

Scott County Health Profile Data

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Age-Adjusted Heart Disease Mortality, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Heart disease mortality rates in Scott County have in the most recent periods (1999-2004) been much higher than state rates.	
	2002-2004	349	183		
	Trend	1999-2001	356		186
		1996-1998	219		207
		1993-1995	250		227
		1990-1992	291		234

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Heart Disease Mortality by Race, 2002-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Race			Heart disease mortality rates among blacks in Scott County are unreliable but are thought to be much higher than rates among whites in the county.
	White	350	178	
	Black		230	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate for All Cancer, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Cancer mortality rates are higher in Scott County than in the state overall.	
	2002-2004	236	209		
	Trend	1999-2001	223		210
		1996-1998	207		214
		1993-1995	183		222
		1990-1992	266		222

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate for All Cancer by Race, 2002-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Race			There were no cancer deaths among blacks in the county during the period.
	White	237	204	
	Black	0	255	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates for Cancer by Type, 2002-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Type			In Scott County mortality rates for lung, breast and colorectal cancer are higher than state rates.
	Lung	88	69	
	Breast	38	25	
	Colorectal	27	21	
	Prostate	29	29	

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Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates for Cancer by Type and Race, 2002-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Lung	White	89	-	There were no cancer deaths among blacks in the county in the period.
		Black	0	-	
	Breast	White	39	-	
		Black	0	-	
	Colorectal	White	27	-	
		Black	0	-	
	Prostate	White	29	-	
		Black	0	-	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Cancer Screening, 2004 <i>(percent)</i>	Type			The percentages of Scott County adults screened for breast, cervical, or colorectal cancer were similar to or lower than statewide percentages.
	Breast	71	71	
	Cervical	76	80	
	Colorectal	57	53	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Stroke Mortality Rate, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Stroke mortality rates in Scott County have been and are much lower than state rates	
	2002-2004	43	70		
	Trend	1999-2001	26		77
		1996-1998	62		83
		1993-1995	52		82
		1990-1992	54		81

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Stroke Mortality Rate by Race, 2002-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Race			There were no stroke deaths among blacks in the county during the period.
	White	43	67	
	Black	0	96	

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Age-Adjusted Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Mortality Rate, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Mortality rates for chronic obstructive pulmonary disease have been increasing in Scott County since the mid-1990s and are currently equal to state rates.		
		2002-2004	49		49	
	Trend		1999-2001		33	47
			1996-1998		25	42
			1993-1995		32	42
			1990-1992		24	37

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate for All External Injuries, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Injury mortality rates are higher in Scott County than in the state overall.		
		2002-2004	107		75	
	Trend		1999-2001		108	72
			1996-1998		87	75
			1993-1995		92	76
			1990-1992		51	76

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate by Cause of External Injury, 1995-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Type			In Scott County mortality rates for collisions and suicides are much higher than state rates.	
		Collisions	38		25
		Falls	5		5
		Fire	1		2
		Homicide	5		8
		Suicide	26		13

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Prevalence of Diabetes, 2005 <i>(percent)</i>	Year			The percentage of Scott County adults with diabetes is higher than the statewide percentage.
		2005	10	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Diabetes Mortality Rate, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Diabetes mortality rates have been increasing in Scott County and are currently higher than state rates.		
		2002-2004	36		28	
	Trend		1999-2001		34	25
			1996-1998		17	22
			1993-1995		13	21
			1990-1992		7	20

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Indicator		Scott County	Arkansas	Comments
Adult Immunizations, 2004 <i>(percent)</i>	Type			The percentage of Scott County adults receiving an influenza vaccination is comparable to statewide percentages, but the percentage of county adults receiving a pneumonia vaccination is lower than the statewide percentage.
	Influenza	67	66	
	Pneumonia	61	66	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate for Influenza & Pneumonia, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 100,000 population)</i>	Years			Mortality rates for influenza and pneumonia in Scott County have been variable.	
	2002-2004	53	27		
	Trend	1999-2001	23		31
		1996-1998	20		34
		1993-1995	51		23
		1990-1992	35		38

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Prevalence of Arthritis, 2005 <i>(percent)</i>	Year			The percentage of Scott County adults with arthritis is slightly higher than the percentage found in the state overall.
	2005	34	31	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Age-Adjusted Infant Mortality Rate, 1990-2004 <i>(deaths per 1,000 live births)</i>	Years			Infant mortality rates have been variable in Scott County but appear to have been decreasing since the mid-1990s.	
	2002-2004	2	8		
	Trend	1999-2001	7		8
		1996-1998	12		9
		1993-1995	4		9
		1990-1992	10		10

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Low Birth Weight Births, 1990-2004 <i>(percent of live births)</i>	Years			The percentage of Scott County births resulting in a low birth weight infant has been increasing and is currently the same as the state rate.	
	2002-2004	9	9		
	Trend	1999-2001	8		9
		1996-1998	8		9
		1993-1995	7		8
		1990-1992	5		8

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Behavioral Risk Factors, 2005 <i>(percent)</i>	Risk Factor		
	Overweight & Obese (BMI \geq 25)	68	65
	No Physical Activity	33	31
	Current Smoker	24	24

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Adult Overweight & Obesity (BMI \geq 25), 1996-2004 <i>(percent)</i>	Years			In 2004, more than 60 percent of Arkansas adults were overweight or obese. This percentage continues to rise.	
	2004	-	63		
	Trend	2002	-		61
		2000	-		60
		1998	-		55
		1996	-		55

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Adults Who Do Not Participate in Any Physical Activity, 1996-2004 <i>(percent)</i>	Years			Although there has been some improvement in recent years, in 2004, more than a quarter of Arkansas adults did not participate in any physical activity.	
	2004	-	27		
	Trend	2002	-		27
		2000	-		28
		1998	-		36
		1996	-		37

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Adult Current Smokers, 1996-2004 <i>(percent)</i>	Years			The proportion of adults who smoke - a major risk factor for chronic diseases, such as cancer, heart disease and stroke - has remained fairly constant in recent years. In Arkansas, approximately one of every four adults reported being a current smoker in 2004.	
	2004	-	26		
	Trend	2002	-		26
		2000	-		25
		1998	-		26
		1996	-		26

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Adult Who Do Not Consume 5 or More Fruits & Vegetables a Day, 1996-2005 <i>(percent)</i>	Years			Between 1996 and 2005, in Arkansas there was an increasing trend of inadequate consumption of fruits and vegetables. In 2005, 79 percent of Arkansans reported that they did not eat the recommended five or more daily servings of fruits and vegetables.	
	2005	-	79		
	Trend	2002	-		80
		2000	-		79
		1998	-		73
		1996	-		69

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Indicator		Arkansas	U.S.	Comments
Proportion of Arkansans with No Cholesterol Check (Ever), 2005 <i>(percent)</i>	Year			In Arkansas, like in the U. S. overall, approximately one fourth of the adult population in 2003 had not ever had their blood cholesterol level checked contrary to general recommendations.
	2005	28	23	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Proportion of Arkansans Diagnosed with High Blood Pressure, 2005 <i>(percent)</i>	Year			The overall prevalence of high blood pressure in Arkansas was 29 percent in 2005. This is higher than the national rate of 26 percent for the same year.
	2005	29	26	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)

Indicator		Scott County	Arkansas	Comments
County Population by Age Group, 2000 <i>(percent)</i>	Age Group			
	< 18	25	25	
	18 - 44	35	38	
	45 - 64	24	23	
	65+	15	14	

(2000, U.S. Census Bureau)

County Population By Race/Ethnicity, 2000 <i>(percent)</i>	Race/Ethnicity			
	White	94	80	
	African American	1	16	
	Native American	1	1	
	Asian American	1	1	
	Hispanic	6	3	

(2000, U.S. Census Bureau)

County Population by Educational Level, 2000 <i>(percent)</i>	Level			
	Less than H.S.	35	25	
	H.S. Diploma/GED	37	34	
	Some College	20	25	
	College Graduate	8	17	

(2000, U.S. Census Bureau)

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Median Household Income, 1990 & 2000 <i>(dollars)</i>	Year			
	2000	\$26,412	\$32,182	
	1990	\$16,470	\$21,147	

(2000, U.S. Census Bureau)

County Population Below Poverty Level, 1990 & 2000 <i>(percent)</i>	Year			
	2000	18	16	
	1990	22	19	

(2000, U.S. Census Bureau)

Access to Healthcare, 2004 <i>(percent)</i>	Indicator			
	No Health Insurance	20	19	
	No Personal Doctor	23	17	

(Arkansas Center for Health Statistics)