

# Cancer in Columbia County

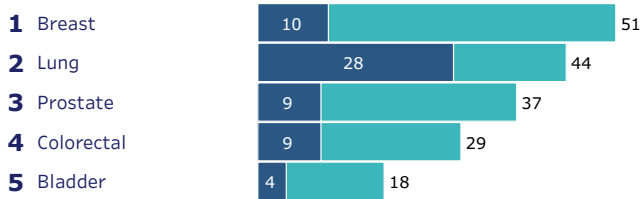
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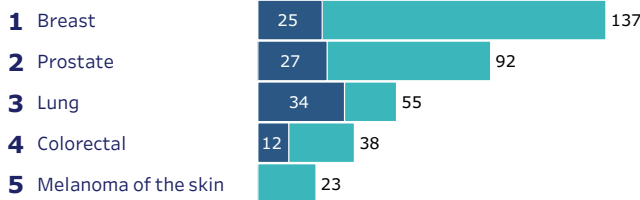
County population (2021):	<b>58,219</b>	State:	<b>5.9 million</b>
Percent rural:	<b>61%</b>		<b>30%</b>
Poverty rate:	<b>6.9%</b>		<b>10.0%</b>
Percent Hispanic:	<b>3.8%</b>		<b>7.2%</b>
Percent Black:	<b>1.9%</b>		<b>6.3%</b>
Percent Asian:	<b>0.9%</b>		<b>2.8%</b>
Percent American Indian:	<b>0.3%</b>		<b>0.8%</b>
Percent Non-Hispanic white:	<b>93.3%</b>		<b>83.3%</b>

## 5 most common cancers in Columbia County

Deaths / Cases per year



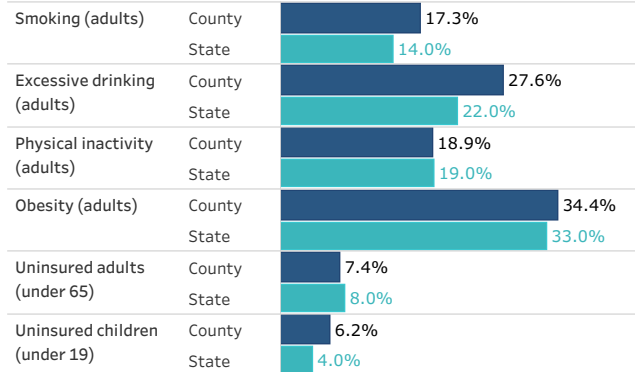
Deaths / Cases per 100,000 residents per year (age-adjusted)



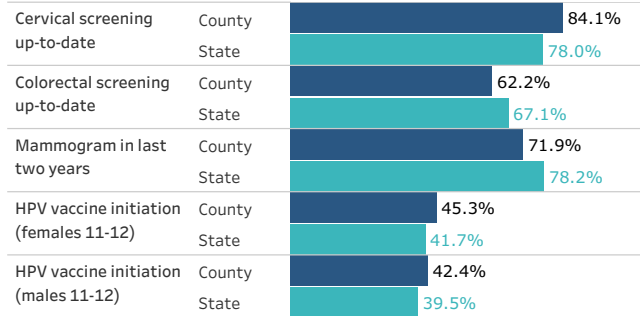
2015-2019 annual averages for cases, 2016-2020 for deaths. Missing value indicates insufficient data.

## What affects cancer outcomes in Columbia County?

### Cancer risk factors

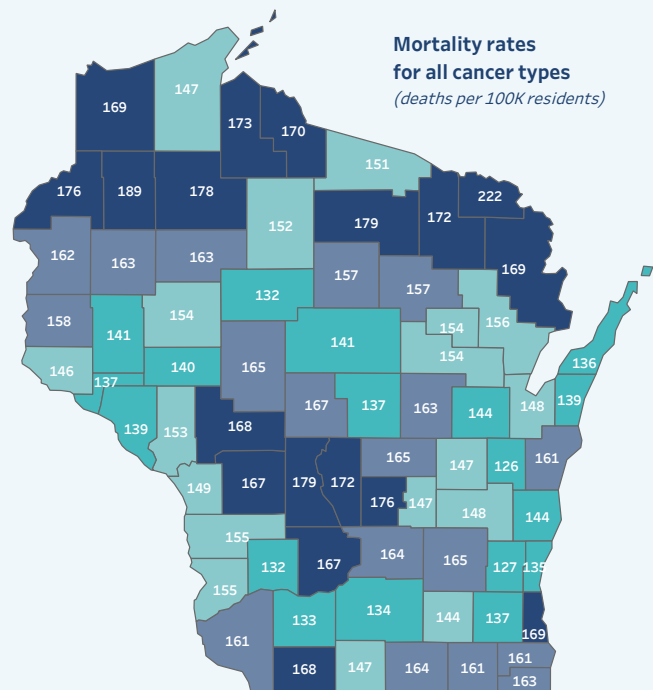
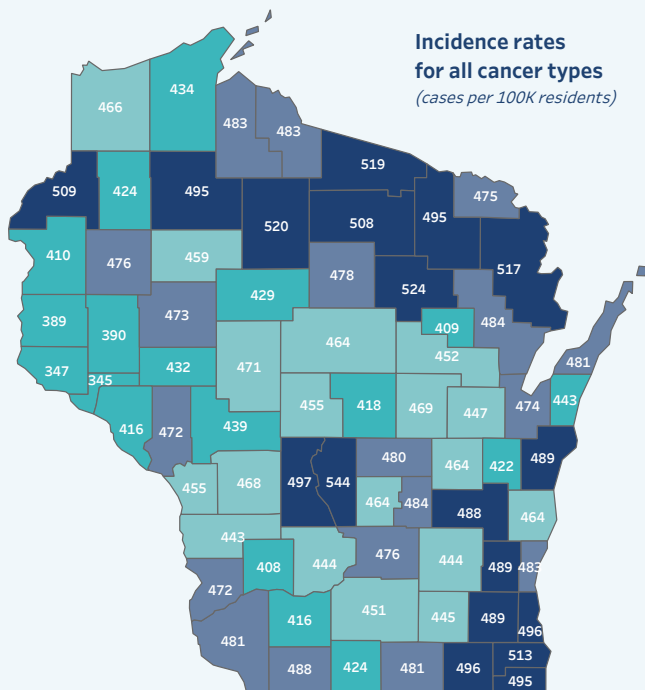
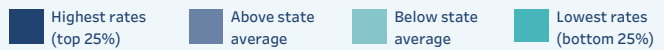


### Screening and prevention



## How counties compare on cancer rates

(5-year annual averages; 2015-2019 for incidence rates, 2016-2020 for mortality rates)



# Cancer data profile for Columbia County

	Columbia County	State		
<b>Cancer statistics</b>	New cancer diagnoses per year	362	34,174	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Cancer incidence rate (diagnoses per 100K residents)	476	471	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Cancer deaths per year	128	11,487	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Cancer death rate (deaths per 100K residents)	164	153	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Lung cancer incidence rate (per 100K residents)	54.5	58.6	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Breast cancer incidence rate (per 100K women)	137.1	135.1	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Prostate cancer incidence rate (per 100K men)	91.8	118.3	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Colorectal cancer incidence rate (per 100K residents)	38.3	36.3	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	HPV-related cancer incidence rate (per 100K residents)	17.3	11.4	U.S. Cancer Statistics, 2013-17 annual average, age-adjusted
	Lung cancer death rate (per 100K residents)	34.3	35.6	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Breast cancer death rate (per 100K women)	25.3	18.4	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Prostate cancer death rate (per 100K men)	27.4	20.8	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Colorectal cancer death rate (per 100K residents)	12.0	12.1	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	<b>Behaviors &amp; health care</b>	Adult smoking rate	17.3%	15.4%
Adult excessive drinking rate		27.6%	23.6%	2019 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, CDC
Adult inactivity rate		18.9%	23.2%	2018 U.S. Diabetes Surveillance System
Adult obesity rate		34.4%	34.2%	2018 U.S. Diabetes Surveillance System
Population per Primary Care Physician		2,400	1,240	County Health Rankings, 2023
Mammogram in past two years (age 50-74)		71.9%	78.0%	U.S. Cancer Statistics, BRFSS 2020
Cervical cancer screening up-to-date (age 21-64)		84.1%	67.1%	U.S. Cancer Statistics, BRFSS 2020
Colorectal cancer screening up-to-date (age 50-75)		62.2%	78.2%	U.S. Cancer Statistics, BRFSS 2020
HPV vaccine initiation (males 11-12)		42.4%	39.5%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
HPV vaccine initiation (females 11-12)		45.3%	41.7%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
HPV vaccine initiation (males 13-17)		61.1%	62.5%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
HPV vaccine initiation (females 13-17)		62.7%	64.8%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
<b>Population demographics</b>		Population	58,219	5,895,908
	High school graduation rate	94%	93%	County Health Rankings 2023
	Age 65+ percentage	18%	18%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
	Rural percentage	61%	30%	Census of Population and Housing: Wisconsin, 2010
	Hispanic percentage	3.8%	7.2%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
	Black percentage	1.9%	6.3%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
	Asian percentage	0.9%	2.8%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
	American Indian percentage	0.3%	0.8%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
	Non-Hispanic white percentage	93.3%	83.3%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
<b>Social &amp; economic factors</b>	Median household income	\$74,842	\$67,150	U.S. Census Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, 2020
	Children in poverty	10.6%	13.6%	U.S. Census Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, 2021
	Food insecurity rate (adults)	6.9%	7.2%	Feeding America's Map of Meal Gap, 2020
	Households without broadband internet	16.0%	14.0%	County Health Rankings 2023
	Poverty rate	6.9%	10.0%	U.S. Census Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, 2020
	Unemployment rate	3.4%	3.8%	Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2021
	Uninsured adult rate (under 65)	7.4%	7.8%	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, 2020
	Uninsured youth rate (under 19)	6.2%	4.4%	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, 2020
	Within 1/2 mile distance of parks	23.2%	81.8%	Wisconsin Environmental Public Health Tracking Program, 2020
	Alcohol outlet density (per 500 residents)	1.61	1.45	Wisconsin Environmental Public Health Tracking Program, 2020-2021
	Radon (pre-mitigation mean in tested buildings)	6.0	5.2	Environmental Public Health Tracking Network, 2014

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