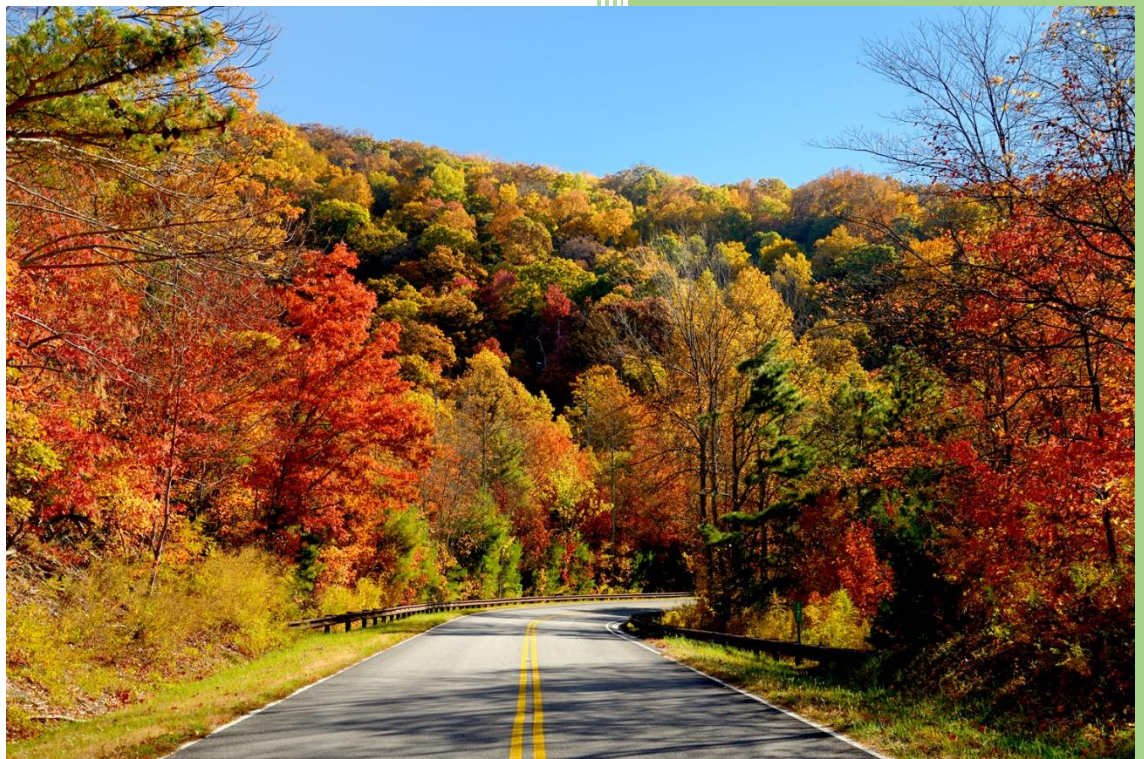


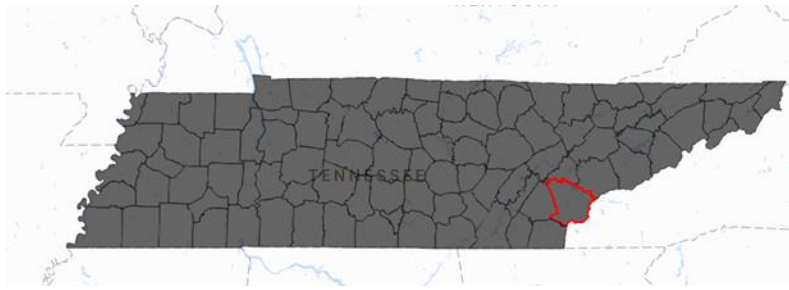


2020

NEEDS ASSESSMENT



Chota Community Health Services
Monroe County
8/24/2020 Board Approved



Purpose Statement

A community needs assessment allows an organization to evaluate the targeted population for which it serves by identifying area of needed improvement.

Definition of the Proposed Service Area: Monroe County, Tennessee

Monroe County, Tennessee is located in the southeastern portion of Tennessee, nestled in the foothills of the Smoky Mountains. As the sixth largest county in Tennessee, Monroe County is predominately a rural community with a total area of 653 square miles with 70 persons per square mile.

Being sparsely populated creates a barrier to care. Residents have to travel greater distances to access health care services. The town of Tellico Plains is the most rural area of the county. Residents of Tellico Plains that live in the unincorporated community of Coker Creek have to drive over 30 miles to reach the nearest hospital. Coker Creek is just two miles from the North Carolina line and is located high in the southern Appalachian Mountains. The Cherokee National Forest completely surrounds Coker Creek, which makes the driving time long due to the nature of mountain roadways. There are other similar communities in Monroe County.

Occupation and unemployment across Monroe County create a barrier to care. According to the Data USA report, the most common job groups by number of people in the county are production occupations, sales and related occupations, and administrative support occupations. The Tennessee Government reports that the unemployment rate for the state was 3.1% in December 2019. In comparison, the unemployment rate for Monroe County was 3.6%.

The lack of transportation is also a barrier to care. The county does not have a public transportation system, except for a regional service provided by the East Tennessee Human Resource Agency (ETHRA). This service requires an advanced three day notice to schedule transportation. This transportation system transports multiple people per day which causes unpredictability in person's returning home.

These barriers to care decrease the likelihood of the population seeking medical care, including follow-up care, causing their health status to be poor.

Population Composition

According to the US Census Bureau QuickFacts 2019 report, the estimated population totaled 46,545 is up from 45,970 residents in Monroe County in 2016. The Hispanic population has increased to 4.7% in 2019 from 4.2% in 2016.

(Source: <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/monroecountytennessee> ; <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/TN> ; <https://reportcard.tnk12.gov/districts/621/page/DistrictProfile>; UDS printout data)

People Quick Facts	Monroe County 2019	Tennessee 2019	Chota UDS 2019
Population Total	46,545	6,829,174	11,520
No. Registered Voters	30,843 June 2020 (MC Election Office)		
White	94.80%	78.50%	95.23%
African American	2.20%	17.10%	1.07%
American Indian/ Alaska Native	0.60%	0.50%	0.36%
Asian	0.50%	1.90%	0.41%
Pacific Islander	0.10%	0.10%	0.18%
Two or More Races	1.80%	2.00%	0.92%
Hispanic or Latino	4.70%	5.60%	3.26%
Language Other Than English			1.16%

Age, Gender and Education

Monroe County Community Demographics - 2019		Chota UDS 2019
Percent of Persons under 5 years	5.40%	3.07%
Percent of Persons under 18 years	21.10%	22.01%
School Children Enrolled Pre-K - 12th Grade	14.18%	13.69%

Monroe County Community Demographics - 2019		Chota UDS 2019
Persons 18-64 years	57.70%	60.91%
Persons 65+ years	21.20%	17.08%
Female Persons	50.20%	55.30%
Male Persons	49.80%	44.70%
Transgender Male/ Female-to-Male		0.02%
Transgender Female/ Male-to-Female		0.01%
Other		0.07%
Chose Not to Disclose		0.61%
High School Graduation Rate	78.9% (state-87%)	
Bachelor's Degree or Higher Population age 25+ years	12.8% (state-26.6%)	

Demographics	Monroe County 2019	Tennessee 2019	Chota UDS 2019
Median Household Income	\$38,327 (2018)	\$50,972 (2018)	
*Percent of Population in Poverty Level	45.6% Free and Reduced Lunch (2018)	46.6% Free and Reduced Lunch (2018)	48.85% 200% or below 34.78% unknown
Youth on TennCare	6,225 (55.2%) (2018)	836,413 (47.5%) (2018)	1,342 (11.65%)
Total TennCare Enrollees	11,638 (25%) (2018)	1,413,940 (20.9%)	2,872 (24.93%)
Substantiated Child Abuse/Neglect Cases	85	7,445	
Juvenile Court Cases	797 (8.2%) (2018)	53,110 (3.5%) (2018)	
Children Committed to State Custody	55 (5.1%)	6,703 (4.0%)	
Homeless	94 (Point-In-Time Count Jan. 2019)		711

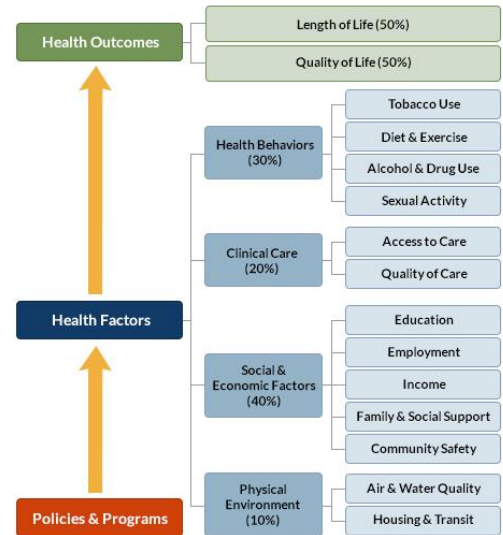
* The Food Research and Action Center indicates that children in households with incomes between 130 to 185 percent of the federal poverty level qualify for free or reduced lunch. According to the Institute for Research on Poverty, "the Census Bureau determines poverty status by using an official poverty measure that compares pre-tax cash income against a threshold that is set at times the cost of a minimum food diet in 1963 and adjusted for family size". This source also explains that it is adjusted annually for inflation and estimates the data at 100% below poverty. Additionally, the US Census Bureau data is based on poverty threshold. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) sets the poverty guidelines that are mostly used by federal agencies to determine eligibility for public programs such as food assistance. Thus, the KidsCount data of free and reduced lunch was used to make the most accurate comparison.

*The Point-In-Time Count only accounts for individuals identified as homeless on the day of the count. The UDS data is for the year and includes anyone known to have experienced homelessness at the time of any service reported during the reporting period. Includes patients whose primary residence during the night is a supervised public or private facility that provides temporary living accommodations and patients who reside in transitional housing or permanent supportive housing. May include children and youth at risk of homelessness, homeless veterans, and veterans at risk of homelessness.

(Source: <https://datausa.io/profile/geo/monroe-county-tn> ; <https://datacenter.kidscount.org> ; <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/TN> ; <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/monroecountytennessee> ; <https://frac.org/> ; <https://www.irp.wisc.edu/> ; UDS printout data)

WHAT ARE THE COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS?

County Health Rankings help counties understand what influences how healthy residents are and how long they will live. They look at a variety of measures that affect the future of health of communities, such as high school graduation rates, access to healthy foods, rates of smoking, obesity, and teen births.

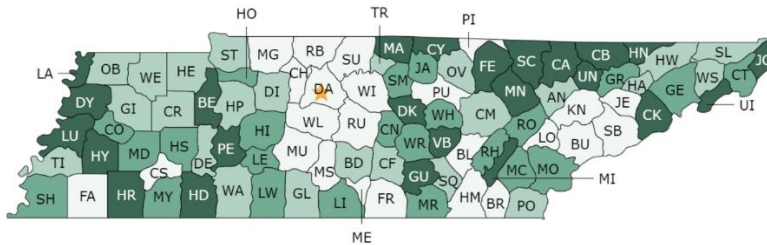


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Health Disparities 2020 – County Health Rankings and Roadmaps Overall Health Ranking – Monroe County 66 of 95 counties.

*Monroe County dropped in ranking from 2019 (58) to 2020 (66).

HOW DO COUNTIES RANK FOR HEALTH OUTCOMES? Based on equal weighting of length and quality of life.



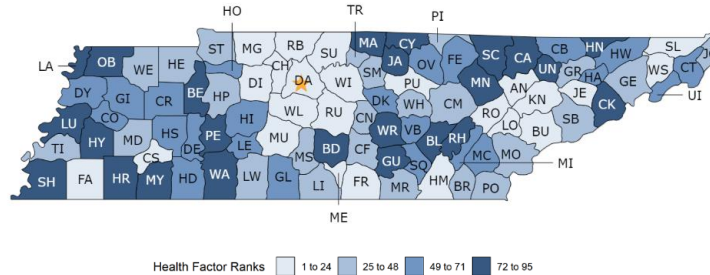
Health Outcome Ranks 1 to 24 25 to 48 49 to 71 72 to 95

Blount	13	Knox	9	Loudon	15	McMinn	62	Polk	48
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County Ranking for Health Factors – Monroe 45 / 95 counties.

*Monroe County increased in ranking from 2019 (69) to 2020 (45).

HOW DO COUNTIES RANK FOR HEALTH FACTORS? Based on weighted scored for health behaviors, clinical care, social and economic factors, and the physical environment.



Blount	9	Knox	3	Loudon	7	McMinn	51	Polk	48
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Community Demographics 2019 and 2020 Monroe	Tennessee 2019 and 2020	Chota 2019	
Percent of population in Monroe County Uninsured	12% (2019,2020)	11% (2019,2020)	13.07%
Poor or Fair Health	22% (2019) 23% (2020)	19% (2019) 20% (2020)	
Poor Physical Health Days	5.1 (2019) 4.7 (2020)	4.4 (2019) 4.2(2020)	
Poor Mental Health Days	5.0 (2019) 4.8 (2020)	4.5(2019) 3.4 (2020)	
Low Birth Weight	9% (2019, 2020)	9% (2019, 2020)	17.65% (12 of 68 prenatal patients)
Teen Birth Rate Ages 2015 * per 1,000 population	47 (2019) 46 (2020)	33 (2019) 31 (2020)	
Adult Smoking	23.8% (2019, 2020)	22% (2019) 23% (2020)	25.81%
Obesity	34% (2019) 33% (2020) *Adults (20+) Only	33% (2019, 2020) *Adults (20+) Only	62.47% *Adults (20+) Only 70.17% *overweight/obesity all ages
Physical Inactivity	31% (2019) 25% (2020)	27% (2019, 2020)	
Excessive Drinking	13% (2019) 12% (2020)	14% (2019, 2020)	
Drug Overdose Deaths *per 100,000 population.	31 (2019) 35 (2020)	24 (2019) 26 (2020)	
Diabetes Prevalence	16% (2019) 11% (2020)	13% (2019, 2020)	11.17%
Hypertension			24.17%

(Source: <https://www.countyhealthrankings.org/what-is-health>)


Morbidity and Mortality	Monroe County 2019	Tennessee 2019	Chota UDS 2019
Rates Per 100,000 Population			# of Patients
Deaths from Disease of the Heart	278.2	242.5	
Heart Disease Diagnosis			524
Death from Diabetes	47.4	29.9	
Diabetes Mellitus Diagnosis			1287
Deaths from Malignant Neoplasm	317	208.8	
Deaths from Suicides Age 10-19	7.1	17.5	
Deaths from Suicides	19.4	17.1	
Substance Use Disorder (Not Tobacco) Diagnosis			94
Depression and Other Mood Disorder Diagnosis			1151
Anxiety Disorder (including PTSD) Diagnosis			1369
Attention Deficit and Disruptive Behavior Disorders			208
Other Mental Disorders, excluding Drug or Alcohol Dependence			590
Alcohol Related Disorders			49
Tobacco Use Disorder			2973

(Source: <https://www.tn.gov/health/health-program-areas/statistics/health-data/death-statistics.html> ; UDS Print Out)

Remote Area Medical (RAM)

Free Medical Clinics 2014 & 2016

Many people live in fear of sickness and injury because they have **little or no access to basic medical care**. RAM responds to this need by providing **free dental, vision, and medical care** to isolated, impoverished, or underserved communities. In less than 12 hours we turn fairgrounds, schools, arenas, and jungles into **mobile medical centers**. RAM has not returned to the Monroe County area since 2016.

	Dental			Vision	Medical	Total Served
1/2014	1330 extractions	281 fillings	64 cleanings	251 Glasses	330 Medical Exams	894
4/2016**	162 people			239	62	
** Dental visits were turned away on day 1 and no new patients were accepted allowing everyone in line to come back for day 2 with a voucher. Day 2 for dental needs still turned away > 50 people.						

Health Care Providers

Health Care Services	Tennessee
	Ratio of Population to Providers
Primary Care Physicians	3,480:1
Other Primary Care Providers (NP, PA)	1,380:1
Dentist	1330:1
Mental Health Providers	946:1
	2860:1
	1940:1
	780:1

Primary Care Providers/Clinics

Specialty Services

Dental

<p>Access Medical <i>Madisonville (M-F) 423-442-8084</i> Dr. Barbara Levin Dr. Jan Hahn David Metcalf, PA Jamie Daugherty, FNP Cheryl Howell, FNP</p>	<p>Behavioral Health Access Medical <i>Madisonville 423-442-8084</i></p>	<p>Chance Orthodontics <i>Sweetwater (Mon-Thurs.) 423-337-6601</i> Dr. Allen Chance <i>*Does Not Accept TennCare</i></p>
<p>Chota Community Health Services <i>Madisonville (7 Days A Week) 423-442-2622</i> <i>Tellico Plains (M-F) 423-253-6545</i> <i>Vonore (M-F) 423-884-7271</i> Dr. Thomas Cox III Dr. Terry Howard Janet Binkley, FNP Mary Brown, FNP Charles Cyrus, FNP Erin Lay, FNP Jennifer McKenzie, FNP William Thornton, FNP Katy Tilley, FNP Tabitha Walker, FNP</p>	<p>Behavioral Health Chota Community Health Services <i>Madisonville 423-442-2622</i> Samantha Walker, PMHNP Susan Orr, LPC Matthew Harvey, LCSW *CPRS available</p>	<p>Cloudland Dental <i>Sweetwater (Mon-Fri) 423-337-2034</i> Dr. William Walker Dr. An TA</p>
<p>Fast Pace Health <i>Sweetwater (7 Days A Week) 423-836-9304</i> Brooke Torbett, FNP Sonya Lovingood, FNP Molly Pritchett, FNP Alan Martin, PA Tiffany Coffman, FNP Sally Shevlin, PA</p>	<p>Behavioral Health Hiwassee Mental Health <i>Madisonville (M-F) 423-442-9850</i> Shandy McDonald, NP Carla Neal, NP *Therapist and Care Managers available</p>	<p>Family Dental Associates <i>Madisonville (Mon-Fri., Sat) 423-442-3928</i> Dr. James Dash Dr. Richard Hall Dr. Robert Parrish <i>*Does Not Accept TennCare; provides insurance through them</i></p>

Primary Care Providers/Clinics	Specialty Services	Dental
<p>Hometown Medical Clinic <i>Madisonville (M-F) 423-442-5480</i> Dr. Hasmukh Kanabar Starla Swaney, FNP</p>	<p>General Surgery Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Terry Adams Dr. Thomas Layman Dr. Nicholas Ballay</p>	<p>John Fox, DDS <i>Sweetwater (Mon-Thurs.) 423-337-7338</i></p>
<p>Madisonville Primary Care Group <i>Madisonville (Mon.-Fri., Sat.) 423-442-2121</i> Gregory Cain, PA Deletra Wilke, PA Michael Wall, PA</p>	<p>Nephrology Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater (Friday) 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Yaqub Ali</p>	<p>Lorine Yee-Shinsky, DDS <i>Madisonville (Mon-Thurs.) 423-420-0800</i> <i>*does not accept TennCare</i></p>
<p>Sweetwater Family Medicine <i>Sweetwater (Mon.-Fri.) 423-351-700</i> Dr. Sigrid Johnson Arrah Ford, FPN Dorothy Monroe, FNP</p>	<p>OB/GYN Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Laura Berardi Dr. Michele Tate Dr. Ashlin Paz</p>	<p>Loudon County Dental Clinic Loudon (Mon, Fri) 865-458-2514 Dr. Carol Shipley <i>*sliding fee discount program</i></p>
<p>Sweetwater Hospital Association (Family Medicine) <i>Sweetwater (Mon.-Fri.)865-213-8200</i> Dr. Ben Coffey</p>	<p>Oncology Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater865-213-8200</i> Dr. Tracy Dobbs Dr. Saji Eapen</p>	<p>Monroe County Dental Clinic <i>Madisonville (Mon-Thurs.) 423-442-8828</i> Dr. William Brakebill Jr. <i>*Accepts TennCare, all private</i></p>
<p>Sweetwater Hospital Association (Internal Medicine/Gastro) <i>Sweetwater (Mon-Sat) 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Laurence James Dr. Chris Shamblin Dr. Kenya Kozawa Renee Cagle, FNP Michelle Davis, FNP Thomas Vance, FNP Kellie Collins, FNP</p>	<p>Orthopedic Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Bowman Mark Clem, PA Dawn Freichs, FNP</p>	<p>Moore Smiles <i>Sweetwater (Mon-Thurs.) 423-337-6681</i> Dr. Scotty Devine Dr. Christy Moore <i>*does not accept TennCare</i></p>

Primary Care Providers/Clinics	Specialty Services	Dental
<p>Sweetwater Medical Clinic Madisonville (Days) 423-442-9711 Dr. Tracey Beverly Hedio Fisher, FNP</p>	<p>Otolaryngology Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater (Tuesday) 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Leonard Brown Lonny Houston, NP</p>	<p>Steven Crippen, DDS <i>Sweetwater (Mon, Wed., Fri.) 423-337-6142</i> <i>*does not accept TennCare</i></p>
<p>Pediatrics Chota Community Health Services <i>Madisonville 423-442-2622</i> Dr. Megan Paz</p>	<p>Podiatry Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater (Friday) 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Andrew Lynn</p>	<p>Tennessee Smiles <i>Madisonville (Mon, Tue, Fri) 423-436-4800</i> Dr. Mark Britton Dr. Darryl Phillips Dr. Jim Hollingsworth Dr. Andy Turner (Orthodontist)</p>
<p>Kidzcare <i>Madisonville (Mon.-Fri.) 423-545-8383</i> Dr. Saji Gopinathan Qin Zou, FNP</p>	<p>Podiatry Tennessee Foot and Ankle <i>Madisonville (Thursday) 865-986-8096</i> <i>Dr. David Hawk</i> <i>Dr. Louis Reper</i></p>	<p>Vonore Dental Clinic <i>Vonore (Mon-Thurs.) 423-884-2300</i> Dr. Eric Fugate Dr. Jerry Johnson <i>*does not accept TennCare</i></p>
<p>Maryville Pediatrics <i>Vonore (M – F) 423-884-2170</i> Dr. Cindy Hoover Dr. Charles Raper Dr. Mark Watkins Dr. Michael Bean Dr. Heather Wight Dr. Jenna McCall Heather Snow, FNP Kayla Crye, FNP</p>	<p>Pulmonology Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Ronald Cherry</p>	<p>William Howard, DDS <i>Tellico Plains (Tue, Fri) 423-253-3403</i></p>
<p>Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater 865-213-8200</i> Dr. Wendy S. Robbins Bill Dawson, PA, MPAS Dr. Krishen Sangeeta</p>	<p>Tennova Cardiology Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater 865-392-3400</i></p>	<p>Health Department Leadership Teresa Harrill, Monroe/ Loudon County Health Department</p>

Primary Care Providers/Clinics**Specialty Services****Dental**

	University Cardiology Sweetwater Hospital Association <i>Sweetwater (Thursday)</i>	Hospital / Hospital Leadership Sweetwater Hospital Association, Scott Bowman
	Substance Abuse Help House of Mercy (women only) True Purpose Celebrate Recovery Restoration Place Ministries	Tennessee Valley Continuum of Care Homeless Management of Monroe County Barbara Raper or Boyd McClure 423-442-4335
		*Non-inclusive list

Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSAs) are designations that indicate health care provider shortages in primary care, dental health; or mental health.

As part of HRSA’s cooperative agreement with the State Primary Care Offices (PCOs), the PCOs conduct needs assessment in their states, determine what areas are eligible for designations, and submit designation applications to HRSA for review and approval.

HRSA reviews the HPSA applications submitted by the State PCOs, and—if the applications meet the statutory and regulatory designation eligibility criteria—designates a HPSA.

Once designated, HRSA scores HPSAs on a scale of 0-25 for primary care and mental health, and 0-26 for dental health, with higher scores indicating greater need.

**Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA)
Chota Community Health Services**

Primary Care	19
Dental Health	15
Mental Health	21

Federal Health Professional Shortage Areas Primary Care April, 2018



Designation : Whole County Low-Income Population Partial Low-Income Population Whole County Geographic

Data Source: Health Resources and Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 2018

Federal Health Professional Shortage Areas Dental April, 2018



Designation : Whole County Low-Income Population Partial Low-Income Population Whole County Geographic

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Underserved Areas (MUAs)/Medically Underserved Populations (MUPs) August 2019



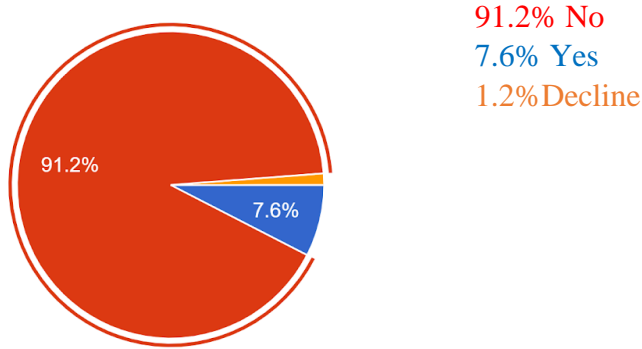
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Note: Partial county shortage designations are comprised of the select urban census tracts which met eligibility criteria

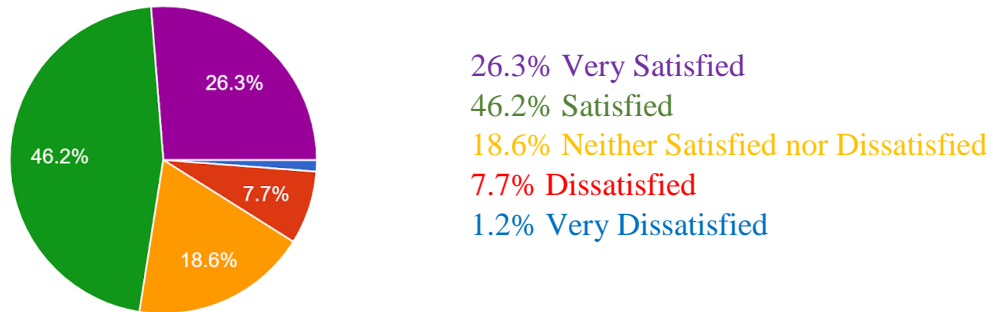
2020 Community Needs Assessment

During 2020, Chota Community Health Services (CCHS) conducted a needs assessment survey titled “2020 Monroe County Quality of Life Survey”. The survey was designed to gauge various health-related aspects of life in our county from the perspective of those who live here. A total of 662 surveys were completed. The results of the survey responses are depicted in the following charts and tables.

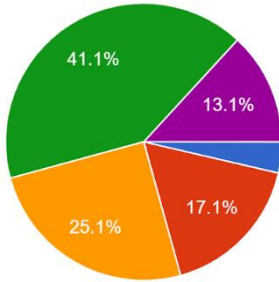
(1) Have you taken the Monroe County Quality of Life Survey Before?



(2) Overall, how satisfied are you with the quality of life in Monroe County in your community? (Consider your sense of safety, well-being, participation in community life and associations, etc.)

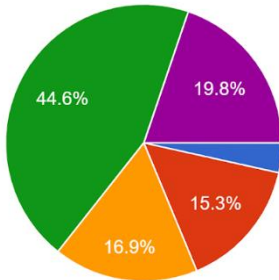


(3) How would you rate Monroe County as a place to raise a family?
 (Consider school quality, day care, after school programs, recreation, etc.)



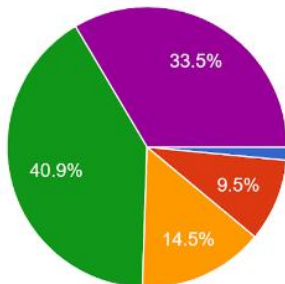
13.1% Very Satisfied
 41.1% Satisfied
 25.1% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
 17.1% Dissatisfied
 3.6% Very Dissatisfied

(4) How would you rate Monroe County as a place to grow old?
 (Consider elder-friendly, housing, transportation to medical services, churches, etc.)



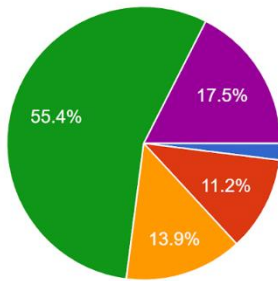
19.8% Very Satisfied
 44.6% Satisfied
 16.9% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
 15.3% Dissatisfied
 3.5% Very Dissatisfied

(5) How would you rate community support (neighbors, support groups, faith community, agencies, organizations for individuals and families) during times of stress and need in Monroe County?



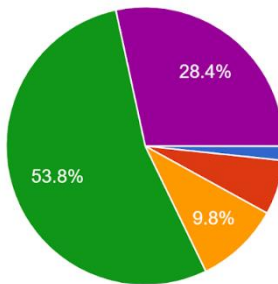
33.5% Very Satisfied
 40.9% Satisfied
 14.5% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
 9.5% Dissatisfied
 1.5% Very Dissatisfied

(6) How would you rate the quality of environment (air, water, trash, rat and bug control, etc.) in Monroe County?



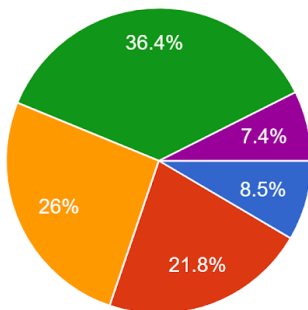
17.5% Very Satisfied
55.4% Satisfied
13.9% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
11.2% Dissatisfied
2% Very Dissatisfied

(7) How would you rate Monroe County a safe place (at home, at work, in the schools, playgrounds, parks, shopping) to live?



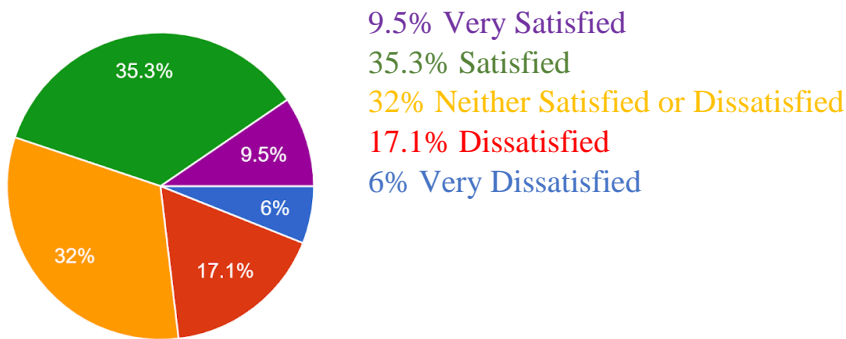
28.4% Very Satisfied
53.8% Satisfied
9.8% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
6.3% Dissatisfied
1.7% Very Dissatisfied

(8) How satisfied are you with the economic opportunity (amount of locally owned and operated businesses, job availability, job training, career growth, affordable housing, reasonable commute, etc.) in Monroe County?

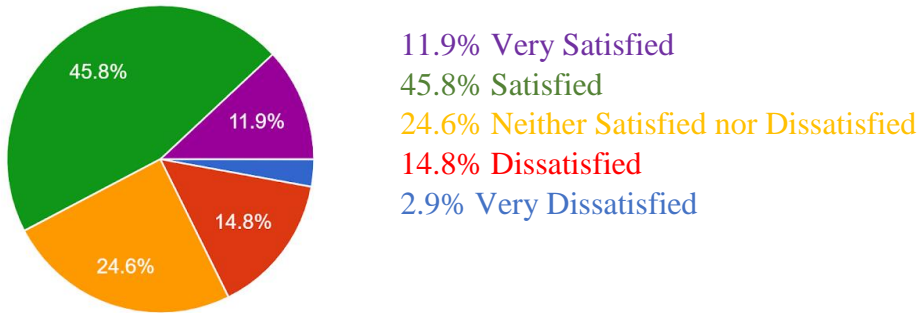


7.4% Very Satisfied
36.4% Satisfied
26% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
21.8% Dissatisfied
8.5% Very Dissatisfied

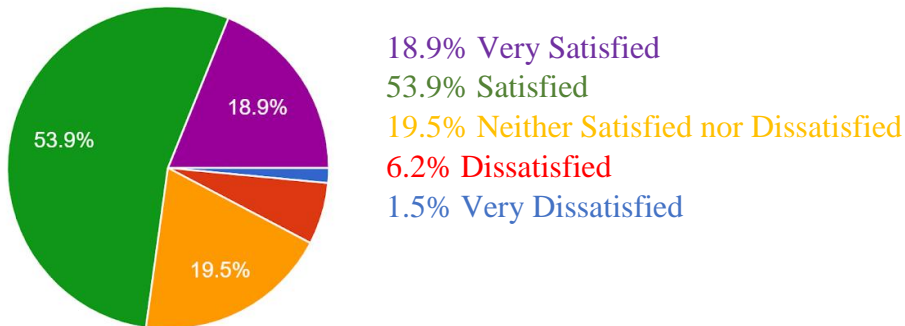
(9) How satisfied are you with the affordable housing options in Monroe County?



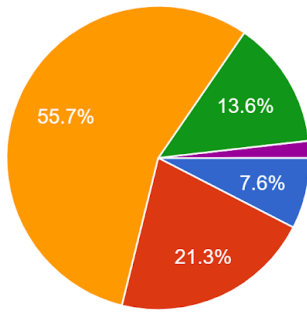
(10) How would you rate the level of civic responsibility and engagement (participation in community groups, volunteering, voter turn-out, etc.) in Monroe County overall?



(11) How strongly do you feel that you – alone or with others can make Monroe County or your local community a better place to live, work, or play in?

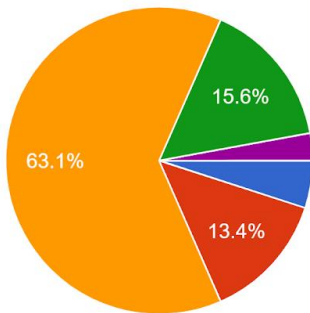


(12) How would you rate the availability of day care in Monroe County overall?



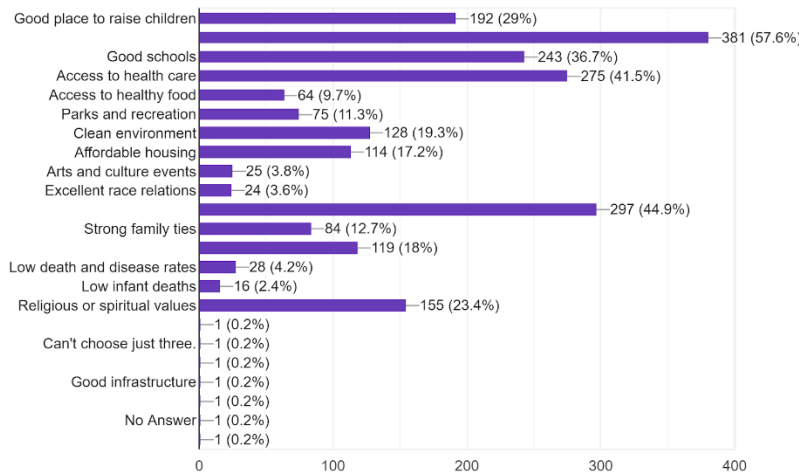
1.8% Very Satisfied
 13.6% Satisfied
 55.7% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
 21.3% Dissatisfied
 7.6% Very Dissatisfied

(13) How would you rate the quality of day care in Monroe County?



2.9% Very Satisfied
 15.6% Satisfied
 63.1% Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied
 13.4% Dissatisfied
 5% Very Dissatisfied

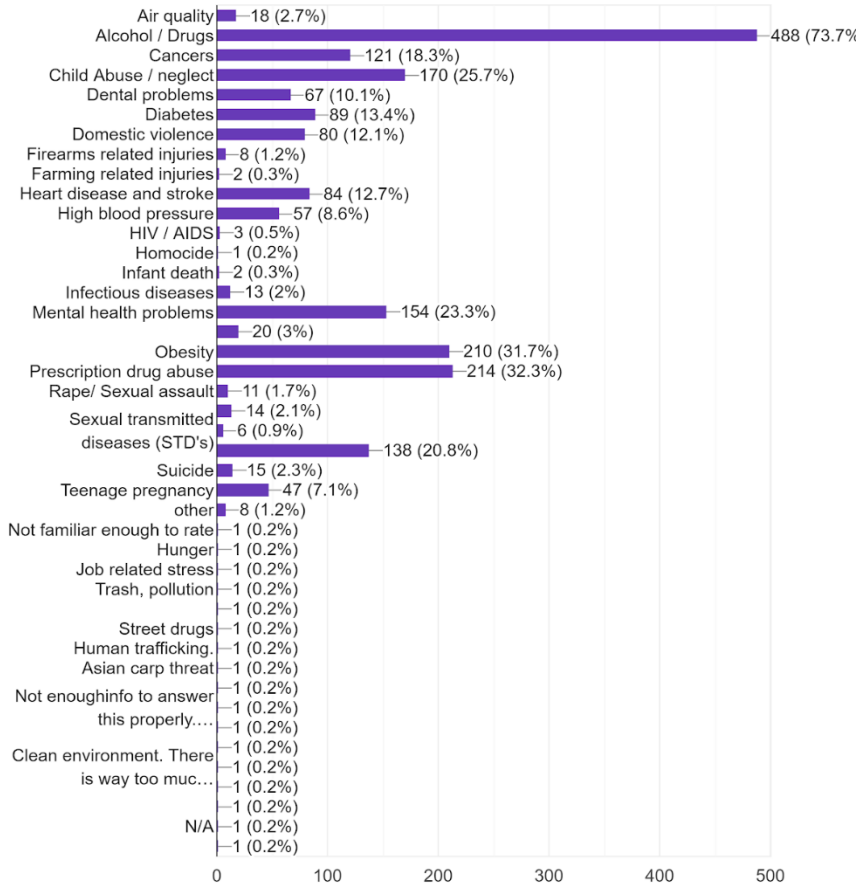
(14) From the following list, what do you think are the THREE MOST IMPORTANT factors for a “Healthy Community”?



Prioritized

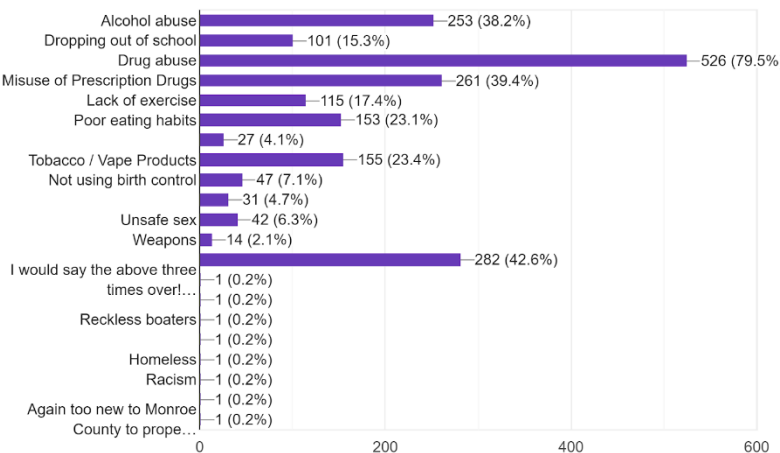
- 1. Low criminal / safe neighborhood 57.6%**
- 2. Good Jobs and Healthy Economy 44.9%**
- 3. Access to Health Care 41.5%**

(15) From the following list, what do you think are the THREE MOST IMPORTANT “health problems” in Monroe County?



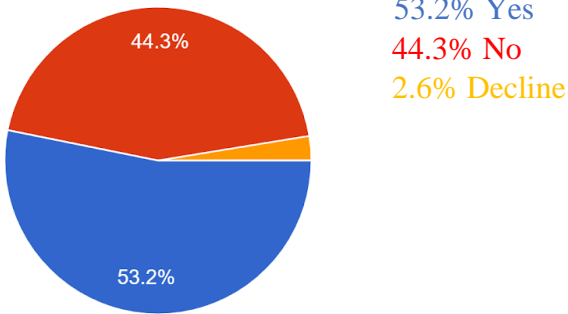
Prioritized
1. Alcohol and Drugs 73.7%
2. Prescription Drug Abuse 32.3%
3. Obesity 31.7%

(16) From the following list, what do you think are the THREE MOST IMPORTANT “risk behaviors” in our community (Those behaviors that have the greatest impact on overall community health)?

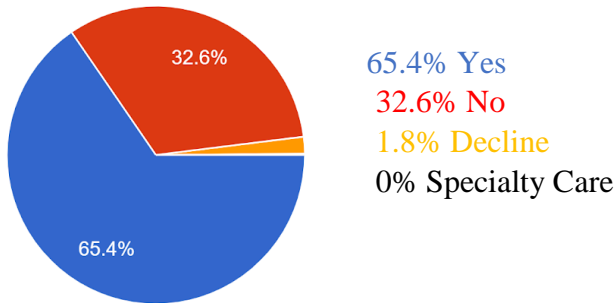


Prioritized
1. Drug Abuse 79.5%
2. No place for teens to go for fun that keeps them busy to prevent risk behaviors (alcohol, drugs, sexual activities, street racing) 42.6%
3. Misuse of Prescription Drugs 39.4%

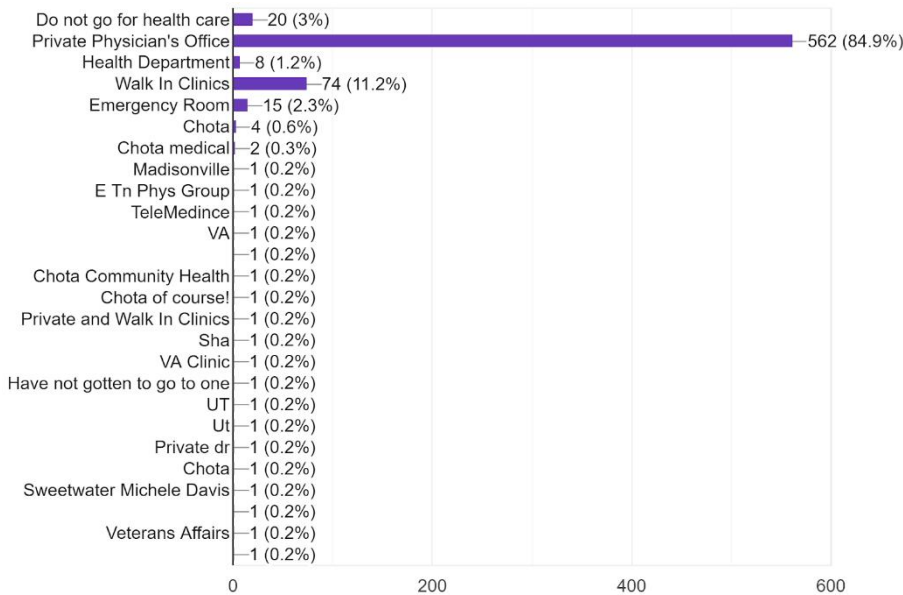
(17) Do you have a family doctor located in Monroe County?



(18) Do you regularly go outside Monroe County for health care?

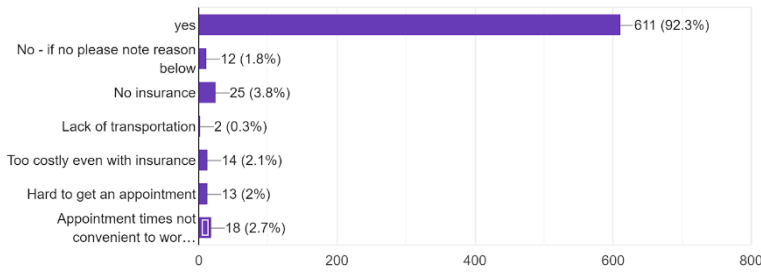


(19) Where do you go for routine health care?



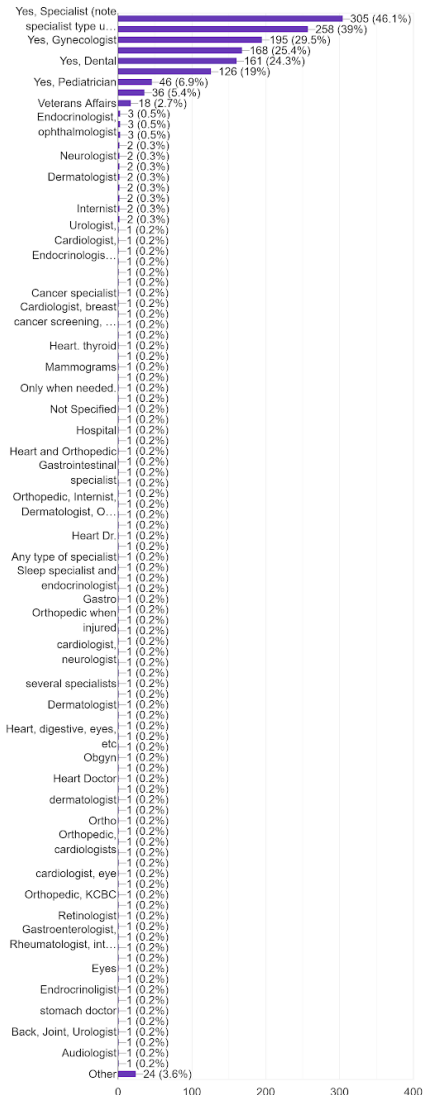
84.9% Private Physicians Office
11.2% Walk-In Clinics
3% Do Not Go For Health Care
2.3% Emergency Room
1.2% Health Department
 *all other responses are less than 1%.

(20) Can you see a medical provider (M.D., D.O., N.P., P.A.) when you need to?



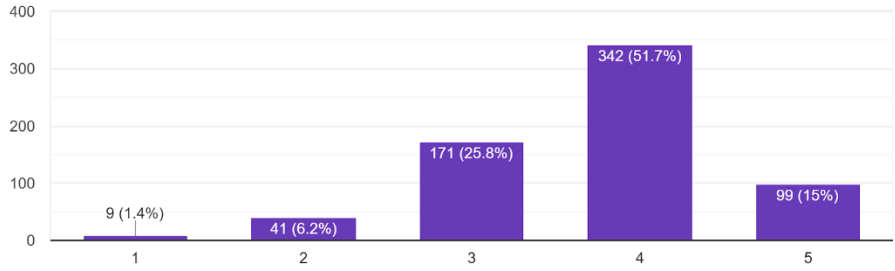
92.3% Yes
1.8% No
3.8% No Insurance
2.7% Appointment Times Not Convenient
2.1% Too Costly Even with Insurance
2% Hard to get and Appointment
 *all other responses less than 1%

(21) Do you regularly go out of Monroe County for health services? If yes, what type of services?



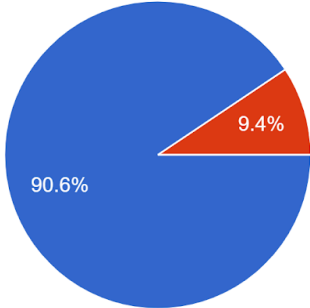
46.1% Specialist
39% Family Doctor
29.5% Gynecologist
25.4% No
24.3% Dental
19% Emergency Room
6.9% Pediatrician
5.4% Behavioral Health
3.6% Other
2.7% Veteran Affairs
 *all other responses less than 1%

(22) How do you rate your health (1-5 with 5 being the best)?



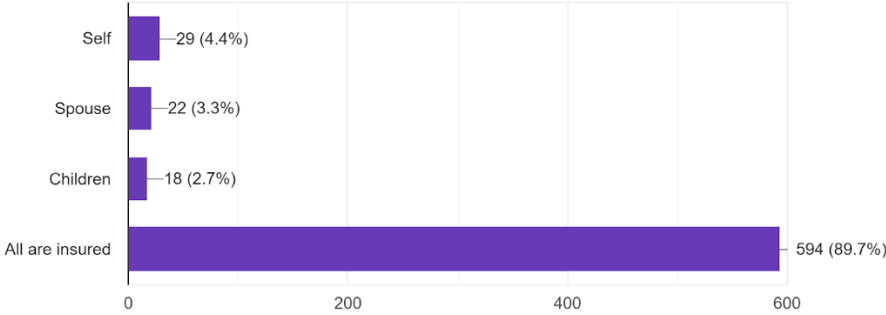
Overall: Most people (51.7%) rate their health at a 4.

(23) Does everyone in your household have health insurance?



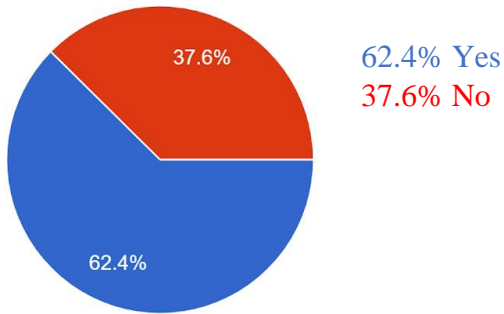
90.6% Yes
9.4% No
*Overrepresented insured

(24) Who in your household lacks health insurance?

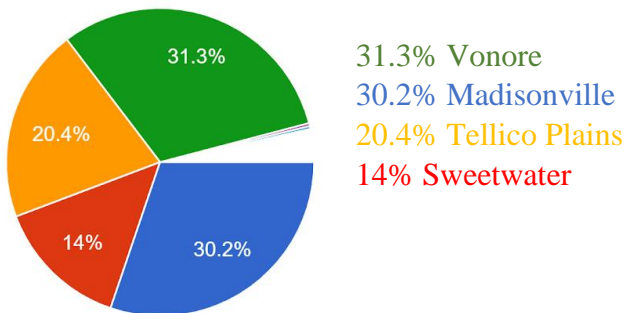


4.4% Self
3.3% Spouse
2.7% Children
89.7% All are insured
*Overrepresented insured

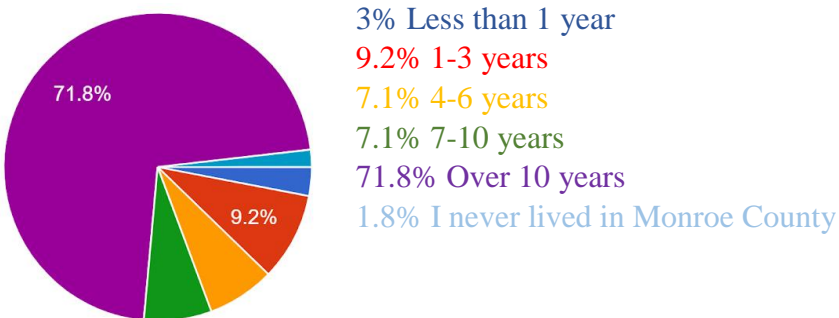
(25) Does everyone in your household have dental insurance?



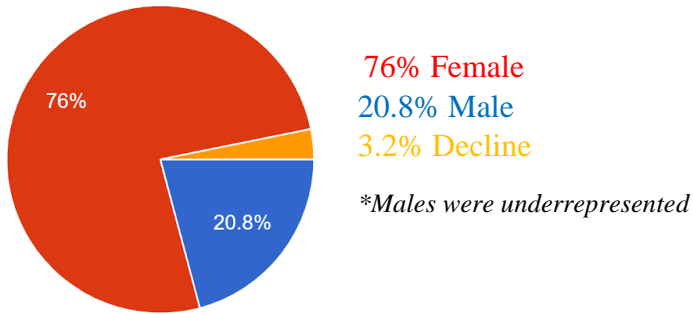
(26) Please indicate which sector of Monroe County you live in. If you live outside of Monroe County, please select that option. If you are not sure which you live in, you may enter your zip code.



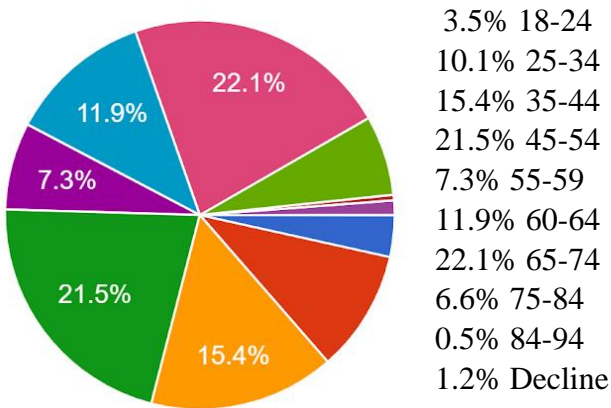
(27) How many years have you lived in Monroe County?



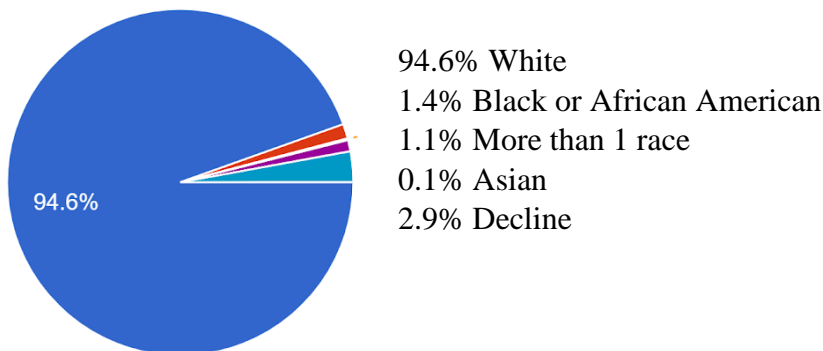
(28) What is your gender?



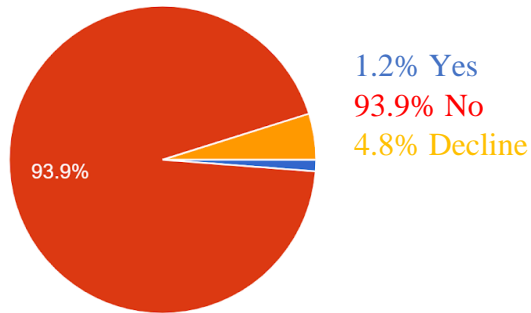
(29) How old are you?



(30) What race do you consider yourself?



(31) Are you Hispanic or Latino?



(32) What is your highest educational level?

