

Cancer in Iron County

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Iron



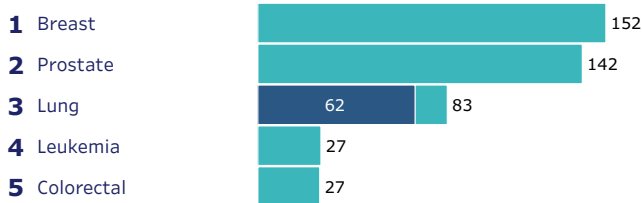
County population (2021):	6,074	State:	5.9 million
Percent rural:	68%		30%
Poverty rate:	11.2%		10.0%
Percent Hispanic:	1.5%		7.2%
Percent Black:	0.1%		6.3%
Percent Asian:	0.5%		2.8%
Percent American Indian:	0.8%		0.8%
Percent Non-Hispanic white:	95.8%		83.3%

5 most common cancers in Iron County

Deaths / Cases per year



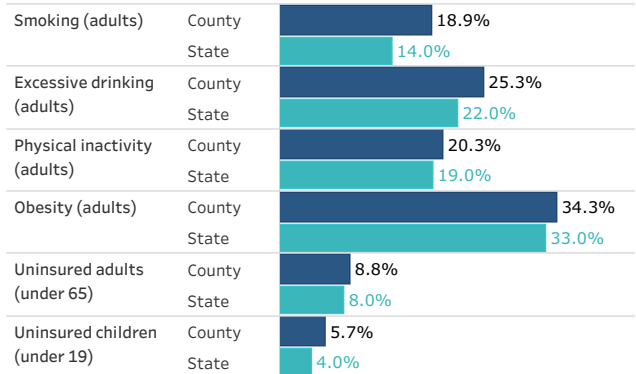
Deaths / Cases per 100,000 residents per year (age-adjusted)



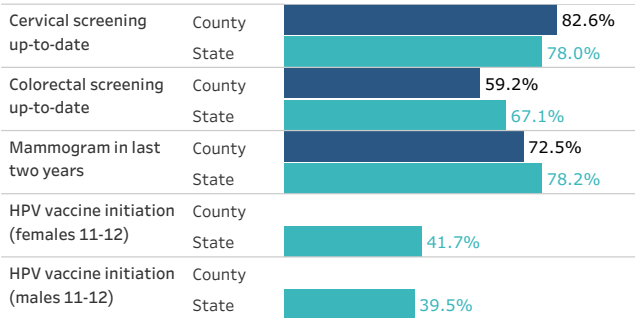
2015-2019 annual averages for cases, 2016-2020 for deaths. Missing value indicates insufficient data.

What affects cancer outcomes in Iron County?

Cancer risk factors

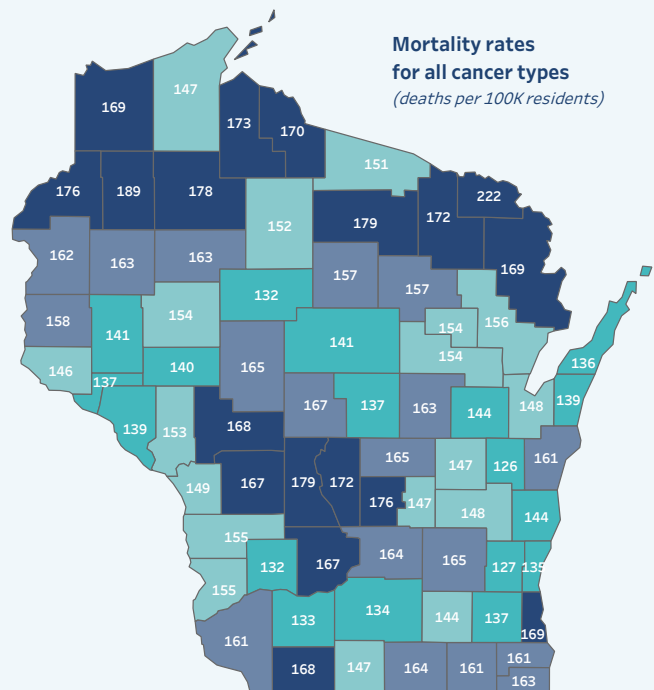
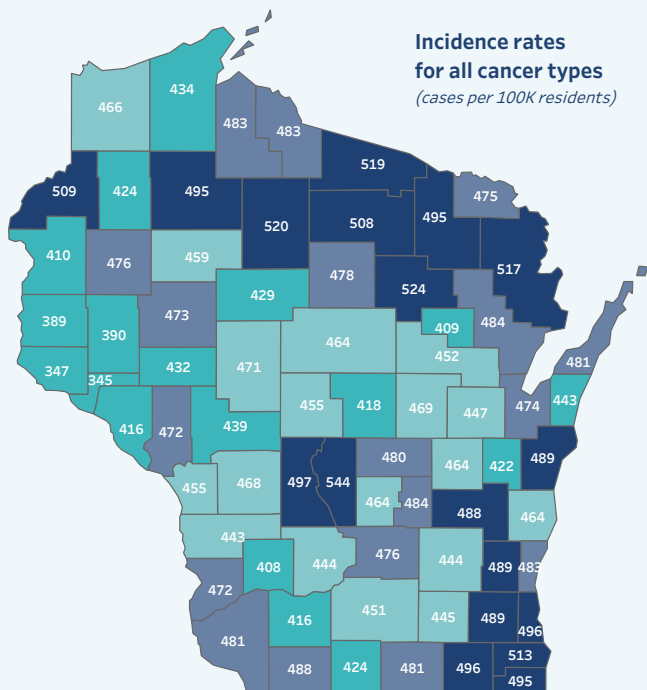


Screening and prevention



How counties compare on cancer rates

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



Cancer data profile for Iron County

	Iron County	State		
Cancer statistics	New cancer diagnoses per year	57	34,174	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Cancer incidence rate (diagnoses per 100K residents)	483	471	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Cancer deaths per year	22	11,487	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Cancer death rate (deaths per 100K residents)	170	153	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Lung cancer incidence rate (per 100K residents)	82.5	58.6	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Breast cancer incidence rate (per 100K women)	151.8	135.1	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Prostate cancer incidence rate (per 100K men)	141.6	118.3	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	Colorectal cancer incidence rate (per 100K residents)	26.9	36.3	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2015-2019 annual average
	HPV-related cancer incidence rate (per 100K residents)	22.7	11.4	U.S. Cancer Statistics, 2013-17 annual average, age-adjusted
	Lung cancer death rate (per 100K residents)	62.1	35.6	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Breast cancer death rate (per 100K women)		18.4	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Prostate cancer death rate (per 100K men)		20.8	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
	Colorectal cancer death rate (per 100K residents)		12.1	Wisconsin Cancer Reporting System, 2016-2020 annual average
Behaviors & health care	Adult smoking rate	18.9%	15.4%	2019 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, CDC
	Adult excessive drinking rate	25.3%	23.6%	2019 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, CDC
	Adult inactivity rate	20.3%	23.2%	2018 U.S. Diabetes Surveillance System
	Adult obesity rate	34.3%	34.2%	2018 U.S. Diabetes Surveillance System
	Population per Primary Care Physician	2,850	1,240	County Health Rankings, 2023
	Mammogram in past two years (age 50-74)	72.5%	78.0%	U.S. Cancer Statistics, BRFSS 2020
	Cervical cancer screening up-to-date (age 21-64)	82.6%	67.1%	U.S. Cancer Statistics, BRFSS 2020
	Colorectal cancer screening up-to-date (age 50-75)	59.2%	78.2%	U.S. Cancer Statistics, BRFSS 2020
	HPV vaccine initiation (males 11-12)		39.5%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
	HPV vaccine initiation (females 11-12)		41.7%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
	HPV vaccine initiation (males 13-17)	56.7%	62.5%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
	HPV vaccine initiation (females 13-17)	55.9%	64.8%	Wisconsin Immunization Registry, 2021
	Population demographics	Population	6,074	5,895,908
High school graduation rate		96%	93%	County Health Rankings 2023
Age 65+ percentage		31%	18%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
Rural percentage		68%	30%	Census of Population and Housing: Wisconsin, 2010
Hispanic percentage		1.5%	7.2%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
Black percentage		0.1%	6.3%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
Asian percentage		0.5%	2.8%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
American Indian percentage		0.8%	0.8%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
Non-Hispanic white percentage		95.8%	83.3%	U.S. Census American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates, 2021
Social & economic factors	Median household income	\$50,731	\$67,150	U.S. Census Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, 2020
	Children in poverty	18.7%	13.6%	U.S. Census Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, 2021
	Food insecurity rate (adults)	13.2%	7.2%	Feeding America's Map of Meal Gap, 2020
	Households without broadband internet	18.0%	14.0%	County Health Rankings 2023
	Poverty rate	11.2%	10.0%	U.S. Census Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates, 2020
	Unemployment rate	6.4%	3.8%	Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2021
	Uninsured adult rate (under 65)	8.8%	7.8%	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, 2020
	Uninsured youth rate (under 19)	5.7%	4.4%	Small Area Health Insurance Estimates, 2020
	Within 1/2 mile distance of parks	62.7%	81.8%	Wisconsin Environmental Public Health Tracking Program, 2020
	Alcohol outlet density (per 500 residents)	7.66	1.45	Wisconsin Environmental Public Health Tracking Program, 2020-2021
	Radon (pre-mitigation mean in tested buildings)	3.9 (<10 cases)	5.2	Environmental Public Health Tracking Network, 2014

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