity

Total of at least 1hr per day on 5 or more in the past 7 days



**58.2%**

2021  
↑

**Colorado**  
**49%**

95% CI: 55.2%, 61.2%

95% CI: 45%, 53%

### Felt Sad or Hopeless

almost every day for 2 wks or + in a row they stopped doing usual activities



**33.5%**

2021  
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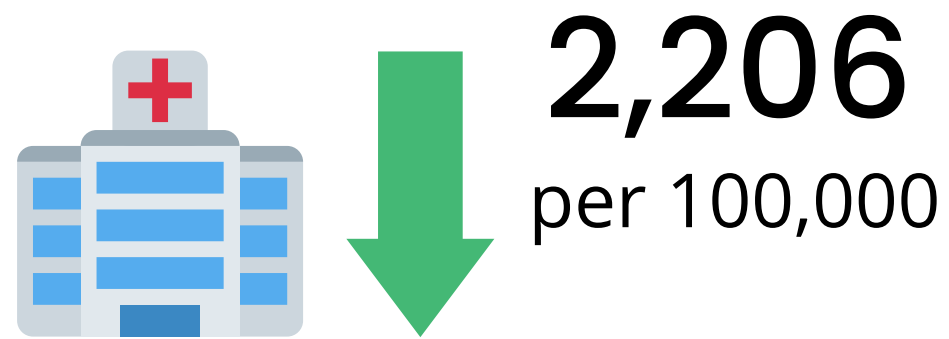
**Colorado**  
**39.6%**

95% CI: 31.5%, 35.5%

95% CI: 37.6%, 41.7%

# Behavioral/Mental Health

## Montrose County Rate of Mental Health diagnosed Hospitalizations



Lower than the state  
(2,838 per 100,000)

Source: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System,  
COHID

Age-adjusted suicide rate per 100,000				
	2009-2012	2013-2016	2017-2020	Total Count
Delta	20.7	34.2	26.3	107
Gunnison	11.5	30.5	31.0	51
Hinsdale	*	*	*	*
Montrose	19.5	17.4	32.8	124
Ouray	*	36.8	31.5	17
San Miguel	10.5	18.0	12.2	15
Colorado	18.1	19.4	21.3	13,127

Source: Colorado Vital Statistics Program (Death Certificate)

\*values suppressed

# Mortality

## Montrose County

### Top 5 Leading Cause of Years of Potential Life Lost (YPLL) (measure of premature mortality)

 **1 Unintentional Injuries (1,214 per 100,000)** (95 % CI: 1081.5, 1508)  
Higher than the state: 1,009 per 100,000 (95 % CI: 1003.6, 1013.8)

 **2 Suicide (936 per 100,000)** (95 % CI: 877, 998)  
Higher than the state (580 per 100,000) 95 % CI: 576, 583.8

 **3 Malignant Neoplasms (385 per 100,000)** (95 % CI: 347, 424)  
Similar to the state (400 per 100,000) 95 % CI: 396.5, 403

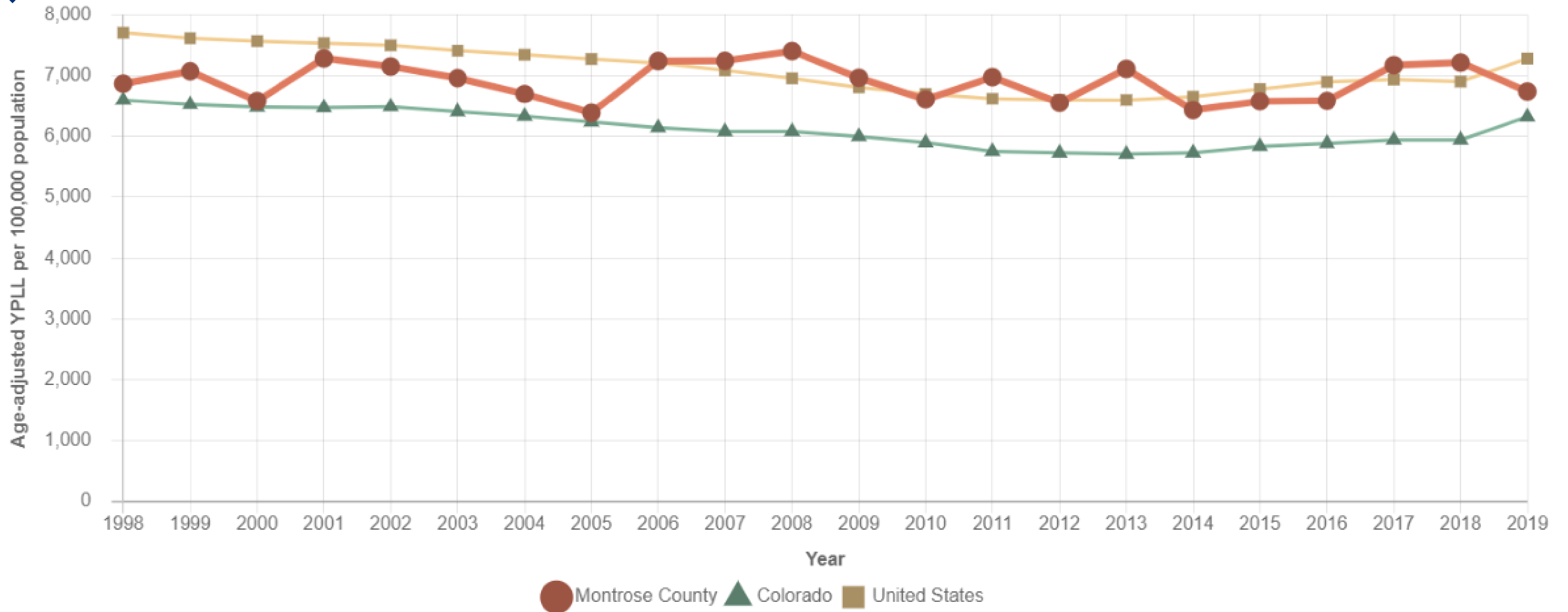
 **4 Heart Disease (345 per 100,000)** (95 % CI: 309, 382)  
Higher than the state (296 per 100,000) 95 % CI: 292.9, 298.5

 **5 Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis (224 per 100,000)** (95 % CI: 195, 254)  
Similar to the state (197 per 100,000) 95 % CI: 194.6, 199.2

# Mortality – Montrose County

Premature death in Montrose County, CO  
Years of Potential Life Lost (YPLL): county, state and national trends

No significant trend was found in Montrose County for this measure.



Notes:  
Each year represents a 3-year average around the middle year (e.g. 2015 is the middle year of 2014-2016).



# Montrose County

# Health Outcomes

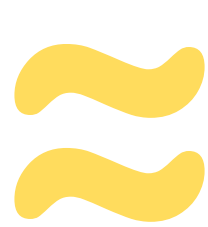
## Age-adjusted Cancer Rates

## All Cancer Site Cases (2009-2019)

### Top 3 Cancer Sites (2015-2019)

359.2 per 100,000

Similar to state  
67.8 per 100,000



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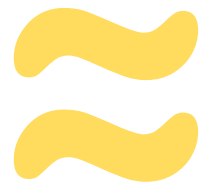
per 100,000

**Breast Cancer Case Rate**

95% CI: 59.43, 79.2

95% CI: 66.86, 68.75

Similar to state  
68.6 per 100,000



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per 100,000

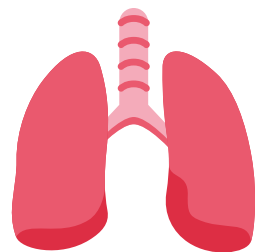
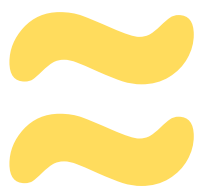
**Digestive system Cancer Case Rate**

**Case Rate**

95% CI: 58.18, 77.5

95% CI: 67.67, 69.56

Similar to state  
42.3 per 100,000



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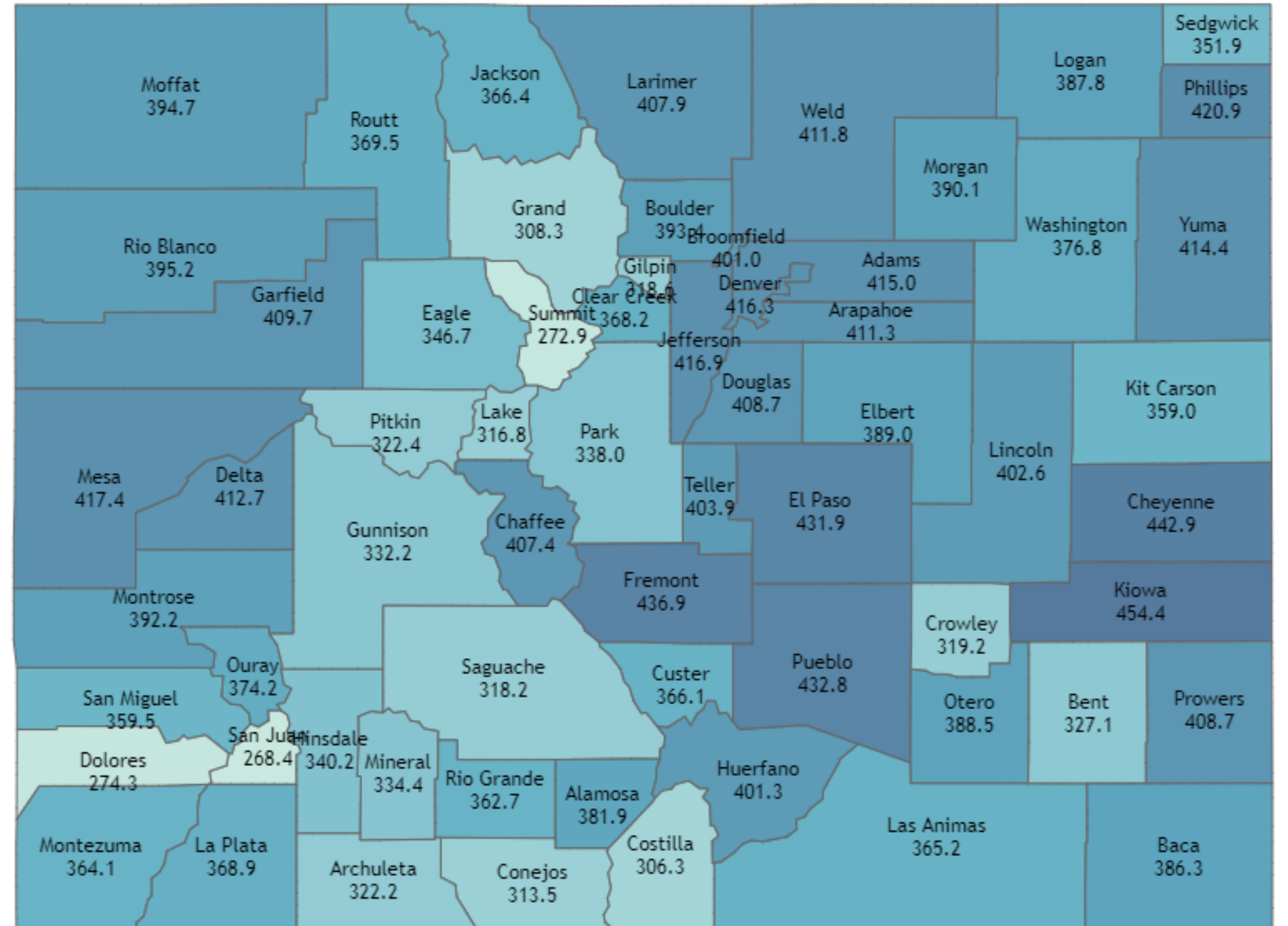
per 100,000

**Respiratory system Cancer Case Rate**

**Case Rate**

95% CI: 39.42, 54.2

95% CI: 41.52, 43.01



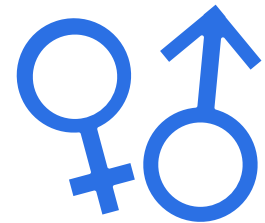
Source: Colorado Central Cancer Registry, COHID

# Health Outcomes

## Sexually Transmitted Diseases/Infections

(STD/STI Rates, 2018) **Montrose County**

### Gonorrhea Infections



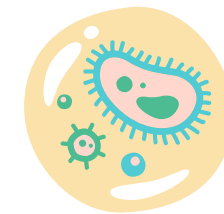
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per 100,000

**Lower than state (158 per 100,000)**

**Lower than US (179 per 100,000)**

### Chlamydia Infections



211

per 100,000

**Lower than state (519 per 100,000)**

**Lower than US (540 per 100,000)**

# Healthy Eating Active Living

2017  
Priority

No significant trends with high school students in Region 10.

Percent of Overweight or Obese High School & Middle School Students				
	2013 (95% CI)	2015 (95% CI)	2017 (95% CI)	2019 (95% CI)
<b>Region 10</b>	<b>21.5%</b> (13.4, 29.6)	<b>24.7%</b> (20.7, 28.7)	<b>18.7%</b> (16.2, 21.3)	<b>21%</b> (18.1, 23.8)
<b>Colorado</b>	<b>19.3%</b> (18, 20.7)	<b>20.8%</b> (18.4, 23.2)	<b>22%</b> (20.6, 23.3)	<b>21.6%</b> (20.5, 22.7)

Source: Healthy Kids Colorado Survey

Over time, overweight and obesity is increasing for adults in Montrose.

Percent of Overweight or Obese Adults			
	2012-2014	2014-2016	2016-2018
<b>Delta</b>	60.9%	62.8%	65.2%
<b>Gunnison</b>	49.9%	45.8%	40.1%
<b>Hinsdale</b>	*	*	*
<b>Montrose</b>	55.8%	59.5%	61%
<b>Ouray</b>	40.9%*	45.1%*	*
<b>San Miguel</b>	38.3%*	40%*	*
<b>Region 10</b>	54.7%	56.8%	55.6%
<b>Colorado</b>	56.8%	57.4%	58.5%

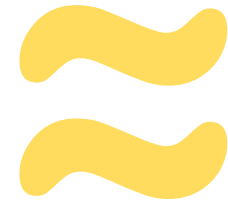
Data: Visual Information System for Identifying Opportunities & Needs, Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS)

\* Unreliable or suppressed estimates



# Montrose County

# Healthy Eating Active Living



Similar to state at all 3 time periods. No significant trends.



Percent of Adults who eat fruit less than 1 time per day			
	2011-2013	2013-2015	2015-2017
Delta	40.3%	33%	37%*
Gunnison	28.2%	33.3%	39.7%*
Hinsdale	*	*	*
<b>Montrose</b>	31.7%	32.8%	28.2%
Ouray	*	*	*
San Miguel	*	*	*
Region 10	33.8%	32%	31%
Colorado	35.7%	35.7%	34.3%

Percent of Adults who consumed vegetables less than 1 time per day			
	2011-2013	2013-2015	2015-2017
Delta	19.4%	11.9%	11.4%
Gunnison	10%	11.1%	11.4%*
Hinsdale	*	*	*
<b>Montrose</b>	13.8%	13.6%	12.9%
Ouray	*	*	21.5%
San Miguel	*	*	*
Region 10	14.5%	12.1%	12.9%
Colorado	19.1%	18.5%	17.6%

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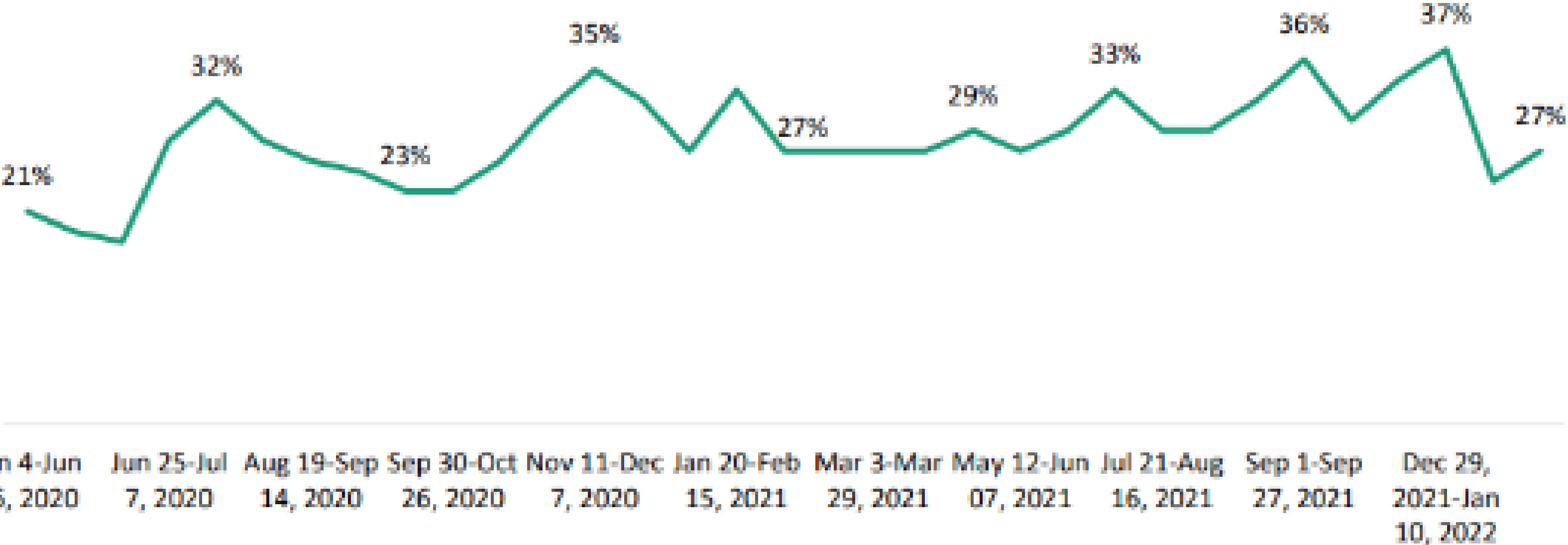
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At some points during the pandemic, nearly 2 in 5 households with children reported their kids weren't eating enough because food was unaffordable.



Colorado households with children where children were not eating enough because food was unaffordable, June 2020—March 2022



Source: Population Reference Bureau analysis of data from the U.S. Census Bureau. Household Pulse Survey. 2020-2022.

# Montrose County

# Access to care

## Insurance



 **14.6%** Adults without Health Insurance coverage

Higher than the state (10.8%)

95% CI Montrose: 12.9, 16.3 95% CI CO: 10.4, 11.2

Source: Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, COHID

 **8.6%** Children without Health Insurance coverage

Higher than the state (5.7%)

95% CI Montrose: 6.6, 10.6 95% CI CO: 5.2, 6.2

Source: Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, COHID

 **67.3%** Adults who visited the dentist in the past year

Similar to the state (67.3%)

95% CI Montrose: 60.3, 74.2 95% CI CO: 66.6, 67.9

Source: Colorado Health Institute, COHID

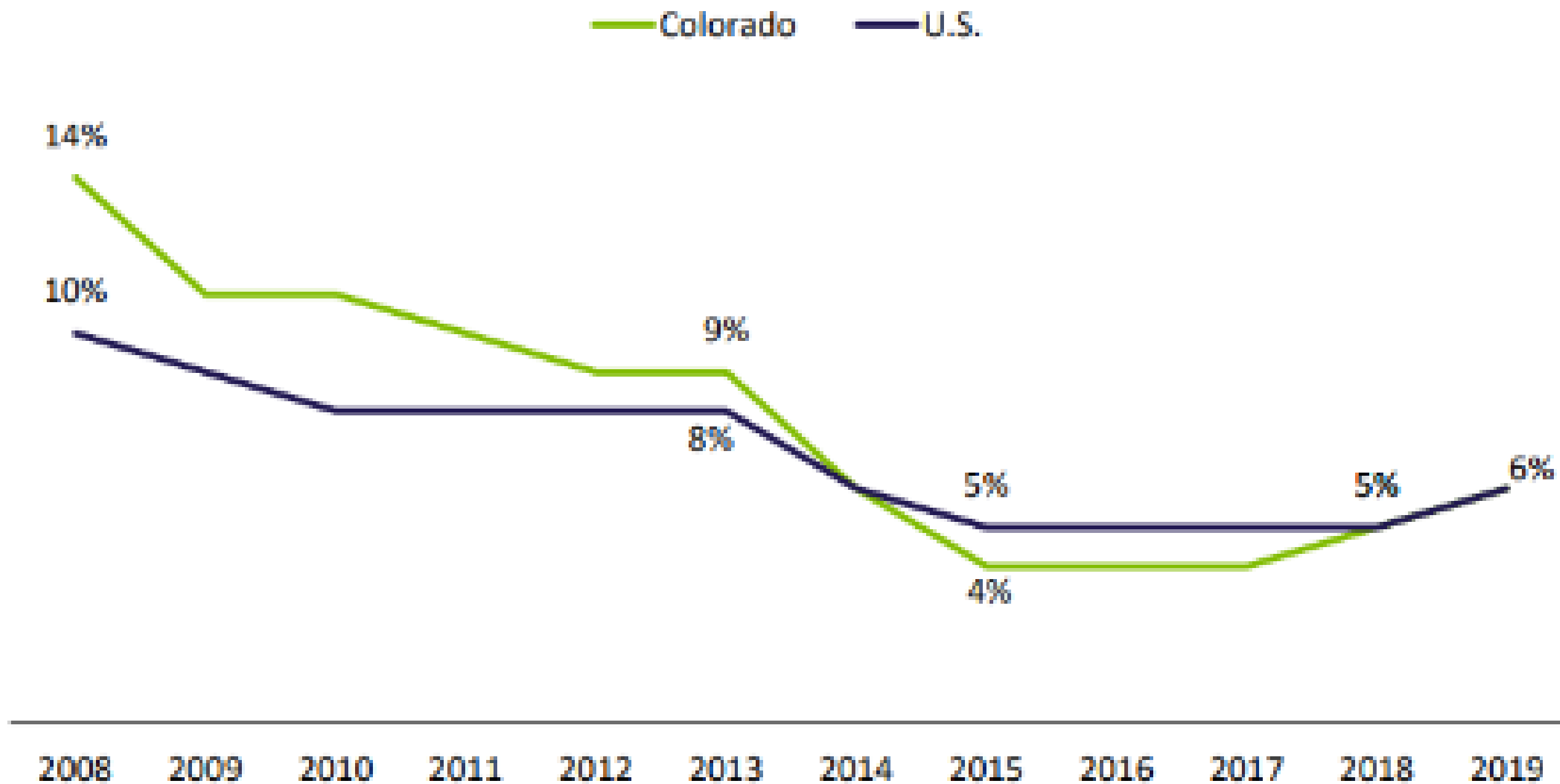
**13.3%** Children eligible but not enrolled in Medicare or State **CHP+**

Source: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, COHID

## Colorado's important progress with reducing the child uninsured rate had stalled in the years before the pandemic



Children under 19 who were uninsured, 2008-2019



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Health Insurance Historical Tables.

# Aging in Place (Older Adult Health)

## Montrose County

### Percent with a disability

**22.9%**

65-74 years old

State: 22.2%

**50.1%**

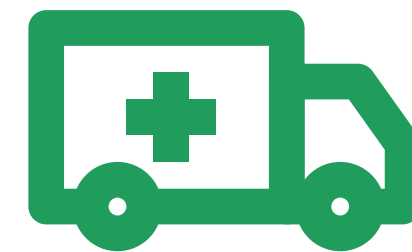
75+ years old

State: 47.5%

Source: American Community Survey, US Census Bureau, 2015-2019

## Ambulatory Difficulty

65 and older



**18.7%**

State Value  
(18.2%)

Source: American Community Survey, US Census Bureau, 2015-2019

## Independent Living Difficulty

65 and older



**10.5%**

State Value  
(11.4%)

Source: American Community Survey, US Census Bureau, 2015-2019

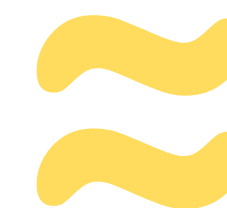


# Aging in Place (Older Adult Health)

Montrose  
County

Up to date on a core set of preventative services

- ✓ Pneumococcal vaccine
- ✓ Flu vaccine in past year
- ✓ Mammogram in past 2 years (Females only)
- ✓ Fecal Occult Blood test (FOBT) in past year  
OR  
sigmoidoscopy in past 5 years and FOBT past 3 years



**43.2%**

95% CI: 30.2%, 56.1%

Similar to the state (49.3%)

95% CI: 48.4%, 50.17%



# Key Informant Interviews



# Community Health Assessment Survey

Tri-County Health Community Health  
Assessment

Kids Count Data Center  
Kids Count Archive

# Next Steps

1

Finalize Survey,  
Finalize Key  
Informant  
Questions

2

Promote survey,  
Perform Key  
Informant  
Interviews

3

Use data and  
input from  
community to  
determine  
priorities

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