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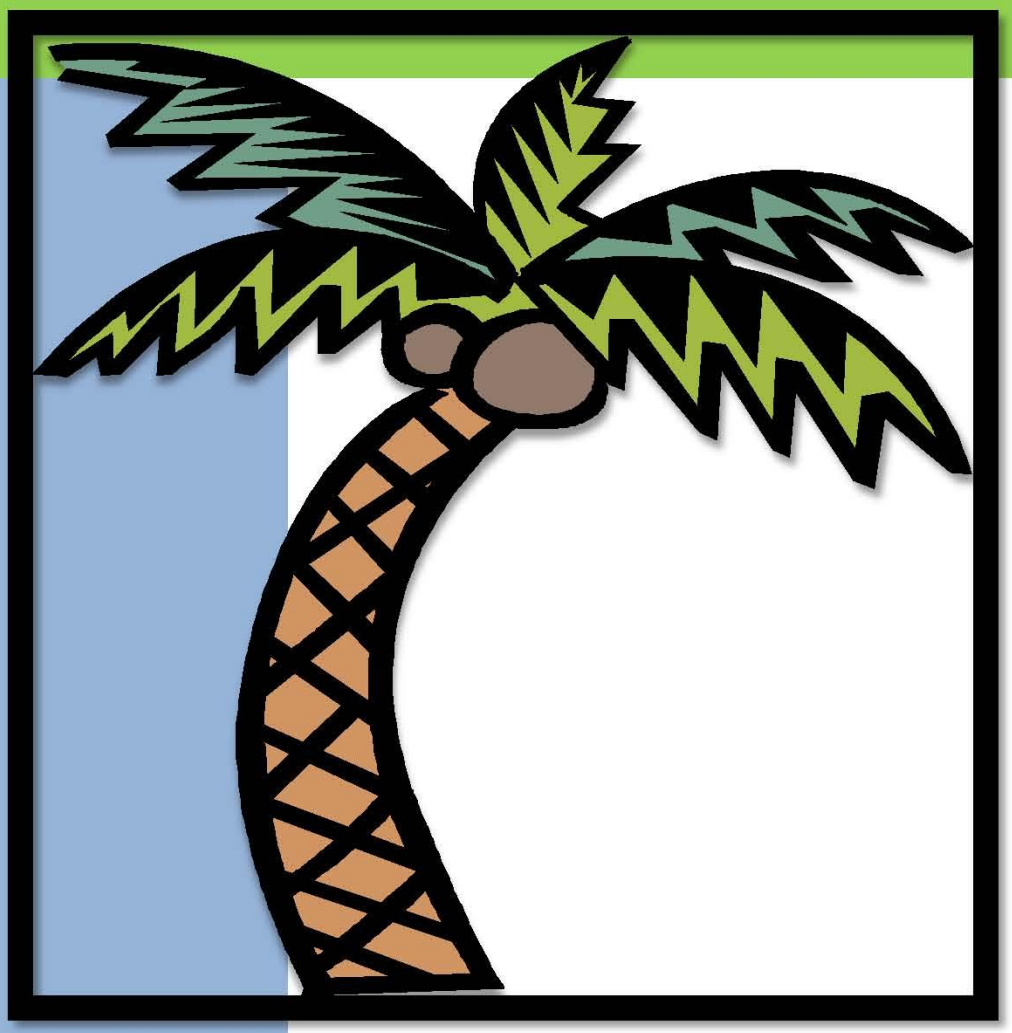

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

A community health assessment is a systematic method of identifying unmet health care and human service needs of a population and identifying possible interventions to meet those needs. In 2012 the Palm Beach County Health Department engaged the Health Council of Southeast Florida to facilitate a comprehensive, county-wide health assessment for Palm Beach County.

This community health assessment provided the opportunity to:

- Assess the population's health status
- Highlight areas of unmet need
- Present the community's perspectives
- Provide suggestions for possible interventions
- Highlight recommendations that policymakers might consider when setting new policy goals and objectives for health improvement activities

The report includes secondary data from national, state and local databases and when appropriate and possible, comparative information is presented. It also includes primary data that encompasses the community's perspective.

The assessment is organized into four sections:

1. Demographic and Socioeconomic Profile
2. Health Status Profile
3. Health Resource Access and Availability Profile
4. Local Public Health System Assessment

<u>Demographic and Socioeconomic Profile</u>

This section provides information on a number of key demographic, social and economic indicators, such as population, presented by various cohorts, e.g., age bands, gender and race, income, estimates of poverty, educational attainment, employment, housing and transportation.

Key findings include:

- Residents of the county account for 7.02% of Florida's total population
- One quarter of the residents in Palm Beach county are 62 years or older
- 73.5% of the population identifies as White and 17.3% as Black or African American
- 19% of the population identifies as Hispanic
- Just over 14% of the population in the county is at or below the poverty level

- The county's per capita income is $31,696, considerably higher than Florida's per capita income of $25,187
- The per capita income for White individuals in the county was more than double the per capita income for Black or African American individuals in the county and was nearly 60% lower among Hispanic or Latino individuals than 'White alone, not Hispanic or Latino' individuals
- The high school graduation rate for the 2010/11 school year was 79.8%
- Unemployment in the county is 8.8%, slightly above the state rate of 8.6% and national rate of 8.4%
- The largest industry in the county is 'educational services, and health care and social assistance'

Health Status Profile

This section profiles the health status of the community and includes data on various indicators of maternal and child health (such as prenatal care access, birth rates, infant mortality, child immunization rates); behavioral health (including domestic violence, alcohol consumption, and violence and injury); hospital utilization data; and morbidity and mortality trends as reflected by data on chronic diseases, infectious diseases, and leading causes of death.

Key Findings include:

Maternal & Child Health Indicators:

- 73.3% of births are to mothers with 1st trimester prenatal care
- The birth rate in the county is 10.7 per 1,000
- The rate of repeat births to mothers in the 15-17 age group was slightly higher in Palm Beach (10.9%) than in Florida (9.0%).
- The rate of low birth weight births in the county is 8.9 %, compared to 8.7% in Florida and the Healthy People 2020 target of 7.8%
- Infant mortality is lower in White individuals (4.7 per 1,000) than in Black or other races (7.2 per 1,000)
- Kindergarten immunization levels were 90.8% in 2010

Behavioral Health Indicators:

- 18.5% of high school students reported being drunk or high at school within the past 12 months
- Nearly a quarter of students reported bullying caused worry
- 90.6% of adults in the county reported 'good mental health'
- Over 20% of males in the county report engaging in heavy or binge drinking
- 36.6% of students reported consumption of 'alcohol or any illicit drug' in the past 30 days
- The suicide rate in the county was 13.8 per 100,000, similar to the rate in Florida (13.6 per 100,000)

Morbidity and Mortality Indicators:

- The rate of new cancer cases in the county is 467.2 per 100,000, slightly higher than the rate in Florida (455.8 per 100,000)
- The age-adjusted breast cancer incidence rate in 2008 in the county was 126.2 per 100,000, compared to Florida's rate of 113.5 per 100,000
- The age-adjusted melanoma incidence rate in 2008 was 23.8 per 100,000 compared to Florida rate of 18.1 per 100,000
- 11.6% of Black high school students in the county are obese, compared with 9.7% of Hispanic students, and 7.5% of White non-Hispanic students
- 61.3% of adults in the county are overweight or obese
- The tuberculosis case rate in the county was 5.4 per 100,00 in 2010, compared to Florida's rate of 4.4
- There were 314 new HIV cases in the county in 2010
- Heart disease is the leading cause of death in the county (26.4%) followed by cancer (24.1%)
- Lung cancer caused over a quarter of deaths due to cancer in 2010
- In 2010 there were 568 deaths due to unintentional injuries in Palm Beach County, a rate of 60.9 per 100,000 for males and 28.3 per 100,000 for females
- Poisonings were the most frequent cause of deaths due to unintentional injury

Health Resources Availability and Access Profile

Key Findings include:

- There are 115 identified primary care health professional shortage areas, 68 identified dental care health professional shortage areas and 6 identified mental health professional shortage areas in the county
- In 2010, 47.8% of persons below the poverty level in the county reported having access to dental care
- In Palm Beach County there are 316.6 licensed physicians per 100,000 residents compared to 336.3 per 100,000 in Florida
- According to the U.S. Census, 21% of the county's population is uninsured. More Black or African Americans are uninsured (33.8%) than White individuals (17.4%), and more Hispanic or Latino individuals are uninsured (38.3%) than 'White alone, not Hispanic or Latino' individuals (11.6%)

Community Perspective

The Local Public Health System Assessment Performance Instrument (LPHSPA) is one of the three assessment instruments within the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) National Public Health Performance Standards Program (NPHPSP). The LPHSPA instrument is based on the framework of the 10 Essential Public Health Services, each of which represents a critical area of service provision. This tool provides a context for state and local partners to evaluate their current performance against a set of optimal standards. Key findings including identified strengths, opportunities for improvement and level of public health activity are summarized for each of the Essential Services in the Community Perspective component of this Community Health Assessment. The local public health system in Palm Beach County received a composite score of 80, indicating 'optimal' activity related to the Essential Public Health Services. The county scored highest in the Essential Service "Research for New Insights and Innovative Solutions to Health Problems" and lowest in the Essential Service "Monitor Health Status to Identify Community Health Problems."

Conclusion:

Communities face the challenge of balancing the desire to provide residents access to quality health and human services in an environment of decreasing resources and increasing demand. The 2012 Palm Beach County community assessment will provide a better understanding of the needs of the community and aid in planning for services in an effort to most efficiently use resources and improve the health of residents.
The complete 2012 Palm Beach Community Health Assessment can be accessed on the Palm Beach County Health Department's website (www.pbchd.org) or on the Health Council of Southeast Florida's website (www.hcsef.org).

METHODOLOGY

At the request of the Palm Beach County Health Department, the Health Council of Southeast Florida, (HCSEF) facilitated this community health assessment process. Data presented in the first three sections of this report: Demographic and Socioeconomic Profile, Health Status Profile, and Health Resource Availability and Access Profile are comprised of secondary data. The collection of the primary data for this Community Health Assessment consisted of the Local Public Health System Assessment (LPHSA) tool, an instrument in the National Public Health Performance Standards Program (NPHPSP).

Data sources consulted for this report include, but are not limited to: The U.S. Census Bureau, the Nielsen Company- Claritas, the Florida Agency for Health Care Administration, the Florida Department of Health, the Florida Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) Data Report, the Florida Department of Children and Families, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, U.S. Department of Labor Statistics, Florida Department of Education Information and Accountability Services (EIAS), Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Palm Tran, the Health Care District of Palm Beach County and the Palm Beach County Health Department.

Data was collected, analyzed and compiled for this assessment to enable and guide healthcare providers, managers, health and program planners, local health department officials, and community leaders to identify health indicators within our community that present areas of concern, gaps in care or services and opportunities for improvement. The information provided in this assessment may be used to identify opportunities to change and improve future health planning activities.

DEMOGRAPHIC AND SOCIOECONOMIC PROFILE

Palm Beach County is located in southeast Florida and is one of three counties that comprise the South Florida metropolitan area. Formed in 1909, it is the largest county in the state in area and the third largest in population. The county has a total area 2,386.33 square miles, of which 1,974.11 square miles (82.73%) is land and 412.22 square miles (17.27%) is water.

The county was named for the palm trees and beaches in the area. The county seat is located in the county's largest city, West Palm Beach. Palm Beach County borders Martin County to the North, the Atlantic Ocean to the East, Broward County to the South, Hendry County to the West, and extends into Lake Okeechobee in the Northwest, where it borders Okeechobee County and Glades County at one point in the center of the lake.[1]

Figure 1: Florida Map

http://2010.census.gov/2010census/popmap/

The demographic and socioeconomic characteristics of the residents of Palm Beach County are highlighted in this section. These characteristics provide context for the health care needs of the community and are indicators and predictors for health care utilization patterns and health outcomes. Furthermore, the demographic and socioeconomic profile of a community provides information important in the identification of barriers to accessing health care services.

Data in this assessment is presented for Palm Beach County and in many cases, for comparison purposes, data for the state of Florida and the United States is provided. There are also instances where data for the county is presented and compared to other counties within the state. Throughout the assessment, for certain health indicators there are references to the Healthy People 2020 target, these are provided to provide a benchmark for data and to aid in goal-setting and planning activities.

[1] Wikipedia, Palm Beach County

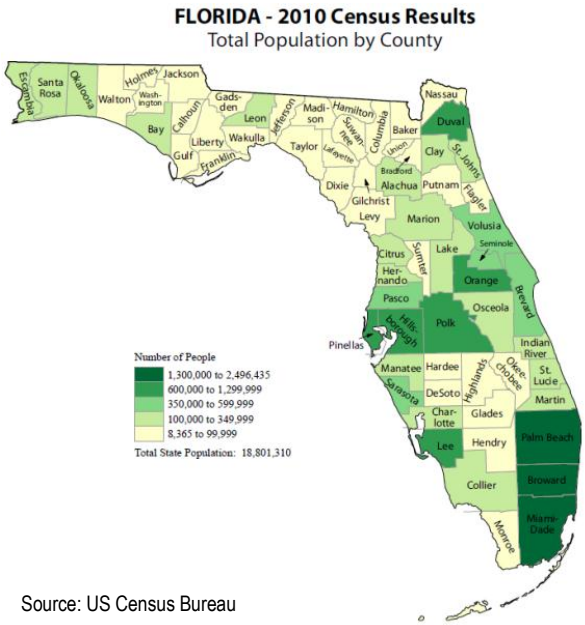
DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS

POPULATION

Total Population

As reflected in Table 1, the U.S. Census Bureau reported that the 2010 population of Palm Beach County was 1,320,134. The residents of the county account for 7.02% of Florida's total population of 18,801,310.

Figure 2: Florida Population by County, 2010



Source: US Census Bureau

Population by Gender

Table 2 shows the gender distribution in Palm Beach and Florida. In 2010, the Palm Beach population was 48.4% males and 51.6% females.

Table 1: Total Population, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010

Palm Beach		Florida
Population	% of Florida's Population	Population
1,320,134	7.02%	18,801,310

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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Table 2: Population by Gender, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010

	Palm Beach		Florida	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Male population	638,888	48.4%	9,189,355	48.9%
Female population	681,246	51.6%	9,611,955	51.1%
Total Population	1,320,134	100.0%	18,801,310	100.0%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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Population by Age

Health care needs vary greatly between age groups. Understanding the age composition of an area aids in identifying needs and planning for health services. Table 3 shows the population by age group in Palm County and Florida. The median age in the county is 43.5 years, slightly higher than the median age in Florida (40.7 years). The highest proportion of the population in Palm Beach County falls in the 45-49 year range, with 7.3% of its residents in this category. Over a quarter of the population in the county is 62 years or older which is higher than Florida (20.9%). 7.5% of the county's population is 80 years or older compared to 4.9% in Florida. Figure 5 shows the population distribution graphically.

Table 3: Population by Age, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010

	Palm Beach		Florida	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total population	1,320,134	100.0%	18,801,310	100.0%
Under 5 years	70,852	5.4%	1,073,506	5.7%
5 to 9 years	72,847	5.5%	1,080,255	5.7%
10 to 14 years	76,917	5.8%	1,130,847	6.0%
15 to 19 years	79,570	6.0%	1,228,382	6.5%
20 to 24 years	74,105	5.6%	1,228,758	6.5%
25 to 29 years	74,695	5.7%	1,179,227	6.3%
30 to 34 years	71,999	5.5%	1,110,318	5.9%
35 to 39 years	78,802	6.0%	1,178,467	6.3%
40 to 44 years	86,774	6.6%	1,252,787	6.7%
45 to 49 years	95,732	7.3%	1,401,202	7.5%
50 to 54 years	92,394	7.0%	1,340,291	7.1%
55 to 59 years	81,829	6.2%	1,202,418	6.4%
60 to 64 years	78,463	5.9%	1,135,250	6.0%
65 to 69 years	70,465	5.3%	959,233	5.1%
70 to 74 years	59,962	4.5%	768,707	4.1%
75 to 79 years	54,879	4.2%	615,514	3.3%
80 to 84 years	50,644	3.8%	482,023	2.6%
85 years and over	49,205	3.7%	434,125	2.3%
Median age (years)	43.5	(X)	40.7	(X)
16 years and over	1,083,572	82.1%	15,283,266	81.3%
18 years and over	1,051,250	79.6%	14,799,219	78.7%
21 years and over	1,004,920	76.1%	14,030,290	74.6%
62 years and over	332,723	25.2%	3,936,101	20.9%
65 years and over	285,155	21.6%	3,259,602	17.3%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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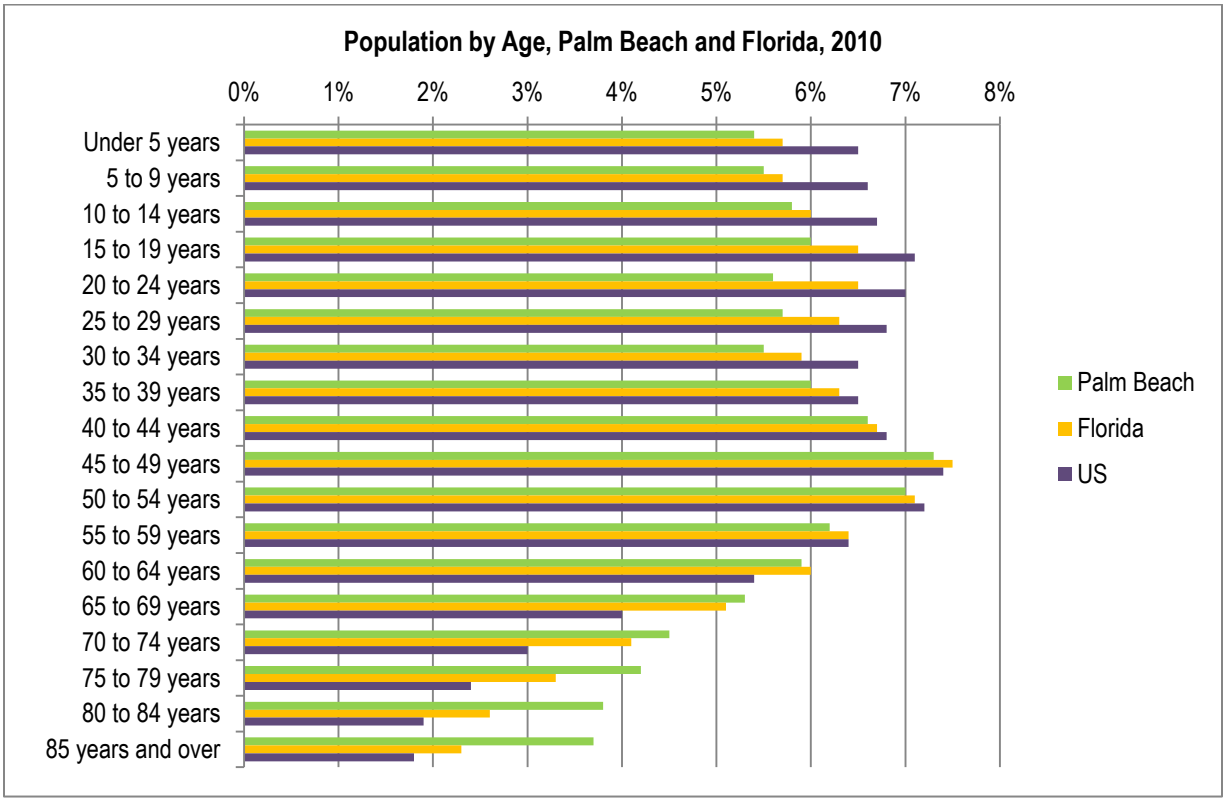
Figure 3: Population Composition by Age, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010



Population by Race and Ethnicity

The diversity within an area is another important consideration for health planning, as health behavior, health care utilization, and subsequently health outcomes often differ between races and ethnicities. Table 4 shows the population of Palm Beach County and the state of Florida by race and ethnicity. The percentage of individuals identifying as White is 73.5%, slightly lower than the state (75%). The percentage of individuals who identify as Black or African American is 17.3%, slightly higher than the state's rate (16%). 19% of the population in the county identify as Hispanic or Latino, slightly lower than Florida (22.5%). Figures 4 and 5 show the population distribution by race and ethnicity graphically.

Table 4: Population by Race and Ethnicity, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010

RACE	Palm Beach		Florida	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total population	1,320,134	100.0%	18,801,310	100.0%
One Race	1,289,862	97.7%	18,328,733	97.5%
White	970,121	73.5%	14,109,162	75.0%

Black or African American	228,690	17.3%	2,999,862	16.0%
American Indian and Alaska Native	6,043	0.5%	71,458	0.4%
Asian	31,100	2.4%	454,821	2.4%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	770	0.1%	12,286	0.1%
Some Other Race	53,138	4.0%	681,144	3.6%
Two or More Races	30,272	2.3%	472,577	2.5%
White; American Indian and Alaska Native	2,374	0.2%	55,974	0.3%
White; Asian	4,119	0.3%	70,932	0.4%
White; Black or African American	6,176	0.5%	112,370	0.6%
White; Some Other Race	8,673	0.7%	106,667	0.6%
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races:				
White	993,361	75.2%	14,488,435	77.1%
Black or African American	241,177	18.3%	3,200,663	17.0%
American Indian and Alaska Native	10,664	0.8%	162,562	0.9%
Asian	38,466	2.9%	573,083	3.0%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2,995	0.2%	39,914	0.2%
Some Other Race	65,790	5.0%	844,318	4.5%
HISPANIC OR LATINO				
Total population	1,320,134	100.0%	18,801,310	100.0%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	250,823	19.0%	4,223,806	22.5%
Mexican	49,141	3.7%	629,718	3.3%
Puerto Rican	39,529	3.0%	847,550	4.5%
Cuban	43,038	3.3%	1,213,438	6.5%
Other Hispanic or Latino	119,115	9.0%	1,533,100	8.2%
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,069,311	81.0%	14,577,504	77.5%
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE				
Total population	1,320,134	100.0%	18,801,310	100.0%
Hispanic or Latino	250,823	19.0%	4,223,806	22.5%
White alone	176,550	13.4%	3,224,440	17.2%
Black or African American alone	7,481	0.6%	148,762	0.8%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	3,872	0.3%	24,193	0.1%
Asian alone	551	0.0%	9,605	0.1%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	259	0.0%	2,561	0.0%
Some Other Race alone	49,059	3.7%	632,682	3.4%
Two or More Races	13,051	1.0%	181,563	1.0%
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,069,311	81.0%	14,577,504	77.5%
White alone	793,571	60.1%	10,884,722	57.9%
Black or African American alone	221,209	16.8%	2,851,100	15.2%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	2,171	0.2%	47,265	0.3%
Asian alone	30,549	2.3%	445,216	2.4%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	511	0.0%	9,725	0.1%
Some Other Race alone	4,079	0.3%	48,462	0.3%
Two or More Races	17,221	1.3%	291,014	1.5%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

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Figure 4: Population by Race, Palm Beach, 2010

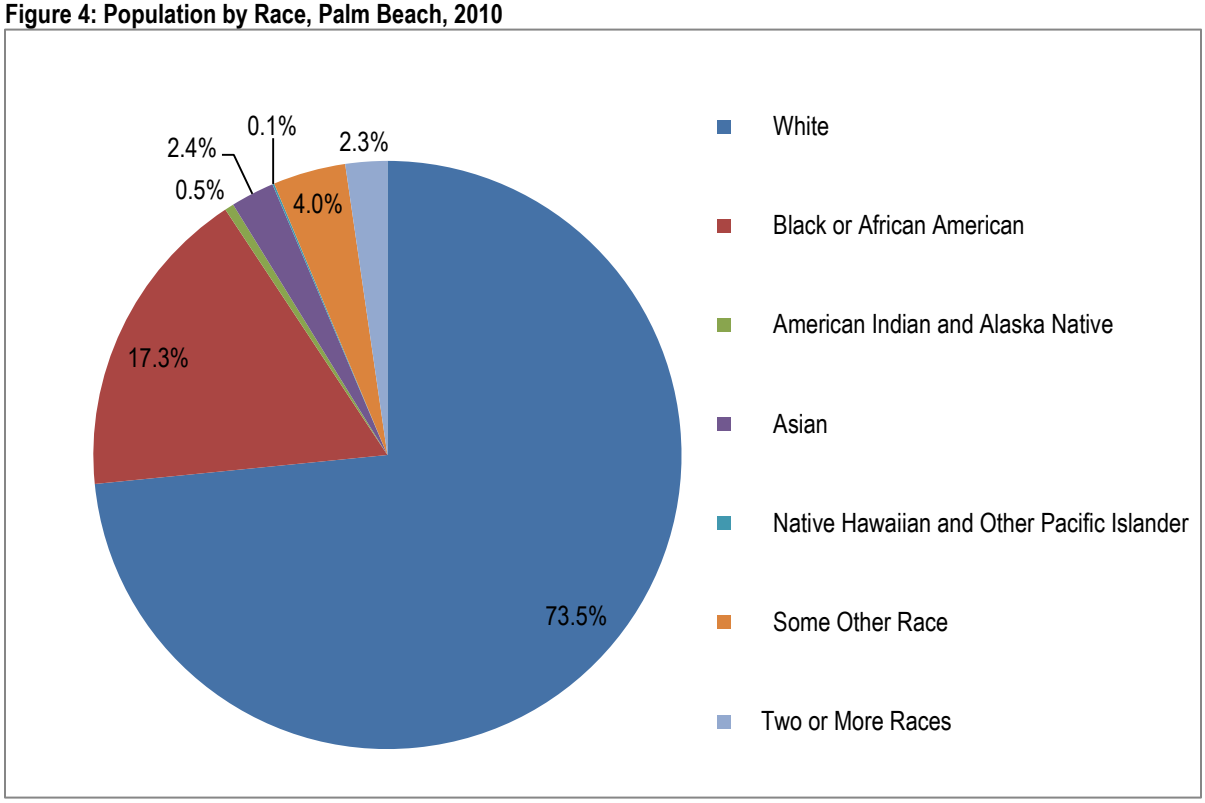

Figure 5: Population by Ethnicity, Palm Beach, 2010

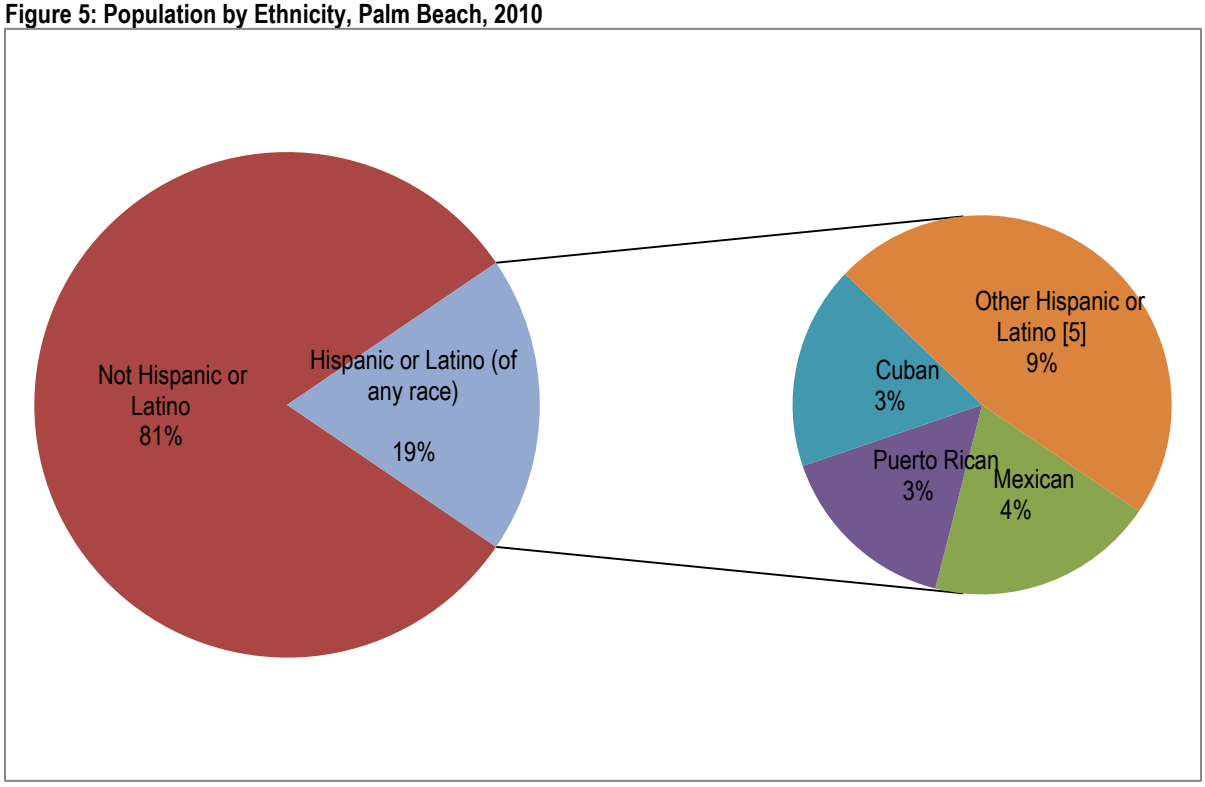

Table 5 shows the population distribution for Palm Beach and Florida by place of birth. 23.2% of the population in Palm Beach County was born in another country and of those, 72.1% (16.7% of the total population in the county) were born in Latin America. The right columns provide a detailed breakdown of place of birth for individuals born in Latin America.

Table 5: Place of Birth, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Florida	Palm Beach	
Total population	18,843,326	1,323,394	
Native	80.6%	1,016,783	76.8%
Born in United States	77.5%	988,832	74.7%
State of residence	35.2%	379,317	28.7%
Different state	42.3%	609,515	46.1%
Born in Puerto Rico, U.S. Island areas, or born abroad to Amer. parent(s)	3.1%	27,951	2.1%
Foreign born	19.4%	306,611	23.2%
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Foreign-born population, excluding population born at sea	3,658,043	306,611	306,611
Europe	10.6%	40,968	13.4%
Asia	9.7%	28,084	9.2%
Africa	1.6%	5,061	1.7%
Oceania	0.1%	262	0.1%
Latin America	75.2%	221,202	72.1%
Northern America	2.7%	11,034	3.6%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2010

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		% of Total Pop.
Latin America:	221,202	16.7%
Caribbean:	113,731	8.6%
Bahamas	1,981	0.1%
Barbados	760	0.1%
Cuba	28,623	2.2%
Dominica	515	0.0%
Dominican Republic	4,646	0.4%
Grenada	0	0.0%
Haiti	56,295	4.3%
Jamaica	17,646	1.3%
St. Vincent / Grenadines	0	0.0%
Trinidad and Tobago	2,371	0.2%
West Indies	208	0.0%
Other Caribbean	686	0.1%
Central America:	61,306	4.6%
Mexico	24,848	1.9%
Belize	122	0.0%
Costa Rica	2,524	0.2%
El Salvador	3,272	0.2%
Guatemala	16,839	1.3%
Honduras	8,788	0.7%
Nicaragua	4,094	0.3%
Panama	819	0.1%
Other Central Amer.	0	0.0%
South America:	46,165	3.5%
Argentina	2,888	0.2%
Bolivia	645	0.0%
Brazil	7,211	0.5%
Chile	1,094	0.1%
Colombia	19,453	1.5%
Ecuador	2,696	0.2%
Guyana	1,204	0.1%
Peru	7,966	0.6%
Uruguay	1,001	0.1%
Venezuela	1,749	0.1%
Other South Amer.	258	0.0%

Language is often a barrier to healthcare access, particularly for individuals with limited English proficiency. Table 6 shows languages spoken in Palm Beach and in Florida. In Palm Beach 28.8% of the population reported speaking a language other than English at home. Of those speaking other languages at home, 45.7% report speaking English 'less than very well'. 16.4% of the population reports speaking Spanish or Spanish Creole at home and 10.3% reporting speaking 'Other Indo-European languages'.

Table 6: Language Spoken at Home, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	Total	Percent of specified language speakers		Total	Percent of specified language speakers	
		Speak English "very well"	Speak English "less than very well"		Speak English "very well"	Speak English "less than very well"
Population 5 years and over	1,252,754	86.8%	13.2%	17,775,340	88.1%	11.9%
Speak only English	71.2%	(X)	(X)	72.6%	(X)	(X)
Speak a language other than English	28.8%	54.3%	45.7%	27.4%	56.6%	43.4%
Spanish or Spanish Creole	16.4%	50.1%	49.9%	20.1%	54.7%	45.3%
Other Indo-European languages	10.3%	58.6%	41.4%	5.4%	63.3%	36.7%
Asian and Pacific Island languages	1.5%	60.3%	39.7%	1.5%	54.0%	46.0%
Other languages	0.6%	79.7%	20.3%	0.5%	68.1%	31.9%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2010 1-year estimates

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Population by Municipality

The U.S. Census Bureau computes population density by dividing the total population or number of housing units within a geographic entity by the land area of that entity measured in square miles. Density is expressed as "population per square mile". Usually, an incorporated area consists of a density of at least 1,000 persons per square mile. This is a region that is subject to taxes, has a separate police force and other powers conferred by the state. An unincorporated area of land is a region that is not part of a municipality and therefore not subject to or taxed by a municipal government.[2]

Table 7 shows population by municipality and population change between 2000 and 2010. Areas with greater than 33% change are highlighted, which for some areas such as Greenacres City, Jupiter, Palm Beach Gardens, Palm Springs, Royal Palm Beach and Wellington, equates to a large increase in the number of residents. There are 38 municipalities in Palm Beach County in which 55.5% of the county's population lives. 45.5% (587,844) residents live in unincorporated areas of the county.

Table 7: Census Population Counts Palm Beach and Florida, 2000 and 2010

	April 1, 2010	April 1, 2000	Total Change	Percent Change
Palm Beach	1,320,134	1,131,191	188,943	16.7%
Atlantis	2,005	2,005	0	0.0%
Belle Glade	17,467	14,906	2,561	17.2%
Boca Raton	84,392	74,764	9,628	12.9%
Boynton Beach	68,217	60,389	7,828	13.0%
Briny Breezes	601	411	190	46.2%
Cloud Lake	135	167	-32	-19.2%
Delray Beach	60,522	60,020	502	0.8%
Glen Ridge	219	276	-57	-20.7%
Golf Village	252	230	22	9.6%
Greenacres City	37,573	27,569	10,004	36.3%
Gulf Stream	786	716	70	9.8%
Haverhill	1,873	1,454	419	28.8%
Highland Beach	3,539	3,775	-236	-6.3%
Hypoluxo	2,588	2,015	573	28.4%
Juno Beach	3,176	3,262	-86	-2.6%
Jupiter	55,156	39,328	15,828	40.2%
Jupiter Inlet Colony	400	368	32	8.7%
Lake Clarke Shores	3,376	3,451	-75	-2.2%
Lake Park	8,155	8,721	-566	-6.5%
Lake Worth	34,910	35,133	-223	-0.6%
Lantana	10,423	9,404	1,019	10.8%

[2] http://www.census.gov/geo/www/2010census/gtc_10.pdf

Loxahatchee Groves	3,180	0	3,180	0.0%
Manalapan	406	321	85	26.5%
Mangonia Park	1,888	1,283	605	47.2%
North Palm Beach	12,015	12,064	-49	-0.4%
Ocean Ridge	1,786	1,636	150	9.2%
Pahokee	5,649	5,985	-336	-5.6%
Palm Beach	8,348	9,676	-1,328	-13.7%
Palm Beach Gardens	48,452	35,058	13,394	38.2%
Palm Beach Shores	1,142	1,269	-127	-10.0%
Palm Springs	18,928	11,699	7,229	61.8%
Riviera Beach	32,488	29,884	2,604	8.7%
Royal Palm Beach	34,140	21,523	12,617	58.6%
South Bay	4,876	3,859	1,017	26.4%
South Palm Beach	1,171	1,531	-360	-23.5%
Tequesta	5,629	5,273	356	6.8%
Wellington	56,508	38,216	18,292	47.9%
West Palm Beach	99,919	82,103	17,816	21.7%
UNINCORPORATED	587,844	521,447	66,397	12.7%
FLORIDA	18,801,310	15,982,824	2,818,486	17.6%
Incorporated	9,453,648	7,904,403	1,549,245	19.6%
Unincorporated	9,347,662	8,078,421	1,269,241	15.7%

Source: Bureau of Economic & Business Research

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Figure 6 shows population by census tract in Palm Beach County. Some census tracts are larger in area and thus have a large population. This map does not reflect population density.

Figure 6: Population by Census Tract Map

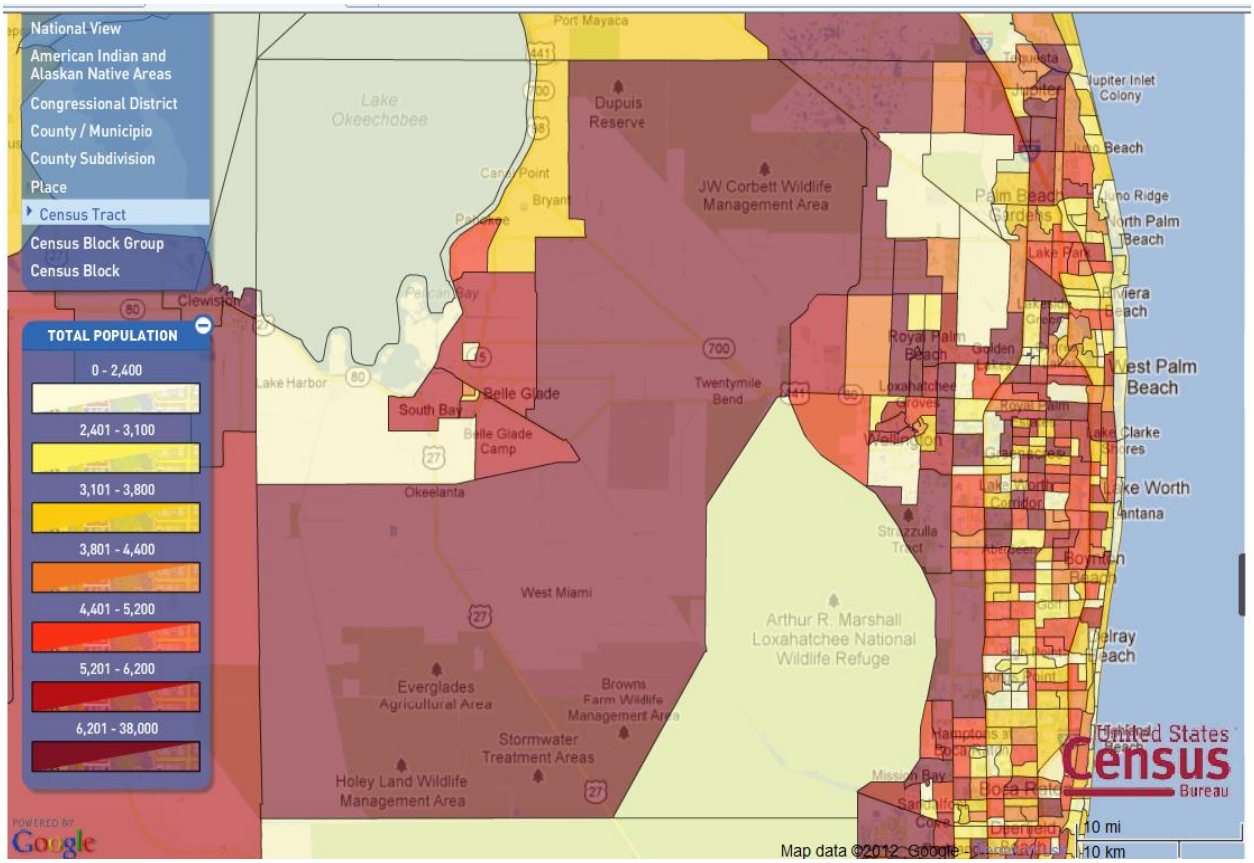
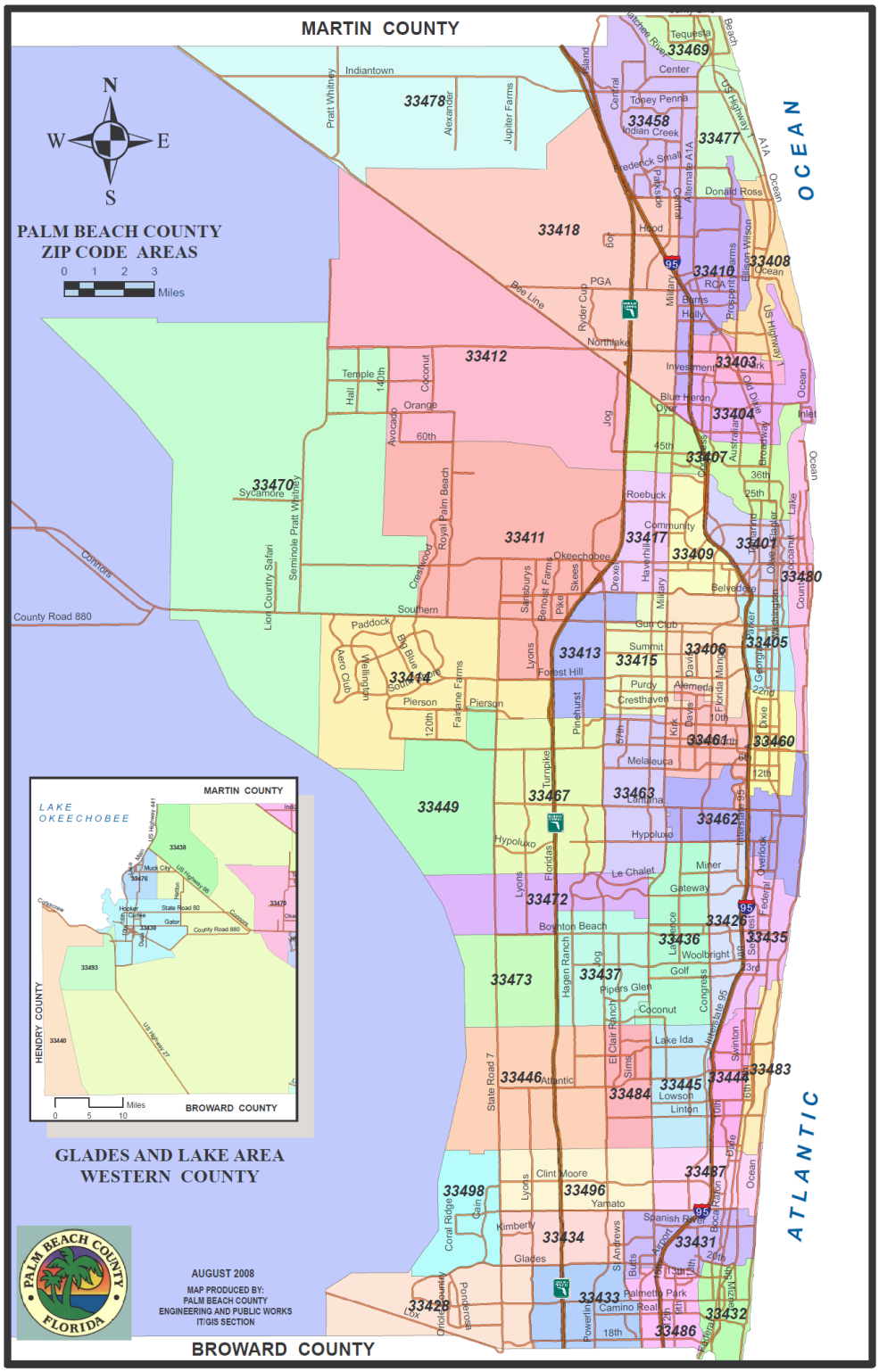


Figure 7 shows the zip codes in Palm Beach County.

Figure 7: Palm Beach County Zip Code Map



Source: www.pbc.gov

POPULATION PROJECTIONS / POPULATION GROWTH

Table 8 shows the population distribution by age group in the county in 2000, 2011 and projections for 2016. Though the total population is projected to increase 5.3% from 2011 to 2016, there are subgroups of the population which will increase and decrease at disproportionate rates and this can have implications for health care planning. The population age 85 and over is projected to increase 78.9% between 2000 and 2016. The age groups 21-24 and 55-64 are both projected to increase upwards of 50% between 2000 and 2016 while the 35-44 age group is projected to decrease by nearly 11%. Assessment of population projections and age distributions can help anticipate further health care needs and demand and can help inform planning activities. Figure 8 illustrates population projections by age group.

Table 8: Population Projections by Age, Palm Beach, 2000, 2011, 2016

	2000 Census		2011 Estimate		2016 Projection		% Change 2000-2016
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	
Population by Age	1,131,184		1,302,815		1,372,736		
Age 0 - 4	62,913	5.56%	78,608	6.03%	83,124	6.06%	32.1%
Age 5 - 9	68,647	6.07%	76,090	5.84%	81,844	5.96%	19.2%
Age 10 - 14	70,155	6.20%	73,628	5.65%	79,630	5.80%	13.5%
Age 15 - 17	38,743	3.42%	48,353	3.71%	48,447	3.53%	25.0%
Age 18 - 20	33,733	2.98%	43,267	3.32%	45,133	3.29%	33.8%
Age 21 - 24	40,581	3.59%	57,256	4.39%	61,728	4.50%	52.1%
Age 25 - 34	133,020	11.76%	144,858	11.12%	150,328	10.95%	13.0%
Age 35 - 44	172,021	15.21%	160,383	12.31%	153,665	11.19%	-10.7%
Age 45 - 54	141,051	12.47%	182,425	14.00%	180,564	13.15%	28.0%
Age 55 - 64	108,244	9.57%	152,788	11.73%	171,030	12.46%	58.0%
Age 65 - 74	122,729	10.85%	121,124	9.30%	139,674	10.17%	13.8%
Age 75 - 84	104,382	9.23%	107,464	8.25%	115,028	8.38%	10.2%
Age 85 and over	34,965	3.09%	56,571	4.34%	62,541	4.56%	78.9%
Age 16 and over	916,276	81.00%	1,057,725	81.19%	1,111,411	80.96%	21.3%
Age 18 and over	890,726	78.74%	1,026,136	78.76%	1,079,691	78.65%	21.2%
Age 21 and over	856,993	75.76%	982,869	75.44%	1,034,558	75.36%	20.7%
Age 65 and over	262,076	23.17%	285,159	21.89%	317,243	23.11%	21.1%
Median Age	41.85		43.06		43.86		4.8%
Average Age	42.60		42.80		43.30		1.6%

Source: The Nielsen Company, Claritas

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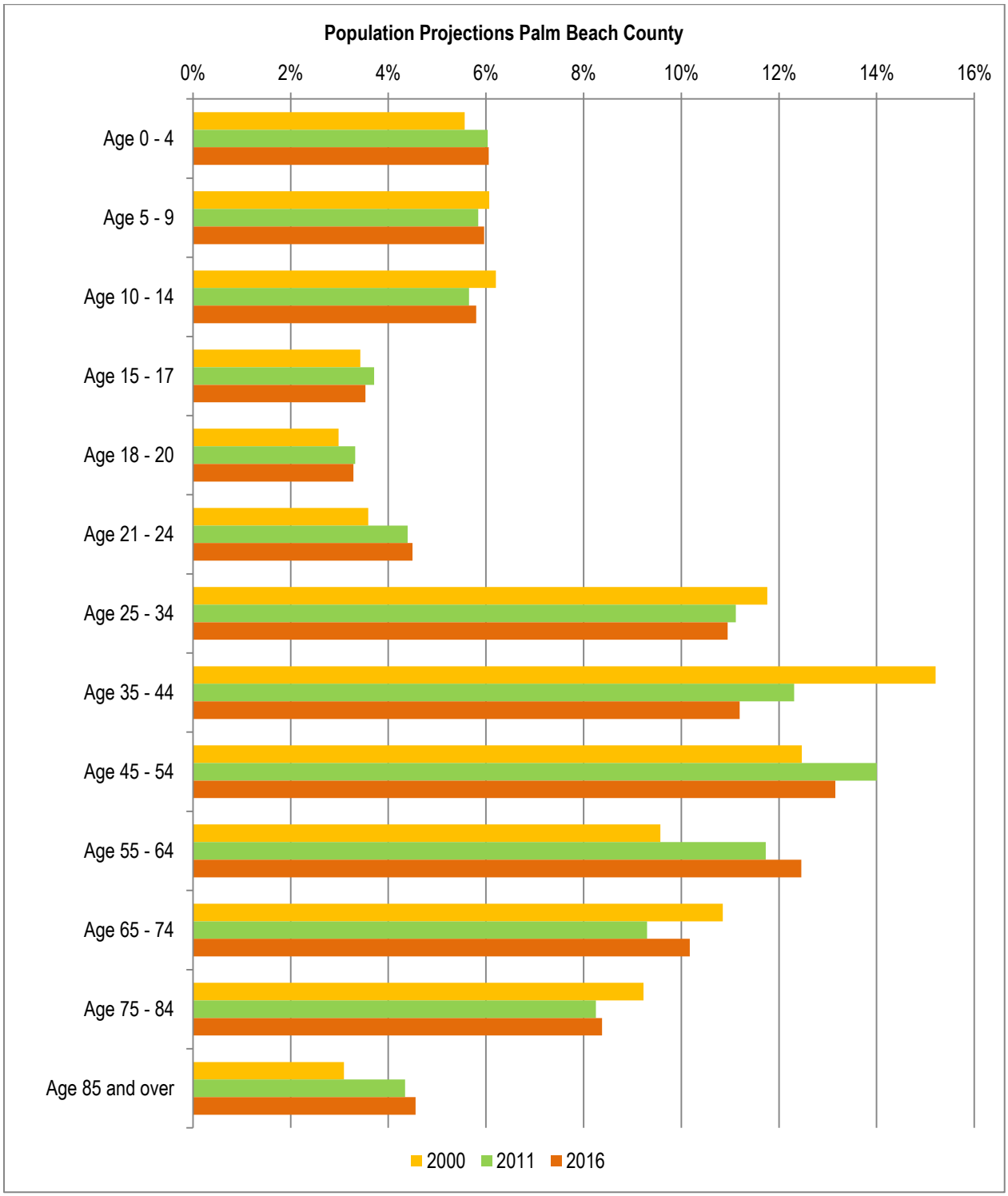
Figure 8: Population Projections, Palm Beach County



SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

Socioeconomic status can influence access to care and health outcomes. The socioeconomic variables and indicators reported in this community health assessment include measures on: poverty, income levels, education, employment/unemployment status, public assistance benefits housing, transportation, uncompensated care and crime.

POVERTY

Poverty creates many difficulties for individuals, families and the communities in which they live. Poverty often hinders access to a variety of services and products including proper medical care and nutrition. There are different terms commonly used to reflect certain levels of poverty. The U.S. Census Bureau employs 'poverty thresholds' which are statistical calculations used to ascertain the number of poor persons. The Department of Health and Human Services uses 'poverty guidelines' to determine eligibility for certain programs.[3]

Table 9 shows the Federal Department of Health and Human Services 2012 poverty guidelines

Table 9: 2012 Poverty Guidelines for the 48 Contiguous States and the District of Columbia

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline
1	$11,170
2	15,130
3	19,090
4	23,050
5	27,010
6	30,970
7	34,930
8	38,890

Data Note: For families/households with more than 8 persons, add $3,960 for each additional person.

Source: Department of Health and Human Services

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[3] http://aspe.hhs.gov/poverty/faq.shtml#programs

Table 10 shows the 2011 poverty thresholds used by U.S Census Bureau.

Table 10: Poverty Thresholds for 2011 by Size of Family and Number of Related Children Under 18 Years

Size of family unit	Related children under 18 years								
	None	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven	Eight or more
One person (unrelated individual)									
Under 65 years	11,702								
65 years and over	10,788								
Two people									
Householder under 65 years…	15,063	15,504							
Householder 65 years and over.....	13,596	15,446							
Three people	17,595	18,106	18,123						
Four people	23,201	23,581	22,811	22,891					
Five people	27,979	28,386	27,517	26,844	26,434				
Six people	32,181	32,309	31,643	31,005	30,056	29,494			
Seven people	37,029	37,260	36,463	35,907	34,872	33,665	32,340		
Eight people	41,414	41,779	41,027	40,368	39,433	38,247	37,011	36,697	
Nine people or more	49,818	50,059	49,393	48,835	47,917	46,654	45,512	45,229	43,487

Source: U.S. Census Bureau.

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Individuals in Poverty/ Children in Poverty

This area measures the percent of children in poverty, as defined by the federal poverty threshold. Table 11 shows the estimated counts and percentages of people in poverty in Palm Beach County, Florida and the United States in 2010. The counts and percentages of people in poverty are shown for the entire population and for the groups under age 18 and ages 5-17. The percentage of individuals in poverty in Palm Beach was 14.3%, slightly lower than the state (16.5%) and national (15.3%) percentages. In Palm Beach County, 22.4% of individuals under 18 are in poverty, a rate slightly higher than the national average (21.6%).

Table 11: Poverty Estimates, Palm Beach, Florida, United States, 2010

	Poverty Estimate all ages		Poverty Estimate under age 18		Poverty Estimate Ages 5-17 in families		Poverty Estimate under age 5	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
United States	46,215,956	15.3%	15,749,129	21.6%	10,484,513	19.8%	4,961,524	25.0%
Florida	3,048,621	16.5%	929,620	23.6%	628,165	21.9%	284,672	27.0%
Palm Beach County	186,355	14.3%	59,368	22.4%	40,815	21.0%	x	x

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Estimates Branch, Released November 2011

Data Note: Poverty Estimate under age 5 not available at county level

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Table 12 shows those with income below the poverty level by age in Palm Beach and in Florida.

Table 12: Poverty Status in the Past 12 Months, by Age, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Florida		Palm Beach	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level	3,047,343	16.5%	185,697	14.2%
Under 5 years	282,942	1.5%	17,968	1.4%
5 years	53,207	0.3%	4,497	0.3%
6 to 11 years	303,643	1.6%	17,956	1.4%
12 to 14 years	138,229	0.7%	10,131	0.8%
15 years	45,900	0.2%	3,526	0.3%
16 and 17 years	100,042	0.5%	6,328	0.5%
18 to 24 years	415,624	2.3%	21,145	1.6%
25 to 34 years	397,050	2.2%	22,399	1.7%
35 to 44 years	352,419	1.9%	21,614	1.7%
45 to 54 years	350,224	1.9%	21,406	1.6%
55 to 64 years	289,441	1.6%	16,566	1.3%
65 to 74 years	163,120	0.9%	10,792	0.8%
75 years and over	155,502	0.8%	11,369	0.9%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2010

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Families in Poverty

Table 13 shows families in poverty in Palm Beach and Florida. There was significant disparity in the percentage of families below poverty in families where the householder is White (6.9%) and families where the householder is Black or African American (24.4%). The percentage of families living in poverty was considerably greater in families 3 or more children in both Palm Beach and Florida.

Table 13: Poverty Status in the Last 12 Months, Families, 2010 Estimates

	Florida	Palm Beach County	
	All families	All families	
	Percent below poverty level	Total	Percent below poverty level
Families	12.0%	316,703	9.9%
With related children under 18 years	19.5%	136,699	17.5%
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN			
Families with a householder who is--			
One race	N	N	N
White	9.6%	252,480	6.9%
Black or African American	24.0%	47,375	24.4%
American Indian and Alaska Native	15.8%	N	N
Asian	11.1%	N	N
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	N	N	N
Some other race	25.7%	5,666	23.3%
Two or more races	14.9%	3,267	8.4%
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	18.4%	52,922	17.2%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	7.5%	205,747	4.6%
Householder worked	8.8%	212,834	8.2%
Householder worked full-time, year-round in the past 12 months	3.9%	146,230	3.2%
Householder 65 years and over	5.9%	88,564	4.3%
Family received --			
Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and/or cash public assistance income in the past 12 months	26.4%	16,150	22.7%
Social security income in the past 12 months	6.7%	109,561	3.9%
NUMBER OF RELATED CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS			
No child	6.2%	180,004	4.2%
1 or 2 children	16.8%	111,296	13.8%
3 or 4 children	29.8%	23,598	31.8%
5 or more children	57.0%	1,805	56.1%
NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN FAMILY			
2 people	9.0%	168,739	6.0%
3 or 4 people	13.8%	111,778	12.8%
5 or 6 people	18.5%	30,570	17.6%
7 or more people	29.2%	5,616	30.2%
NUMBER OF WORKERS IN FAMILY			
No workers	23.4%	69,032	15.5%
1 worker	16.6%	104,041	15.2%
2 workers	3.9%	114,921	4.0%
3 or more workers	2.2%	28,709	1.3%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

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INCOME

Per Capita Income

Income and financial resources often influence health as they facilitate access to resource and services including: health insurance, medical care, healthy food, safe housing, and other basic goods.

Per capita income is calculated by adding all income in an area and dividing by the total population. While per capita income provides some indication of the financial situation in an area, it does not provide insight into the distribution of that wealth or the disparities within an area.

Table 14 shows the per capita income in Palm Beach County and Florida. In 2011, Palm Beach County's per capita income was $31,696, nearly 26% more than Florida's per capita income of $25,187 and over 23% higher than the per capita income in the United States. Figure 9 charts the per capita income data.

Table 14: Per Capita Income, 2011 Estimates

	Palm Beach	Florida	United States
Per Capita Income	$31,696	$25,187	$25,728

Source: The Nielsen Company, Claritas

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Figure 9: Per Capita Income, 2011 Estimates

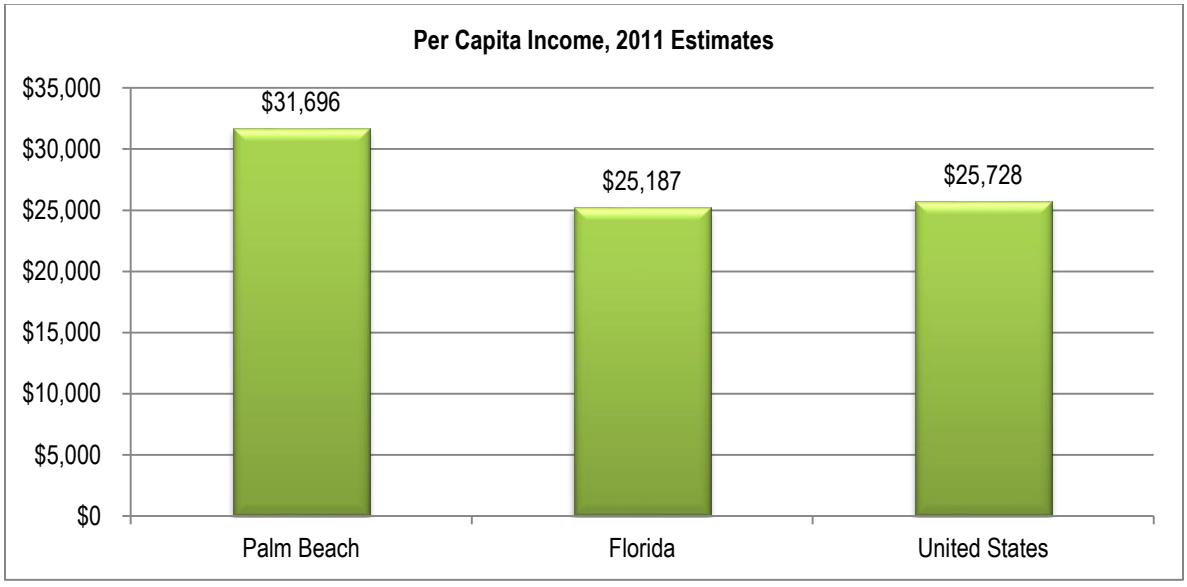

Table 15 shows per capita income in Palm Beach County by race and ethnicity using data from the American Community Survey. The per capita income of individuals identifying as White ($34,999) was more than double that of individuals identifying as Black or African American ($15,172). Considerable disparity in per capita income was seen between individuals of Hispanic or Latino origin ($16,583) and 'White alone, not Hispanic or Latino' ($40,027).

Table 15: Per Capita Income by Race and Ethnicity, Palm Beach, 2010

	Palm Beach	
	Total	**Mean income ($)**
Total population	1,323,394	$30,735
One race--		
White	76.5%	$34,999
Black or African American	17.2%	$15,172
American Indian and Alaska Native	0.1%	$13,177
Asian	2.4%	$27,245
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	0.1%	$21,325
Some other race	2.1%	$18,684
Two or more races	1.6%	$16,738
Hispanic or Latino origin (of any race)	19.1%	$16,583
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	60.0%	$40,027

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

Data Note: 2010 Inflation-Adjusted Dollars

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Median Household Income

Household income reflects the totaled amount of income of all workers within a household. A household is all people who occupy a housing unit; the occupants may or may not be related.

Table 16 shows counts and the percentage of households by income bracket in Palm Beach County, Florida and the United States. Nearly half of households in the county had income less than $50,000, a percentage slightly lower than Florida and the United States. The percentage of households in the upper income range, over $150,000, was greater in Palm Beach than in the comparison areas shown. Figure 10 shows this household income data graphically.

Table 16: Households by Household Income, Palm Beach, Florida, United States, 2011 Estimates

	Palm Beach		Florida	United States
	Number	%	%	%
2011 Est. Households by Household Income	533,267			
Income Less than $15,000	59,137	11.09%	13.23%	12.92%
Income $15,000 - $24,999	55,867	10.48%	11.93%	10.77%
Income $25,000 - $34,999	60,037	11.26%	12.58%	11.10%
Income $35,000 - $49,999	82,124	15.40%	16.73%	15.50%
Income $50,000 - $74,999	101,081	18.96%	19.44%	19.49%
Income $75,000 - $99,999	60,339	11.31%	10.64%	11.91%
Income $100,000 - $124,999	38,702	7.26%	6.24%	7.35%
Income $125,000 - $149,999	23,379	4.38%	3.34%	4.04%
Income $150,000 - $199,999	19,721	3.70%	2.51%	3.24%
Income $200,000 - $499,999	25,507	4.78%	2.71%	3.04%
Income $500,000 and over	7,373	1.38%	0.64%	0.64%

Source: The Nielsen Company, Claritas

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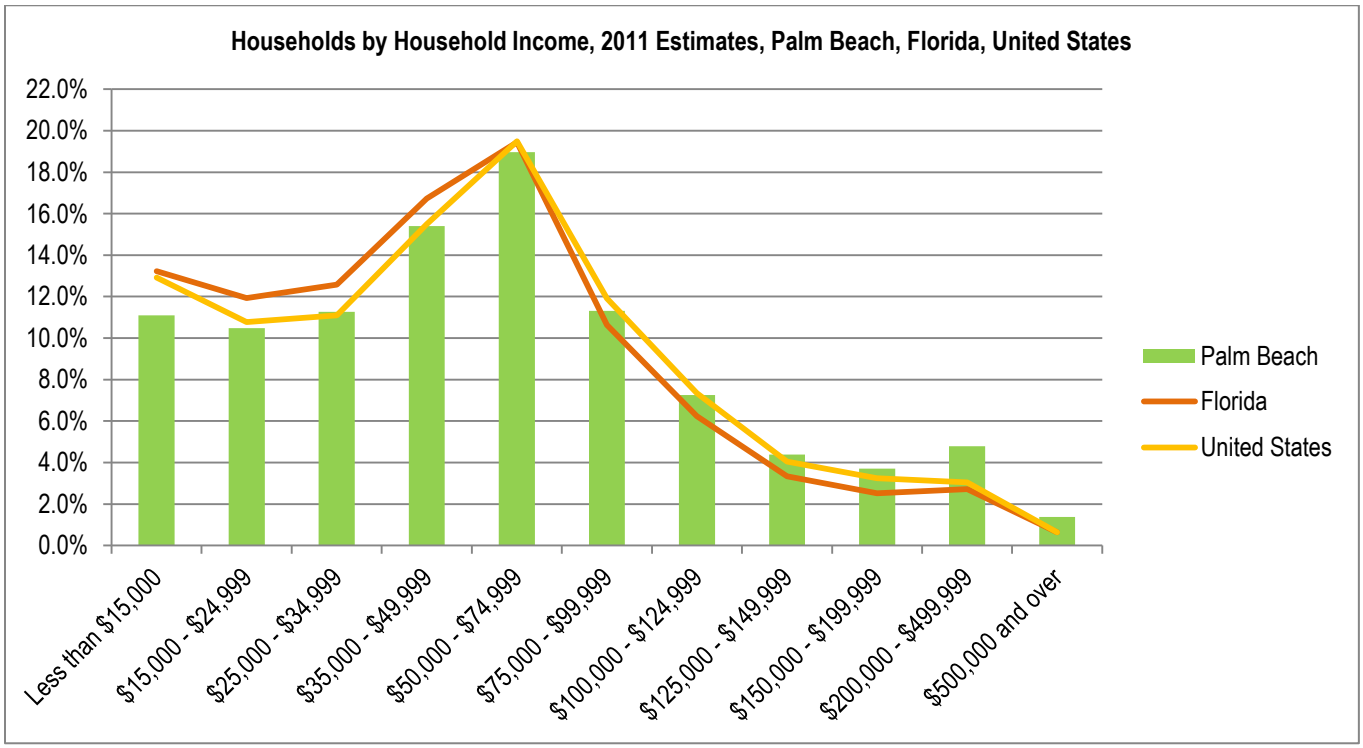
Figure 10: Households by Household Income, 2011 Estimates, Palm Beach, Florida, United States



Median household income is used to depict the middle point of household income distribution within a given area. In other words, it is the amount that would divide the income distribution within an area into two groups. This measure is not as affected by a few extreme values as an average, such as per capita income.

Table 17 shows median household income in Palm Beach, Florida and the United States by race and ethnicity. In 2011 in Palm Beach, Asian households had at the greatest household income, though these represent only a small segment of households. Black or African American households had the lowest median household income ($36,157). Figure 11 shows this data graphically.

Table 17: Median Household Income by Race or Ethnicity, 2011 Estimates

	Palm Beach	Florida	United States
2011 Est. Average Household Income	$76,792	$63,100	$67,529
2011 Est. Median Household Income	$52,342	$45,992	$49,726
Median Household Income by Single Race Class or Ethnicity			
White Alone	$57,225	$48,440	$53,156
Black or African American Alone	$36,157	$33,694	$35,321
American Indian and Alaska Native Alone	$36,834	$40,370	$37,527
Asian Alone	$57,624	$53,500	$63,909
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander Alone	$53,885	$46,528	$52,050
Some Other Race Alone	$40,669	$39,309	$40,243
Two or More Races	$37,431	$38,162	$43,201
Hispanic or Latino	$43,333	$41,446	$41,043
Not Hispanic or Latino	$54,614	$47,004	$51,310

Source: The Nielsen Company, Claritas

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Figure 11: Median Household Income by Race or Ethnicity Palm Beach, 2011 Estimates

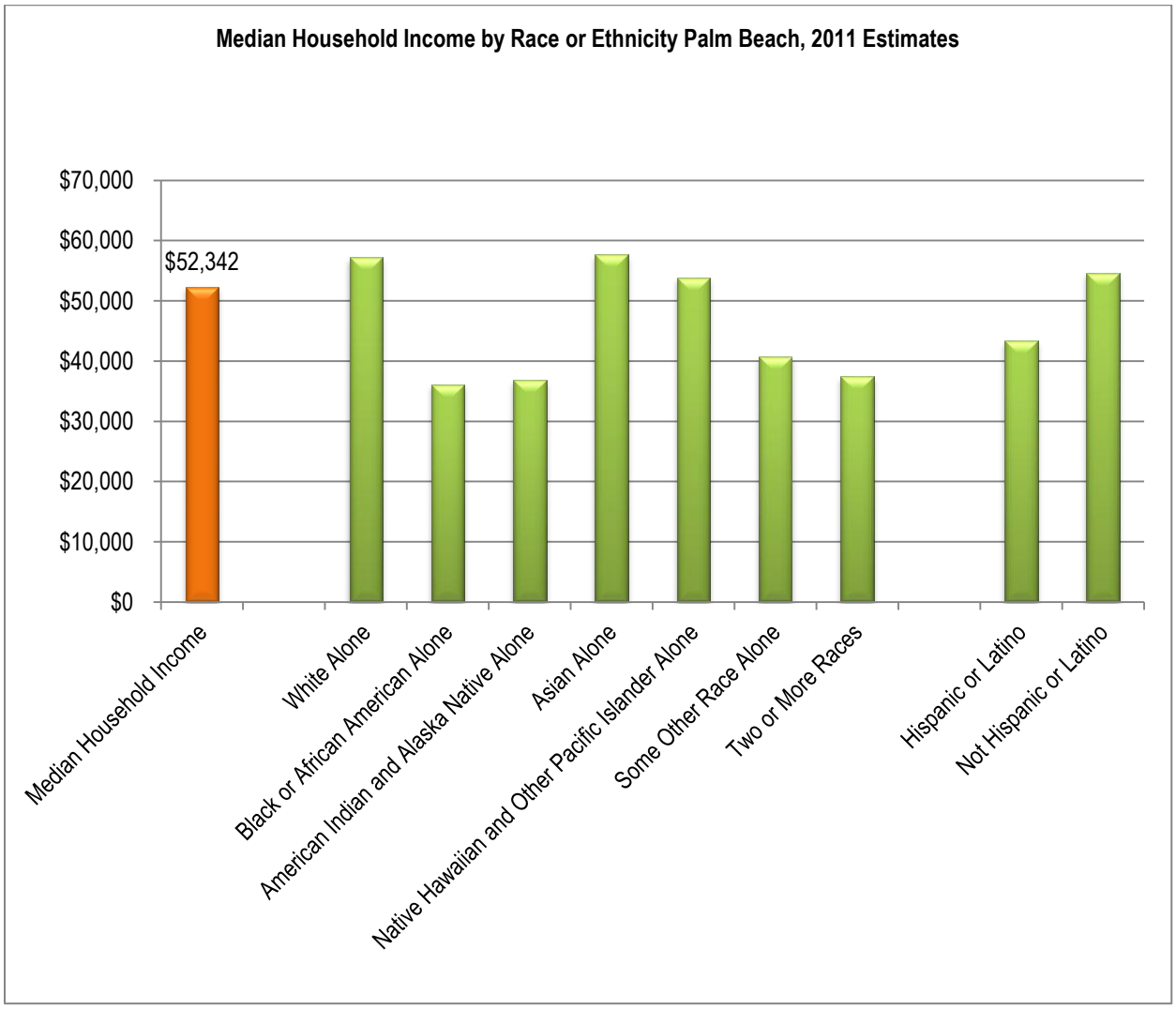

Table 18 shows 2010 averages in Palm Beach for household income by type of income and average family income by number or workers in the family. For a glossary of terms see Appendix A.

Table 18: Income in the Past 12 Months, Palm Beach, 2010 Estimates

	Palm Beach	
Household Income	**Total**	**Mean income**
All households	516,845	$75,117
With earnings	69.7%	$72,606
With interest, dividends, or net rental income	29.3%	$35,557
With Social Security income	38.3%	$18,263
With Supplemental Security Income (SSI)	3.4%	$9,296
With cash public assistance income	1.4%	$4,395
With retirement income	17.5%	$28,040
Family Income by Number of Workers in Family		
All families	316,703	$89,788
No workers	21.8%	$76,551
1 worker	32.9%	$76,328
2 workers, husband and wife worked	28.0%	$117,203
2 workers, other	8.2%	$68,885
3 or more workers, husband and wife worked	6.5%	$115,637
3 or more workers, other	2.6%	$77,112

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

Data Note: 2010 Inflation-Adjusted Dollars

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Income Inequality

Table 19 shows the Gini Coefficient of income inequality for Florida counties. The Gini coefficient represents the inequitable distribution of income in a community by household. Typically, a Gini Coefficient is between 0-100, for the purpose of this table the values are multiplied by 100 and can range between 0-100. A value of 100 indicates that all income in the county is concentrated in one household. A value of 0 indicates that all income in the county is equally distributed among households. The range in Florida was 38-52 in the 2010. The Gini Coefficient for the state of Florida as a whole was 47. Palm Beach had a Gini coefficient of 50 and was tied for 7th highest, i.e., greatest income inequality. The z-score is statistical measure used to indicate the number of standard deviations above or below the mean.[4]

[4] www.countyhealthrankings.org/florida.indian-river/44/archived-data/2010

Table 19: Income Inequality Measured by Gini Coefficient, 2010

Rank	County	GINI	Z-score
	Florida	**47**	
1	Alachua	52	2.18
1	Monroe	52	2.24
3	Collier	51	1.94
3	Indian River	51	1.94
3	Liberty	51	1.88
3	Martin	51	1.79
7	Miami-Dade	50	1.57
7	Palm Beach	50	1.54
9	Jefferson	49	1.18
9	St. Johns	49	1.18
11	Broward	47	0.57
11	Hillsborough	47	0.54
11	Holmes	47	0.63
11	Lee	47	0.54
11	Leon	47	0.63
11	Madison	47	0.57
11	Okeechobee	47	0.6
11	Pinellas	47	0.72
11	Putnam	47	0.66
11	Sarasota	47	0.78
11	Walton	47	0.6
22	Dixie	46	0.48
22	Volusia	46	0.26
24	Calhoun	45	0.08
24	DeSoto	45	-0.01
24	Escambia	45	0.11
24	Franklin	45	0.11
24	Hamilton	45	0.17
24	Hendry	45	0.17
24	Lafayette	45	0.02
24	Manatee	45	-0.07
24	Orange	45	0.2
33	Brevard	44	-0.26
33	Duval	44	-0.1
33	Gadsden	44	-0.13
33	Gilchrist	44	-0.2
33	Glades	44	-0.32
33	Gulf	44	-0.2
33	Jackson	44	-0.2
33	Levy	44	-0.1
33	Marion	44	-0.35
33	Okaloosa	44	-0.2
33	Seminole	44	-0.26
33	Taylor	44	-0.13
33	Washington	44	-0.2
46	Bay	43	-0.5
46	Citrus	43	-0.5
46	Flagler	43	-0.41
46	Lake	43	-0.68
46	Pasco	43	-0.65
46	Suwannee	43	-0.62
52	Bradford	42	-0.93
52	Charlotte	42	-0.9
52	Columbia	42	-0.99
52	Hernando	42	-0.84
52	Nassau	42	-0.87
52	Polk	42	-0.71
52	St. Lucie	42	-0.96
59	Baker	41	-1.26
59	Highlands	41	-1.23
59	Osceola	41	-1.23
59	Union	41	-1.17
63	Santa Rosa	40	-1.35
63	Sumter	40	-1.38
65	Wakulla	39	-1.84
66	Clay	38	-1.96
66	Hardee	38	-2.12

Source: County Health Rankings, University of Wisconsin

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2011

Table 20 shows the 2011 Florida Price Level Index for School Personnel (FPLI). The FPLI measures the relative costs of maintaining a given standard of living across Florida's counties and can be used as a Cost of Living Index (COLI). Use of the FPLI assumes districts must offer salaries that will support similar standards of living to attract equally qualified personnel across school districts. The FPLI is constructed so that the population-weighted average is 100. The 9 counties with index values over 101.18 together account for 48% of the state's population. Palm Beach has an index of 103.78, the 2nd highest among Florida counties.[5]

Table 20: Florida Price Level Index for School Personnel, 2011

County	
Monroe	104.03
Palm Beach	103.78
Broward	103.01
Lee	102.67
Manatee	102.02
Collier	101.91
Miami-Dade	101.73
Hillsborough	101.65
Duval	101.64
Brevard	101.18
Orange	100.42
Pinellas	99.89
Sarasota	99.66
Seminole	99.35
Martin	99.30
Clay	99.28
Pasco	98.93
Nassau	98.88
Charlotte	98.78
Indian River	98.67
Polk	98.48
St. Johns	98.23
St. Lucie	98.15
Osceola	98.10
Alachua	97.53
Okaloosa	97.48
Walton	97.33
Baker	97.23
DeSoto	97.14
Hendry	97.11
Hernando	97.00
Lake	96.95
Bradford	96.66
Hardee	96.21

County	
Volusia	96.19
Glades	96.18
Marion	95.83
Union	95.58
Okeechobee	95.55
Putnam	95.50
Sumter	95.49
Columbia	95.48
Escambia	95.36
Flagler	94.94
Bay	94.81
Gilchrist	94.30
Levy	94.15
Highlands	94.09
Leon	94.08
Citrus	94.04
Santa Rosa	93.98
Suwannee	93.78
Gadsden	93.74
Wakulla	92.94
Jackson	92.39
Taylor	92.32
Dixie	92.17
Gulf	92.08
Franklin	91.92
Jefferson	91.38
Hamilton	91.31
Washington	91.10
Holmes	91.04
Liberty	90.86
Lafayette	90.75
Calhoun	90.63
Madison	90.13

Source: Bureau of Economic and Business Research, Economic Analysis Program

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[5] http://www.bebr.ufl.edu/sites/default/files/FPLI_SP_2011.pdf

EDUCATION

Educational Attainment

Educational attainment often influences socioeconomic status. As previously noted, low socioeconomic status can hinder access to health care services and can result in less desirable health outcomes.

Table 21 shows school enrollment and educational attainment. Nearly 6% of the population 25 years and older, 54,967 individuals, in Palm Beach County have less than a 9th grade education, and 7%, 66,047 individuals, have some high school classwork but have not received a diploma. More than 87% of individuals 25 years or older Palm Beach have educational attainment of at least a high school diploma and nearly 32% have a bachelor's degree or higher. These rates are slightly higher than Florida's.

Table 21: School Enrollment and Educational Attainment, Palm Beach County and Florida, 2010

	Florida	Palm Beach	
	Percent	Estimate	Percent
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT			
Population 3 years and over enrolled in school	4,614,324	304,965	304,965
Nursery school, preschool	6.3%	20,413	6.7%
Kindergarten	4.8%	16,671	5.5%
Elementary school (grades 1-8)	39.0%	120,567	39.5%
High school (grades 9-12)	20.5%	65,156	21.4%
College or graduate school	29.5%	82,158	26.9%
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT			
Population 25 years and over	13,077,179	948,800	948,800
Less than 9th grade	5.7%	54,967	5.8%
9th to 12th grade, no diploma	8.8%	66,407	7.0%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	29.9%	253,374	26.7%
Some college, no degree	21.2%	200,263	21.1%
Associate's degree	8.6%	71,842	7.6%
Bachelor's degree	16.6%	185,421	19.5%
Graduate or professional degree	9.2%	116,526	12.3%
Percent high school graduate or higher	85.5%	(X)	87.2%
Percent bachelor's degree or higher	25.8%	(X)	31.8%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

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Table 22 shows the percentages of individuals, 25 years and older, who have had income in the past 12 months below the poverty level and those who have had income above the poverty level by level of educational attainment. In 2010 in Palm Beach County, of the 11.1% of individuals, 25 years and older, below the poverty level, 31.0% had less than a high school diploma, 32.6% had a high school diploma (or equivalent) and 24.3% had some college. Of those with income at or above the poverty level, 10.4% had less than a high school diploma, nearly 26% were high school graduates (or equivalent), and nearly 64% had a minimum of some college or an associate's degree.

Table 22: Poverty Status in the Past 12 Months of Individuals by Educational Attainment, 2010

	Florida		Palm Beach	
	Estimate	Percentage*	Estimate	Percentage*
Population 25 years and over for whom poverty status is determined	12,858,712		940,361	
Income in the past 12 months below poverty level				
Total	1,707,756	13.3%	104,146	11.1%
Less than high school graduate	511,258	29.9%	32,306	31.0%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	596,805	34.9%	33,927	32.6%
Some college, associate's degree	411,651	24.1%	25,269	24.3%
Bachelor's degree or higher	188,042	11.0%	12,644	12.1%
Income in the past 12 months at or above poverty level				
Total	11,150,956	86.7%	836,215	88.9%
Less than high school graduate	1,306,513	10.2%	86,719	10.4%
High school graduate (includes equivalency)	3,238,908	25.2%	216,655	25.9%
Some college, associate's degree	3,437,924	26.7%	245,560	29.4%
Bachelor's degree or higher	3,167,611	24.6%	287,281	34.4%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

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High School Graduation Rates

Table 23 shows trends in high school graduation rates, using the Florida calculation, for school years 2001/02 through 2010/11. In the 2010/11 school year the graduation rate in Palm Beach was 79.8%, and increase from 66.6% in the 2001/02 school year. The rate was slightly lower than the 2010/11 graduation rate in Florida as a whole (81.2%).

Table 23: High School Graduation Rates, Palm Beach, Florida, 2001/02-2010/11

County	2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2007/08	2008/09	2009/10	2010/11
Florida	67.9%	69.0%	71.6%	71.9%	71.0%	72.4%	75.4%	78.6%	80.7%	81.2%
Palm Beach	66.6%	66.0%	65.9%	69.0%	69.3%	71.4%	75.6%	80.1%	82.9%	79.8%

Data Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Education, Education Information and Accountability Services (EIAS) Source: 2010-11 Florida Department of Education (FL DOE) cohort graduation data as of 11/3/11

Data Note(s): Florida's high school graduation rate is the percentage of students who graduated within four years of their initial enrollment in ninth grade, not counting deceased students or students who transferred out to attend another public school outside the system, a private school, a home education program, or an adult education program. Incoming transfer students are included in the appropriate cohort (the group whose progress is tracked) based on their grade level and year of entry. Data are for school years (September-June).

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Table 24 shows school year 2010/11 graduation rates in Palm Beach County and Florida by race and ethnicity. In both Palm Beach and Florida there is considerable disparity in graduation rates between races and ethnicities. In Palm Beach the graduation rate was 90.2% for White students, 67.3% for Black or African American students and 76.1% for Hispanic or Latino students.

Table 24: Florida Graduation Rates by Race/Ethnicity, Palm Beach and Florida, 2010/11 School Year

District		White	Black or African American	Hispanic/ Latino	Asian	American Indian/Alaska Native	Two or More Races	Pacific Islander
50	Palm Beach	90.2%	67.3%	76.1%	87.9%	74.4%	85.5%	#
	Florida	88.1%	69.4%	78.1%	89.9%	79.5%	85.6%	78.6%

Source: 2010-11 Florida Department of Education (FL DOE) cohort graduation data as of 11/3/11.

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Table 25 shows single-year dropout rates for Palm Beach and Florida. The rate in Palm Beach decreased in the time period shown and was 2.6% in the 2010/11 school year. However, the dropout rate was consistently higher in Palm Beach than in Florida.

Table 25: Single-Year Dropout Rate (9th-12th grade), Palm Beach and Florida, 2006/07 - 2010/11 School Year

District		2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11
50	Palm Beach	4.4%	3.9%	2.6%	2.8%	2.6%
	Florida	3.3%	2.6%	2.3%	2.0%	1.9%

Source: 2010-11 Florida Department of Education (FL DOE) dropout data as of 11/16/11.

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School Performance

Table 26 shows accountability reports for local schools in Palm Beach County from the Florida Department of Education. The majority of schools received a grade of 'A' for the 2010/11 school year. The names, level, minority rate and percentage of students eligible for free and reduced lunch are shown for schools receiving grades of C, D or F.

Table 26: School Grades, Elementary, Middle and High, 2010/2011 School Year

School Number	School	Level	Grade	Minority Rate	Free and Reduced Lunch
1851	PALM BEACH LAKES HIGH SCHOOL	High	C	96	75
2331	ROYAL PALM BEACH HIGH SCHOOL	High	C	72	51
0341	ROOSEVELT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	96	93
0351	WESTWARD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	99	88
0191	WASHINGTON ELEMENTARY MAGNET SCHOOL	Elementary	C	99	93
0201	JOHN F. KENNEDY MIDDLE SCHOOL	Middle	C	98	93
0561	PALMETTO ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	93	93
0271	NORTHMORE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	99	95
1411	GROVE PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	93	92
2761	CHOLEE LAKE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	91	87
1711	SEMINOLE TRAILS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	91	71
0012	HOPE-CENTENNIAL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	94	95
1241	GOVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	95	93
2371	PIONEER PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	99	99
1232	LAKE SHORE MIDDLE SCHOOL	Middle	C	99	96

0781	ROLLING GREEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	97	95
0831	FOREST PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	90	89
3392	CHARTER SCHOOL OF BOYNTON BEACH	Combination	C	83	78
0911	PINE GROVE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	100	98
2811	VILLAGE ACADEMY ON THE ART & SARA JO KOBACKER CAMPUS	Combination	C	100	95
2351	ORCHARD VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	86	81
0671	HIGHLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	96	98
2431	SOUTH GRADE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	93	97
1531	CLIFFORD O TAYLOR/KIRKLANE ELEMENTARY	Elementary	C	88	87
1321	ROSENWALD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	C	100	99
1571	SOUTH TECH ACADEMY	High	D	83	64
1401	WEST RIVIERA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	D	99	98
2491	DR. MARY MCLEOD BETHUNE ELEMENTARY	Elementary	D	99	94
2401	BELLE GLADE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	D	99	98
0821	GALAXY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	D	96	91
1831	K. E. CUNNINGHAM/CANAL POINT ELEMENTARY	Elementary	D	97	97
0741	BARTON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	Elementary	D	94	96
2661	JOSEPH LITTLES-NGUZO SABA	Combination	F	100	88

Schools with Grade "B" = 38
Schools with Grade "A" 106
No Grade = 6

Source: Florida Department of Education, School Accountability Reports

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Figure 12 maps schools in the county that received a grade of C, D or F in the 2010/11 school year.

Figure 12: Palm Beach County Schools, Mapped by Address with C, D or F Grades in the 2010/11 School Year

Standardized Test Scores

Table 27 shows mean SAT scores for students in Palm Beach County and Florida. The percentage of SAT test takers was considerably higher in Palm Beach. The mean scores for students in Palm Beach were lower than the average scores for all Florida test takers.

Table 27: SAT Mean Scores, Palm Beach District and Florida, 2011

District Number	District Name	Number of 12th Grade Students	Number of SAT Test Takers	Percentage of SAT Test Takers	Reading Mean Score	Math Mean Score	Writing Mean Score
50	Palm Beach	12,116	11,516	95.0%	444	451	433
	Florida	178,386	94,337	52.9%	497	496	476

Source: Florida Department of Education

Data Note: 2011 College Board SAT results now include May and June test takers

Data Note: Florida counts, percentages and mean scores were calculated with data from original tables

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Table 28 shows the mean ACT scores for students in Palm Beach County and Florida. The mean scores were similar in Palm Beach and in Florida.

Table 28: ACT Scores for Palm Beach District and Florida, 2011

District Name and #	Number of 12th Grade Students	Number of ACT Test Takers	Percentage of ACT Test Takers	English Mean Score	Math Mean Score	Reading Mean Score	Science Mean Score	Composite Mean Score
Palm Beach	12,116	7,175	59.2%	17.8	19.6	19.6	18.6	19
Florida	177,949	101,656	57.1%	18.4	19.4	20.0	18.7	19.3

Source: Florida Department of Education

Data Notes: Florida counts, percentages and mean scores were calculated with data from original tables

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BUSINESS AND EMPLOYMENT

Unemployment

High rates of unemployment can affect the financial stability of individuals within a community, can lead to decreased expenditures for health care and can result in higher rates of uninsured.

Table 29 shows counts of employment and unemployment and rates of unemployment in the civilian labor force in the United States, Florida and Palm Beach County from 2006 to March 2012. Unemployment rates have increased in all areas shown. In March 2012, the unemployment rate in Palm Beach County was 8.8%, a decrease from 10.8% in 2011. The number of unemployed individuals in Palm Beach County more than doubled between 2006 and March 2012. Figure 12 shows the unemployment data trends graphically.

Table 29: Labor Force, Unemployment Counts and Rates, Palm Beach, Florida, United States, 2006-March, 2012

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployment	Rate (%)
United States				
2006	151,428,000	144,427,000	7,001,000	4.6%
2007	153,124,000	146,047,000	7,078,000	4.6%
2008	154,287,000	145,362,000	8,924,000	5.8%
2009	154,142,000	139,877,000	14,265,000	9.3%
2010	153,889,000	139,064,000	14,825,000	9.6%
2011	153,617,000	139,869,000	13,747,000	8.9%
March-12	154,316,000	141,412,000	12,904,000	8.4%
Florida				
2006	8,880,000	8,584,000	296,000	3.3%
2007	9,206,000	8,839,000	367,000	4.0%
2008	9,224,000	8,647,000	577,000	6.3%
2009	9,066,000	8,127,000	939,000	10.4%
2010	9,132,000	8,102,000	1,030,000	11.3%
2011	9,249,000	8,278,000	970,000	10.5%
March-12	9,234,000	8,441,000	793,000	8.6%
Palm Beach				
2006	612,009	589,928	22,081	3.6%
2007	628,310	601,655	26,655	4.2%
2008	628,675	587,734	40,941	6.5%
2009	614,330	549,831	64,499	10.5%
2010	614,480	544,345	70,135	11.4%
2011	620,081	553,380	66,701	10.8%
March-12	618,888	564,620	54,268	8.8%

Source: Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Data Notes: Items may not add to totals or compute to displayed percentages due to rounding.

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Figure 13: Unemployment Rates, Palm Beach, Florida, United States, 2006-March, 2012

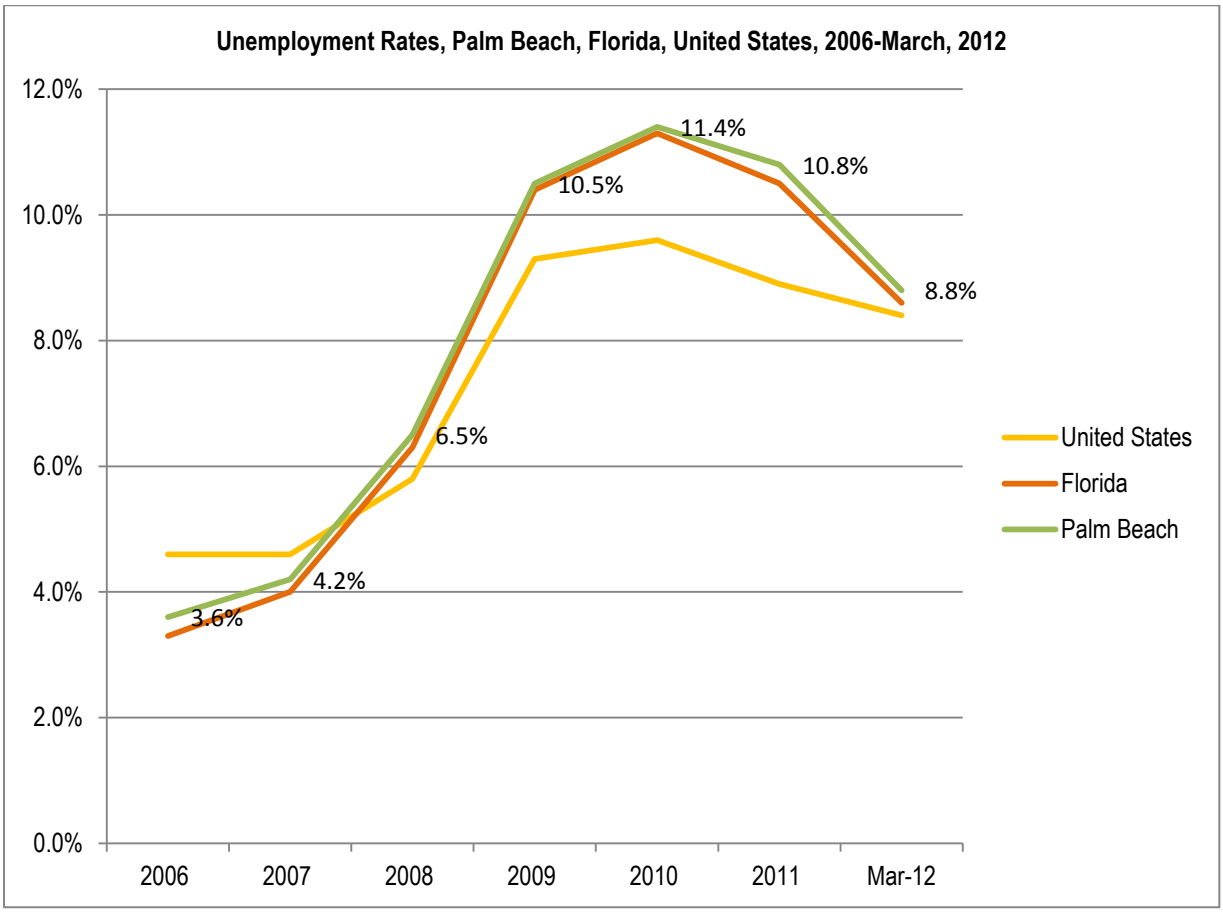

Table 30 shows 2010 Palm Beach industry data including industry sector employment by gender and median earnings by gender from the American Community Survey. The largest industry was 'educational services, and health care and social assistance', followed by 'retail trade' and 'professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services': The highest median earnings were in the 'public administration' industry ($51,342) while the lowest median earnings were in the 'arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services' industry ($20,281).

Table 30: Industry by Sex and Median Earnings in the Past 12 Months, Palm Beach, 2010 Estimates

Subject	Palm Beach County, Florida					
	Total	Male	Female	Median earnings ($)	Median earnings ($) for male	Median earnings ($) for female
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	577,572	51.8%	48.2%	$31,232	$33,988	$28,622
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining:	8,110	83.5%	16.5%	$20,549	$20,884	$14,621
Construction	39,760	88.4%	11.6%	$30,255	$27,476	$35,758
Manufacturing	22,709	67.9%	32.1%	$40,435	$40,839	$40,039
Wholesale trade	14,634	68.1%	31.9%	$42,338	$50,330	$34,444
Retail trade	81,326	50.9%	49.1%	$21,734	$24,275	$19,959
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities:	24,127	75.7%	24.3%	$42,081	$41,749	$43,637
Information	13,419	53.1%	46.9%	$41,062	$43,591	$38,269
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing:	47,843	49.6%	50.4%	$39,616	$46,440	$35,140
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services:	81,209	59.4%	40.6%	$35,408	$39,845	$30,258
Educational services, and health care and social assistance:	123,750	26.1%	73.9%	$36,362	$41,738	$34,803
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services:	63,721	52.4%	47.6%	$20,281	$23,780	$16,701
Other services, except public administration	34,344	45.1%	54.9%	$24,583	$30,669	$16,537
Public administration	22,620	52.7%	47.3%	$51,342	$65,015	$45,829

Data Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

Data Note: 2010 Inflation-Adjusted Dollars

Data Note: For the civilian employed population over 16

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Table 31 shows the trend from 1995- 2010 in average annual wages in Palm Beach and Florida.

Table 31: Average Annual Wages, Palm Beach, Florida 1995-2010

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	$30,576	$31,551	$32,428	$33,553	$35,159	$36,804	$38,497	$39,776	$40,579	$40,991	$41,574
Palm Beach	$35,256	$35,957	$36,548	$37,643	$38,871	$40,470	$41,967	$43,796	$44,510	$45,016	$45,840

Source: Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Labor Market Statistics, Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages Program (QCEW)

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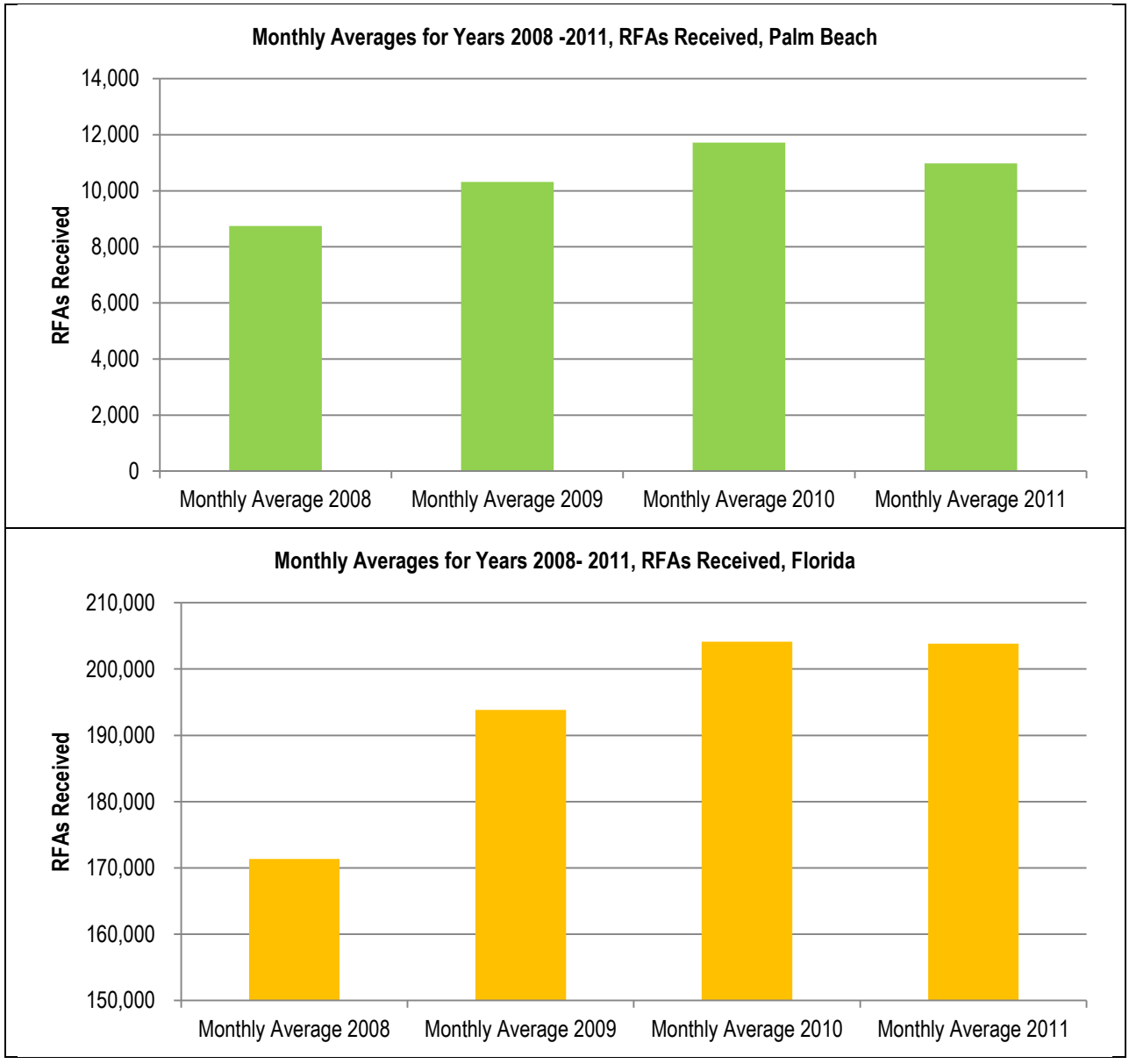
PUBLIC ASSISTANCE BENEFITS

This next section graphs the monthly averages for public assistance data in Palm Beach and Florida for years: 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011.

Requests for Assistance

Figure 14 shows the monthly averages in number RFA applications received for Palm Beach and Florida for years 2008 -2011. The monthly averages for RFAs increased nearly 26% in Palm Beach from 2008 to 2011. There was a 19% increase in Florida during the same time period.

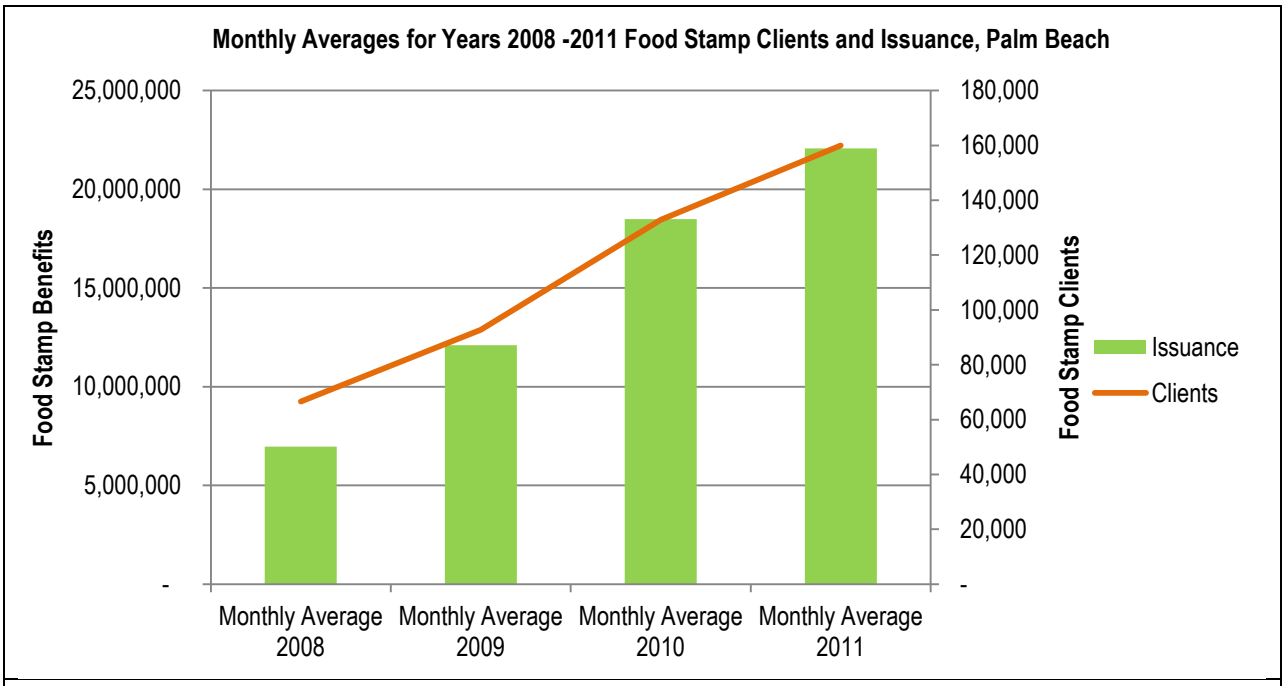
Figure 14: Monthly Averages for Years 2008-2011 RFAs Received, Palm Beach, Florida

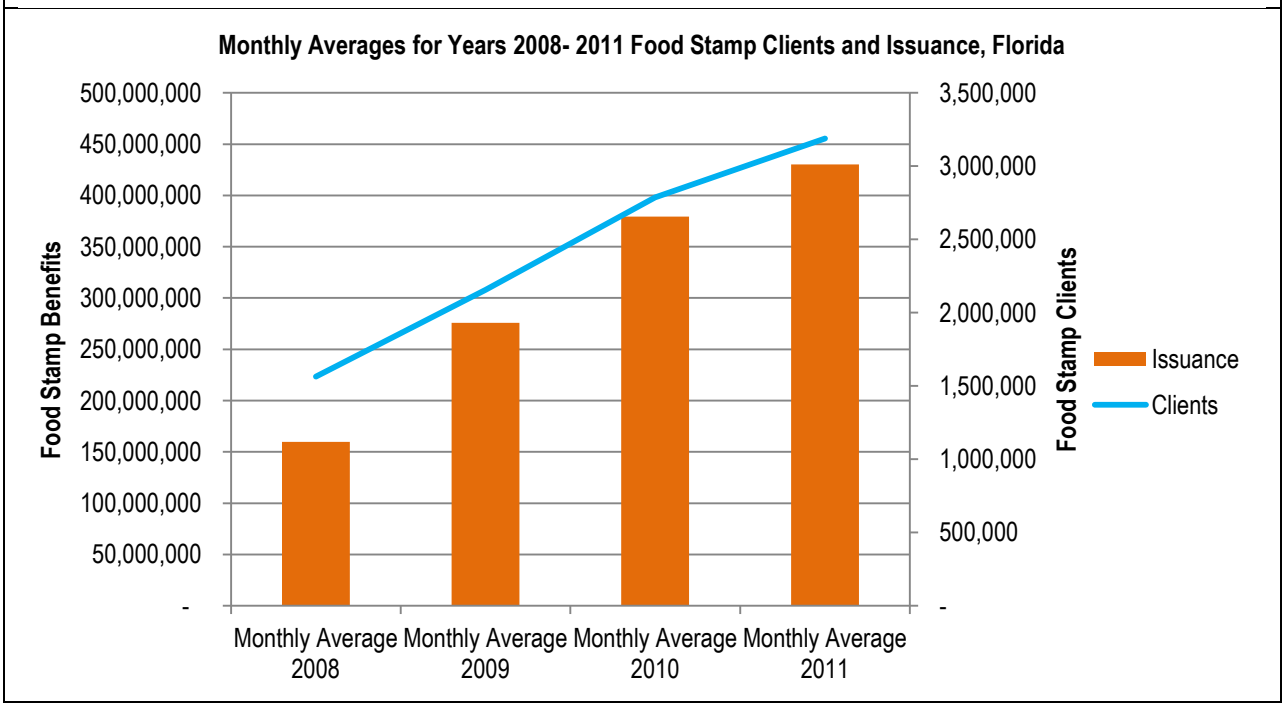


Food Stamps

Figure 15 shows the monthly averages for food stamp issuance and food stamp clients in Palm Beach County and Florida for years 2008 -2011. Issuance and number of clients have risen steadily in both areas. From 2008 to 2011 average monthly food stamp issuance increased 217% in Palm Beach and 169% in Florida. During the same time period, average monthly food stamp clients increased 140% in Palm Beach and 103% in Florida.

Figure 15: Monthly Averages for Years 2008- 2011 Food Stamp Clients and Issuance, Palm Beach, Florida





Cash Assistance - TANF

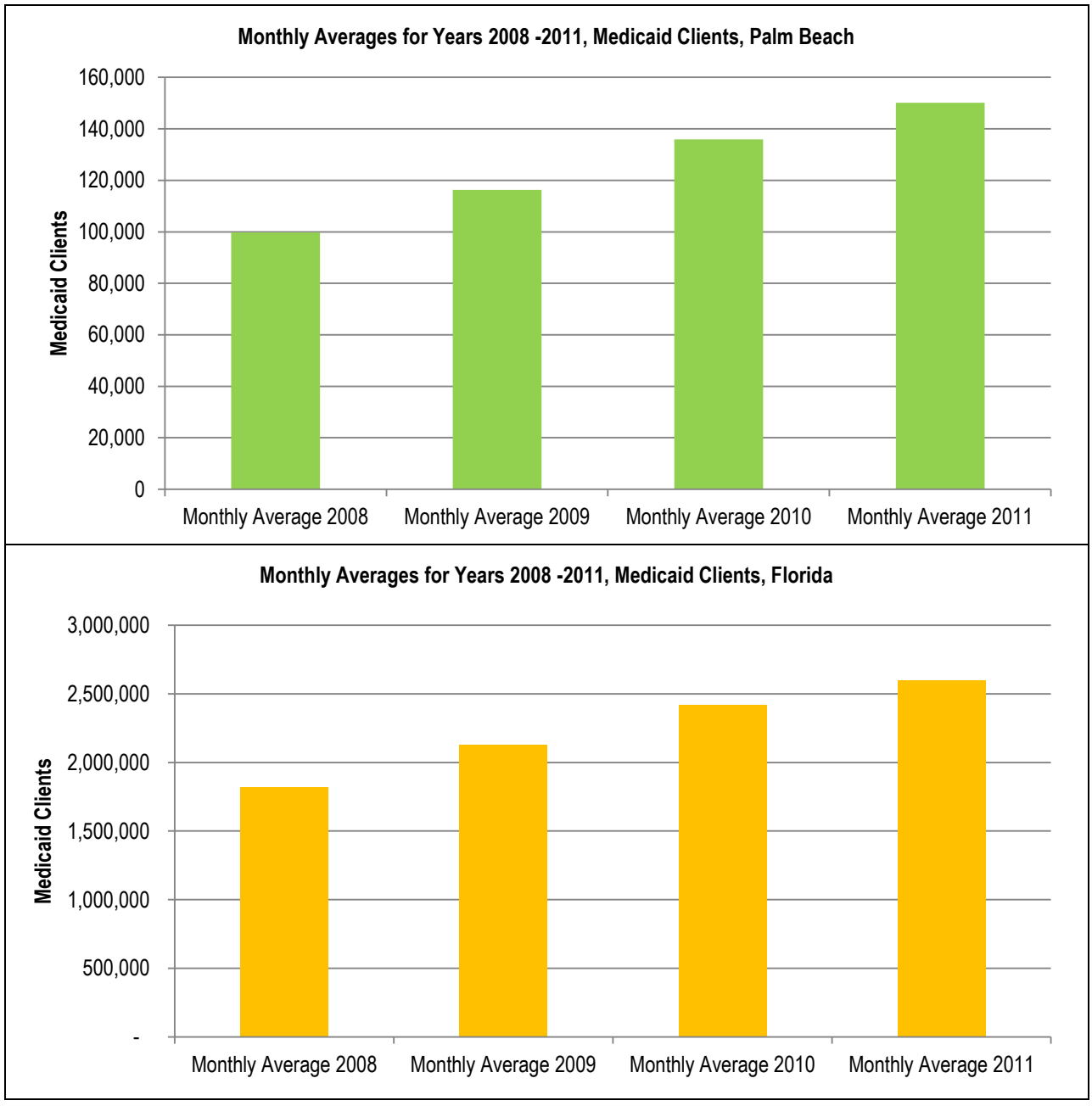
Figure 16 shows the monthly averages in number of Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits and clients in Palm Beach and Florida for years 2008 -2011. In Palm Beach County from 2008 to 2010 the monthly average amount of TANF benefits increased 4% and TANF clients increased 8%. During the same time periods in Florida, benefits increased 6% and clients increased 13%. The amount of benefits and number of clients decreased in both areas in 2011.

Figure 16: Monthly Averages for Years 2008- 2011 TANF Benefits and Clients, Palm Beach, Florida

Medical Assistance

Medicaid is a federally and state funded health program in the United States that provides health services to low income individuals and families. Figure 17 shows the monthly averages in number of in Medicaid clients in Palm Beach County and in Florida for years 2008 -2011. From 2008 to 2011 the monthly average number of Medicaid clients in Palm Beach increased just over 50% and 43% in Florida.

Figure 17: Monthly Averages for Years 2008- 2011, Medicaid Clients, Palm Beach, Florida



School Lunch Program

Table 32 shows school lunch program eligibility in Palm Beach County and in Florida for students in school-readiness programs, elementary and middle school in 2007, 2008 and 2009. The percentage of children in school-readiness programs in Palm Beach eligible for free and reduced school lunched decreased in the time period shown and was 52.3% in 2009 The percentage of children eligible in elementary and middle school increased between 2007 and 2009 and was 54.4% and 47.1%, respectively.

Table 32: Students Eligible for Free/Reduced Lunch, Elementary, Middle School Students, 2007, 2008, 2009

	2007	2008	2009	2007	2008	2009
	Eligible Children/Students			Rate/Percent		
	School-Readiness Programs					
Florida	149,488	146,655	129,486	60.3%	59.3%	53.8%
Palm Beach	8,658	9,100	7,222	59.9%	59.8%	52.3%
	Elementary School Students					
Florida	634,679	667,766	708,427	52.4%	55.7%	59.0%
Palm Beach	37,970	39,918	42,194	49.5%	52.1%	54.4%
	Middle School Students					
Florida	279,770	304,509	326,394	46.9%	50.6%	54.4%
Palm Beach	15,775	17,365	18,283	41.3%	44.6%	47.1%

Source: Florida Department of Education, Education Information and Accountability Services (EIAS)

Source: Florida Agency for Workforce Innovation

Data Note(s): Denominator is total students or children in programs

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Women, Infants and Children Program

WIC is a supplemental nutrition program that serves to safeguard the health of low-income pregnant, postpartum, and breastfeeding women, infants, and children up to age 5 who are at nutritional risk. The program provides nutritious foods to supplement diets, information on healthy eating, breastfeeding promotion and support and referrals to health care services.

Table 33 shows the number of individuals eligible for WIC benefits, as well as the number served. In 2010, 2.6% of Palm Beach County's population was eligible for WIC and 89.4% of the 32,935 eligible individuals were served by WIC.

Table 33: Women, Infants, and Children Program, Eligibility and Percentage Served, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

County	Number of Eligibles			Number of Total Population			Rate / Percent		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	594,871	592,307	580,986	18,812,155	18,819,000	18,788,795	3.2%	3.1%	3.1%
Palm Beach	33,910	33,442	32,935	1,294,035	1,289,159	1,287,224	2.6%	2.6%	2.6%
	Percent of WIC Eligibles Served								
Florida	76.9%	83.9%	86.6%						
Palm Beach	74.3%	81.0%	89.4%						

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, WIC & Nutrition Services' WIC Potentially Eligible Population
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HOUSING

Number of Housing Units and Housing Tenure

Table 34 shows the proportion of occupied and vacant housing units, the proportion of owner to renter-occupied housing units and average household size for owner and renter-occupied units in Palm Beach and in Florida. In Palm Beach in 2010, 77.7% of housing units were occupied and of those, 72.2% were owner-occupied. The average household size in renter-occupied units (2.69) was larger than owner-occupied units (2.46) in Palm Beach.

Table 34: Housing Occupancy and Housing Tenure, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Florida		Palm Beach	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Total housing units	8,994,091	-	664,755	-
Occupied housing units	7,035,068	78.2%	516,845	77.7%
Vacant housing units	1,959,023	21.8%	147,910	22.3%
HOUSING TENURE				
Occupied housing units	7,035,068	7,035,068	516,845	516,845
Owner-occupied	4,794,130	68.1%	373,397	72.2%
Renter-occupied	2,240,938	31.9%	143,448	27.8%
Average household size of owner-occupied unit	2.61	(X)	2.46	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied unit	2.64	(X)	2.69	(X)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey
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Housing Unit Values

Table 35 shows the 2010 median value of owner-occupied housing units and the percentage of units in value bands in Palm Beach and in the state of Florida. The two value bands in Palm Beach with the largest percentage of units are: $200,000-$299,999 (21.0%) and $300,000-$499,999 (18.1%). In 2010, the median house price in Palm Beach was $199,500 compared to $164,200 in Florida.

Table 35: Values of Owner-Occupied Housing Units, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Florida		Palm Beach	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Owner-occupied units	4,794,130	4,794,130	373,397	373,397
Less than $50,000	417,072	8.7%	28,968	7.8%
$50,000 to $99,999	824,035	17.2%	50,214	13.4%
$100,000 to $149,999	865,077	18.0%	54,637	14.6%
$150,000 to $199,999	843,051	17.6%	53,393	14.3%
$200,000 to $299,999	916,653	19.1%	78,522	21.0%
$300,000 to $499,999	605,738	12.6%	67,555	18.1%
$500,000 to $999,999	235,301	4.9%	28,241	7.6%
$1,000,000 or more	87,203	1.8%	11,867	3.2%
Median (dollars)	$164,200	(X)	$199,500	(X)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey
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Average Rent

Table 36 shows 2010 rents for Palm Beach County and Florida by price bands and rent as a percentage of household income. Palm Beach County had 137,901 occupied rental units paying rent. 23.9% of these units had a monthly rent for $750-$999, 39.7%% rented for between $1,000 and $1,499 and 20.5% rented for $1,500 or more per month. The median rent in Palm Beach was $1,103 compared to $947 in Florida. Over half of the households in the county expend at least 35% of household income on rent; this is similar to the rate in Florida.

Table 36: Gross Rents and Rents as Percentage of Household Income, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Florida		Palm Beach	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
GROSS RENT				
Occupied units paying rent	2,122,474	2,122,474	137,901	137,901
Less than $200	32,637	1.5%	1,545	1.1%
$200 to $299	43,479	2.0%	2,280	1.7%
$300 to $499	91,142	4.3%	3,608	2.6%
$500 to $749	395,062	18.6%	14,532	10.5%
$750 to $999	629,620	29.7%	32,992	23.9%
$1,000 to $1,499	671,839	31.7%	54,722	39.7%
$1,500 or more	258,695	12.2%	28,222	20.5%
Median (dollars)	$947	(X)	$1,103	(X)
No rent paid	118,464	(X)	5,547	(X)
GROSS RENT AS A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD INCOME (GRAPI)				
Occupied units paying rent *	2,063,421	2,063,421	135,684	135,684
Less than 15.0 percent	148,808	7.2%	9,102	6.7%
15.0 to 19.9 percent	189,230	9.2%	12,008	8.8%
20.0 to 24.9 percent	243,794	11.8%	15,948	11.8%
25.0 to 29.9 percent	234,756	11.4%	16,182	11.9%
30.0 to 34.9 percent	200,645	9.7%	12,295	9.1%
35.0 percent or more	1,046,188	50.7%	70,149	51.7%
Not computed	177,517	(X)	7,764	(X)

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey

Data Note: * excludes units where GRAPI cannot be computed

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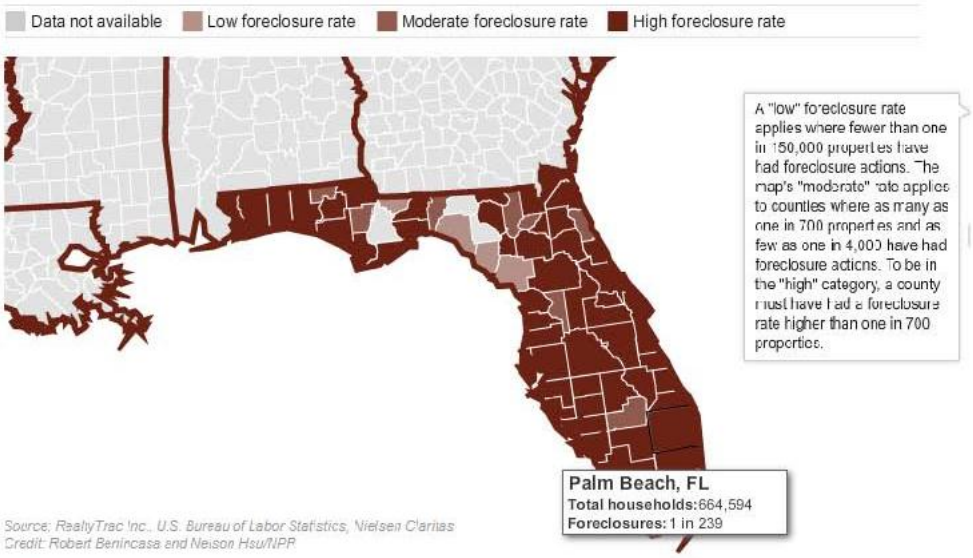
Foreclosures

Figure 18 shows foreclosure classifications for counties in Florida as of March 2012. Each county is classified as having a 'low', 'moderate' or 'high' foreclosure rate. Palm Beach, with 1 in 239 properties having foreclosure actions, is classified as having a high foreclosure rate. A classification of high is given to counties that have more than 1 in 700 properties with foreclosure actions.

Figure 18: Properties with Foreclosure Action- Map, Florida Counties, March 2012



Source: National Public Radio, "Interactive Map: The Economy Where You Live"

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

Figure 19 provides information on Palm Tran which is an integral part of the public transportation system in the county. Tri-Rail is another component of the public transportation in the county providing service to Broward and Miami-Dade counties. Currently there are six Tri-Rail stops in the county. More information is available at www.tri-rail.com

Figure 19: Palm Tran Informational Sheet

Number of Vehicles per Housing Unit

Table 37 shows the number of vehicles in housing units for Palm Beach and Florida. In 2010, 6.2% of housing units in Palm Beach County (32,198) had no vehicles available.

Table 37: Vehicles by Housing Unit, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Florida		Palm Beach	
	Estimate	Percent	Estimate	Percent
Occupied housing units	7,035,068	7,035,068	516,845	516,845
No vehicles available	489,134	7.0%	32,198	6.2%
1 vehicle available	2,919,712	41.5%	232,257	44.9%
2 vehicles available	2,662,771	37.8%	188,684	36.5%
3 or more vehicles available	963,451	13.7%	63,706	12.3%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey
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Table 38 shows ridership for Palm Tran Connection, door-to-door transportation for disabled persons. In fiscal year 2011, there were 836,204 rides. Nearly 37% of these rides were for 'medical' and over a quarter were for 'life sustaining/other'. Fifty-six percent of the rides were given to elderly individuals including disabled and low income elders and 35% were given to disabled, non-elderly, individuals.

Table 38: Palm Tran Connection, Door to Door Transportation for Disabled Persons, FY 2010-2012

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FYTD 2012 thru March (6 Months)
Ridership	825,295	836,204	437,817
Medical	305,359	309,395	161,992
Employment	82,530	75,258	39,403
Education/Training/Daycare	148,553	150,517	78,807
Nutrition	82,530	91,982	48,160
Life Sustaining/Other	206,323	209,052	109,455
Elderly			
Low Income	811	725	380
Disabled	416,115	424,384	222,198
Both	31,289	24,151	12,645
Other	27,257	22,002	11,520
Child			
Low Income	0	0	0
Disabled	8,545	11,060	5,791
Both	234	725	380
Other	37	26	14
Other			
Low Income	234	145	76
Disabled	274,164	296,061	155,011
Both	59,222	49,805	26,077
Other	7,387	7,120	3,728
Total	825,295	836,204	437,817
TD Bus Passes	121,719	111,238	47,048
Regular Bus Passes	5,184	4,623	2,987

Source: Palm Tran

UNCOMPENSATED CARE

Table 40 shows revenues, expenses and uncompensated care at the Palm Beach hospitals in 2010. The total cost of uncompensated care in the county $115,683,956. JFK Medical Center provided 19.6% of the uncompensated care in the county, the largest proportion among hospitals. Uncompensated care represented 12.1% of Lakeside Medical Center's total charges, the largest proportion of among county hospitals.

Table 39: Uncompensated Care, Palm Beach Hospitals, 2010

Name	Inpatient Discharges	ED Visits	Total Operating Expenses	Total Revenue	Ratio of Cost-to-Charges	Uncompensated Care Charges	Uncomp Care Charges as % of Total Charges	Uncomp Care Costs	Uncomp Care Costs as % of Total Uncomp Care Costs
BETHESDA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	20,807	45,167	$231,517,789	$1,287,205,819	0.18	$95,154,093	7.4%	$17,114,485	14.8%
BOCA RATON COMMUNITY HOSPITAL	17,715	30,732	$311,597,678	$1,418,131,191	0.22	$22,702,303	1.6%	$4,988,244	4.3%
COLUMBIA HOSPITAL	9,518	13,908	$89,393,797	$486,896,790	0.18	$33,131,547	6.8%	$6,082,921	5.3%
DELRAY MEDICAL CENTER	18,862	26,387	$230,625,158	$1,509,466,145	0.15	$38,360,915	2.5%	$5,861,007	5.1%
GOOD SAMARITAN MEDICAL CENTER	9,676	19,610	$120,713,921	$618,084,784	0.20	$30,918,394	5.0%	$6,038,461	5.2%
JFK MEDICAL CENTER	26,998	45,287	$352,965,098	$2,302,826,684	0.15	$148,083,674	6.5%	$22,697,483	19.6%
JUPITER MEDICAL CENTER	11,295	22,102	$156,763,214	$780,958,105	0.20	$24,073,429	3.1%	$4,832,305	4.2%
LAKESIDE MEDICAL CENTER	3,613	20,745	$38,723,926	$125,969,830	0.31	$15,172,954	12.1%	$4,664,262	4.0%
PALM BEACH GARDENS MEDICAL CENTER	9,816	15,742	$162,990,663	$856,015,183	0.19	$32,964,163	3.9%	$6,276,584	5.4%
PALMS WEST HOSPITAL	13,043	29,752	$121,908,071	$791,839,383	0.15	$44,166,234	5.6%	$6,799,637	5.9%
SAINT MARY'S MEDICAL CENTER	19,960	44,587	$223,561,129	$1,123,687,483	0.20	$75,274,669	6.7%	$14,976,130	12.9%
WELLINGTON REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER	12,611	31,178	$141,225,733	$593,115,357	0.24	$48,004,017	8.1%	$11,430,158	9.9%
WEST BOCA MEDICAL CENTER	11,779	23,270	$111,657,416	$484,800,423	0.23	$17,029,964	3.5%	$3,922,277	3.4%
Total	**185,693**	**368,467**	**$2,293,643,593**	**$12,378,997,177**	**-------**	**$625,036,356**	**5.1%**	**$115,683,956**	**100.0%**

Source: Florida Hospital Uniform Reporting System (FHURS)
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

CRIME

Crime in a community can influence health status both as a result of direct injury from the crimes themselves and as a result of the emotional stresses present in areas of high crime. Table 40 shows counts of reported crimes in Palm Beach County by the type of crime from the Uniform Crime Report (UCR). The UCR is a well-defined list of reportable offenses and does not include all offenses reported to the police."[6] The index offenses are: murder, sexual offenses, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny and motor vehicle theft. The index rate is the number of reported index crimes per 100,000 population. From 2009 to 2010 the number of arrests in the county decreased 5.2%, the violent rate decreased 13.6% and the non-violent rate decreased 11.1%.

Table 40: Summary of Uniform Crime Report (UCR) Data, Palm Beach, 2010

	2009	2010	% Change
Population	1,287,344	1,286,461	-0.1%
Total Arrests	74,337	70,479	-5.2%
Total Index Offenses	60,011	53,165	-11.5%
Violent Rate	624.9	543.5	-13.6%
Non-Violent Rate	4,036.8	3,589.10	-11.1%
Index Rate	4,661.60	4,132.70	-11.4%

Source: Florida Department of Law Enforcement

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 41 shows reported violent crimes trends in Palm Beach between 1995 and 2010. Violent index crimes include: murder, forcible sex offenses, robbery and aggravated assault. The total violent crime index has decreased nearly 26% since 1995. The number of violent crimes in each of the categories listed, except for murder, decreased between 1995 and 2010. Figure 20 shows the violent crime trends graphically.

[6] Florida Department of Law Enforcement

Table 41: Reported Violent Index Crimes, Palm Beach, by Offense and Year, 1995-2010

Year	Population	Murder	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Violent Index Crime
1995	962,802	63	680	2,485	6,205	9,433
1996	981,793	83	761	2,396	5,714	8,954
1997	1,003,798	76	699	2,904	6,195	9,874
1998	1,020,521	73	802	2,967	6,184	10,026
1999	1,042,196	58	733	2,551	5,453	8,795
2000	1,131,184	67	671	2,369	5,045	8,152
2001	1,154,464	51	772	2,377	5,337	8,537
2002	1,183,197	36	707	2,513	5,577	8,833
2003	1,211,448	61	738	2,632	5,233	8,664
2004	1,242,270	89	723	2,570	5,581	8,963
2005	1,265,900	69	728	2,452	5,261	8,510
2006	1,287,987	92	664	2,909	5,636	9,301
2007	1,295,033	96	624	3,152	5,478	9,350
2008	1,294,654	96	606	2,847	5,110	8,659
2009	1,287,344	86	388	2,667	4,903	8,044
2010	1,286,461	83	600	2,018	4,291	6,992

Source: Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Florida Statistical Analysis Center

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Figure 20: Reported Violent Index Crimes, Palm Beach, by Offense and Year, 1995-2010

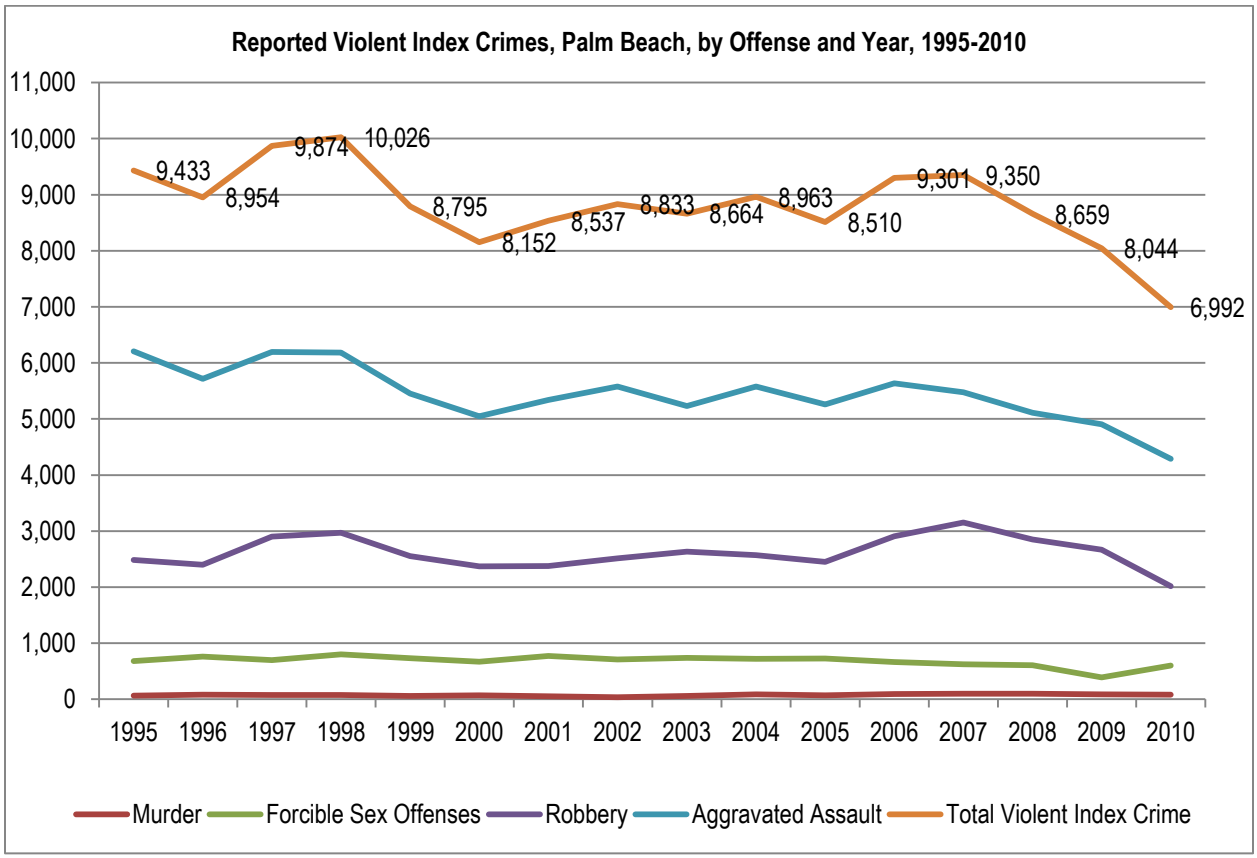

Table 42 shows reported property crimes trends in Palm Beach between 1995 and 2010. Property index crimes include: burglary, larceny and motor vehicle theft. There were 37% fewer property index crimes in 2010 than in 1995.

Table 42: Reported Property Index Crimes, Palm Beach, by Offense and Year, 2010

Year	Population	Burglary	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft	Total Property Index Crime
1995	962,802	17,789	47,285	8,447	73,521
1996	981,793	16,526	46,295	7,661	70,482
1997	1,003,798	16,508	48,768	8,770	74,046
1998	1,020,521	17,474	49,086	10,053	76,613
1999	1,042,196	14,870	42,876	8,754	66,500
2000	1,131,184	14,770	41,801	7,239	63,810
2001	1,154,464	14,759	41,628	7,183	63,570
2002	1,183,197	15,095	43,302	7,807	66,204
2003	1,211,448	14,077	42,502	7,435	64,014
2004	1,242,270	13,239	38,658	6,913	58,810
2005	1,265,900	12,776	35,620	6,151	54,547
2006	1,287,987	12,868	35,571	6,058	54,497
2007	1,295,033	13,666	36,635	5,529	55,830
2008	1,294,654	13,246	36,299	4,637	54,182
2009	1,287,344	13,203	35,361	3,403	51,967
2010	1,286,461	11,534	31,827	2,812	46,173

Source: Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Florida Statistical Analysis Center

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

HEALTH STATUS PROFILE

This section provides data on Palm Beach County's health status for the following health indicator categories: Maternal and Child Health, Behavioral Health, Hospital Utilization, Morbidity and Mortality. The data presented herein can be used to identify health care priorities and to inform policy and program development.

Data in the section may be present as age-adjusted rates or as crude rates. Age adjustment, also called age standardization, is a statistical technique utilized to better allow populations to be compared when the age profiles and distributions within the populations are different.[7] Age adjusted rates are often used to answer the question, ""How does the rate in my county compare to the rate in another even though the distribution of persons by age may vary?"[8] The frequency with which health events occur is almost always related to age. Therefore, in order to examine other risk factors independent of age, age adjustments are often used in public health analyses. The 2000 US Standard population is often used as a guideline to calculate age-adjusted rates.[9] Crude rates, conversely, are the total number of events in a given population over a period of time.[10] Crude rates are useful in examining the burden of disease or death on a community.

MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH

PRENATAL CARE ACCESS

Table 43 shows prenatal care status of births in Palm Beach and the state of Florida as a whole in 2008, 2009 and 2010. Using the Kotelchuck Index to determine adequate care, the percentage of births in Palm Beach where the mother had adequate prenatal care was 73.2% in 2010, up from 67.5% in 2008. A greater percentage of births had prenatal care during the first trimester in Florida (79.3%) than in Palm Beach (75.7%). However, Florida had a higher percentage of births with no prenatal care. The number of births with no prenatal decreased in the county and in Florida in the time period shown.

[7] http://seer.cancer.gov/seerstat/tutorials/aarates/definition.html
[8] http://www.floridacharts.com/charts/calculate.aspx?RepID=6
[9] http://www.floridacharts.com/charts/calculate.aspx?RepID=6
[10] http://medical-dictionary.thefreedictionary.com/crude+rate

Healthy People 2020 Target
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester = 77.9%

Table 43: Prenatal Care, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Palm Beach						Florida		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
	Count			Percentage			Percentage		
Births to Mothers With No Prenatal Care	227	168	120	1.7%	1.3%	1.0%	2.0%	1.7%	1.4%
Births to Mothers With First Trimester Prenatal Care	9,567	9,189	9,391	71.0%	73.3%	75.7%	76.9%	78.3%	79.3%
Births to Mothers With 2nd Trimester Prenatal Care	2,755	2,406	2,221	20.4%	19.2%	17.9%	17.3%	16.7%	16.1%
Births to Mothers With 3rd Trimester Prenatal Care	930	769	676	6.9%	6.1%	5.4%	3.7%	3.3%	3.1%
Births with adequate prenatal care (Kotelchuck index)	9,094	8,834	9,081	67.5%	70.5%	73.2%	68.5%	69.9%	70.3%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

Data Note(s): Starting in 2004, trimester prenatal care began is calculated as the time elapsed from the date of the last menstrual period to the date of the first prenatal care visit. Prior to 2004, these data were obtained by direct question that noted the trimester the mother began prenatal care. Consequently, these data are not comparable to data from prior years. Births with unknown information as to when prenatal care began are excluded from the denominator.

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BIRTH RATES

Total Births

Table 44 shows the number of resident live births in Palm Beach County and Florida for 2008, 2009 and 2010. The rate per 1,000 individuals was lower in Palm Beach for all three years shown and ranged from 10.7 - 11.8 per 1,000.

Table 44: Total Resident Live Births, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Total Births			Rate per 1,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	231,417	221,391	214,519	12.3	11.8	11.4
Palm Beach	15,246	14,177	13,822	11.8	11	10.7

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): Beginning in 2004, The state total for this indicator may be greater than the sum of county totals due to an unknown county of residence on some records. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.
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Birth Rates by Age of Mother

Table 45 shows the numbers of births by the mother's age. The greatest numbers of births in Palm Beach and in Florida were to mothers 20-29 years of age.

Table 45: Number of Births by Mother's Age, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Births to Mothers Ages 10-12	1	2	1	10	6	6
Births to Mothers Ages 13-15	89	63	65	1,245	1,059	904
Births to Mothers Ages 15-17	452	339	302	7,286	6,308	5,398
Births to Mothers Ages 18-19	886	842	708	16,803	15,708	13,744
Births to Mothers Ages 20-29	7,240	6,772	6,457	123,214	118,162	113,762
Births to Mothers Ages 30+	6,646	6,209	6,331	83,749	80,945	81,336

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

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Table 46 shows birth rates per 1,000 by mother's age in Palm Beach and Florida. The birth rate to mothers in the 13-15 age group was slightly higher in Palm Beach (2.9 per 1,000) than in Florida (2.7 per 1,000). The birth rates to mothers in the: 15-17, 18-19, 20-29 age groups were lower in Palm Beach than in Florida.

Healthy People 2020 Target

Pregnancy rate among adolescent females aged 15-17 = 36.2 pregnancies per 1,000

**Note: this target is specific to pregnancies, not births*

Table 46: Birth Rates per 1,000 Women by Age, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	Rate per 1,000					
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Births to Mothers Ages 10-12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Births to Mothers Ages 13-15	3.8	2.8	2.9	3.6	3.1	2.7
Births to Mothers Ages 15-17	19	14.4	12.8	20.4	17.8	15.3
Births to Mothers Ages 18-19	62.5	59.8	50.4	71.5	67.3	59.3
Births to Mothers Ages 20-29	104.8	97.3	91.7	106.8	101.9	97.7
Births to Mothers Ages 30+	14.8	13.9	14.2	13.6	13.1	13.2

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

Data Note: Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor. Denominator is number of females in age group

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Births to Teenage Mothers

Table 47 shows the number of repeat births by mother's age in Palm Beach and Florida in 2008, 2009 and 2010.

Table 47: Number of Repeat Births to Mothers by Age Category, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Repeat Births to Mothers 10-12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Repeat Births to Mothers 15-17	50	37	33	713	598	486
Repeat Births to Mothers 15-19	269	235	176	4,461	4,163	3,412
Repeat Births to Mothers 18-19	219	197	143	3,748	3,522	2,926

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

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Table 48 shows the percent of repeat births by mother's age in Palm Beach and in Florida. Rate of repeats births is calculated by dividing the number of repeat births to mothers in an age group by the number of births to mothers in that age group. The rate of repeat births to mothers in the 15-17 age group was slightly higher in Palm Beach (10.9%) than in Florida (9.0%).

Table 48: Rate/Percent of Repeat Births to Mothers by Age Category, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Repeat Births to Mothers 10-12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Repeat Births to Mothers 15-17	11.1%	10.9%	10.9%	9.8%	9.5%	9.0%
Repeat Births to Mothers 15-19	20.1%	19.9%	17.4%	18.5%	18.9%	17.8%
Repeat Births to Mothers 18-19	24.7%	23.4%	20.2%	22.3%	22.4%	21.3%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

Data Note(s): The percentage of repeat births to teens is now determined by a nationally recognized methodology. If previous results extracted from FloridaCHARTS do not agree with current results, it is due to this change.

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BIRTH WEIGHT

Very Low Birth Weight

Proper prenatal care and healthy behaviors during pregnancy can reduce the likelihood of low birth weight babies. Table 49 shows the number and percentage of live births classified as "very low birth weight", meaning less than 1500 grams (3 lbs., 4 oz.). In 2010, the percentages were similar in Palm Beach (1.5%) and in Florida (1.6%).

Healthy People 2020 Target
Very low birth weight = 1.4% of births

Table 49: Live Births Under 1500 Grams to All Mothers, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Very Low Birth Weight Births			Number of Total Births			Rate / Percent		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	3851	3544	3522	231,417	221,391	214,519	1.7%	1.6%	1.6%
Palm Beach	247	245	211	15,246	14,177	13,822	1.6%	1.7%	1.5%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): Beginning in 2004, The state total for the denominator in these calculations may be greater than the sum of county totals due to an unknown county of residence on some records.

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Low Birth Weight

Table 50 shows the number and percentage of live births classified as “low birth weight”, meaning less than 2500 grams (5 lbs., 4 oz.). In 2010, the percentages were similar in Palm Beach (8.9%) and in Florida (8.7%).

Healthy People 2020 Target
Low birth weight = 7.8%

Table 50: Live Births Under 2500 Grams to All Mothers, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Low Birth Weight Births			Number of Total Births			Rate / Percent		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	20,369	19,297	18,719	231,417	221,391	214,519	8.8%	8.7%	8.7%
Palm Beach	1,381	1,324	1,235	15,246	14,177	13,822	9.1%	9.3%	8.9%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): Beginning in 2004, The state total for the denominator in these calculations may be greater than the sum of county totals due to an unknown county of residence on some records.

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INFANT MORTALITY

Infant Mortality

Infant mortality is the death of an infant 0-364 days old. Infant mortality in Palm Beach County ranged between 5.5 and 6.1 per 1,000 live births in 2008-2010. The rate in Palm Beach was consistently lower than Florida for the time period shown.

Healthy People 2020 Target
Infant deaths within 1 year = 6.0 per 1,000 live births

Table 51: Total Infant Mortality (0-364 days), Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Infant Deaths			Number of Total Live Births			Rate per 1,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	1,667	1,525	1,400	231,417	221,391	214,519	7.2	6.9	6.5
Palm Beach	84	87	77	15,246	14,177	13,822	5.5	6.1	5.6

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): Deaths occurring within 364 days of birth. Beginning in 2004, the state total for the denominator in this calculation may be greater than the sum of county totals due to an unknown county of residence on some records.
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 52 shows infant deaths in Palm Beach and Florida by race and ethnicity. The rate of infant death in Palm Beach was considerably higher among the 'Black & Other' population, ranging from 7.2 -9.5 per 1,000 than in the 'White' population 4.4 - 4.7 per 1,000. The rate of infant deaths in Palm Beach was higher among the 'Non-Hispanic' population, ranging from 5.6-6.7 per 1,000, than in the 'Hispanic' population 4.9 – 5.2 per 1,000. The rates in the county were consistently lower, in all categories shown, than Florida in the time period provided.

Table 52: Infant Deaths Per 1,000 Live Births by Race and Ethnicity, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

Years	Palm Beach				Florida			
	White		Black & Other		White		Black & Other	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
2008	45	4.4	39	7.9	914	5.5	751	11.8
2009	42	4.5	45	9.5	780	4.9	742	12.1
2010	43	4.7	34	7.2	750	4.9	649	10.8

Years	Palm Beach				Florida			
	Hispanic		Non-Hispanic		Hispanic		Non-Hispanic	
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Count	Rate
2008	25	5.2	58	5.6	379	5.7	1,275	7.8
2009	22	5	65	6.7	343	5.5	1,173	7.4
2010	21	4.9	54	5.7	307	5.1	1,074	7

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Note(s): Deaths occurring within 364 days of birth
Compiled by Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Neonatal Mortality

Neonatal mortality is the death of an infant 0-27 days old. Neonatal mortality in Palm Beach County ranged from 3.2 to 4.4 per 1,000 live births between 2008 and 2010. The rate in Palm Beach was lower than Florida for all years shown.

Healthy People 2020 Target
Neonatal deaths = 4.1 per 1,000 live births

Table 53: Total Neonatal Mortality (0-27 days), Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Neonatal Deaths			Number of Total Live Births			Rate per 1,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	1061	995	929	231,417	221,391	214,519	4.6	4.5	4.3
Palm Beach	49	62	46	15,246	14,177	13,822	3.2	4.4	3.3

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): Deaths occurring within 27 days of birth. Beginning in 2004, the state total for the denominator in this calculation may be greater than the sum of county totals due to an unknown county of residence on some records.

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

IMMUNIZATION

Kindergarten Immunization

Having a high percentage of individuals within a population immunized can help prevent the spread of many diseases. Table 54 shows the percent of kindergarten students who have received vaccinations. The 2010 rate in Palm Beach was 90.8%, slightly lower than percentage in Florida (91.3%).

Healthy People 2020 Target
Vaccination coverage levels for children in kindergarten = 95%

Table 54: Immunization Levels in Kindergarten, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

County	Number of Students Immunized			Number of Kindergarten Students			Rate / Percent		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	195,514	199,638	200,264	217,814	218,630	219,254	89.8%	91.3%	91.3%
Palm Beach	13,012	13,219	13,203	14,292	14,331	14,548	91.0%	92.2%	90.8%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Immunization

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Vaccine Preventable Diseases

Table 55 shows the rate per 100,000 individuals of vaccine preventable diseases in Palm Beach and in Florida. Due to the relatively low number of the events in the county, small changes in the number of cases can cause considerable changes in the rate. For the time period shown, the rate was consistently lower in Palm Beach than in Florida with between 24 -39 cases per year.

Table 55: Selected Vaccine Preventable Disease Rate for All Ages, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Cases			Number of Total Population			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	694	838	659	18,812,155	18,819,000	18,788,795	3.7	4.5	3.5
Palm Beach	24	30	39	1,294,035	1,289,159	1,287,224	1.9	2.3	3

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology

Data Note(s): Includes: DIPHTHERIA, ACUTE HEPATITIS B, MEASLES, MUMPS, PERTUSSIS, RUBELLA, TETANUS, AND POLIO, Beginning in 2007, data includes both probable and confirmed cases. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

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ORAL HEALTH

The Palm Beach County Health Department is one of 44 county health departments in the state to offer dental services as part of the dental safety net. The dental safety net "includes facilities, providers, and payment programs to support dental care for underserved populations. In Florida, as nationwide, safety net providers are a source of dental care for Medicaid (and uninsured) patients who do not have access to private providers."[11] In 2011, the Public Health Dentistry Division of the Palm Beach County Health Department had 31,257 dental visits treating 16,962 dental patients.[12]

Table 56 shows the number emergency room visits for dental conditions generally considered preventable in Palm Beach County for 2008-2010.

Table 56: Total Dental Health Emergency Room Visits by Hospital, All Patients, 2008 - 2010

Hospital	2008	2009	2010
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	335	479	371
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	204	204	214
Columbia Hospital	180	164	215
Delray Medical Center	206	225	229
Good Samarian Medical Center	330	381	353
JFK Medical Center	479	608	602
Jupiter Medical Center	147	162	171
Lakeside Medical Center	286	256	291
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	187	163	178
Palms West Hospital	219	327	268
Saint Mary's Medical Center	503	533	587
Wellington Regional Medical Center	94	143	145
West Boca Medical Center	169	179	202
Total	**3339**	**3824**	**3826**

Source: Agency for Health Care Administration

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[11] Healthy Mouth, Health Body, Florida Oral Health Policy,
[12] Public Health Dentistry Division, Palm Beach County Health Department

Table 57 shows emergency room visits by Palm Beach County residents for dental health by payer source. The payer source for the greatest number of visits was 'self-pay', followed by Medicaid. Self-pay indicates that the patient had no insurance coverage.[13]

Table 57: Dental Health Emergency Room Visits by Payer, Palm Beach County Residents, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Medicaid	Commercial	Self-Pay	All Other
2008	683	509	1,394	507
2009	946	544	1,490	606
2010	947	463	1,572	606

Source: Agency for Health Care Administration

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 58 shows access to dental care in Palm Beach County by low income persons. The rate was consistently higher in Palm Beach than in Florida. In 2010, 47.8% of persons below the poverty level reported having access to dental care.

Table 58: Access to Dental Care by Low Income Persons, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Persons w/ Dental Access			Number of Population Below Poverty			Rate Percent		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	675,575	689,062	855,659	2,353,880	2,354,736	2,350,957	28.7%	29.3%	36.4%
Palm Beach	46,607	47,582	60,996	128,406	127,922	127,730	36.3%	37.2%	47.8%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Public Health Dental Program

Note(s): Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.

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[13] Agency for Healthcare Administration, Hospital Inpatient Data File

Table 59 shows the number of emergency room visits by age group for conditions generally considered preventable in Palm Beach County for 2008 - 2010.

Table 59: Dental Health Emergency Room Visits, by Age Group, 2008, 2009, 2010

	2008	2009	2010
Age 0 - 4	186	258	272
Age 5 - 9	71	104	111
Age 10 - 14	50	47	62
Age 15 - 17	63	52	76
Age 18 - 20	216	190	214
Age 21 - 24	381	448	472
Age 25 - 34	939	1082	1010
Age 35 - 44	495	625	618
Age 45 - 54	432	461	422
Age 55 - 64	143	158	174
Age 65 - 74	52	68	75
Age 75 - 84	38	69	56
Age 85 and over	27	24	26

Source: Agency for Health Care Administration

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

This section provides indicators on: domestic violence, sexual behaviors, inpatient utilization of mental health services, alcohol consumption/substance abuse and violence and injury measures.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Table 60 shows reported domestic violence related forcible sex offenses in Palm Beach County from 1995-2010. In 2010, there were 121 reported forcible sex offenses, a decrease from a high of 158 in 1996.

Table 60: Reported Forcible Sex Offenses - Domestic Violence Related, Palm Beach, by Offense and Year, 1995-2010

Year	Rape by Force	Attempted Rape	Forcible Sodomy	Forcible Fondling	Total Forcible Sex Offenses
1995	57	0	15	37	109
1996	98	1	28	31	158
1997	74	1	23	39	137
1998	96	1	18	21	136
1999	63	1	18	57	139
2000	80	0	12	43	135
2001	63	1	27	45	136
2002	58	1	14	32	105
2003	56	2	17	41	116
2004	59	0	15	39	113
2005	50	1	11	40	102
2006	54	0	13	30	97
2007	54	2	10	33	99
2008	74	2	14	43	133
2009	60	0	19	46	125
2010	50	6	12	53	121

Source: Florida Department of Law Enforcement, Florida Statistical Analysis Center

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

YOUTH BULLYING AND DELINQUENT BEHAVIOR

Table 61 shows the percentage of middle and high school youth in Palm Beach and Florida who reported engaging in delinquent behavior in the past year from the Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey. 13.9% of students in the county (7.5% middle school, 18.5% high school), reported 'being drunk or high at school', a rate slightly higher than in Florida.

Table 61: Percentage Youth who Reported Engaging in Delinquent Behavior Within the Past 12 Months, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Carrying a handgun	5.2%	4.1%	4.6%	4.6%	5.1%	4.9%
Selling drugs	3.3%	8.2%	6.2%	3.3%	8.5%	6.3%
Attempting to steal a vehicle	3.1%	1.7%	2.3%	2.1%	2.4%	2.2%
Being arrested	3.6%	4.9%	4.4%	4.1%	5.3%	4.8%
Taking a handgun to school	1.3%	1.0%	1.1%	0.8%	1.1%	1.0%
Getting suspended	16.9%	9.4%	12.6%	16.2%	13.6%	14.7%
Attacking someone with intent to harm	11.2%	9.1%	10.0%	10.8%	10.5%	10.6%
Being drunk or high at school	7.5%	18.5%	13.9%	7.4%	17.0%	12.9%

Source: Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 62 shows the percentage of middle and high school youth in Palm Beach and Florida who reported involvement in bullying behavior. 24.5% of youth in the county reported 'bullying caused worry', a rate slightly higher than Florida. Over a quarter of youth, in Palm Beach and Florida, reported being taunted or teased in the past 30 days. Reports of bullying others were higher among middle school students.

Table 62: Percentage of Youth Who Reported Involvement in Bullying Behavior, Palm Beach, Florida 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Bullying caused worry	30.9%	19.8%	24.5%	29.8%	17.8%	23.0%
Skipped school because of bullying	2.5%	4.3%	3.5%	3.7%	3.9%	3.8%
Was kicked or shoved in past 30 days	16.3%	7.1%	10.9%	18.4%	8.2%	12.6%
Was taunted or teased in past 30 days	33.8%	20.8%	26.2%	36.6%	21.4%	28.0%
Was victim of cyber bullying in past 30 days	7.8%	10.8%	9.6%	8.6%	9.3%	9.0%
Physically bullied others in past 30 days	16.1%	6.1%	10.3%	13.6%	8.5%	10.7%
Verbally bullied others in past 30 days	26.5%	13.8%	19.1%	23.2%	16.6%	19.5%
Cyber bullied others in past 30 days	5.4%	6.1%	5.8%	5.7%	6.3%	6.0%

Source: Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

SEXUAL BEHAVIORS

This section looks at sexual health and related behaviors and includes indicators on unwanted sexual experiences, testing for HIV and pregnancy prevention. Data on sexually transmitted diseases and infections, including HIV and AIDS can be found in the morbidity and mortality sections of the assessment.

Table 63 shows the percentage of adults who reported, in the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey (BRFSS), they had an unwanted sexual experience in the past year. The percentage in Palm Beach was 4.7%, putting it in quartile 1 (of 4), the most favorable among the counties.

Table 63: Percentage of Adults who had an unwanted sexual experience in the past 12 months, Palm Beach, Florida, 2007

	Total	Quartile
Florida	6.7%	
Palm Beach	4.7%	1

Source: FloridaCHARTS, BRFSS

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Sexually Transmitted Infections/Diseases

Please refer to the section on Morbidity and Mortality section for data sexually transmitted infections and diseases (STIs and STDs).

Adults Tested for HIV

As seen in Table 64, 45.5% percent of adults in Palm Beach County, less than 65 years of age, report having ever been tested for HIV. This rate is lower than Florida with 48.4% of the population reporting having been tested. Based on a scale of 1 through 4; with quartile 1 representing the highest percentages of individuals being tested for HIV among Florida counties, Palm Beach is ranked in quartile 3.

Table 64: Adults less than 65 years of age who have ever been tested for HIV, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Percentage	Quartile
Florida	48.4%	
Palm Beach	45.5%	3

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida County-level Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance Telephone Survey conducted by the Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 65 shows information on HIV testing in the county by sex and race. In 2011, there were 32,727 tests in the County with 298 positive results, .91% positive. The percentage positive rate was considerably higher in males than females or transgender individuals. The percentage positive was highest in Black individuals.

Table 65: HIV Testing Data Summary Report, Palm Beach County, 2011

	Negative	Positive	Total Tested*	Percentage Positive
SEX				
Female	19,767	115	19,899	0.58%
Male	12,255	181	12,462	1.45%
Transgender	15	-	-	0.00%
Missing Data	349	2	351	0.57%
Grand Total	32,386	298	32,727	0.91%
RACE				
Asian	261	-	261	0.00%
Black	41,311	196	14,538	1.35%
Hispanic	10,330	44	10,384	0.42%
Amer Indian/Alaskan	67	-	67	0.00%
Native Hawaiian/ Pac Isle	24	-	24	0.00%
White	6,436	47	6,485	0.72%
Mixed	137	2	139	1.44%
Refused	19	1	20	5.00%
Missing Data	801	8	809	0.99%

Source: Florida Department of Health, Division of Disease Control

Notes:* Indeterminate test results are not shown, but are included in the total tested

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Prevention of Pregnancy

As shown in Table 66, 52.0% of females (less than 45 years old) or males (less than 60 years old) in Palm Beach County reported taking measures to prevent pregnancy compared to 56.2% in Florida.

Table 66: Percentage of Females less than 45 years old or males less than 60 years old who report that they or their partner take measures to prevent pregnancy, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Total
Florida	56.2%
Palm Beach	52.0%

Data Source: Florida County-level Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance Telephone Survey conducted by the Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology.

Data Note: Quartiles are not calculated when data is not available for all counties.

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INPATIENT UTILIZATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH

Number of Psychiatric Beds

Table 67 shows the number of adult psychiatric beds in Palm Beach County and in Florida. There are 181 psychiatric hospital beds in the county resulting in a rate of 14.1 per 100,000 individuals, slightly lower than the rate in Florida.

Table 67: Adult Psychiatric Beds, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Beds			Number of Total Population			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	3,284	3,286	3,459	18,812,155	18,819,000	18,788,795	17.5	17.5	18.4
Palm Beach	181	181	181	1,294,035	1,289,159	1,287,224	14	14	14.1

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA), Certificate of Need Office

Data Note(s): Data as of December of the specified year. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

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As illustrated in Table 68, results from the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System Survey (BRFSS), show that 90.6% of the population in the county, and 88.2% of the population in the state of Florida reported being in good mental health.

Table 69 shows the average number of unhealthy mental days in the past 30 days reported by individuals in Palm Beach County and in Florida. Palm Beach County residents reported and average of 3.2 unhealthy mental dates, slightly more favorable than the 3.6 days reported in Florida.

Table 68: Adults with Good Mental Health, Palm Beach, Florida 2010

	Percentage	Quartile
Florida	88.2%	
Palm Beach	90.6%	1

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida County-level Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance Telephone Survey conducted by the Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 69: Average number of unhealthy mental days in the past 30 days, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Total	Quartile
Florida	3.8	
Palm Beach	3.2	1

Source: FloridaCHARTS, BRFSS

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Excessive alcohol consumption is the third leading lifestyle-related cause of death for people in the United States each year.[14] Excessive drinking is a risk factor associated with number of adverse health outcomes including: alcohol poisoning, hypertension, acute myocardial infarction, sexually transmitted infections, unintended pregnancy, fetal alcohol syndrome, sudden infant death syndrome, suicide, interpersonal violence, and motor vehicle crashes.[15]

Excessive drinking, as used by the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), includes binge drinking and/or heavy drinking and is a frequently used indicator at the population level. Binge drinking is defined as drinking five or more drinks on a single occasion for men and four or more drinks on a single occasion for women. Heavy drinking is defined as drinking more than two drinks per day on average for men and more than one drink per day on average for women.[16]

[14] Mokdad AH, Marks JS, Stroup DF, Gerberding JL. Actual causes of death in the United States, 2000. *JAMA* 2004;291(10):1238–1245.
[15] The University of Wisconsin, population Health Institute, County Health Rankings, http:// www.countryhealthrankings.org/health-factors/alcohol-use
[16] Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Web Site: Alcohol and Public Health. http://www.cdc.gov/alcohol/index.htm. Updated January 13, 2011. Accessed February 8, 2011

Table 70 shows the percentage of adults, by sex, who report engaging in heavy or binge drinking in Palm Beach in Florida. The percentage of males in the county who engage in heavy or binge drinking is 20.1%, which is over double the rate reported among females (9.8%). The same trend can be observed for state of Florida.

Table 70: Adults who engage in heavy or binge drinking, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Male	Quartile	Female	Quartile
Florida	19.8%		10.5%	
Palm Beach	20.1%	3	9.8%	3

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida County-level Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance Telephone Survey conducted by the Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 71 shows the trend from 2002 to 2010 in the percentage of high school students who reported using alcohol in the past 30 days in Palm Beach and Florida. In 2010, 41.8% of high school students in Palm Beach County reported using alcohol in the past 30 days, slightly higher than the percentage in Florida. The 2010 percentage in Palm Beach decreased from a high of 48.3% in 2004.

Table 71: Percent of High School Students Who Have Used Alcohol in Past 30 Days, Palm Beach, Florida, 2002-2012

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	40.8%		42.0%		41.8%		39.5%		38.0%
Palm Beach	38.8%		48.3%		46.3%		42.2%		41.8%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Children and Families

Data Note(s): Data source is the Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey (FYSAS). Blanks indicate counties that did not participate in the survey. This is the percent of students reporting any use of alcohol in past 30 days. Data are not collected every year.

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 72 shows the usual drinking location reported by high school drinkers in Palm Beach and Florida. The most frequent location in Palm Beach and Florida was 'another person's home' with 53.7% of high school drinkers in Palm Beach reporting this as their usual drinking location, followed by 'my home' (18.5%).

Table 72: Among high school drinkers, usual drinking location within the past 30 days, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Palm Beach	Florida
My home	18.5%	24.6%
Another person's home	53.7%	48.9%
Car or other vehicle	2.0%	1.9%
Restaurant, bar or club	6.0%	4.0%
Public place	6.3%	5.1%
Public event	0.3%	1.2%
School property	1.2%	1.1%
Some other place	12.0%	13.2%

Source: Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 73 shows the percent of high school students who reported using marijuana/hashish in the previous 30 days. In 2010, 22.7% of high school students in Palm Beach and 18.6% of students in Florida reported use in the past 30 days.

Table 73: Percent of High School Students Using Marijuana/Hashish in Past 30 Days, Palm Beach, Florida, 2002-2010

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	17.2%		16.4%		16.0%		16.2%		18.6%
Palm Beach	20.6%		19.4%		17.3%		17.4%		22.7%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Children and Families

Data Note(s): Data source is the Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey (FYSAS). Blanks indicate counties that did not participate in the survey. This is the percent of students reporting any use of marijuana in past 30 days. Data are not collected every year.

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Table 74 shows the percentage of middle school and high school youth reporting substance use in the previous 30 days in the 2010 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey. In Palm Beach, 36.6% reported 'alcohol or any illicit drug' use, 2.5% higher than in Florida. 22.7% of Palm Beach high school students survey reported marijuana or hashish use in the previous 30 days, over 4% higher than in Florida. Figure 19 shows this data graphically.

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Proportion of adolescents (12-17) reporting engaging in binge drinking in past month = 8.5%

Proportion of adolescents (12-17) reporting use of marijuana in past 30 days = 6.0%

Table 74: 30 Day Youth Consumption, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Any Alcohol	19.1%	41.8%	32.4%	16.8%	38.0%	28.8%
Binge Drinking	6.6%	21.0%	15.0%	6.9%	19.6%	14.1%
Cigarettes	2.9%	11.2%	7.8%	4.5%	12.1%	8.8%
Marijuana or Hashish	6.0%	22.7%	15.8%	5.7%	18.6%	13.0%
Inhalants	5.1%	1.8%	3.1%	4.8%	2.0%	3.2%
Club Drugs	0.6%	2.2%	1.5%	0.6%	1.7%	1.3%
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.4%	1.8%	1.2%	0.7%	1.4%	1.1%
Methamphetamine	0.9%	0.1%	0.4%	0.6%	0.5%	0.5%
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	1.2%	0.6%	0.8%	0.7%	0.9%	0.8%
Heroin	0.6%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.4%	0.4%
Depressants	0.5%	2.4%	1.6%	1.1%	2.7%	2.0%
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.3%	1.8%	1.6%	2.2%	3.4%	2.9%
Prescription Amphetamines	0.8%	1.4%	1.1%	0.6%	1.4%	1.1%
Steroids (without a doctor's order)	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%
Over-the-Counter Drugs	3.1%	2.4%	2.7%	2.2%	2.9%	2.6%
Any Illicit Other Than Marijuana	8.4%	9.4%	9.0%	8.5%	10.0%	9.3%
Alcohol or Any Illicit Drug	23.5%	46.0%	36.6%	21.8%	43.6%	34.1%

Source: Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Data Note: The first 15 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. Binge drinking is defined as having had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row in the past two weeks. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs.

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Figure 21: 30 Day Youth Consumption, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

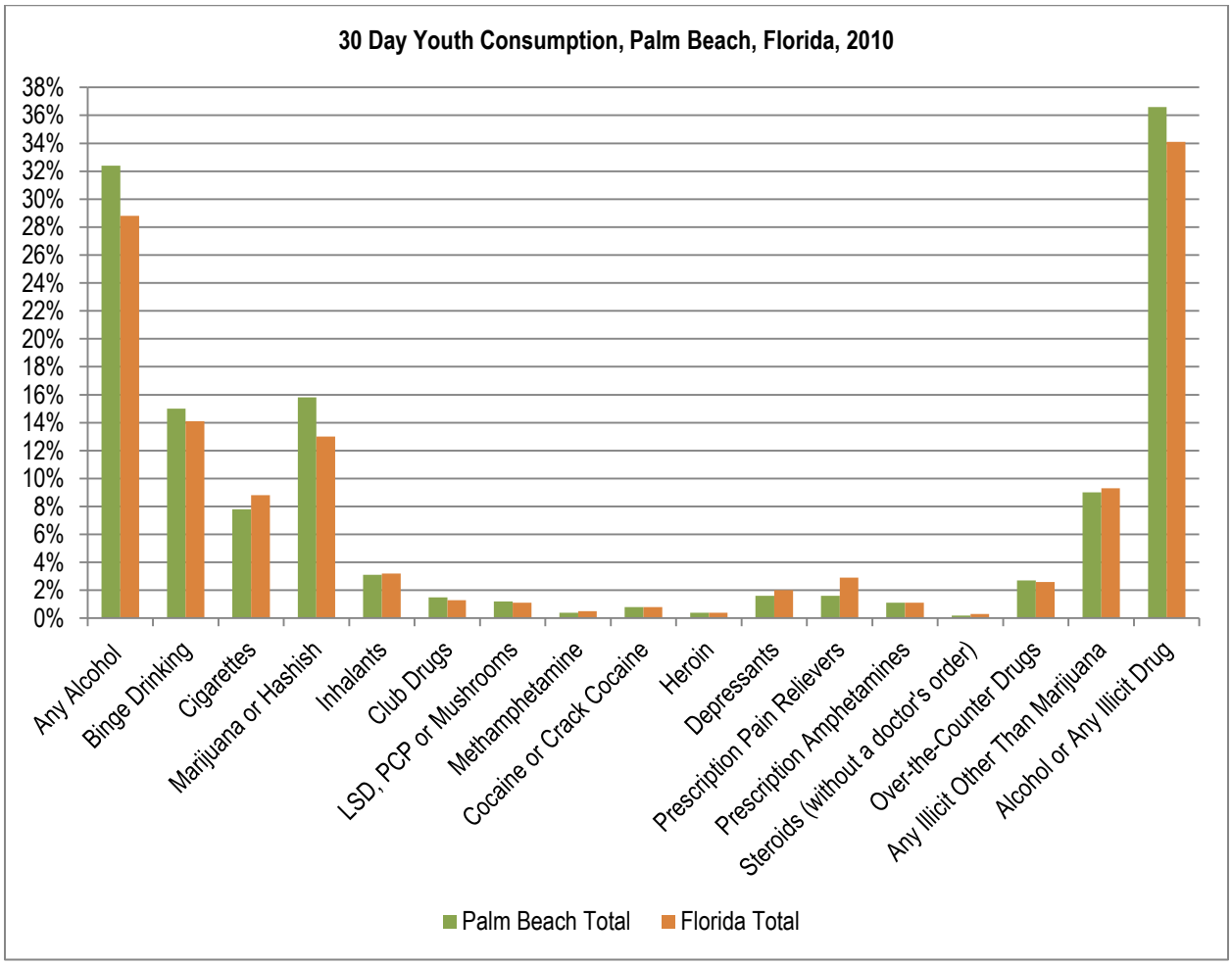

Table 75 shows emergency room discharges of Palm Beach County residents by age with a principal diagnosis of 'drug/alcohol', 'mental health', 'injury' or 'unclassified' mapped using the NYU Algorithm.

Table 75: Emergency Room Discharges, Principal Diagnosis, Drug/Alcohol, Mental Health, Injury, Unclassified, Palm Beach Residents, 2010

Age	Principal Diagnosis			
	Drug/Alcohol	Mental Health	Injury	Unclassified
0 - 17	176	471	21,541	9,309
18 - 39	1,906	2,596	25,423	12,066
40 - 64	1,806	2,087	21,331	9,638
65+	170	751	17,889	9,019
Total	**4,058**	**5,905**	**86,184**	**40,032**

Source: Agency for Health Care Administration

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

VIOLENCE AND INJURY

Suicides and Self-Inflicted Injuries

Table 76 shows the trend in age-adjusted suicide death rate per 100,000 for Palm Beach and Florida. In 2010 there were 189 deaths by suicide in Palm Beach County. The crude death rate in Palm Beach County in 2010 was 14.7 per 100,000. Figure 20 shows trends in age-adjusted suicide rate graphically.

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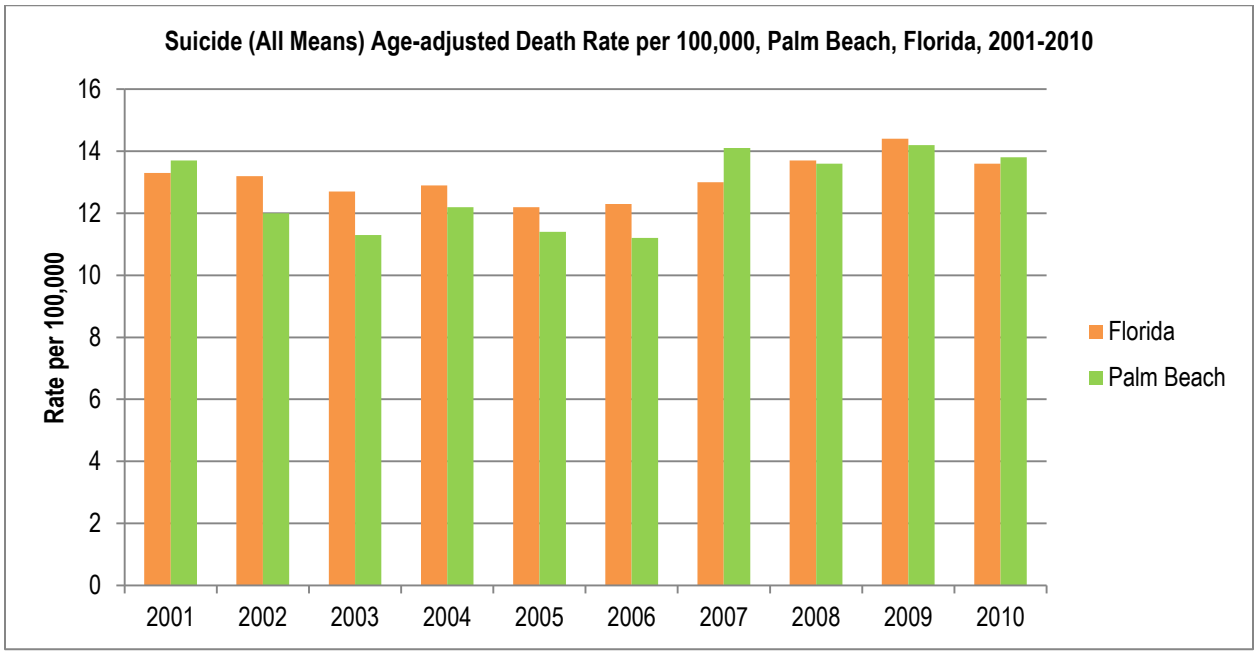
Suicide rate = 10.2 suicides per 100,000

Table 76: Suicide (All Means) Age-adjusted Death Rate per 100,000, Palm Beach, Florida, 2001-2010

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	13.3	13.2	12.7	12.9	12.2	12.3	13	13.7	14.4	13.6
Palm Beach	13.7	12	11.3	12.2	11.4	11.2	14.1	13.6	14.2	13.8
Count										
Palm Beach	172	153	149	168	146	157	193	186	191	189

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): ICD-10 Code(s): X60-X84, Y87.0. Rates are calculated using population estimates provided by the Florida Legislature, Office of Economic and Demographic Research. All age-adjusted rates utilize the Year 2000. Starting with 2003 deaths, the sum of the deaths from all counties will not equal the total number of resident deaths due to an unknown county of residence on some records. Standard Population Proportion.
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Figure 22: Suicide (All Means) Age-adjusted Death Rate per 100,000, Palm Beach, Florida, 2001-2010



Injury from Firearm Discharge

Table 77 shows the age-adjusted death rate from firearm discharge trend from 2001-2010. This indicator includes intentional and unintentional firearm discharge. In 2010 there were 158 deaths by firearm discharge in the county and an age-adjusted death rate of 12.9 per 100,000, slightly higher than the rate in Florida. The crude death rate for the county in 2010 was 12.3 per 100,000.

Table 77: Firearms Discharge Age-adjusted Death Rate per 100,000 Palm Beach, Florida 2001-2010

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	10.6	10.8	10.9	10.3	9.8	10.8	11.8	12	11.9	11.4
Palm Beach	10.5	8.6	9.8	12	10.2	11.1	12.4	12.2	12.4	12.9
Count										
Palm Beach	121	104	118	148	121	141	156	147	150	158

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

Data Note(s): ICD-10 Code(s): W32-W34, X93-X95, X72-X74, Y22-Y24. Rates are calculated using population estimates provided by the Florida Legislature, Office of Economic and Demographic Research. All age-adjusted rates utilize the Year 2000 Standard Population Proportion. Starting with 2003 deaths, the sum of the deaths from all counties will not equal the total number of resident deaths due to an unknown county of residence on some records.

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HOSPITAL UTILIZATION

Utilization at Palm Beach County Hospitals

Tables 78 through 91 detail utilization Palm Beach County hospital's including: number of licensed beds, occupancy rate, average length of stay, number of admissions and total patient days, Medicare eligible admissions, obstetrical and newborn services, acute care, medical surgical services, specialty services, critical care utilization, emergency department utilization, observations cases, rehabilitation utilization, psychiatric bed utilization and hospital procedures for January 2011 to December 2011.

Table 78: Total Hospital Utilization for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Licensed	Avg. Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg. Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	401	295.1	73.6%	20,584	107,716	5.2
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	394	200.1	50.8%	15,925	73,020	4.6
Columbia Hospital	250	112.4	45.0%	9,835	41,019	4.2
Delray Medical Center	493	262.8	53.3%	18,496	95,929	5.2
Good Samaritan Medical Center	333	105.8	31.8%	8,781	38,621	4.4
JFK Medical Center	460	352.8	76.7%	29,017	128,754	4.4
Jupiter Medical Center	163	123.9	76.0%	9,977	45,209	4.5
Lakeside Medical Center	73	28	38.4%	3,064	10,220	3.3
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	199	128.2	64.4%	9,931	46,789	4.7
Palms West Hospital	175	128.8	73.6%	12,403	47,010	3.8
Saint Mary's Medical Center	463	291.4	62.9%	17,285	106,373	6.2
The Jerome Golden Center For Behavioral Health, Inc.	44	27.4	62.2%	2,529	9,994	4
Wellington Regional Medical Center	158	118.4	75.0%	10,567	43,234	4.1
West Boca Medical Center	195	111.4	57.1%	9,927	40,650	4.1
TOTAL	**3,801**	**163.32**	**60.1%**	**178,321**	**834,538**	**4.5**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 79: Total Hospital Medicare Eligible (65+) for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Admissions 65+	Admissions % Total	Patient Days 65+	Days % Total	65+ Average length of stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	3,725	18.1%	21,948	20.4%	5.9
Columbia Hospital	2,208	22.5%	12,288	30.0%	5.6
Delray Medical Center	9,404	50.8%	51,846	54.0%	5.5
Good Samaritan Medical Center	3,524	40.1%	16,852	43.6%	4.8
JFK Medical Center	9,774	33.7%	42,301	32.9%	4.3
Jupiter Medical Center	4,551	45.6%	18,292	40.5%	4
Lakeside Medical Center	505	16.5%	2,180	21.3%	4.3
Palms West Hospital	2,293	18.5%	11,078	23.6%	4.8
Saint Mary's Medical Center	2,145	12.4%	15,318	14.4%	7.1
The Jerome Golden Center For Behavioral Health, Inc.	281	11.1%	1,651	16.5%	5.9
West Boca Medical Center	2,286	23.0%	10,003	24.6%	4.4
TOTAL	**40,696**	**26.6%**	**203,757**	**29.3%**	**5**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 80: Total Obstetrical Services in Palm Beach County, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Allocated	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	34	27.1	79.7%	3,054	9,888	8.3
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	24	13.4	55.9%	1,873	4,900	2.6
Good Samaritan Medical Center	34	5.5	16.1%	777	1,997	2.6
Jupiter Medical Center	12	7.4	61.3%	1,105	2,687	2.4
Lakeside Medical Center	11	3.7	33.3%	612	1,337	2
Palms West Hospital	15	7.8	51.9%	1,117	2,839	2.5
Saint Mary's Medical Center	68	37.6	55.3%	3,771	13,722	3.6
Wellington Regional Medical Ctr.	19	18.7	98.4%	2,397	6,826	2.8
West Boca Medical Center	39	17.7	45.4%	2,271	6,461	2.8
TOTAL	**256**	**15.4**	**55.3%**	**16,977**	**50,657**	**3.3**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 81: Total Newborn Services in Palm Beach County, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Bassinets Allocated	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Live Births	Newborn Days	Avg Length of Stay	Stillbirths
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	33	17.6	53.3%	2,845	6,418	2.3	8
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	26	5.9	22.6%	1,839	2,143	1.2	6
Good Samaritan Medical Center	24	4.1	17.1%	725	1,496	2.1	10
Jupiter Medical Center	14	6.6	47.0%	1,105	2,400	2.2	0
Lakeside Medical Center	14	3	21.1%	571	1,079	1.9	11
Palms West Hospital	16	6.5	40.4%	1,015	2,357	2.3	2
Saint Mary's Medical Center	24	19.8	82.7%	3,421	7,245	2.1	70
Wellington Regional Medical Ctr.	19	11.9	62.5%	2,290	4,337	1.9	34
West Boca Medical Center	24	11.6	48.4%	2,056	4,241	2.1	0
TOTAL	**194**	**9.67**	**43.9%**	**15,867**	**31,716**	**2**	**141**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 82: Medical Surgical Services Utilization for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Allocated	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	257	186.9	72.7%	10,855	68,214	14.4
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	333	161.3	48.4%	13,562	58,869	4.3
Columbia Hospital	142	33.8	23.8%	3,458	12,328	3.6
Delray Medical Center	142	79.7	56.2%	6,671	29,105	4.4
Good Samaritan Medical Center	228	61.7	27.1%	5,267	22,523	4.3
JFK Medical Center	389	306.1	78.7%	25,385	111,730	4.3
Jupiter Medical Center	129	102.5	79.4%	8,461	37,405	4.4
Lakeside Medical Center	34	8.3	24.4%	667	3,031	4.2
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Ctr.	65	37.6	57.8%	3,274	13,715	4.2
Palms West Hospital	105	80.2	76.4%	7,258	29,280	4
Saint Mary's Medical Center	140	85	60.7%	5,245	31,021	5.1
Wellington Regional Medical Ctr.	98	73.2	74.7%	7,102	26,731	3.8
West Boca Medical Center	42	28.9	68.8%	2,754	10,553	3.8
TOTAL	**2,104**	**95.78**	**57.6%**	**99,959**	**454,505**	**5**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 83: Acute Care Utilization for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Allocated	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	355	252.2	71.0%	19,445	92,037	10.9
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	384	196.8	51.3%	15,866	71,835	4.5
Columbia Hospital	162	41.4	25.6%	4,058	15,109	3.7
Delray Medical Center	350	213.3	60.9%	16,305	77,846	4.8
Good Samaritan Medical Ctr.	326	105.6	32.4%	8,761	38,545	4.4
JFK Medical Center	441	346	78.5%	28,272	126,283	4.3
Jupiter Medical Center	163	123.9	76.0%	9,977	45,209	4.5
Lakeside Medical Center	73	28	38.4%	3,064	10,220	3
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Ctr.	199	128.2	64.4%	9,931	46,789	4.7
Palms West Hospital	175	128.8	73.6%	12,403	47,010	3.8
Saint Mary's Medical Center	328	210.5	64.2%	14,403	76,826	5
Wellington Regional Medical Ctr.	133	105	78.9%	10,253	38,311	3.7
West Boca Medical Center	161	96	59.6%	9,582	35,038	3.7
TOTAL	**3,250**	**151.98**	**59.6%**	**162,320**	**721,058**	**4.7**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 84: Critical Care Utilization for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Allocated	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	46	27.1	58.8%	3,695	9,879	6
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	27	21.6	80.2%	430	7,900	18.4
Columbia Hospital	20	7.6	38.1%	600	2,781	4.6
Delray Medical Center	59	35.4	59.9%	2,658	12,906	4.9
Good Samaritan Medical Ctr.	39	38.4	98.5%	2,717	14,025	5.2
JFK Medical Center	52	39.9	76.7%	2,887	14,553	5
Jupiter Medical Center	22	14	63.7%	411	5,117	12.5
Lakeside Medical Center	4	3.3	82.5%	231	1,205	3.2
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Ctr.	44	28.1	63.9%	1,820	10,267	5.6
Palms West Hospital	14	12.9	92.4%	918	4,722	5.1
Saint Mary's Medical Center	39	38.9	99.8%	1,500	14,203	8.8
Wellington Regional Medical Ctr.	16	13	81.4%	754	4,754	6.2
West Boca Medical Center	21	16.2	77.3%	1,558	5,925	3.8
TOTAL	**403**	**22.8**	**74.9%**	**20,179**	**108,237**	**6.9**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 85: Other Acute Care Services Utilization for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Allocated	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	3	2	66.2%	342	725	4.6
Delray Medical Center	149	98.2	65.9%	6,976	35,835	5.1
Kindred Hospital The Palm Beaches	12	0	0.0%	0	0	n/a
Lakeside Medical Center	16	8.1	50.5%	887	2,950	3.1
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	90	62.5	69.4%	4,837	22,807	4.7
West Boca Medical Center	42	26	61.9%	2,142	9,484	4.4
TOTAL	**312**	**32.8**	**52.3%**	**15,184**	**71,801**	**4.38**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 86: Total Rehabilitation Services Utilization in Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Beds Licensed	Avg Daily Census	Occupancy Rate	Number of Admissions	Patient Days	Avg Length of Stay
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	28	26.4	94.2%	779	9,629	28.6
Delray Medical Center	90	21.8	24.3%	427	7,974	18.7
Saint Mary's Medical Center	50	10.4	20.9%	251	3,806	15.1
TOTAL	**168**	**19.53**	**46.5%**	**1,457**	**21,409**	**20.8**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 87: Total Adult & Child/Adolescent Psychiatric Hospital Utilization, January - December 2011

Adult Psychiatric Utilization						
Agency Name	**Beds Licensed**	**Avg Daily Census**	**Occupancy Rate**	**Number of Admissions**	**Patient Days**	**Avg Length of Stay**
Columbia Hospital	61	56	91.7%	4,161	20,427	4.9
Delray Medical Center	36	23.4	65.0%	1,341	8,547	6.4
JFK Medical Center	18	6.8	37.6%	745	2,471	0.7
Saint Mary's Medical Center	40	31	77.6%	1,927	11,324	5.9
The Jerome Golden Center For Behavioral Health, Inc.	44	27.4	62.2%	2,529	9,994	4
TOTAL	**199**	**28.92**	**66.8%**	**10,703**	**52,763**	**4.38**
Child/Adolescent Psychiatric Utilization						
Columbia Hospital	27	15	55.6%	1,616	5,483	3.4
TOTAL	**27**	**15**	**55.6%**	**1,616**	**5,483**	**3.4**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 88: Total CT and MRI Scans for Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Total CT Scans	Total MRI
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	19,873	5,223
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	29,665	10,938
Columbia Hospital	7,000	1,397
Delray Medical Center	34,607	7,237
Good Samaritan Medical Center	16,816	3,787
JFK Medical Center	40,326	8,287
Jupiter Medical Center	26,568	5,084
Kindred Hospital The Palm Beaches	291	n/a
Lakeside Medical Center	4,338	693
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	14,208	1,887
Palms West Hospital	19,365	4,767
Saint Mary's Medical Center	21,639	4,699
Select Specialty Hospital-Palm Beach, In	423	n/a
Wellington Regional Medical Center	19,359	2,823
West Boca Medical Center	13,706	3,689
TOTAL	**268,184**	**60,511**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 89: Total Hospital Surgical Procedures Utilization for Palm Beach County, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Inpatient	Outpatient	Total
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	4,506	4,562	9,068
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	3,919	4,773	8,692
Columbia Hospital	1,554	2,382	3,936
Delray Medical Center	4,890	2,507	7,397
Good Samaritan Medical Center	2,590	4,499	7,089
JFK Medical Center	6,567	4,032	10,599
Jupiter Medical Center	3,161	3,124	6,285
Lakeside Medical Center	661	412	1,073
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	3,025	1,537	4,562
Palms West Hospital	2,961	2,527	5,488
Saint Mary's Medical Center	5,294	3,977	9,271
Select Specialty Hospital-Palm Beach, In	140	0	140
Wellington Regional Medical Center	5,061	5,979	11,040
West Boca Medical Center	2,452	4,136	6,588

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 90: Total Open Heart, Catheterizations and Angioplasties - Adult & Pediatric Hospital Utilization, January - December 2011

Adult						
Agency Name	**Open Heart**	**Cathe Inpatient**	**Cathe Outpatient**	**Angio Inpatient**	**Angio Outpatient**	**Cathe + Angio Total**
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	259	1,194	347	0	0	1,541
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	211	832	652	334	188	2,006
Delray Medical Center	252	1,073	1,093	0	0	2,166
Good Samaritan Medical Center	0	201	191	0	0	392
JFK Medical Center	382	3,742	2,201	0	0	5,943
Jupiter Medical Center	0	83	48	0	0	131
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	326	1,686	2,445	0	0	4,131
Palms West Hospital	0	1,949	405	0	0	2,354
Wellington Regional Medical Center	0	359	129	0	0	488
TOTAL	**1,430**	**11,119**	**7,511**	**334**	**188**	**19,152**
Pediatric						
Saint Mary's Medical Center	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT UTILIZATION

Table 91 shows utilization of Palm Beach County hospitals' emergency departments in 2011.

Table 91: Total Emergency Department Utilization in Palm Beach County Hospitals, January - December 2011

Agency Name	Adult Visits	Pediatric Visits	Total Visits	Adult Admit	Pediatric Admit	Total Admit
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	49,836	10,003	59,839	14,820	883	15,703
Boca Raton Regional Hospital	37,447	3,519	40,966	10,189	25	10,214
Columbia Hospital	22,766	1,031	23,797	7,414	1,623	9,037
Delray Medical Center	38,458	1,482	39,940	13,618	56	13,674
Good Samaritan Medical Center	27,322	1,066	28,388	5,809	0	5,809
JFK Medical Center	65,876	4,853	70,729	29,304	0	29,304
Jupiter Medical Center	19,811	2,805	22,616	6,975	1	6,976
Lakeside Medical Center	15,448	6,940	22,388	1,733	360	2,306
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	23,473	1,737	27,359	7,373	0	7,373
Palms West Hospital	26,773	16,158	42,931	7,493	2,537	10,030
Saint Mary's Medical Center	26,593	20,987	47,580	7,121	2,946	10,067
Wellington Regional Medical Center	n/a	n/a	41,069	n/a	n/a	6,851
West Boca Medical Center	18,570	8,347	26,917	6,072	855	6,927
TOTAL	**372,373**	**78,928**	**494,519**	**117,921**	**9,286**	**134,271**

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 92 shows the top 20 emergency department discharge diagnoses (ICD-9 codes), by age for Palm Beach County residents.

Table 92: Emergency Department, Top 20 Diagnoses, Palm Beach Residents, 2010

ICD9	Primary Diagnosis	Discharges		0-17	18-64	65+
789.00	Abdmnal Pain Unspcf Site	10,140	3.00%	1,350	7,532	1,258
465.9	Acute Uri Nos	7,785	2.30%	5,585	1,963	237
959.01	Head Injury Nos	6,531	1.90%	2,232	2,445	1,854
784.0	Headache	6,127	1.80%	639	4,790	698
599.0	Urin Tract Infection Nos	5,989	1.70%	994	3,719	1,276
382.9	Otitis Media Nos	5,712	1.70%	4,789	882	41
558.9	Noninf Gastroenterit Nec	5,692	1.70%	2,967	2,286	439
786.59	Chest Pain Nec	5,407	1.60%	117	3,861	1,429
847.0	Sprain Of Neck	4,904	1.40%	373	4,021	510
466.0	Acute Bronchitis	4,821	1.40%	1,239	3,020	562
462	Acute Pharyngitis	4,570	1.30%	1,988	2,463	119
786.50	Chest Pain Nos	4,541	1.30%	288	3,167	1,086
780.60	Fever Nos	4,503	1.30%	3,359	866	278
920	Contusion Face/scalp/nck	3,678	1.10%	1,025	1,587	1,066
724.5	Backache Nos	3,632	1.10%	130	2,884	618
780.2	Syncope And Collapse	3,539	1.00%	403	1,723	1,413
780.4	Dizziness And Giddiness	3,461	1.00%	82	2,040	1,339
401.9	Hypertension Nos	3,360	1.00%	18	1,917	1,425
883.0	Open Wound Of Finger	3,204	0.90%	454	2,275	475
493.92	Asthma Nos W (ac) Exac	3,167	0.90%	1,489	1,569	109
	Other	179,723	52.40%	37,244	110,134	32,345
Grand Total			**343,165**	**79,452**	**204,872**	**58,841**

Source: Agency for Health Care Administration, Emergency Department Database

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 93 shows the top 20 external injury codes for emergency department diagnoses for Palm Beach County residents, by age, in 2010.

Table 93: Emergency Department Discharges, External Injury Codes, Top 20, Palm Beach Residents, 2010

Code	External Injury Description	Discharges		Avg. Charge	0-17	18-64	65+
	(Unclassified/Blank Field)	124,335	76.10%	$4,331	33,675	72,374	18,286
E885.9	Fall From Slipping Nec	5,714	3.50%	$5,348	1,013	2,051	2,650
E928.9	Accident Nos	4,047	2.50%	$2,710	752	2,659	636
E812.0	Mv Collision Nos-driver	3,591	2.20%	$5,263	58	3,238	295
E888.9	Fall Nos	2,102	1.30%	$5,099	519	735	848
E927.8	Overexert Reptv Mvmt Nec	2,006	1.20%	$2,084	357	1,516	133
E917.9	Obj W-W/O Sub Fall Nec	1,746	1.10%	$2,989	671	851	224
E947.9	Adv Eff Medicinal Nos	1,606	1.00%	$1,910	447	963	196
E920.8	Acc-cutting Instrum Nec	1,422	0.90%	$1,640	282	912	228
E812.1	Mv Collision Nos-pasngr	1,352	0.80%	$4,714	344	894	114
E920.3	Knife/sword/dagger Acc	740	0.50%	$1,369	80	548	112
E927.0	Overxrt-sudn Stren Mvmt	726	0.40%	$1,790	133	527	66
E888.1	Fall Striking Object Nec	719	0.40%	$4,698	357	136	226
E884.4	Fall From Bed	671	0.40%	$4,003	412	50	209
E960.0	Unarmed Fight Or Brawl	622	0.40%	$5,631	114	498	10
E888.8	Fall Nec	616	0.40%	$6,807	86	171	359
E849.9	Accident In Place Nos	525	0.30%	$2,207	68	225	232
E917.4	Stat Ob W/O Sub Fall Nec	521	0.30%	$2,791	299	181	41
E928.8	Accident Nec	491	0.30%	$3,026	100	303	88
E917.0	Sports Acc W/O Sub Fall	462	0.30%	$2,784	288	166	8
	Other	9,428	5.80%	$4,070	2,153	5,740	1,535
Grand Total(21)		**163,442**		**$4,225**	**42,208**	**94,738**	**26,496**

Source: Agency for Health Care Administration, Emergency Department Database
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Emergency Department Acuity

The "Acuity Stratification Module" reports the number of cases for each of the five CPT (Current Procedural Terminology) codes that describe the acuity of the medical problem(s). There are 5 CPT codes for acuity stratification: minor severity, low to moderate severity, moderate severity, high severity (require urgent evaluation by the physician but do not pose an immediate significant threat to life or physiologic function), high severity and pose an immediate significant threat to life or physiologic function.[17]

[17] "Hospital Inpatient & Emergency Department Analytical System Manual", 2011

Table 94 shows Emergency Department visits, at the top 25 most frequented hospitals by Palm Beach residents, by acuity.

Table 94: Emergency Department Acuity, Top 25 in # of Cases, Palm Beach Residents, any Florida Hospital, 2010

	Minor severity	Low/moderate severity	Moderate severity	High severity/non-immediate	High severity/ immediate	Grand Total
Bethesda Memorial Hospital	1,008	1,608	13,265	20,619	6,146	**42,646**
Saint Mary's Medical Center	4,850	4,399	17,488	12,963	1,815	**41,515**
JFK Medical Center	1,345	987	11,078	11,804	6,720	**31,934**
Wellington Regional Medical Center	571	4,177	7,341	16,059	597	**28,745**
Palms West Hospital	1,274	2,541	12,796	7,954	1,444	**26,009**
Boca Raton Community Hospital	401	3,527	6,453	7,058	4,946	**22,385**
Delray Medical Center	1,989	1,108	5,290	9,746	4,213	**22,346**
Lakeside Medical Center	22	867	10,418	5,538	1,592	**18,437**
Jupiter Medical Center	554	2,363	8,800	5,394	1,313	**18,424**
Good Samaritan Medical Center	801	1,351	5,275	7,643	2,019	**17,089**
West Boca Medical Center	1,093	888	5,156	7,511	2,025	**16,673**
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center	606	698	4,598	6,288	1,474	**13,664**
Columbia Hospital	1,708	976	3,979	4,564	920	**12,147**
North Broward Medical Center	74	150	803	510	91	**1,628**
Broward General Medical Center	78	136	282	314	81	**891**
Memorial Regional Hospital	110	155	300	162	11	**738**
Northwest Medical Center	64	35	296	246	64	**705**
Holy Cross Hospital, Inc.	73	39	230	195	115	**652**
Cleveland Clinic Hospital	22	7	131	283	117	**560**
Coral Springs Medical Center	37	16	219	207	79	**558**
Imperial Point Medical Center	8	20	175	101	59	**363**
Martin Memorial Medical Center	10	78	126	66	38	**318**
Anne Bates Leach Eye Hospital	71	161	56	7		**295**
Jackson Memorial Hospital	30	26	91	88	53	**288**
Martin Memorial Hospital South	8	57	129	58	30	**282**
TOTALS	**16,807**	**26,370**	**114,775**	**125,378**	**35,962**	**319,292**

Source: Florida AHCA Emergency Department Database

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

OTHER HOSPITALIZATION DATA

Chronic Disease Hospitalizations

Table 95 shows hospitalizations of Palm Beach County residents in 2010 for chronic conditions, organized by condition and most frequently utilized hospitals. "A chronic condition is a condition lasting 12 months or longer and meeting one or both of the following tests: (a) the condition places limitations on self-care, independent living and social interactions; (b) the condition results in the need for ongoing intervention with medical products, services and special equipment."[18]

Table 95: Chronic Condition Hospital Utilization by Hospital, Palm Beach Residents Any Florida Hospital, 2010

	AIDS	Asthma	Congestive	Diabetes	Hyper-	Sickle	Grand
JFK Medical Center			4,321				
Delray Medical Center			2,555				
Bethesda Memorial Hospital			1,771				
Boca Raton Community Hospital			2,149				
Palm Beach Gardens Medical Center			1,626				
Good Samaritan Medical Center			939				
Palms West Hospital			743				
Saint Mary's Medical Center			416				
Wellington Regional Medical Center			673				
Jupiter Medical Center			721				
Columbia Hospital			667				
West Boca Medical Center			750				
Lakeside Medical Center			218				
Select Specialty Hospital-Palm Beach,			117				
Other			83				
Port Saint Lucie Hospital			3				
Saint Lucie Medical Center			11				
Lawnwood Regional Medical Center &			7				
Martin Memorial Medical Center			8				
Indian River Medical Center							
Martin Memorial Hospital South			1				
Raulerson Hospital			2				
Sebastian River Medical Center							
Grand Total			**17,781**				

Source: Florida AHCA Inpatient Discharge Data

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[18] "Hospital Inpatient & Emergency Department Analytical System Manual", 2011

Prevention Quality Indicators

"The Prevention Quality Indicators (PQI) are measures of potentially avoidable hospitalizations for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions (ACSCs) which, though they rely on hospital discharge data, are intended to reflect issues of access to, and quality of, ambulatory care in a given geographic area." ACSC "are conditions for which good outpatient care can potentially prevent the need for hospitalization or for which early intervention can prevent complications or more severe disease".[19] The PQIs are population-based and adjusted for covariates. Even though these indicators are based on hospital inpatient data, they provide insight into the community health care system or services outside the hospital setting".[20] In terms of assessing PQIs, an ideal PQI, though not likely feasible, is zero. The numerator is the number of 'cases' and the denominator is a figure, determined by the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, to be the population at risk

Table 96 shows the PQIs for Palm Beach County residents discharged from any Florida hospital in 2010. Table 97 shows patients from anywhere discharged from any of the Palm Beach County hospitals in 2010.

Table 96: PQI, Palm Beach Residents Discharged From Any Florida Hospital, 2010

PQI	Numerator	Denominator	Observed Rate
01-Diabetes/short-term	502	1073094	0.000468
02-Perf. appendicitis	280	1121	0.249777
03-Diabetes/long-term	1330	1073094	0.001239
05-Chronic obstructive PD	2343	1073094	0.002183
07-Hypertension	919	1073094	0.000856
08-Congestive HF	4553	1073094	0.004243
09-Low birth weight	810	13725	0.059016
10-Dehydration	722	1073094	0.000673
11-Bacterial pneumonia	3332	1073094	0.003105
12-Urinary infections	2508	1073094	0.002337
13-Angina w/o procedure	151	1073094	0.000141
14-Uncontrolled diabetes	275	1073094	0.000256
15-Adult asthma	1662	1073094	0.001549
16-Diabetes/LE amputations	315	1073094	0.000294
TOTAL:	**19702**		

Source: Florida AHCA Inpatient Discharge Data

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[19] Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, "Patient Quality Indicators (PQI) Composite Measure Workgroup Final Report," (April 2006).
[20] www.qualityindicators.ahrq.gov/modules/pqi_overview.aspx

Table 97: PQIs, Palm Beach Hospitals Patient from Anywhere, 2010

PQI	Numerator	Denominator	Observed Rate
01-Diabetes/short-term	528	1073094	0.000492
02-Perf. appendicitis	306	1241	0.246575
03-Diabetes/long-term	1381	1073094	0.001287
05-Chronic obstructive PD	2484	1073094	0.002315
07-Hypertension	962	1073094	0.000896
08-Congestive HF	4852	1073094	0.004522
09-Low birth weight	1076	15946	0.067478
10-Dehydration	739	1073094	0.000689
11-Bacterial pneumonia	3608	1073094	0.003362
12-Urinary infections	2645	1073094	0.002465
13-Angina w/o procedure	159	1073094	0.000148
14-Uncontrolled diabetes	283	1073094	0.000264
15-Adult asthma	1802	1073094	0.001679
16-Diabetes/LE amputations	336	1073094	0.000313
TOTAL:	21161		

Source: Florida AHCA Inpatient Discharge Data

Pediatric Quality Indicators

"The Pediatric Quality Indicators (PDIs) are a set of measures that can be used with hospital inpatient discharge data to provide a perspective on the quality of pediatric healthcare. Specifically, PDIs screen for problems that pediatric patients experience as a result of exposure to the healthcare system and that may be amenable to prevention by changes at the system or provider level"[21]

Table 98 shows the Pediatric Quality Indicators (PDIs) for Palm Beach County residents discharged form any Florida hospital in 2010. Table 99 shows PDIs for Palm Beach County hospitals where the patient is from anywhere.

[21] http://www.qualityindicators.ahrq.gov/modules/pdi_overview.aspx

Table 98: PDIs, Palm Beach Residents Discharged from any Florida Hospital, 2010

PDI	Numerator	Denominator	Observed Rate
14-Asthma	546	245,057	0.002228
15-Diabetes Short-term	44	182,784	0.000241
16-Gastroenteritis	371	273,950	0.001354
17-Perforated Appendix	86	268	0.320896
18-Urinary Tract Infection	117	273,950	0.000427
TOTAL:	1164		

Source: Florida AHCA Inpatient Discharge Data

Note: # 16 and #18 excludes children under 1 year of age

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Table 99: PDIs, Palm Beach Hospital, Patient from Anywhere, 2010

PDI	Numerator	Denominator	Observed Rate
14-Asthma	585	245057	0.002387
15-Diabetes Short-term	59	182784	0.000323
16-Gastroenteritis	411	273950	0.0015
17-Perforated Appendix	96	308	0.311688
18-Urinary Tract Infection	123	273950	0.000449
TOTAL:	1274		

Source: Florida AHCA Inpatient Discharge Database

Note: #16 and #18 exclude children under 1 years of age

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Top Diagnosis Related Groups (DRGs)

Diagnosis Related Groups (DRG) are system used to classify hospital cases.

Table 100 shows number and percentage of discharges, number and percentage of patient days and average length of stay for the top 20 DRGs (in number of discharges) for Palm Beach County residents discharged from any Florida hospital.

Table 100: Top 20 DRGS (by # Discharges), Palm Beach Residents Discharged from any Florida Hospital, 2010

MS-DRG	MSDRG Description	Discharges		Patient Days		Avg. LOS
795	Normal newborn	10,423	5.9%	23,824	2.9%	2.3
885	Psychoses	8,248	4.7%	51,790	6.2%	6.3
775	Vaginal delivery w/o complicating diagnoses	7,274	4.1%	18,058	2.2%	2.5
392	Esophagitis, gastroent & misc digest disorders w/o MCC	5,403	3.0%	16,113	1.9%	3
470	Major joint replacement or reattachment of lower extremity w/o MCC	3,973	2.2%	14,896	1.8%	3.7
766	Cesarean section w/o CC/MCC	3,720	2.1%	11,432	1.4%	3.1
603	Cellulitis w/o MCC	2,914	1.6%	11,142	1.3%	3.8
313	Chest pain	2,811	1.6%	4,320	0.5%	1.5
312	Syncope & collapse	2,591	1.5%	6,386	0.8%	2.5
690	Kidney & urinary tract infections w/o MCC	2,391	1.3%	8,281	1.0%	3.5
794	Neonate w other significant problems	2,066	1.2%	5,880	0.7%	2.8
203	Bronchitis & asthma w/o CC/MCC	1,998	1.1%	5,284	0.6%	2.6
310	Cardiac arrhythmia & conduction disorders w/o CC/MCC	1,908	1.1%	4,180	0.5%	2.2
194	Simple pneumonia & pleurisy w CC	1,859	1.0%	8,345	1.0%	4.5
812	Red blood cell disorders w/o MCC	1,828	1.0%	6,559	0.8%	3.6
871	Septicemia w/o MV 96+ hours w MCC	1,800	1.0%	13,110	1.6%	7.3
292	Heart failure & shock w CC	1,726	1.0%	7,669	0.9%	4.4
291	Heart failure & shock w MCC	1,712	1.0%	10,575	1.3%	6.2
641	Nutritional & misc metabolic disorders w/o MCC	1,604	0.9%	4,765	0.6%	3
765	Cesarean section w CC/MCC	1,577	0.9%	7,008	0.8%	4.4

Source: Florida AHCA, Florida Inpatient Data System

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

NURSING HOME UTILIZATION

Tables 101 and 102 show 2011 nursing home utilization data for Palm Beach County including number of beds, % occupancy, average daily census (ADC), admissions by payer source and patient days by payer source. Percent occupancy is the percentage of hospital beds occupied in a year. The average occupancy rate is calculated by multiplying the number of beds by 365 and then dividing the total number of inpatient days. The ADC is the average number of staffed beds that are occupied each day. ADC is calculated by dividing the number of inpatient days by 365.

Table 101: Nursing Home Licensed Beds & Admissions Utilization for Palm Beach County, January - December 2011

Facility	Licensed Beds			Admissions								
	# of Beds	% Occp	ADC	Total	PVT	Medicaid	Medicare	Hospice	INS	HMO/PTO	VA	Ind /Charity
All Nursing Homes	6277	84.0%	97%	26,005	870	2,355	15,078	393	3,373	3,668	14	254

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 102: Nursing Home Patient Days Utilization for Palm Beach County, January - December 2011

Facility	Patient Days									
	Total	PVT	Medicaid	Medicare	Hospice	INS	HMO/ PPO	VA	IND/ CHA	Avg Census
All Nursing Homes	1,920,864	161,502	1,090,221	443,334	53,203	80,230	60,226	7,245	24,903	1,188

Source: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

MORBIDITY

Morbidity is another term for illness. The tables and figures in the next section below illustrate the number of and the rates of hospitalizations for the following diseases: coronary heart disease, cardiovascular disease, stroke, chronic lower respiratory disease (CLRD), diabetes, cancer, obesity, and communicable diseases including enteric disease, tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases.

Coronary Heart Disease

Heart disease is the leading cause of death for people of most races and ethnicities in the United States. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), coronary heart disease (CHD) is the most common type of heart disease. In 2010, heart disease will cost the United States $316.4 billion.[22]

As shown in Table 103, Palm Beach County and the state of Florida both show a downward trend in the number of hospitalizations due to coronary heart disease in the years of 2008-2010. The rate was consistently lower in Palm Beach than in Florida. In 2010, the age-adjusted rate in Palm Beach was 307.9 per 100,000 individuals.

Table 103: Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate From Coronary Heart Disease, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Hospitalizations			Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	112,918	103,981	98,075	442.1	401.6	376.9
Palm Beach	7,953	7,062	6,115	405.8	356.3	307.9

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)

Data Note(s): ICD-9-CM Code(s): 49-CM-414, 429.2. Includes primary diagnosis only. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.

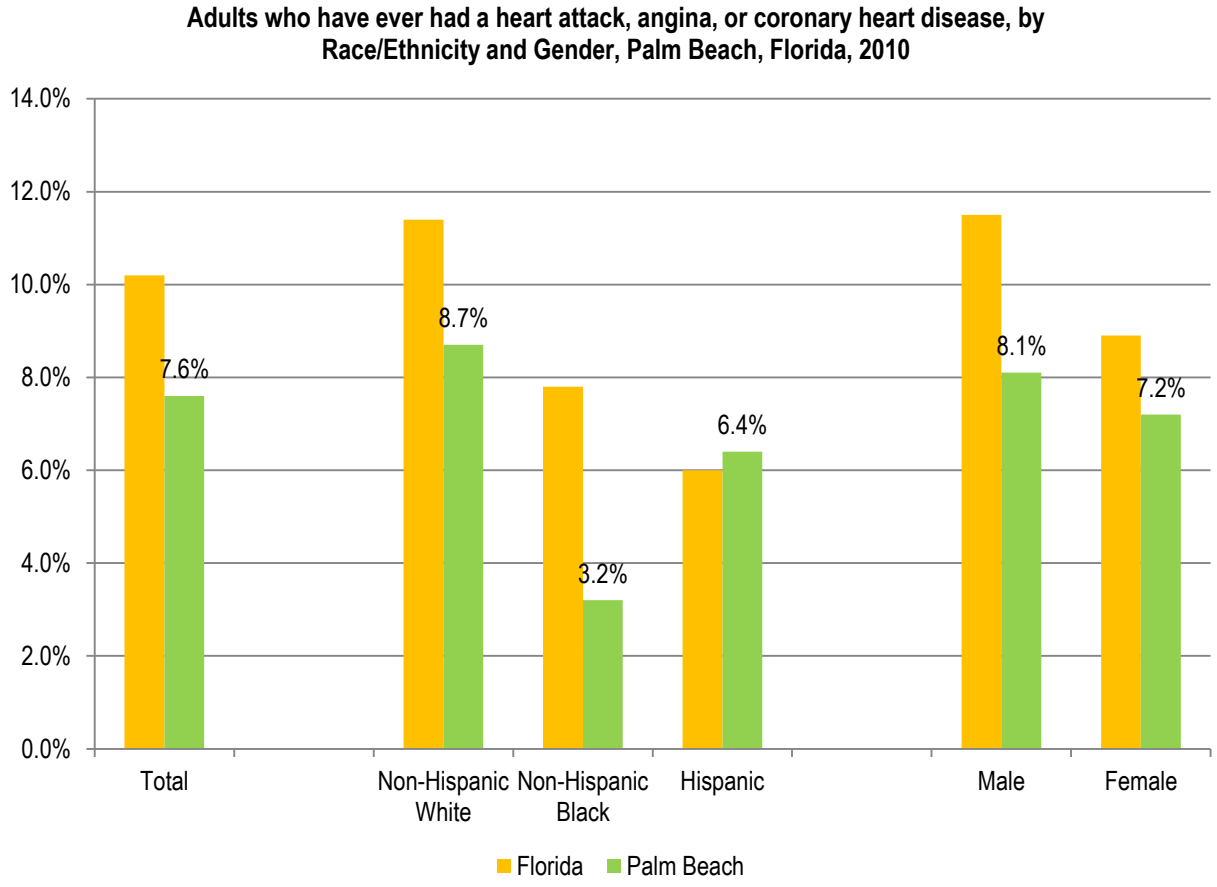
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[22] Lloyd-Jones D, Adams RJ, Brown TM, et al. Heart Disease and Stroke Statistics-2010. Update. A report from the American Heart Association Statistics Committee and Stroke Statistics Subcommittee. http://circ.ahajournals.org/egi/reprint/circulationaha.108.191261v1. Circulation, 2010;121:e1-e170.

Cardiovascular Disease

Figure 23 charts the number of adults, by race/ethnicity and by gender, who reported ever having a heart attack, angina or coronary heart disease. “Angina is a type of chest discomfort caused by poor blood flow through the blood vessels (coronary vessels) of the heart muscle (myocardium).”[23]

Figure 23: Adults who have ever had a heart attack, angina, or coronary heart disease, by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010



[23] A.D.A.M. Medical Encyclopedia, PubMed Health

Stroke

The age-adjusted hospitalization rate from stroke averaged 232.3 per 100,000 in Palm Beach between 2008 and 2010, lower than the rate in Florida which average 265.5 per 100,000. The rates in both areas remained stable over the time period shown.

Table 104: Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate From Stroke, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Hospitalizations			Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	69,482	69,432	70,162	267.5	264.4	264.5
Palm Beach	4,754	4,733	4,700	234.0	232.3	230.5

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)
Data Note(s): ICD-9-CM Code(s): 430-438. Includes primary diagnosis only. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease (CLRD)

Chronic lower respiratory diseases are diseases that affect the lungs. The most serious of these diseases is chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) which includes Emphysema and chronic bronchitis. Cigarette smoking is the main cause of COPD.[24]

Rates of chronic lower respiratory disease (CLRD) increased between 2008 and 2010 in both Palm Beach and Florida as shown in Table 105. The rate in Palm Beach was consistently lower than in Florida during the years shown and was 327.0 per 100,000 in 2010.

Table 105: Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate, per 100,000, From C.L.R.D., Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Hospitalizations			Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rate		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	80,412	86,170	87,823	343.3	367.9	372.9
Palm Beach	4,746	4,951	5,412	278.3	299.6	327.0

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)
Data Note(s): ICD-9-CM Code(s): 490-496. Includes primary diagnosis only. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[24] U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, womenshealth.gov

Diabetes

Table 106 shows hospitalizations from or with diabetes in Palm Beach and Florida from 2008 to 2010. The rate was consistently lower in Palm Beach than in Florida. In 2010, the rate in Palm Beach County was 2,553.9 per 100,000.

Table 106: Hospitalizations From or With Diabetes, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Hospitalizations			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	519,227	538,941	566,381	2760.1	2863.8	3014.5
Palm Beach	32,068	32,266	32,874	2478.1	2502.9	2553.9

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)

Data Note(s): ICD-9-CM Code(s): 250.00-250.93. Includes both primary and contributing diagnoses. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

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Cancer Incidence

Table 107 shows cancer (all types) incidence in 2006, 2007 and 2008. The rate increased slightly in both areas during the time period shown. The 2008 age-adjusted rate was slightly higher in Palm Beach (467.2 per 100,000) than in Florida (455.8 per 100,000).

Table 107: Cancer Age-Adjusted Incidence Rate, Palm Beach, Florida, 2006, 2007, 2008

County	Number of Cases			Age-Adjusted Incidence Rate		
	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008
Florida	103,293	106,022	108,373	447.8	451.7	455.8
Palm Beach	8,289	8,515	8,762	440.9	453.4	467.2

Source: FloridaCHARTS, University of Miami (FL) Medical School, Florida Cancer Data System
Note(s): ICD-10 Code(s): C00-C97. Rates are not displayed for fewer than 10 cases. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

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Breast, Colorectal, Lung, Skin and Prostate Cancer Incidence

Table 108 shows cancer incidence by type in Palm Beach and in Florida. In 2008, the highest age-adjusted cancer rate in Palm Beach was prostate cancer with 126.9 per 100,000, followed by breast cancer at 126.2 per 100,000, lung cancer at 58.8 per 100,000 and colorectal cancer at 39.0 per 100,000.

Table 108: Cancer Incidence by Type, Palm Beach and Florida, 2006, 2007, 2008

	Palm Beach						Florida		
	Count			Age-Adjusted Rate			Age-Adjusted Rate		
	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008	2006	2007	2008
Breast Cancer*	1,062	1,026	1,170	114.5	109.4	126.2	109	110.3	113.5
Colorectal Cancer	744	732	781	36.9	36.3	39.0	42.9	41.5	41.6
Lung Cancer	1,235	1,176	1,188	61.1	58.1	58.8	67.1	64.8	65.8
Melanoma	366	419	424	20.3	23.4	23.8	16.4	18.4	18.1
Prostate Cancer**	956	1,042	1,083	112.1	123.5	126.9	128.9	136.3	127.3

Source: FloridaCHARTS, University of Miami (FL) Medical School, Florida Cancer Data System
Notes: Rate per 100,000, Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.
Notes: Breast Cancer - ICD-10 Code(s): C50 * Rates calculated using female population
Notes: Colorectal Cancer - ICD-10 Code(s): C18-C21.
Notes: Lung Cancer - ICD-10 Code(s): C33-C34
Notes: Melanoma - ICD-10 Code(s): C43
Notes: Prostate Cancer - ICD-10 Code(s): C61 ** Rates calculated using male population
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Enteric Disease Outbreaks

Table 109 shows enteric disease outbreaks from 2001 to 2010 in Palm Beach and Florida. There are fluctuations in the number of cases in both areas. In Palm Beach, the number of outbreaks ranged from 17 in 2004 to 130 in 2010.

Table 109: Enteric Disease Cases in Outbreaks, Palm Beach, Florida, 2001-2010

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	4.8	8.3	8.1	3.5	3.3	3.9	8.4	5	5	6
Palm Beach	2	4.4	3	1.4	4.9	3	2.5	6.8	8.6	10.1
Count										
Palm Beach	23	52	36	17	62	39	32	88	111	130

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology
Data Note(s): Includes: CAMPYLOBACTERIOSIS, GIARDIASIS, HEPATITIS A, SALMONELLOSIS, SHIGELLOSIS. Beginning in 2007, data includes both probable and confirmed cases. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Florida Legislature, Office of Economic and Demographic Research
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Obesity

Overweight and obesity are often associated with poor health outcomes and rapidly increases the risk of mortality. Overweight and obese individuals can develop other diseases such as high blood pressure, high cholesterol, heart disease, stroke, some types of cancer and orthopedic issues.

For youth, overweight and obese is determined by body mass index (BMI) percentile using sex- and age-specific reference data from the 2000 CDC growth charts. BMI is calculated by dividing weight in pounds by height in inches, squared and multiplying by 703. Table 110 shows the percentage of overweight and obese high school youth by race and ethnicity

Table 110: High School Youth, Overweight and Obese, Palm Beach, 2011

	Total	American Indian/ Alaska Native	Asian (non-Hispanic)	Black (non-Hispanic)	Hispanic	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander (non-Hispanic)	White (non-Hispanic)	Multiple Race (non-Hispanic)
Overweight (students who were >= 85th percentile but < 95th percentile for BMI)	13.8%	N/A	N/A	17.4%	16.2%	N/A	10.5%	N/A
Obese (students who were >= 95th percentile for BMI)	9.3%	N/A	N/A	11.6%	9.7%	N/A	7.5%	N/A
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	24.4%	N/A	N/A	23.9%	25.1%	N/A	24.5%	N/A

Source: High School Youth Risk Behavior Survey, 2011
Data Note: based on sex- and age-specific reference data from the 2000 CDC growth charts, N/A = < 100 respondents for the subgroup
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida

For adults, a BMI between 25 and 29.9 is considered overweight and an adult who has a BMI of 30 or higher is considered obese.[25]

Palm Beach ranked 66th out of the 67 counties in percentage of adults who are obese with 19.4%. Florida's rate of obese adults was 27.2%.

Healthy People 2020 Target
Proportion of adults who are obese = 30.6%

[25] Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Table 111: Percentage of Obese Adults, Sorted Highest to Lowest, Florida and Counties, 2010

County	Total	Quartile
State Total	**27.2**	
Hardee	46.1	4
Hamilton	44.8	4
Union	42	4
Lafayette	41.7	4
Taylor	40.2	4
Liberty	40.1	4
Glades	39.6	4
Okeechobee	38.1	4
Hendry	38	4
Polk	37.6	4
Wakulla	37.5	4
Gadsden	36.6	4
Jefferson	36.3	4
Baker	36	4
Washington	35	4
Calhoun	34.7	4
Marion	33.7	3
DeSoto	33.4	3
Dixie	32.8	3
Madison	32.8	3
Levy	32.1	3
Osceola	31.9	3
St. Lucie	31.4	3
Putnam	31.3	3
Columbia	30.9	3
Brevard	30.7	3
Pasco	30.6	3
Bradford	30.4	3
Highlands	30.3	3
Hernando	29.8	3
Lake	29.8	3
Santa Rosa	29.8	3
Escambia	29.7	3

County	Total	Quartile
Miami-Dade	29.3	2
Flagler	29.3	2
Jackson	29.2	2
Okaloosa	28.8	2
Walton	28.6	2
Duval	28.4	2
Bay	28.2	2
Holmes	28.2	2
Broward	28	2
Orange	27.8	2
Suwannee	27.4	2
Lee	27.3	2
Sumter	27.2	2
Franklin	27	2
Volusia	26.8	2
Seminole	26.4	2
Clay	25.9	2
Hillsborough	25.3	1
Gilchrist	24.7	1
Indian River	24.1	1
Pinellas	24	1
Nassau	23.8	1
Citrus	23.4	1
Gulf	23.2	1
Manatee	22.5	1
Collier	22.4	1
St. Johns	22	1
Charlotte	21.7	1
Leon	21.7	1
Alachua	21.6	1
Martin	21.1	1
Sarasota	20.8	1
Palm Beach	19.4	1
Monroe	17.4	1

Source: FloridaCHARTS, BRFSS conducted by the Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology, 2010

Data Note: *95% confidence intervals have been removed from original data source

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2011

Table 112 shows the percentage of adults who were overweight (BMI 25 - 29.9) or obese (BMI ≥ 30) in the United States, Florida and Palm Beach in 2010. The rate in Palm Beach was slightly lower than the state's and the nation's rate.

Table 112: Percentage of Adults who are Overweight or Obese, 2010

	Total
U.S. *	63.8%
Florida	65.0%
Palm Beach	61.3%

Source: Center for Disease Control, BRFSS

Source: FloridaCHARTS, BRFSS

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

INFECTIOUS DISEASE

Tuberculosis

Table 113 shows the number of tuberculosis cases in Palm Beach and in Florida from 2001-2010. The number of cases declined in both areas in the time period shown. In 2010, there were 69 tuberculosis cases in Palm Beach County yielding a rate of 5.4 per 100,000.

Healthy People 2020 Target
Tuberculosis = 1 new case per 100,000 population

Table 113: Tuberculosis Cases, Rate per 100,000 and Counts, Palm Beach, Florida, 2001-2010

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Florida	7	6.5	6.1	6.1	6.1	5.6	5.3	5.1	4.4	4.4
Palm Beach	6.8	8.3	7.1	7.9	7.2	6.4	5.4	5	4.5	5.4
Count										
Palm Beach	79	99	87	99	92	82	70	65	58	69

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of TB & Refugee Health

Data Note(s): Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Reportable Diseases

The rate of reportable diseases was fairly similar in Palm Beach and in Florida from 2008 - 2010. Both areas had an increase from 2008 to 2009 and a decrease in 2010. In 2010, the rate of reportable diseases in Palm Beach County was 91.7 per 100,000.

Table 114: Total Reportable Disease Cases, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Cases			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	17,907	24,727	20,455	95.2	131.4	108.9
Palm Beach	1,348	1,639	1,180	104.2	127.1	91.7

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Epidemiology
Data Note(s): Includes all reportable diseases. Beginning in 2007, data includes both probable and confirmed cases. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

HIV Incidence

As shown in Table 115, the rate of reported new HIV cases per 100,000 individuals in Palm Beach ranged from 24.4 to 40.7 per 100,000 and averaged 30.5 per 100,000 in the time period shown. The rate in Florida averaged 31.8 per 100,000.

For HIV testing data by sex and by race/ethnicity, please see Table 65.

Table 115: HIV Incidence, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Reported New Cases			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	7111	5608	5211	37.8	29.8	27.7
Palm Beach	527	340	314	40.7	26.4	24.4

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of HIV/AIDS
Data Note(s): Generally, HIV cases remained fairly stable with an increase in 2002 due to increased HIV testing statewide as part of the Get to Know Your Status campaign. Since that time, newly reported HIV cases have decreased each year until 2007. Since then, reporting changes have caused fluctuations in HIV cases. For example, enhanced reporting laws were implemented in Nov. 2006, and the expansion of electronic lab reporting in 2007 led to an artificial peak in HIV cases in 2007 and 2008 followed by an artificial decrease in 2009 and an expected approach to leveling in 2010. Cases reported in correctional facilities are excluded from the county totals, but are included in the state total. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor
Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.

AIDS Incidence

Table 116 shows new AIDS cases in Palm Beach County and Florida in 2008, 2009 and 2010. The number of new cases in Palm Beach ranged from 250 – 339 cases per year in the time period shown and the rate averaged 23.3 per 100,000.

Healthy People 2020 Target

Number of new AIDS cases among adolescents and adults = 13.0 new cases per 100,000

Table 116: AIDS Incidence, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Reported New AIDS Cases			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	4,701	4,429	3,461	25.0	23.5	18.4
Palm Beach	339	313	250	26.2	24.3	19.4

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of HIV/AIDS
Data Note(s): Generally, AIDS cases remained fairly stable in the early 2000s, with an increase in 2004 due to increased CD4 testing statewide. Electronic laboratory reporting delays in late 2007 decreased cases in that year, while contributing to a spike in 2008. The expansion of electronic lab reporting increased the timeliness of reporting, which further contributed to the artificial spike in 2008 followed by the artificial dip in 2009 & 2010. Cases reported in correctional facilities are excluded from the county totals, but are included in the state total. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.
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SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS/ DISEASES

If left undetected and untreated sexually transmitted infections/disease data can lead to tubal infertility, ectopic pregnancy, pelvic inflammatory disease, chronic pelvic pain and cervical cancer.[26]

The total gonorrhea, chlamydia & infectious syphilis cases for Palm Beach County averaged 358.6 per 100,000 during the time period shown. The rate was consistently lower in Palm Beach than in Florida in 2008 - 2010.

Table 117: Total Gonorrhea, Chlamydia & Infectious Syphilis, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Reported Cases			Rate per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	95,011	94,837	96,061	505.1	503.9	511.3
Palm Beach	4,623	4,800	4,456	357.3	372.3	346.2

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of STD Prevention & Control

Data Note(s): Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[26] University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. (2010). County Health Rankings 2010; retrieved from www.countyhealthrankings.org/health-factors/unsafe-sex

MORTALITY

Leading Causes of Death

Table 118 shows numbers of deaths, percent of total deaths, crude rate, age-adjusted rate and years of potential life lost for the leading causes of death in Palm Beach County. In 2010, there were 12,999 deaths. The most frequent cause of deaths was heart disease accounting for 26.4% of deaths, followed by cancer, responsible for 24.1% of deaths. The greatest age-adjusted death rate was due to cancer. Unintentional injury deaths had the highest rate of years of potential life lost (YPLL) with 1167.2 per 100,000 people under 75, indicative of deaths to a population with a younger average age. Years of Potential Life Lost in an estimate of premature mortality and is the number of years of life lost among persons who die before a predetermined age (75 years).[27]

Table 118: Major Causes of Death, Palm Beach, 2010

Cause of Death	Deaths	Percent of Total Deaths	Crude Rate Per 100,000	Age-Adjusted Death Rate Per 100,000	YPLL < 75 Per 100,000 Under 75
ALL CAUSES	12,999	100	1009.8	577.2	6886
HEART DISEASE	3,438	26.4	267.1	132.7	813.8
CANCER	3,136	24.1	243.6	146.9	1539
STROKE	736	5.7	57.2	29	177.9
CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE	657	5.1	51	27.4	182.8
UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	569	4.4	44.2	38.4	1167.2
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE	312	2.4	24.2	10.1	8.1
DIABETES MELLITUS	282	2.2	21.9	13.3	166.2
KIDNEY DISEASE	231	1.8	17.9	10.3	92.3
PARKINSON'S DISEASE	220	1.7	17.1	8	9.6
SUICIDE	189	1.5	14.7	13.8	403.5
CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS	166	1.3	12.9	10.1	217.3
PNEUMONIA/INFLUENZA	160	1.2	12.4	6.3	36.5
SEPTICEMIA	111	0.9	8.6	4.8	50.4
BENIGN NEOPLASM	98	0.8	7.6	4.1	38.3
HOMICIDE	95	0.7	7.4	8.5	341.5
AIDS/HIV	64	0.5	5	5	149
PERINATAL CONDITIONS	33	0.3	2.6		

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics and Assessment

Data Note: Data for 1999 and subsequent years are not fully comparable to data from 1998 and prior years, due to changes in coding of causes of deaths resulting from the switch from the ninth revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD9) to the tenth revision (ICD10). Age-adjusted death rates are computed using the year 2000 standard population. YPLL = Years of Potential Life Lost.

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Leading Cause of Death by Age

Table 119 shows the major causes of death in Palm Beach County in 2010 organized by age group. The majority of causes affected the older population; however, unintentional injuries, suicide, homicide and perinatal conditions were causes of death in the younger age groups.

Table 119: Deaths From All Causes by Age, Palm Beach, 2010

Cause of Death	Total	< 1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 +	Unknown
All Causes	**12,999**	**77**	**19**	**13**	**14**	**36**	**86**	**202**	**286**	**645**	**1,226**	**1,655**	**3,392**	**5,348**	**0**
Infectious Diseases	**278**	**5**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**21**	**30**	**49**	**33**	**49**	**78**	**0**
...Salmonella Infections	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Certain Other Intestinal Infections	34	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	20	0
...Septicemia	111	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	2	2	10	16	30	47	0
...Viral Hepatitis	40	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	8	16	7	4	2	0
...Human Immunodeficiency Virus	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	17	19	18	3	1	0	0
...Other & Unspecified Infectious/Parasitic Disease & Sequelae	28	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	5	6	5	9	0
Malignant Neoplasms	**3,136**	**0**	**1**	**3**	**1**	**3**	**2**	**12**	**52**	**184**	**434**	**653**	**1,013**	**778**	**0**
...Lip, Oral Cavity, Pharynx Cancer	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	10	8	9	7	0
...Esophagus Cancer	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	11	15	32	15	0
...Stomach Cancer	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	10	15	18	12	0
...Colon, Rectum & Anus Cancer	273	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	21	37	57	77	76	0
...Liver & Intrahepatic Bile Ducts Cancer	118	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	21	28	32	22	0
...Pancreatic Cancer	265	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	13	34	47	96	71	0
...Larynx Cancer	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6	2	7	7	0
...Trachea, Bronchus & Lung Cancer	855	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	32	120	215	293	188	0
...Skin Cancer	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	13	6	12	12	0
...Breast Cancer	218	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	26	36	48	50	45	0
...Cervical Cancer	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	3	1	0	0
...Corpus Uteri & Uterus, Part Unspec Cancer	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	14	10	10	0
...Ovarian Cancer	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	9	18	24	11	0
...Prostate Cancer	157	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	23	59	63	0
...Kidney & Renal Pelvis Cancer	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	10	17	20	16	0
...Bladder Cancer	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	14	36	27	0
...Meninges, Brain, & Other Part Cen Nerv Sys Cancer	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	10	15	27	5	0
...Lymphoid, Hematopoietic and Related Tissue	349	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	7	15	36	59	116	110	0
.....Hodgkin's Disease	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0
.....Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma	156	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	13	21	53	57	0
.....Leukemia	129	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	2	3	12	24	44	38	0
.....Multiple Myeloma & Immunoprolifera Neoplas	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	10	13	19	14	0
All Other & Unspecified	296	0	0	2	1	0	1	4	4	16	44	49	94	81	0
In Situ, Benign, Uncert/Unk	**98**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**5**	**7**	**8**	**32**	**43**	**0**

Behavior Neoplasms															
Anemias	**18**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**3**	**6**	**0**
Diabetes Mellitus	**282**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**7**	**4**	**21**	**49**	**36**	**84**	**81**	**0**
Nutritional Deficiencies	**5**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**3**	**0**
...Malnutrition	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	0
Meningitis	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Parkinson's Disease	**220**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**3**	**21**	**77**	**119**	**0**
Alzheimer's Disease	**312**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**9**	**69**	**232**	**0**
Major Cardiovascular Diseases	**4,515**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**3**	**10**	**30**	**129**	**324**	**444**	**1,182**	**2,388**	**0**
...Heart Diseases	3,438	0	1	0	0	1	2	7	21	102	250	329	872	1,853	0
.....Acute Rheum Fever & Chronic Rheum Heart Dis	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	0
.....Hypertensive Heart Disease	142	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	11	17	13	22	74	0
.....Hypertensive Heart & Renal Disease	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
.....Ischemic Heart Diseases	2,387	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	64	193	237	630	1,251	0
.....Acute Myocardial Infarction	585	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	20	76	72	166	248	0
.....Other Acute Ischemic Heart Disease	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
.....Other Forms of Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis	1,799	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	44	117	164	464	1,001	0
.....Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease	382	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	11	37	32	79	219	0
.....All Other Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis	1,417	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	33	80	132	385	782	0
.....Other Heart Diseases	894	0	1	0	0	1	2	5	4	26	38	78	216	523	0
.....Acute & Subacute Endocarditis	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	0
.....Pericardium Diseases & Acute Myocarditis	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0
.....Heart Failure	164	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	11	38	112	0
.....Other Forms Heart Dis	719	0	1	0	0	1	2	5	4	22	35	65	176	408	0
...Essen Hypertension & Hypertensive Renal Dis	117	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	17	16	29	47	0
...Cerebrovascular Diseases	736	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	7	16	45	83	211	369	0
...Atherosclerosis	109	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	27	78	0
...Other Disease of Circulatory System	115	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	10	14	43	41	0
.....Aortic Aneurysm & Dissection	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	5	8	24	23	0
.....Other Arteries, Arterioles, Capillaries Dis	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	6	19	18	0
Other Circulatory System Disorders	**17**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**3**	**3**	**3**	**5**	**0**
Influenza & Pneumonia	**160**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**3**	**4**	**8**	**11**	**52**	**81**	**0**
...Influenza	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Pneumonia	158	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	8	11	52	81	0
Other Acute Lower Respiratory Infections	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**
...Acute Bronchitis & Bronchiolitis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	**657**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**16**	**58**	**105**	**222**	**251**	**0**
...Bronchitis, Chronic & Unspecified	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
...Emphysema	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	4	7	0
...Asthma	17	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	3	3	3	2	0
...Other Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	622	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	54	99	215	241	0
Pneumoconiosis & Chemical Effects	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**
Pneumonitis Due To Solids & Liquids	**68**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**12**	**50**	**0**
Other Respiratory System Dis	**102**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**4**	**7**	**17**	**33**	**35**	**0**
Peptic Ulcer	**12**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**4**	**5**	**0**
Hernia	**6**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**3**	**1**	**0**
Chronic Liver Diseases & Cirrhosis	**166**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**7**	**45**	**40**	**45**	**20**	**6**	**0**

...Alcoholic Liver Disease	78	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	31	18	19	4	0	0
...Other Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	14	22	26	16	6	0
Cholelithiasis & Other Gallbladder Disorders	**11**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**6**	**0**
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis	**231**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**6**	**12**	**14**	**41**	**69**	**86**	**0**
...Acute/Progressive Nephritic/Nephrotic Synd	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
...Glomeruloneph, Nephri/Nephro, Renal Sclerosis	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	9	0
...Renal Failure	214	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	6	12	13	40	65	75	0
Kidney Infections	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**
Hyperplasia Of Prostate	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**
Pregnancy, Childbirth and the Puerperium	**6**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
...Pregnancy With Abortive Outcome	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Pregnancy, Childbirth, Puerperium Complications	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Perinatal Period Conditions	**33**	**33**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Congenital & Chromosomal Anomalies	**39**	**18**	**2**	**0**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**3**	**0**	**2**	**4**	**2**	**0**
Symptoms, Signs, Abnormal Clinical/Lab Findings	**351**	**5**	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**7**	**13**	**9**	**10**	**24**	**64**	**216**	**0**
All Injuries	**878**	**8**	**7**	**4**	**6**	**22**	**70**	**130**	**115**	**135**	**115**	**73**	**84**	**109**	**0**
...Unintentional Injury	569	6	7	2	2	13	43	78	65	68	67	47	69	102	0
.....Transport Accident	150	1	1	2	1	7	21	28	15	12	21	12	21	8	0
.....Motor Vehicle Crashes	135	1	1	2	1	7	20	24	13	8	18	11	21	8	0
.....Other Land Transport Accidents	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
.....Water/Air/Space/Oth-Unsp Transport & Seq	12	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	3	3	1	0	0	0
.....Non-Transport Accident	419	5	6	0	1	6	22	50	50	56	46	35	48	94	0
.....Falls	146	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	6	9	17	37	72	0
.....Firearms Discharge	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
.....Drowning & Submersion	29	0	4	0	0	2	0	4	2	2	3	8	4	0	0
.....Smoke, Fire, Flames Exposure	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
.....Poisoning & Noxious Substance Exposure	192	0	0	0	1	2	19	40	43	45	31	6	1	4	0
.....Other & Unspec. Nontrnspt & Seq.	50	5	2	0	0	2	3	1	3	3	3	4	6	18	0
...Suicide	189	0	0	0	0	3	9	23	25	52	37	22	12	6	0
.....Suicide by Firearms Discharge	82	0	0	0	0	2	4	11	10	20	16	12	6	1	0
.....Suicide by Other & Unspec. Means & Seq.	107	0	0	0	0	1	5	12	15	32	21	10	6	5	0
...Homicide	95	1	0	2	4	6	17	24	18	12	5	3	3	0	0
.....Homicide by Firearms Discharge	74	0	0	2	4	5	16	19	13	8	4	2	1	0	0
.....Homicide by Other & Unspec. Means & Seq.	21	1	0	0	0	1	1	5	5	4	1	1	2	0	0
...Legal Intervention	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Undetermined Injury	16	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	4	3	4	0	0	0	0
.....Firearms Discharge	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
.....Other & Unspecified Event & Sequelae	15	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	4	3	4	0	0	0	0
...Medical & Surgical Care Complications	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	0
All Other Diseases	**1,391**	**3**	**4**	**4**	**3**	**4**	**3**	**17**	**22**	**44**	**98**	**114**	**313**	**762**	**0**

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Office of Vital Statistics
Note: Data for 1999 and subsequent years are not fully comparable to data from 1998 and prior years, due to changes in coding of causes of deaths resulting from the switch from the ninth revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD9) to the tenth revision (ICD10). The impact of this coding change for 113 selected causes of death is shown in the Vital Statistics Annual Reports.

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Number of Deaths by Race and Gender

Table 120 shows mortality counts organized by race and gender in Palm Beach County in 2010. The number of deaths from Major Cardiovascular Disease, 'Chronic Liver Diseases & Cirrhosis', 'Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis', Parkinson's Disease and all injuries were greater in males than in females. Deaths from Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease and Alzheimer's Disease were greater in females.

Table 120: Deaths from all Causes by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Palm Beach, 2010

Cause of Death	Total	White	Black	Other	Hispanic	Non-Hispanic	Male	Female
All Causes	**12,999**	**11,719**	**1,111**	**119**	**736**	**12,184**	**6,804**	**6,190**
Infectious Diseases	278	204	72	2	20	254	148	130
Malignant Neoplasms	3,136	2,887	218	31	166	2,965	1,656	1,478
In Situ, Benign, Uncert/Unk Behavior Neoplasms	98	93	3	2	3	94	45	53
Anemias	18	12	4	2	0	18	9	9
Diabetes Mellitus	282	223	55	4	29	253	155	126
Nutritional Deficiencies	5	4	1	0	1	4	4	1
Meningitis	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	2
Parkinson's Disease	220	215	5	0	9	211	142	78
Alzheimer's Disease	312	303	8	1	17	294	101	211
Major Cardiovascular Diseases	4,515	4,119	353	38	209	4,296	2,419	2,095
Other Circulatory System Disorders	17	14	3	0	1	16	10	7
Influenza & Pneumonia	160	146	14	0	10	150	86	74
Other Acute Lower Respiratory Infections	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	657	618	35	4	23	634	271	386
Pneumoconiosis & Chemical Effects	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Pneumonitis Due To Solids & Liquids	68	65	2	1	2	66	40	28
Other Respiratory System Dis	102	89	12	1	8	94	49	53
Peptic Ulcer	12	10	1	1	1	11	6	6
Hernia	6	4	1	1	1	5	3	3
Chronic Liver Diseases & Cirrhosis	166	157	7	2	19	146	112	54
Cholelithiasis & Other Gallbladder Disorders	11	10	1	0	0	11	6	5
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis	231	190	39	2	7	222	139	92
Kidney Infections	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	2
Hyperplasia Of Prostate	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0
Pregnancy, Childbirth and the Puerperium	6	2	4	0	0	6	0	6
Perinatal Period Conditions	33	15	18	0	3	29	24	9
Congenital & Chromosomal Anomalies	39	31	7	1	10	28	18	21
Symptoms, Signs, Abnormal Clinical/Lab Findings	351	286	20	0	19	287	152	199
All Injuries	878	751	111	16	104	769	618	259
All Other Diseases	1,391	1,265	116	10	74	1,314	588	803

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Office of Vital Statistics
Note: Data for 1999 and subsequent years are not fully comparable to data from 1998 and prior years, due to changes in coding of causes of deaths resulting from the switch from the ninth revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD9) to the tenth revision (ICD10). The impact of this coding change for 113 selected causes of death is shown in the Vital Statistics Annual Reports.
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Heart Disease Deaths

Table 121 shows the 2001-2010 trend in age-adjusted death rate from major cardiovascular disease in Palm Beach and Florida. The rate has decreased in both areas over the time period shown. In 2010 there were 4,515 deaths in the county from major Cardiovascular Diseases, resulting in an age-adjusted rate of 175.3 per 100,000; the rate in Florida was 191.0 per 100,000.

Table 121: Major Cardiovascular Diseases Age-Adjusted Death Rate, Palm Beach, Florida, 2000-2010

Years	Palm Beach		Florida
	Count	Rate	Rate
2000	5,442	264.0	304.1
2001	5,338	255.5	297.1
2002	5,293	242.5	278.2
2003	5,240	237.4	268.7
2004	4,974	212.7	247.6
2005	5,056	211.1	241.1
2006	4,543	185.0	221.6
2007	4,582	190.0	208.7
2008	4,453	179.4	200.1
2009	4,404	173.6	193.9
2010	4,515	175.3	191.0

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Office of Vital Statistics

Data Note: (I00-I78), *Based on ICD-10, 113 cause groups

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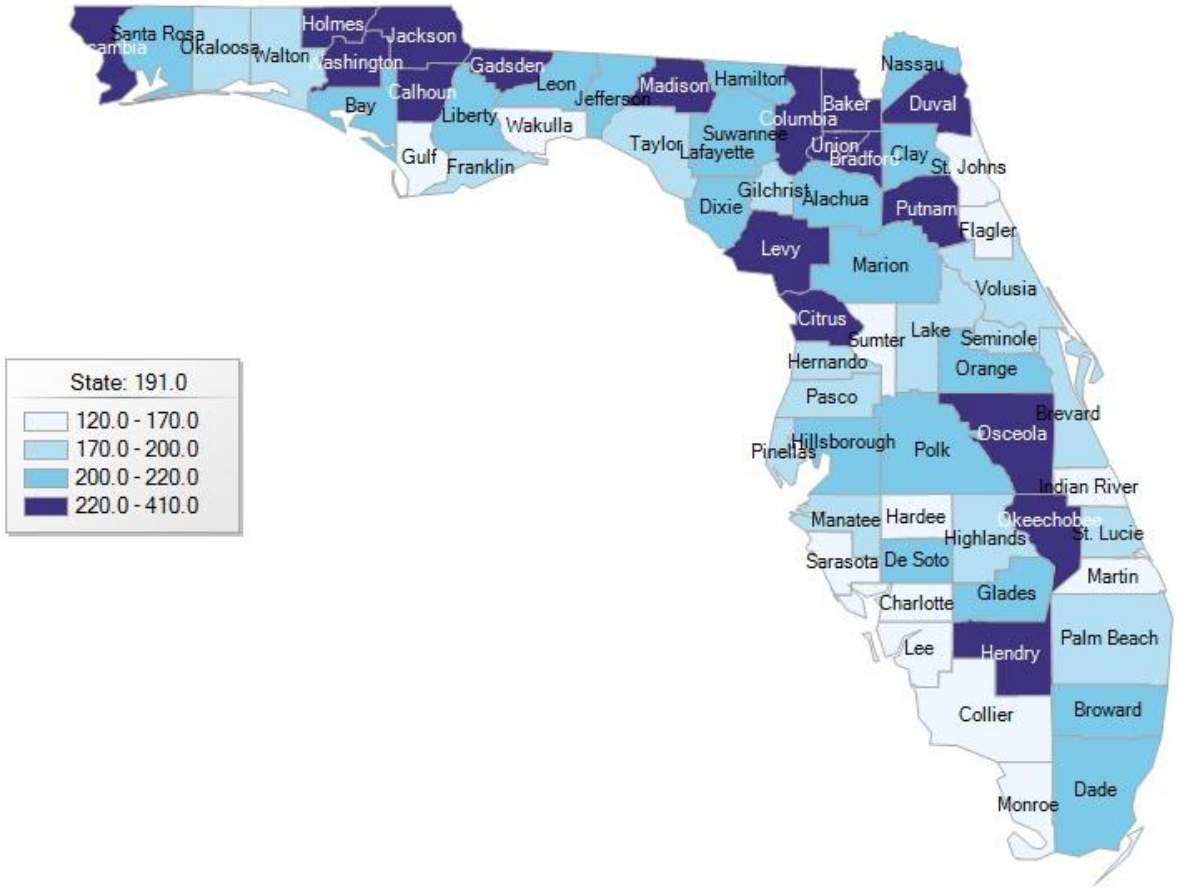
Figure 24 shows age-adjusted death rates in Florida counties due to major cardiovascular disease color-coded by rate. Palm Beach had a rate of 175.3 per 100,000 in 2010, placing it in the second quartile. The 2010 crude death rate in Palm Beach however was 350.8 per 100,000, higher than the rate in Florida of 283.8 per 100,000.

Figure 24: Major Cardiovascular Diseases Age-Adjusted Death Rate, Florida by County, 2010



Data source: Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

Table 122 shows deaths from Major Cardiovascular disease in Palm Beach County by type and by age.

Table 122: Major Cardiovascular Disease Deaths by Age, Palm Beach, 2010

Cause of Death	Total	< 1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 +	Unknown
Major Cardiovascular Diseases	**4,515**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**3**	**10**	**30**	**129**	**324**	**444**	**1,182**	**2,388**	**0**
...Heart Diseases	3,438	0	1	0	0	1	2	7	21	102	250	329	872	1,853	0
.....Acute Rheum Fever & Chronic Rheum Heart Dis	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	0
.....Hypertensive Heart Disease	142	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	11	17	13	22	74	0
.....Hypertensive Heart & Renal Disease	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
.....Ischemic Heart Diseases	2,387	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	64	193	237	630	1,251	0
.....Acute Myocardial Infarction	585	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	20	76	72	166	248	0
.....Other Acute Ischemic Heart Disease	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
.....Other Forms of Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis	1,799	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	44	117	164	464	1,001	0
.....*Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease*	382	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	11	37	32	79	219	0
.....*All Other Chronic Ischemic Heart Dis*	1,417	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	33	80	132	385	782	0
.....Other Heart Diseases	894	0	1	0	0	1	2	5	4	26	38	78	216	523	0
.....*Acute & Subacute Endocarditis*	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	0
.....*Pericardium Diseases & Acute Myocarditis*	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0
.....*Heart Failure*	164	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	11	38	112	0
.....*Other Forms Heart Dis*	719	0	1	0	0	1	2	5	4	22	35	65	176	408	0
...Essen Hypertension & Hypertensive Renal Dis	117	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7	17	16	29	47	0
...Cerebrovascular Diseases	736	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	7	16	45	83	211	369	0
...Atherosclerosis	109	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	27	78	0
...Other Disease of Circulatory System	115	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	10	14	43	41	0
.....Aortic Aneurysm & Dissection	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	5	8	24	23	0
.....Other Arteries, Arterioles, Capillaries Dis	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	6	19	18	0
Other Circulatory System Disorders	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	3	3	5	0

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health Office of Vital Statistics

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Cancer Deaths

In the United States, cancer is the second leading cause of death, responsible for 1 in 4 deaths. About 1.5 million new cancer cases were expected to be diagnosed in 2010. About 569,000 Americans were expected to die of cancer in 2010.[28]

Table 123 shows cancer deaths in 2010 in Palm Beach organized by type and age. Trachea, bronchus and lung cancer were responsible for 855 of the 3136 cancer related deaths in the county and were responsible for 6.6% of all deaths in the county. The next most frequent cause of death by cancer was Lymphoid, Hematopoietic and Related Tissue, responsible for 349 deaths.

Table 123: Deaths due to Cancers by Age, Palm Beach, 2010

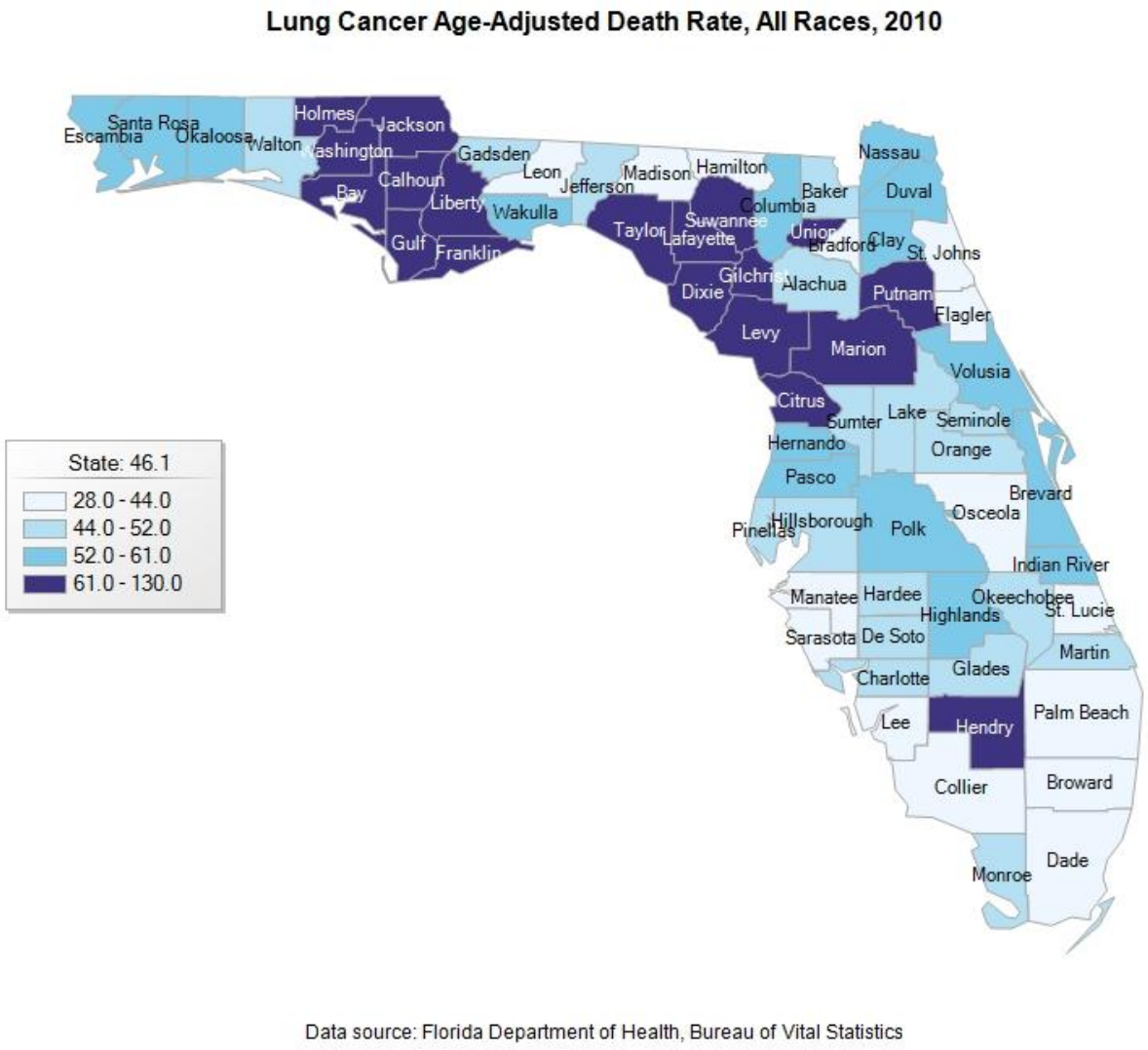
Cause of Death - Cancers	Total	< 1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85 +	Unknown
Malignant Neoplasms	**3,136**	**0**	**1**	**3**	**1**	**3**	**2**	**12**	**52**	**184**	**434**	**653**	**1,013**	**778**	**0**
...Lip, Oral Cavity, Pharynx Cancer	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	10	8	9	7	0
...Esophagus Cancer	82	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	11	15	32	15	0
...Stomach Cancer	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	10	15	18	12	0
...Colon, Rectum & Anus Cancer	273	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	21	37	57	77	76	0
...Liver & Intrahepatic Bile Ducts Cancer	118	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	21	28	32	22	0
...Pancreatic Cancer	265	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	13	34	47	96	71	0
...Larynx Cancer	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6	2	7	7	0
...Trachea, Bronchus & Lung Cancer	855	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	32	120	215	293	188	0
...Skin Cancer	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	13	6	12	12	0
...Breast Cancer	218	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	26	36	48	50	45	0
...Cervical Cancer	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	2	3	1	0	0
...Corpus Uteri & Uterus, Part Unspec Cancer	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	14	10	10	0
...Ovarian Cancer	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	9	18	24	11	0
...Prostate Cancer	157	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	23	59	63	0
...Kidney & Renal Pelvis Cancer	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	10	17	20	16	0
...Bladder Cancer	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	14	36	27	0
...Meninges, Brain, & Other Part Cen Nerv Sys Cancer	65	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	10	15	27	5	0
...Lymphoid, Hematopoietic and Related Tissue	349	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	7	15	36	59	116	110	0
.....*Hodgkin's Disease*	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0
.....*Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma*	156	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	13	21	53	57	0
.....*Leukemia*	129	0	0	1	0	3	1	1	2	3	12	24	44	38	0
.....Multiple Myeloma & Immunoprolifera Neoplas	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	10	13	19	14	0
All Other & Unspecified	296	0	0	2	1	0	1	4	4	16	44	49	94	81	0

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Office of Vital Statistics
Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[28] American Cancer Society. (2009) Cancer Facts & Figures 2009. American Cancer Society

Figure 25 maps the lung cancer age-adjusted death rate of Florida's counties. Palm Beach's rate was 39.5 per 100,000, placing it in the first, most favorable quartile. The rate in the state as a whole was 46.1 per 100,000.

Figure 25: Lung Cancer Age-Adjusted Death Rate, Florida Counties, 2010



Data source: Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

Deaths Due to AIDS

In the United States, more than 1 million people are currently living with HIV/AIDS. Since the U.S. epidemic began, an estimated 617,025 people have died of AIDS.[29]

Table 124 shows deaths due to HIV/AIDS in Palm Beach and Florida in the years 2000 - 2010. Deaths due to HIV/AIDS in Palm Beach ranged between 64 - 165 deaths per year in the time period shown. There was a 61% decrease in the number of deaths from 2000 to 2010. In 2010, the rate in Palm Beach was 5.0 per 100,000 population, slightly lower than the rate in Florida which was 5.7.

Table 124: HIV/AIDS Crude Death Rate, Palm Beach, Florida, 2000-2010

Years	Palm Beach		Florida
	Count	Rate	Rate
2000	165	14.5	11.3
2001	147	12.7	10.1
2002	157	13.2	10.2
2003	156	12.8	10.1
2004	175	14.0	9.7
2005	149	11.7	9.5
2006	162	12.6	9.5
2007	118	9.1	8.1
2008	118	9.1	7.5
2009	103	8.0	6.5
2010	64	5.0	5.7

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): ICD-10 Code(s): B20-B24. Rates are per 100,000 population and are calculated using population estimates provided by the Florida Legislature, Office of Economic and Demographic Research. Data for 1970-78, 1979-98, and 1999-present are not fully comparable due to changes in coding causes of death. Consequently, increases or decreases in 1979 and 1999 may not be due to changes in disease trends but rather coding changes. Starting with 2003 deaths, the sum of the deaths from all counties will not equal the total number of resident deaths due to an unknown county of residence on some records.

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Unintentional Injury Deaths

According to the National Center for Health Statistics, unintentional injuries are the fifth leading cause of death overall, and the leading cause of death for individuals in the 1-4, 5-14, 15-24 and 25-44 age groups.[30]

[29] www.niaid.nih.gov/topics/HIVAIDS/Understanding/Pages/quickFacts.aspx
[30] Kochanek KD, Xu JQ, Murphy SL, et al. Deaths: Preliminary data for 2009. National vital statistics reports; vol 59 no 4. Hyattsville, MD: National Center for Health Statistics. 2011.

Table 125 shows unintentional injury death counts and rates in Palm Beach and Florida by type of injury. Unintentional poisonings were responsible for 192 deaths, followed by unintentional falls causing 146 deaths and motor vehicle crashes causing 135 deaths. Palm Beach County is currently below the HP 2020 target for Poisoning Deaths, Fall-Related Deaths, Unintentional Drowning, and Unintentional Fires.

Healthy People 2020 Target
Poisoning deaths = 13.1 deaths per 100,000 population
Motor vehicle crash deaths = 12.4 deaths per 100,000 population
Fall-related deaths = 7.0 deaths per 100,000 populations
Drowning deaths = 1.1 per 100,000 population
Fire deaths = .86 deaths per 100,000 population

Table 125: Unintentional Injuries by Type, Crude Death Rate, Palm Beach, Florida, 2010

	Count	Rate
Unintentional Poisoning		
Florida	2,582	13.7
Palm Beach	192	14.9
Motor Vehicle Crashes		
Florida	2,449	13
Palm Beach	135	10.5
Unintentional Falls		
Florida	2,160	11.5
Palm Beach	146	11.3
Unintentional Drownings		
Florida	373	2
Palm Beach	29	2.3
Unintentional Fires		
Florida	117	0.6
Palm Beach	1	0.1

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics

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Table 126 shows trends in unintentional injury counts and rates by gender in Palm Beach and Florida. In 2010, the rate among males (60.9 per 100,000) was over double the rate in females (28.3 per 100,000). The number of death in the county ranged from a high of 697 in 2007 to a low of 474 in 2000. In 2010 there were 568 deaths due to unintentional injuries in Palm Beach County.

Table 126: Unintentional Injuries Crude Death Rate, Palm Beach, Florida, 2000-2010

Years	Palm Beach				Florida	
	Male		Female		Male	Female
	Count	Rate	Count	Rate	Rate	Rate
2000	330	60	144	24.5	54.7	25.5
2001	360	64.2	160	26.7	58.1	26.4
2002	374	65.1	182	29.6	59.6	29
2003	423	71.9	220	34.9	62.3	30.6
2004	400	66	184	28.6	63.1	30.4
2005	417	67.7	191	29.1	66.7	31.1
2006	435	69.7	201	30.2	65.7	30.9
2007	494	78.7	203	30.4	65.5	31.5
2008	452	72.1	185	27.7	64.1	31.3
2009	416	66.6	254	38.2	61.2	32.6
2010	380	60.9	188	28.3	59.7	32.9

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics
Data Note(s): ICD-10 Code(s): V01-X59, Y85-Y86. Rates are per 100,000 population and are calculated using population estimates provided by the Florida Legislature, Office of Economic and Demographic Research. Starting with 2003 deaths, the sum of the deaths from all counties will not equal the total number of resident deaths due to an unknown county of residence on some records

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HEALTH RESOURCE AVAILABILITY AND ACCESS

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Hospitals

Table 127 lists the licensed hospitals in Palm Beach County, their location, the number of licensed beds and profit status. The Agency for Health Care Administration designates hospitals as 'not-for-profit' and 'for-profit', these terms are often used interchangeably with 'tax-exempt' and 'tax-paying'. A.G. Holley State Hospital, part of the Florida Department of Health, a center for diagnosis, treatment and cure of tuberculosis[31] is slated to close in 2012.

Table 127: Total Licensed Hospitals, Palm Beach, May 2012

Name	City	Licensed Beds	Profit Status
A G HOLLEY STATE HOSPITAL	LANTANA	100	Not-For-Profit
BETHESDA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	BOYNTON BEACH	401	Not-For-Profit
BOCA RATON REGIONAL HOSPITAL	BOCA RATON	400	Not-For-Profit
COLUMBIA HOSPITAL	WEST PALM BEACH	245	For-Profit
DELRAY MEDICAL CENTER	DELRAY BEACH	493	For-Profit
GOOD SAMARITAN MEDICAL CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	333	For-Profit
JFK MEDICAL CENTER	ATLANTIS	460	For-Profit
JUPITER MEDICAL CENTER	JUPITER	163	Not-For-Profit
KINDRED HOSPITAL THE PALM BEACHES	RIVIERA BEACH	70	For-Profit
LAKESIDE MEDICAL CENTER	BELLE GLADE	70	Not-For-Profit
PALM BEACH GARDENS MEDICAL CENTER	PALM BEACH GARDENS	199	For-Profit
PALMS WEST HOSPITAL	LOXAHATCHEE	175	For-Profit
SELECT SPECIALTY HOSPITAL- PALM BEACH	LAKE WORTH	60	For-Profit
ST MARY'S MEDICAL CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	464	For-Profit
THE JEROME GOLDEN CENTER FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INC	WEST PALM BEACH	44	Not-For-Profit
WELLINGTON REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER	WELLINGTON	158	For-Profit
WEST BOCA MEDICAL CENTER	BOCA RATON	195	For-Profit

Source: FloridaHealthFinder, Agency for Health Care Administration

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[31] http://www.doh.state.fl.us/agholley/index.html

Nursing Homes

Table 128 lists licensed nursing homes in Palm Beach, their location, number of licensed beds and not-for profit or profit status.

Table 128: Licensed Nursing Homes, Palm Beach, May 2012

Name	Street City	Licensed Beds	Profit Status
ABBEY DELRAY	DELRAY BEACH	100	Not-For-Profit
ABBEY DELRAY SOUTH	DELRAY BEACH	90	Not-For-Profit
AMERICAN-FINNISH NURSING HOME	LAKE WORTH	60	Not-For-Profit
AVANTE AT BOCA RATON INC.	BOCA RATON	144	For-Profit
AVANTE AT LAKE WORTH INC.	LAKE WORTH	138	For-Profit
BARRINGTON TERRACE OF BOYNTON BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	29	For-Profit
BOCA RATON REHABILITATION CENTER	BOCA RATON	120	Not-For-Profit
BOULEVARD REHABILITATION CENTER	BOYNTON BEACH	167	For-Profit
BOYNTON BEACH REHABILITATION CENTER	BOYNTON BEACH	168	For-Profit
BOYNTON HEALTH CARE CENTER	BOYNTON BEACH	81	For-Profit
CHATSWORTH AT PGA NATIONAL	PALM BEACH GARDENS	76	For-Profit
CONSULATE HEALTH CARE OF WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	120	For-Profit
CORAL BAY HEALTHCARE AND REHABILITATION	WEST PALM BEACH	120	For-Profit
COURTYARD GARDENS REHABILITATION CENTER LLC	JUPITER	120	For-Profit
CROSSINGS THE	LAKE WORTH	60	For-Profit
DARCY HALL OF LIFE CARE	WEST PALM BEACH	220	For-Profit
EDWARD J HEALEY REHABILITATION AND NURSING CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	198	Not-For-Profit
FOUNTAINS NURSING HOME	BOCA RATON	51	For-Profit
GARDENS COURT	PALM BEACH GARDENS	120	For-Profit
GLADES HEALTH CARE CENTER	PAHOKEE	120	Not-For-Profit
HAMLIN PLACE	LANTANA	120	Not-For-Profit
HARBOURS EDGE	DELRAY BEACH	54	Not-For-Profit
HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE AND REHABILITATION CENTER OF BOCA RATON	BOCA RATON	120	For-Profit
HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE CENTER BOYNTON BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	120	For-Profit
HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE CENTER PROSPERITY OAKS	PALM BEACH GARDENS	120	For-Profit
JOSEPH L MORSE GERIATRIC CENTER INC	WEST PALM BEACH	280	Not-For-Profit
JUPITER MEDICAL CENTER PAVILION INC	JUPITER	120	Not-For-Profit
LAKE VIEW CARE CENTER AT DELRAY	DELRAY BEACH	120	For-Profit
LAKESIDE HEALTH CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	107	For-Profit
LOURDES-NOREEN MCKEEN RESIDENCE FOR GERIATRIC CARE INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	132	Not-For-Profit
MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES	DELRAY BEACH	120	For-Profit
MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES	BOCA RATON	180	For-Profit
MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES BOYNTON BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	180	For-Profit
MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	120	For-Profit
MEDICANA NURSING AND REHAB CENTER	LAKE WORTH	117	For-Profit
MENORAH HOUSE	BOCA RATON	120	For-Profit
NORTH LAKE REHABILITATION AND HEALTH CENTER	LAKE PARK	85	For-Profit
NURSING CENTER AT LA POSADA THE	PALM BEACH GARDENS	40	Not-For-Profit

NUVISTA LIVING AT WELLINGTON GREEN	WELLINGTON	120	For-Profit
OASIS HEALTH AND REHABILITATION CENTER	LAKE WORTH	120	For-Profit
PALM GARDEN OF WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	176	For-Profit
REGENTS PARK NURSING & REHABILITATION CENTER	BOCA RATON	180	For-Profit
REHABILITATION CENTER OF THE PALM BEACHES THE	WEST PALM BEACH	99	Not-For-Profit
RENAISSANCE HEALTH and REHABILITATION	WEST PALM BEACH	120	For-Profit
ROYAL MANOR	ROYAL PALM BEACH	120	For-Profit
SAVANNAH COVE	WEST PALM BEACH	30	For-Profit
SIGNATURE HEALTHCARE OF PALM BEACH	LAKE WORTH	120	For-Profit
STRATFORD COURT OF BOCA RATON	BOCA RATON	60	For-Profit
TERRACES OF LAKE WORTH REHABILITATION AND HEALTH CENTER	LAKE WORTH	99	For-Profit
VI AT LAKESIDE VILLAGE	LANTANA	60	For-Profit
WATERFORD HEALTH CARE CENTER	JUNO BEACH	60	Not-For-Profit
WHITEHALL BOCA RATON	BOCA RATON	154	For-Profit
WILLOWBROOKE COURT AT EDGEWATER POINTE ESTATES	BOCA RATON	101	Not-For-Profit
WILLOWBROOKE COURT AT ST ANDREWS	BOCA RATON	119	Not-For-Profit
WOOD LAKE NURSING AND REHABILITATION CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	120	For-Profit

Source: FloridaHealthFinder, Agency for Health Care Administration

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Home Health Agencies

A listing of Agency for Health Care Administration licensed home health agencies is located at Appendix B.

AHCA Licensed Facilities "All Types"

A listing of all Agency for Health Care Administration licensed facilities is located at Appendix C.

HEALTH CARE PROVIDER SUPPLY

Physicians

The number of physicians in the county increased from 3,518 in fiscal year 2008-09 to 4,075 in fiscal year 2010-11. The number of physicians per 100,000 individuals was slightly lower in Palm Beach (316.6) than in Florida (336.3). This data does not detail whether the physician is actively practicing medicine in the county and may not be an accurate representation of access.

Table 129: Total Licensed Physicians (Fiscal Year), Palm Beach, Florida, FY 2008-09 , FY 2009-10, FY 2010-11

	Number of Physicians			Rate per 100,000		
	FY 2008-09	FY 2009-10	FY 2010-11	FY 2008-09	FY 2009-10	FY 2010-11
Florida	56,177	56,561	63,187	298.6	300.6	336.3
Palm Beach	3,518	3,549	4,075	271.9	275.3	316.6

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Division of Medical Quality Assurance

Data Note(s): Licensure data is for a fiscal year (July 1-June 30). Sum of county totals does not equal the state total due to licensees with out of state addresses. Data includes actively licensed providers only. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

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Nurses

As of June 2012, there were 15,031 licensed Registered Nurses with an 'address of record' in Palm Beach County according the Florida Department of Health license verification database. As with physicians, this number is not necessarily indicative of the number of nurses who are actively practicing in the county and may not be an accurate representation of access to providers.

Dentists

Table 130 shows the number and rate per 100,000 of licensed dentists in Palm Beach and Florida. Similar to physicians and nurses, this number is not necessarily indicative of the number of dentists who are actively practicing in the county and may not be an accurate representation of access to dental services.

Table 130: Total Licensed Dentists (Fiscal Year), Palm Beach, Florida, FY 2008-09 , FY 2009-10, FY 2010-11

	Number of Dentists			Rate per 100,000		
	FY 2008-09	FY 2009-10	FY 2010-11	FY 2008-09	FY 2009-10	FY 2010-11
Florida	11785	11647	11943	62.6	61.9	63.6
Palm Beach	940	985	975	72.6	76.4	75.7

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Division of Medical Quality Assurance

Data Note(s): Licensure data is for a fiscal year (July 1-June 30). Sum of county totals does not equal the state total due to licensees with out of state addresses. Data includes actively licensed providers only. Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

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FEDERAL HEALTH PROFESSIONAL SHORTAGE AREA (HPSA)

Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSAs) are areas, populations or institutions designated by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) to have shortages of primary medical care, dental or mental health providers. HPSA designations are based on several criteria including: a rational need for services, a provider to population ratio that falls below a set criteria, and an occurrence of current health providers being over-utilized, inaccessible or excessively distant.

"HPSA scores range from 1 to 25 for primary care and mental health, 1 to 26 for dental. The higher the score, the greater the priority.
All Federally Qualified Health Centers and those Rural Health Clinics that provide access to care regardless of ability to pay receive automatic facility HPSA designation. These facilities may have a HPSA score of 0". # Short indicates the number of full-time equivalent providers needed to remove the designation.[32]

Primary Care – Palm Beach County

There are three different types of primary care HPSA designations: geographic area, population group and facilities, each with its own criteria for designation. More information regarding criterion can be accessed on HRSA's website.

Table 131 shows the primary care health professional shortage areas in Palm Beach County.

Table 131: Palm Beach County Primary Care HPSA as of November 2011

HPSA Name	ID	Type	FTE	# Short	Score
099 - Palm Beach County					
Low Income - Delray Beach	112999120Q	Population Group	4	1	9
C.T. 0065.01, C.T. 0065.02, C.T. 0067.00, C.T. 0068.01, C.T. 0068.02, C.T. 0069.03, C.T. 0069.07, C.T. 0069.08		Census Tract			
Low Income - Lantana/Lake Worth	112999120U	Population Group	6	5	13
C.T. 0036.00, C.T. 0037.00, C.T. 0044.01, C.T. 0044.02, C.T. 0045.00, C.T. 0046.01, C.T. 0046.02, C.T. 0049.01, C.T. 0050.00, C.T. 0051.00, C.T. 0052.01, C.T. 0052.02, C.T. 0055.01, C.T. 0055.02		Census Tract			
Low Income - Boynton Beach	112999121T	Population Group	0	4	16

[32] Health Resource and Service Administration

C.T. 0056.00, C.T. 0057.01, C.T. 0057.02, C.T. 0061.00, C.T. 0062.01, C.T. 0062.03		Census Tract			
Low Income - West Palm Beach	112999123C	Population Group	22	9	9
C.T. 0010.02, C.T. 0010.04, C.T. 0011.01, C.T. 0012.00, C.T. 0013.01, C.T. 0013.02, C.T. 0014.02, C.T. 0014.03, C.T. 0014.04, C.T. 0015.00, C.T. 0016.00, C.T. 0017.00, C.T. 0018.01, C.T. 0018.02, C.T. 0019.02, C.T. 0019.04, C.T. 0019.05, C.T. 0019.06, C.T. 0019.07, C.T. 0019.08, C.T. 0019.09, C.T. 0020.00, C.T. 0021.00, C.T. 0022.00, C.T. 0023.00, C.T. 0024.00, C.T. 0026.00, C.T. 0027.00, C.T. 0028.00, C.T. 0029.00, C.T. 0030.00, C.T. 0031.01, C.T. 0031.02, C.T. 0032.00, C.T. 0033.00, C.T. 0034.00, C.T. 0038.00, C.T. 0039.01, C.T. 0039.02, C.T. 0040.05, C.T. 0040.07, C.T. 0040.08, C.T. 0040.09, C.T. 0040.10, C.T. 0040.11, C.T. 0041.01, C.T. 0041.02, C.T. 0042.01, C.T. 0042.02, C.T. 0042.03, C.T. 0043.00, C.T. 0078.19		Census Tract			
Low Income - Greenacres	112999124T	Population Group	1	4	13
C.T. 0040.12, C.T. 0040.13, C.T. 0047.02, C.T. 0047.04, C.T. 0047.05, C.T. 0047.06, C.T. 0048.05, C.T. 0048.08, C.T. 0048.12, C.T. 0048.13		Census Tract			
Low Income - Boca Raton	112999124U	Population Group	0	2	11
C.T. 0072.03, C.T. 0075.01, C.T. 0076.02		Census Tract			
Florida Community Health Centers, Inc.	112999124W	Comprehensive Health Center	1		15
Palm Beach County Health Department	112999125K	Comprehensive Health Center	1		17
Low Income/Migrant Farmworker - Belle Glade-Pahokee-Palm Beach	1129991267	Population Group	7	1	9
C.T. 0080.01, C.T. 0080.02, C.T. 0081.01, C.T. 0081.02, C.T. 0082.01, C.T. 0082.02, C.T. 0082.03, C.T. 0083.01, C.T. 0083.02		Census Tract			
West Palm Beach Health Center	112999127L	Other Facility	0		9
Glades Correctional Institution	11299912AB	Correctional Facility	1	0	9
Dba Foundcare Health Center	11299912AD	Federally Qualified Health Center Look A Like	0		1
South Bay Correctional Facility	11299912AE	Correctional Facility	1	1	15

Source: US Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Service Administration
NOTE: On Thursday November 3, 2011, the list of designated HPSAs was updated to reflect the publication of the Federal Register Notice with the list of designated HPSAs as of September 1, 2011. HPSAs that were designated after September 1, 2011 are considered designated even though they are not on the federal register listing; HPSAs that have been placed in "proposed for withdrawal" or "no new data" status since September 1, 2011 will remain in that status until the publication of the next federal register notice. If there are any questions about the status of a particular HPSA or area, we recommend that you contact the state primary care office in your state; a listing can be obtained at http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/shortage/hpsas/primarycareoffices.html.
Notes: Satellite sites of Comprehensive Health Centers automatically assume the HPSA score of the affiliated grantee. They are not listed separately.
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Dental Care – Palm Beach County

There are three different types of dental health care HPSA designations: geographic area, population group and facilities, each with its own criteria for designation. More information regarding criterion can be accessed on HRSA's website.

Table 132 shows the dental health professional shortage areas in Palm Beach County.

Table 132: Health Professional Shortage Area, Dental Health Care, Palm Beach, November 2011

HPSA Name	ID	Type	FTE	# Short	Score
099 - Palm Beach County					
Florida Community Health Centers, Inc.	612999123C	Comprehensive Health Center			13
C.L. Brumback Health Center	612999123V	Comprehensive Health Center			13
Low Income - West Palm Beach	6129991245	Population Group	3	20	13
C.T. 0010.02, C.T. 0010.04, C.T. 0011.01, C.T. 0012.00, C.T. 0013.01, C.T. 0013.02, C.T. 0014.02, C.T. 0014.03, C.T. 0014.04, C.T. 0015.00, C.T. 0016.00, C.T. 0017.00, C.T. 0018.01, C.T. 0018.02, C.T. 0019.02, C.T. 0019.04, C.T. 0019.05, C.T. 0019.06, C.T. 0019.07, C.T. 0019.08, C.T. 0019.09, C.T. 0020.00, C.T. 0021.00, C.T. 0022.00, C.T. 0023.00, C.T. 0024.00, C.T. 0026.00, C.T. 0027.00, C.T. 0028.00, C.T. 0029.00, C.T. 0030.00, C.T. 0031.01, C.T. 0031.02, C.T. 0032.00, C.T. 0033.00, C.T. 0034.00, C.T. 0038.00, C.T. 0039.01, C.T. 0039.02, C.T. 0040.05, C.T. 0040.07, C.T. 0040.08, C.T. 0040.09, C.T. 0040.10, C.T. 0040.11, C.T. 0041.01, C.T. 0041.02, C.T. 0042.01, C.T. 0042.02, C.T. 0042.03, C.T. 0043.00, C.T. 0078.19		Census Tract			
Low Income/Migrant Farmworker - Belle Glade/Pahokee	6129991296	Population Group	4	12	17
C.T. 0080.01, C.T. 0080.02, C.T. 0081.01, C.T. 0081.02, C.T. 0082.01, C.T. 0082.02, C.T. 0082.03, C.T. 0083.01, C.T. 0083.02		Census Tract			
Dba Foundcare Health Center	61299912OX	FQHC Look A Like	0		1
Glades Correctional Institution	61299912P1	Correctional Facility	2	0	9
South Bay Correctional Facility	61299912P2	Correctional Facility	1	1	15

Source: US Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration
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Notes: Satellite sites of Comprehensive Health Centers automatically assume the HPSA score of the affiliated grantee. They are not listed separately.
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Mental Health Care – Palm Beach County

There are three different types of mental health care HPSA designations: geographic area, population group and facilities, each with its own criteria for designation. More information regarding criterion can be accessed on HRSA's website.

Table 133 shows the mental health care health professional shortage areas in Palm Beach County.

Table 133: Health Professional Shortage Area, Mental Health Care, Palm Beach, November 2011

HPSA Name	ID	Type	FTE	# Short	Score
099 - Palm Beach County					
C.L. Brumback Health Center	712999121K	Comprehensive Health Center			12
Belle Glade/Pahokee	712999122Y	Geographical Area	1	1	18
Belle Glade-Pahokee CCD		Minor Civil Division			
Florida Community Health Centers, Inc.	7129991295	Comprehensive Health Center			14
Dba Foundcare Health Center	712999129A	Federally Qualified Health Center Look A Like	0		5
South Bay Correctional Facility	712999129C	Correctional Facility	1		15

Source: US Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration
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FEDERAL MEDICALLY UNDERSERVED AREAS/POPULATIONS

Medically Underserved Areas (MUAs)/Populations (MUPs) are designated by Health Resources Service Administration (HRSA) as areas or populations having: too few primary care providers, high infant mortality, high poverty and/or high elderly population. An Index of Medical Underservice (IMU) uses weighted values for different factors to determine the score.

Medically Underserved Populations (MUPs) are comprised of groups of individuals who face economic, cultural or linguistic barriers to health care. Medically Underserved Areas (MUAs) are a whole county or a group of contiguous counties, a group of county or civil divisions or a group of urban census tracts in which residents have a shortage of personal health services. [33]

[33] Health Resources and Services Administration

Table 134 shows the MUPs and MUAs in Palm Beach County.

Table 134: Medically Underserved Areas and Populations in Palm Beach as of November 2011

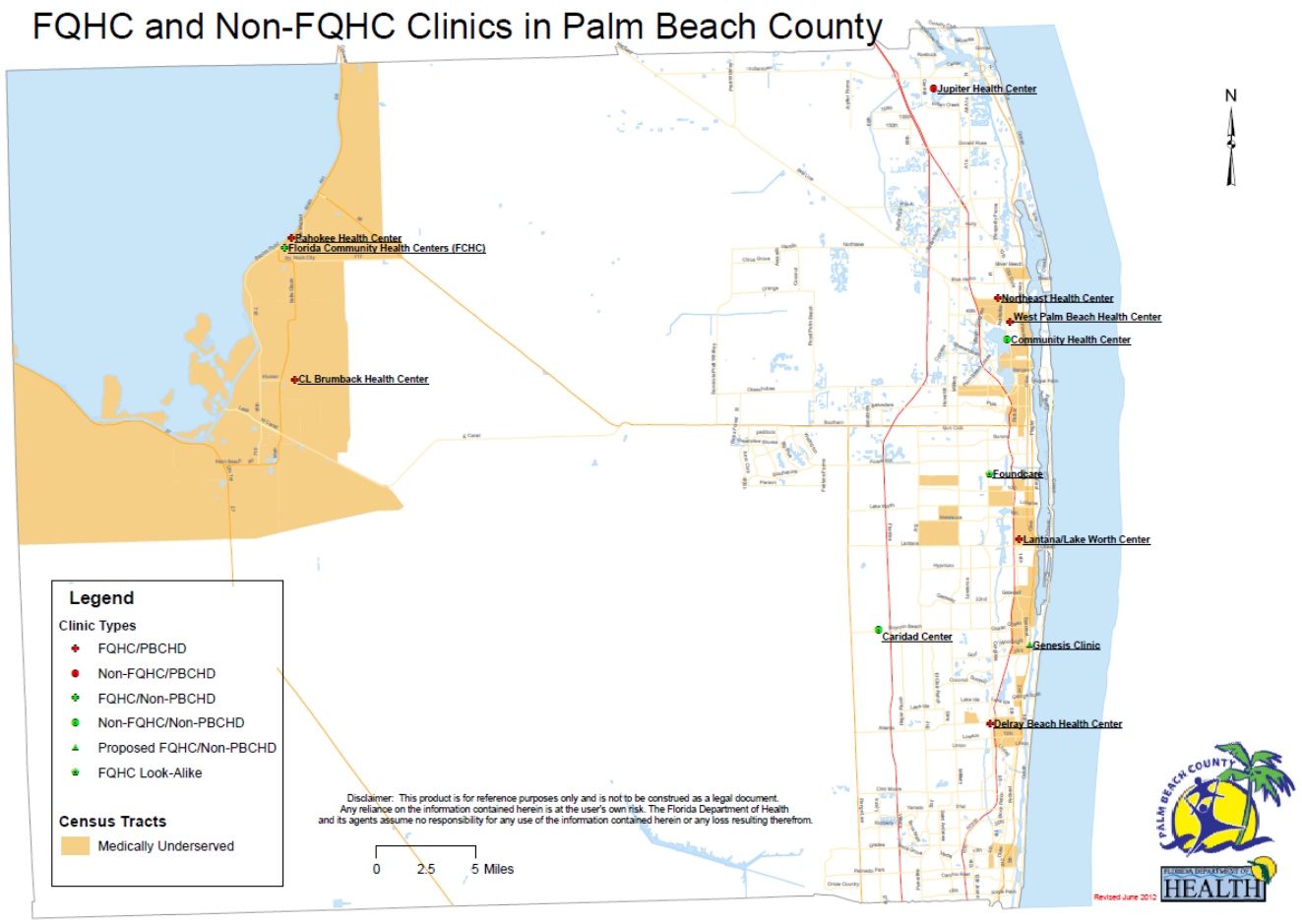
Name	ID#	Type	Score	Designation Date	Update Date
Palm Beach County					
Low Inc - Boynton Beach	570	MUP	56.2	9/4/2002	5/22/2007
CT 0056.00, CT 0057.01, CT 0057.02, CT 0061.00, CT 0062.01, CT 0062.03					
Low Inc - West Palm Beach	7064	MUP	59.9	6/22/2001	
CT 0012.00, CT 0013.01, CT 0014.02, CT 0014.03, CT 0014.04, CT 0015.00, CT 0016.00, CT 0017.00, CT 0021.00, CT 0022.00, CT 0023.00, CT 0024.00, CT 0026.00, CT 0028.00, CT 0029.00, CT 0033.00					
Low Inc - Greenacres	7245	MUP	47.5	7/25/2002	10/5/2007
CT 0040.12, CT 0040.13, CT 0047.02, CT 0047.04, CT 0047.05, CT 0047.06, CT 0048.05, CT 0048.08, CT 0048.12, CT 0048.13					
Low Inc - Boca Raton	7246	MUP	57.8	7/26/2002	5/29/2007
CT 0072.03, CT 0075.01, CT 0076.02					
Low Inc - Delray Beach	7279	MUP	46.7	8/28/2002	
CT 0065.01, CT 0065.02, CT 0067.00, CT 0068.01, CT 0068.02, CT 0069.03					
Low Inc - Lantana/ Lake Worth	7280	MUP	58.9	8/28/2002	
CT 0037.00, CT 0044.01, CT 0045.00, CT 0050.00, CT 0051.00, CT 0052.01, CT 0052.02, CT 0055.01					
Low Inc/ M F W - Belle Glade/ Pahokee	7531	MUP	53.6	5/11/1994	3/23/2006
CT 0080.01, CT 0080.02, CT 0081.01, CT 0081.02, CT 0082.01, CT 0082.02, CT 0082.03, CT 0083.01, CT 0083.02					
Low Income - Jupiter	7817	MUP	61.2	4/15/2011	
CT 0001.01, CT 0001.02, CT 0002.02, CT 0002.04, CT 0002.05, CT 0002.06, CT 0002.08, CT 0002.09, CT 0002.10, CT 0002.11, CT 0002.12, CT 0002.13, CT 0003.01, CT 0003.03, CT 0004.02, CT 0004.03, CT 0004.04					

Source: US Department of Health and Human Services, Health Resources and Services Administration

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Figure 26 highlights medically underserved areas and marks the locations of federally qualified health center and non-federally qualified health center clinics in Palm Beach County.

Figure 26: FQHC and NON-FQHC Clinics and Medically Underserved Areas by Census Tract, Palm Beach County



Note: Medically Underserved color shaded areas on map do not represent census tracts in Jupiter that were recently designated.

HEALTH INSURANCE

Uninsured

Table 135 shows the number and percent of uninsured individuals, by age and gender, in Palm Beach and Florida. The percent uninsured are similar in Palm Beach and Florida.

Table 135: Health Insurance Coverage by Age, by Sex, Palm Beach, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida
	Total	Number Uninsured	Percent Uninsured	Percent Uninsured
Total civilian noninstitutionalized population	1,313,903	275,394	21.0%	21.3%
AGE				
Under 18 years	268,674	41,106	15.3%	12.7%
18 to 64 years	763,961	230,596	30.2%	29.9%
65 years and older	281,268	3,692	1.3%	1.4%
SEX				
Male	634,863	146,890	23.1%	23.2%
Female	679,040	128,504	18.9%	19.4%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2010

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 136 shows the number and percent of uninsured individuals, by race and ethnicity and place of birth, in Palm Beach and Florida. In Palm Beach County, the number of uninsured Black individuals (33.8%) was nearly double the percentage of uninsured White individuals. The percentage of Hispanic or Latino individuals was 38.3% compared to 11.6% of 'White alone, not Hispanic or Latino'. Nearly 42% of foreign born individuals in the county were uninsured compared to the 14.6% who were native born.

Table 136: Health Insurance Coverage by Race, by Place of Birth, Palm Beach, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida
	Total	**Number Uninsured**	**Percent Uninsured**	**Percent Uninsured**
RACE AND HISPANIC OR LATINO ORIGIN				
One Race	N	N	N	21.3%
White alone	1,005,891	174,749	17.4%	19.5%
Black or African American alone	225,319	76,165	33.8%	26.2%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	N	N	N	34.6%
Asian alone	31,625	7,953	25.1%	24.6%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	N	N	N	20.6%
Some other race alone	27,885	12,909	46.3%	41.0%
Two or more races	20,568	3,499	17.0%	19.4%
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino	788,335	91,582	11.6%	14.9%
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	251,136	96,165	38.3%	34.3%
PLACE OF BIRTH AND U.S. CITIZENSHIP STATUS				
Native born	1,008,935	147,486	14.6%	16.9%
Foreign born	304,968	127,908	41.9%	39.4%
Naturalized	136,884	28,937	21.1%	21.8%
Not a citizen	168,084	98,971	58.9%	55.9%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2010

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Table 137 shows the number and percent of uninsured individuals, by educational attainment, employment status and household income in Palm Beach and Florida. The percentage of uninsured individuals with less than a high school diploma was 41.6% compared to 8.5% who have a bachelor's degree or higher. Over half (53.8%) of unemployed individuals in the county are uninsured. The percentage of uninsured was highest among households in the $25,000 - $49,999 income bracket (29.4%), followed by households in the under $25,000 income bracket (28.3%).

Table 137: Health Insurance Coverage by Educational Attainment and Employment Status and Household Income, Palm Beach, 2010

	Palm Beach			Florida
	Total	Number Uninsured	Percent Uninsured	Percent Uninsured
EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 25 years and older	940,612	191,630	20.4%	21.6%
Less than high school graduate	119,025	49,494	41.6%	34.8%
High school graduate, GED, or alternative	250,476	64,771	25.9%	26.1%
Some college or associate's degree	270,494	51,914	19.2%	19.9%
Bachelor's degree or higher	300,617	25,451	8.5%	11.1%
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 years and older	1,045,229	234,288	22.4%	23.6%
In labor force	661,013	188,130	28.5%	28.7%
Employed	573,006	140,777	24.6%	24.7%
Unemployed	88,007	47,353	53.8%	55.3%
Not in labor force	384,216	46,158	12.0%	15.1%
WORK EXPERIENCE				
Civilian noninstitutionalized population 18 years and older	1,045,229	234,288	22.4%	23.6%
Worked full-time, year round in the past 12 months	395,920	79,648	20.1%	20.3%
Worked less than full-time, year round in the past 12 months	245,435	88,449	36.0%	36.8%
Did not work	403,874	66,191	16.4%	18.9%
HOUSEHOLD INCOME (IN 2010 INFLATION ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Civilian household population	1,302,788	271,352	20.8%	21.2%
Under $25,000	231,430	65,536	28.3%	30.0%
$25,000 to $49,999	331,899	97,616	29.4%	27.2%
$50,000 to $74,999	239,345	53,408	22.3%	20.1%
$75,000 to $99,999	170,509	27,007	15.8%	14.1%
$100,000 and over	329,605	27,785	8.4%	9.0%

Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey, 2010

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

Florida KidCare

Florida Kidcare is health insurance offered by the state of Florida for individuals up to 18 years, even if one or both parents are employed. The four parts of Florida KidCare for which one may be eligible are: MediKids, Healthy Kids, Children's Medical Services Network and Medicaid.[34]

Table 138 shows the percentage of children under 5 covered by KidCare. The percentage enrolled in Palm Beach (3.3%), slightly higher than the percentage in Florida (2.9%).

Table 138: Children < 5 covered by KidCare (Medikids + Medicaid), Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Children covered by Kidcare			Number of Population 0-4			Rate Percent		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	29,901	23,873	33,495	1,137,643	1,136,803	1,136,371	2.6%	2.1%	2.9%
Palm Beach	2,163	1,647	2,435	73,480	72,999	73,372	2.9%	2.3%	3.3%

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration (AHCA)

Notes: Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor.

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Medicaid

Medicaid is a federally and state funded health program in the United States that provides health services to low income individuals and families. Medicaid enrollment increased in both Palm Beach and in Florida over the 2008 to 2010 time period.

Table 139: Median Monthly Medicaid Enrollment, Palm Beach, Florida, 2008, 2009, 2010

	Number of Enrollment			Rate Per 100,000		
	2008	2009	2010	2008	2009	2010
Florida	2,637,603	2,678,520	2,995,439	14,021	14,233	15,943
Palm Beach	136,060	139,313	163,003	10,514	10,807	12,663

Source: FloridaCHARTS, Florida Department of Health, Office of Planning, Evaluation & Data Analysis

Data Note(s): Rates calculated using July 1 population estimates from the Office of the Governor

Compiled by: Health Council of Southeast Florida, 2012

[34] www.floridakidcare.org

Health Care District of Palm Beach County

*"*A primary mission of the Health Care District of Palm Beach County is to provide health coverage to uninsured residents…The District launched the Coordinated Care Program for qualified residents who are not eligible for Medicare or Medicaid, but lack private health insurance…The Health Care District has [also] established several other health coverage programs, including the Personal Health Plan, a Medicaid HMO, the Maternity Care Program, which provides prenatal and postnatal care to uninsured expectant mothers, and Vita Health, an affordable health coverage option for working individuals and families."[35]

Table 140 shows enrollment in Health Care District programs as of May 2012.

Table 140: Enrollment for Managed Care Health Coverage Programs Operated or Administered by the Health Care District of Palm Beach County, May 2012

	May 2012 Enrollment
Health Care District	
Option 1 Coordinated Care	12,549
Option 2 Coordinated Care	2,147
MCP – Maternity Care Program	1,309
Healthy Palm Beaches	
Personal Health Plan	12,068
Vita Health	9,436

Source: Health Care District of Palm Beach County

SAFETY NET

Safety net providers are generally non-profit, consumer directed health care centers whose mission is to provide high quality, cost-effective and comprehensive primary and preventive care to medically underserved and uninsured people. These organizations serve low income, working families, the uninsured and other high risk populations, such as homeless, migrant farm workers, isolated rural families, poor women, children and the elderly.

These centers have chosen to focus on wellness and prevention, which are key to cost savings in health care system. Through innovative approaches and interventions in community outreach,

[35] Health Care District of Palm Beach County, www.hcdpbc.org

patient education and prevention, these health centers also strive to teach their patients to take responsibility for their own health.

Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHC), Federally Qualified Health Center Look-Alikes (FQHC Look-Alikes) are supported by Health Resources and Service Administration (HRSA) and aim to provide primary health care services to underserved and vulnerable populations. The health centers serve populations with limited access to health care including: low income populations, the uninsured, individuals with language barriers, migrant and seasonal farmworkers, the homeless, and individuals living in public housing.[36] FQHCs and FQHC Look-Alikes may include community health centers, migrant health centers, Healthcare for the Homeless programs, and public housing primary care programs. These organizations play an instrumental role in filling critical gaps in health care.

Federally Qualified Health Centers, Federally Qualified Health Center Look-Alikes

Table 141: Federally Qualified Health Centers and Look-Alike Sites in Palm Beach County

Facility	Location Type	Setting
C.L. Brumback Health Center 38754 State Road 80, Belle Glade, FL 33430	Permanent	Rural
Comprehensive Community Care Network, Inc. (Foundcare) 2330 S Congress Avenue, Palm Springs, FL 33406	Permanent	Unknown
Delray Beach Annex 345 S Congress Avenue, Delray Beach, FL 33445	Permanent	Urban
Delray Beach Health Center 225 S Congress Avenue, Delray Beach, F L33445	Permanent	Urban
Lantana/Lake Worth Health Center 1250 Southwinds Drive, Lantana, FL 33462	Permanent	Urban
Pahokee Community Clinic 1200 E Main Street, Pahokee, FL 33476	Permanent	Rural
Pahokee Community Health Center 170 S Barfield Hwy, Suite 103, Pahokee, FL 33476	Permanent	Rural
West Palm Beach Health Center 1150 45th Street, West Palm Beach, FL 33407	Permanent	Urban

Data Source: HRSA Data Warehouse, 2011
Compiled by: Health Council or Southeast Florida, 2012

[36] www.bphc.hrsa.gov

The Palm Beach County Health Department

The Palm Beach County Health Department is an essential part of the safety net in the county. Their vision is “a healthier future for the people of Florida” and their mission is, “To protect and promote the health of all residents and visitors in Palm Beach County.” The Palm Beach County Health Department has been in existence for 50 years and is considered to be a model agency for the State of Florida and many other states throughout the country. The health department has a wide range of programs including, disease prevention and control, environmental health and engineering, school health and health education. Varied innovative programs include: free immunizations for children, child care education, quality assurance of air and water, testing and monitoring for potential health epidemics and emergency threats.

The Palm Beach County Health Department has health centers spread throughout the county. C. L. Brumback (Belle Glade) Health Center, Delray Beach Health Center, Jupiter Health Center, Lantana Lake Worth Health Center, Northeast (Riviera Beach) Health Center, West Palm Beach Health Center and Pahokee – Glades Health Center and Clinic. Health centers are staffed by a professional team of health providers, including physicians, physician assistants, advanced registered nurse practitioners, nurses, nutritionists and health support staff.

The Division of Clinical Health Services plans and coordinates primary and preventive managed health care services for residents who meet eligibility requirements. The Community Health Division staff is responsible for monitoring the implementation of the essential public health services and its various activities. The Environmental Health Division is charged with monitoring air quality, drinking water, and chemical laboratory testing among many other food and water borne investigations. Dental Health focuses on dental preventive care. According to recent figures, over 50,000 persons in Palm Beach County have benefited from this program. The Nutrition Services Department provides assessment, counseling and education related to nutrition.

The website provides some resources for residents including information about the locations and contact information of clinics as well as hours of operations and services offered. For more information, please visit with Palm Beach County Health Department’s website: www.pbchd.com

COMMUNITY PERSPECTIVE

THE LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH SYSTEM ASSESSMENT

Brief Background, Purpose and Methodology

The Local Public Health System Assessment (LPHSA) Instrument is one of the three assessment instruments within the Centers for Disease Control's (CDC) National Public Health Performance Standards Program (NPHPSP). The NPHPSP is a national partnership initiative that began in 1998 and includes the following partner organizations: the CDC, the American Public Health Association, National Association of County and City Health Officials, The Association of State and Territorial Health Officials, The National Association of Local Boards of Health, and the Public Health Foundation.

This assessment tool is based on the framework of the Ten Essential Public Health Services, which provide standards for quality in public health and is identified by the CDC and other national public health entities, as being a necessary foundation for public health activity. The standards provide an optimal level of performance. Each performance standard represents the "gold standard" or "best-practice" in that area. The standards are intended to support a continual process of quality improvement for local health system partners.

The Ten Essential Public Health Services

1. Monitor Health Status to Identify Community Health Problems
2. Diagnose and Investigate Health Problems and Health Hazards in the Community
3. Inform, Educate, and Empower People about Health Issues
4. Mobilize Community Partnerships to Identify and Solve Health Problems
5. Develop Policies and Plans that Support Individual and Community Health Efforts
6. Enforce Laws and Regulations that Protect Health and Ensure Safety
7. Link People to Needed Personal Health Services and Assure the Provision of Health Care when Otherwise Unavailable
8. Assure a Competent Public and Personal Health Care Workforce
9. Evaluate Effectiveness, Accessibility, and Quality of Personal and Population-Based Health Services
10. Research for New Insights and Innovative Solutions to Health Problems

In March 2012 the Health Council of Southeast Florida facilitated two meetings to assess the performance of Palm Beach County's local public health system in comparison to a set of national standards using the Local Public Health System Assessment. The sessions were attend by key leaders and stakeholders representative of the broad spectrum of contributors in the local public health care system including public, private and voluntary entities. Attendees included representatives from various types of organizations that contribute to the delivery of health services in Palm Beach, including the local public health agency, community health centers, social service providers, the county school district, faith-based organizations, philanthropic organizations, local governmental agencies, and many others.

Participants were provided with an overview of the Essential Public Health Services, the goals and the purpose for completing the assessment. The group discussed the assessment and answered questions in reference to each of the Essential Public Health Services and its respective model standards. The discussion was facilitated by staff of the Health Council of Southeast Florida. Participants were asked to respond to question related to each of the essential public health services and, as a group, come to a consensus regarding the level of activity in the community for each of the services using the scoring instrument in Figure 28. The answers were recorded manually and subsequently submitted electronically to the CDC for evaluation and results. The results herein are presented in the aggregate.

Results and Data Limitations of the Local Public Health System Assessment

The responses to the questions within the assessment are based upon processes that utilize input from diverse system participants with different experiences and perspectives. The gathering of information incorporates an element of subjectivity, which can be minimized through the use of particular assessment methods. Bear in mind that the assessment methods are not fully standardized and these differences may introduce an element of measurement error. Because of the inherent limitations noted, the results below and associated recommendations should be used only for quality and performance improvement purposes and should not be interpreted to reflect the capacity or performance of any single agency or organization.

How well did the Palm Beach County's local public health system perform the ten Essential Public Health Services (EPHS)?

Table 142 below, provides an overview of Palm Beach local public health system's performance in each of the 10 Essential Public Health Services (EPHS). Each EPHS score is a composite value determined by the scores given to those activities that contribute to each Essential Service. These scores range from a minimum value of 0% (no activity is performed pursuant to the standards) to a maximum of 100% (all activities associated with the standards are performed at optimal levels).

Table 142: Summary of performance scores by Essential Public Health Service (EPHS)

Essential Public Health Service		Score
1	Monitor Health Status To Identify Community Health Problems	66
2	Diagnose And Investigate Health Problems and Health Hazards	91
3	Inform, Educate, And Empower People about Health Issues	94
4	Mobilize Community Partnerships to Identify and Solve Health Problems	71
5	Develop Policies and Plans that Support Individual and Community Health Efforts	83
6	Enforce Laws and Regulations that Protect Health and Ensure Safety	92
7	Link People to Needed Personal Health Services and Assure the Provision of Health Care when Otherwise Unavailable	78
8	Assure a Competent Public and Personal Health Care Workforce	66
9	Evaluate Effectiveness, Accessibility, and Quality of Personal and Population-Based Health Services	63
10	Research for New Insights and Innovative Solutions to Health Problems	98
Overall Performance Score		**80**

Score Detail Methodology

The NPHPSP assessment instruments are developed using the Essential Public Health Services (EPHS) as a framework. Each Essential Public Health Service includes between 2-4 model standards that describe the key aspects of an optimally performing public health system. Each model standard is followed by assessment questions that serve as measures of performance. The 'public health system's' response to these questions should indicate how well the model standard, which portrays the highest level of performance or "gold standard", is being met.

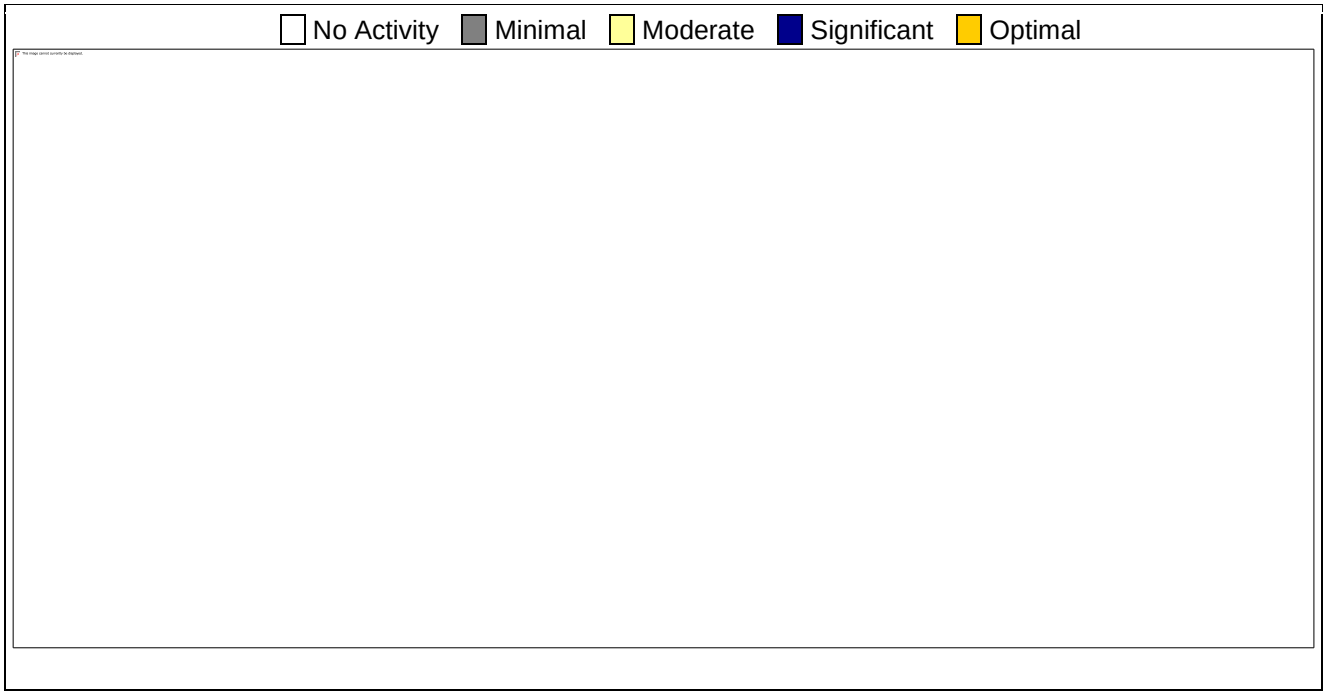
Each local public health system responds to the assessment questions using the options below. These same categories are used in this report to characterize levels of activity for Essential Services and model standards.

Figure 27: Local Public Health System Scoring Instrument

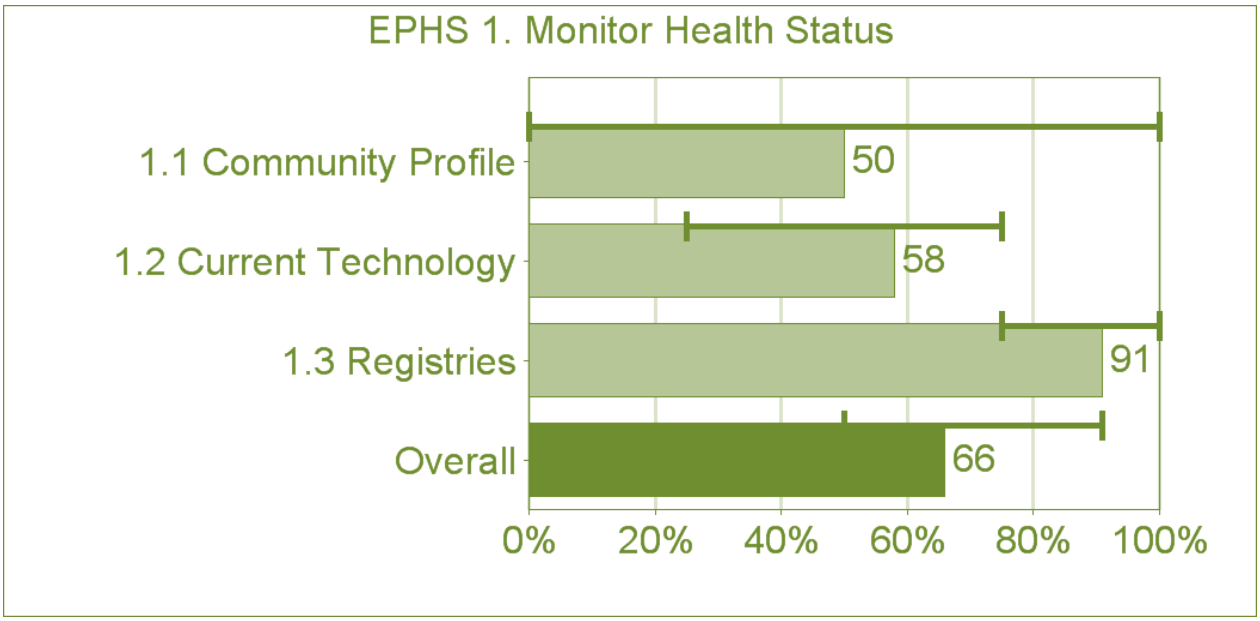
NO ACTIVITY	**0% or absolutely no activity.**
MINIMAL ACTIVITY	**Greater than zero, but no more than 25% of the activity described within the question is met.**
MODERATE ACTIVITY	**Greater than 25%, but no more than 50% of the activity described within the question is met.**
SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY	**Greater than 50%, but no more than 75% of the activity described within the question is met.**
OPTIMAL ACTIVITY	**Greater than 75% of the activity described within the question is met.**

Figure 28 shows the results from Palm Beach's LPHSA, ranked from high to low and color-coded to indicate level of activity. The local public health system in Palm Beach was scored to have optimal or significant activity in all 10 of the Essential Services of Public Health.

Figure 28: Rank ordered performance scores for each Essential Service, by level of activity



Essential Public Service #1: Monitor Health of the Community



According to the LPHSA our community has **significant activity** related to this activity.

Best Practices in Essential Service #1 are identified as:

- Conduct community health assessments to identify public health risks and inform public health planning.
- Review available health data to determine most prevalent health problem afflicting community.
- Identify groups of people who might have a greater chance of becoming ill because of where they live or work, because of social economic situations, or because they have behaviors that can cause health problems.
- Develop community health profile to educate community and community leaders about public health promotion.
- Establish website to provide community information about persistent health problems within community and how to prevent these problems.

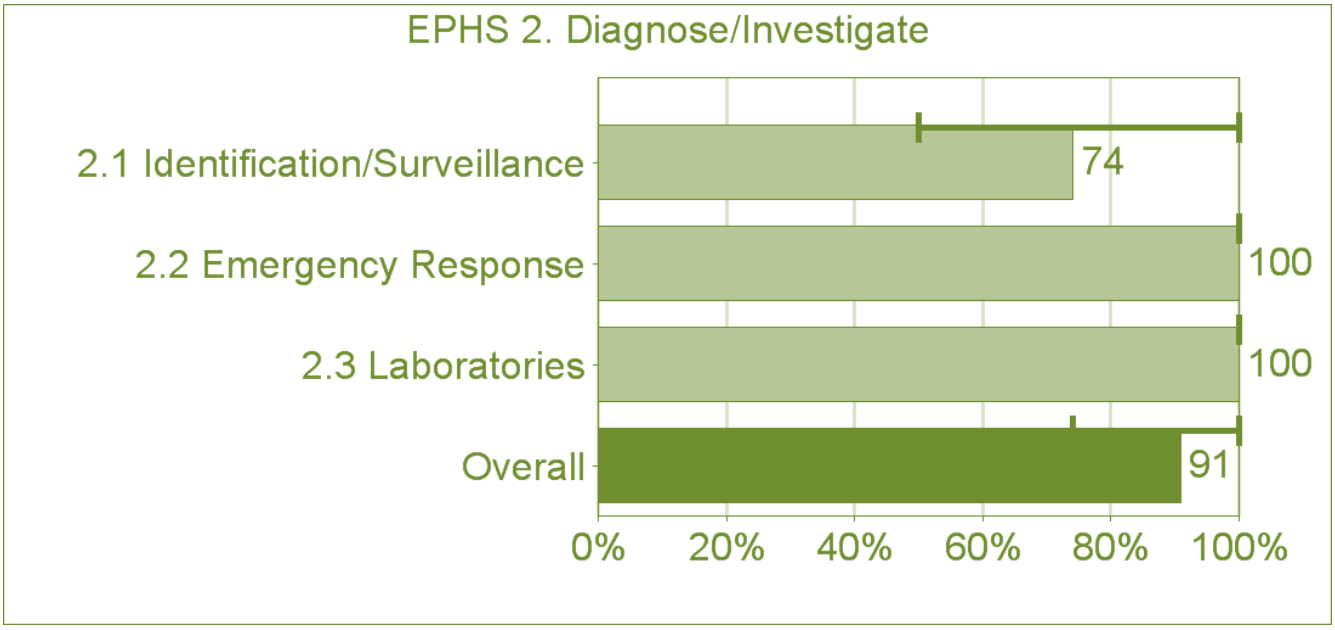
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Maintenance and use of population registries

Our *Local Public Health System* has the following opportunities to improve:

- Complete and use Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP)

Essential Public Service #2: Diagnose and Investigate Community Health Problems and Hazards in the Community



According to the LPHSA our community **optimally** meets this standard.

Best Practices in Essential Service #2 are identified as:

- Investigate food borne outbreaks.
- Communicate serious health threats to community in timely manner.
- Develop emergency response plans for public health emergencies.
- Respond to public health emergencies including disease outbreaks or terrorism.
- Ensure access to laboratory with capacity for sampling.

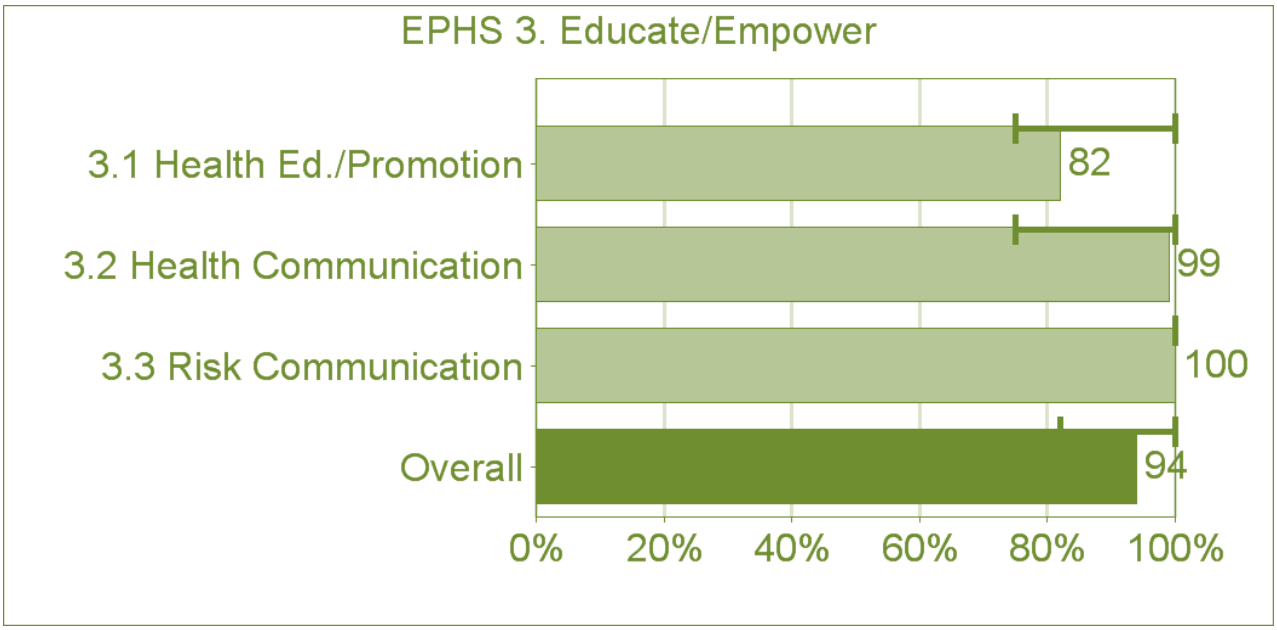
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Investigation and response to public health threats and emergencies
- Diagnosis and investigation of health problems and health hazards
- Provision and availability of laboratory support for investigation of health threats

Our *Local Public Health System* has the following opportunity to improve:

- Increase resources to support surveillance and investigation of activities

Essential Public Health Service #3: Inform, Educate and Empower



*According to the LPHSA our community was scored to have **optimal activity** in this Essential Service.*

Best Practices in Essential Service #3 are identified as:

- Provide health information that is easy for people to get and understand.
- Develop and provide community with information on seasonal and ongoing public health issues including influenza and West Nile Virus prevention, cancer and obesity prevention, and bioterrorism preparedness.
- Provide health promotion activities like cholesterol screening, blood pressure screening, and flu clinics.
- Support legislation that will improve the community's health, such as clean indoor air legislation.

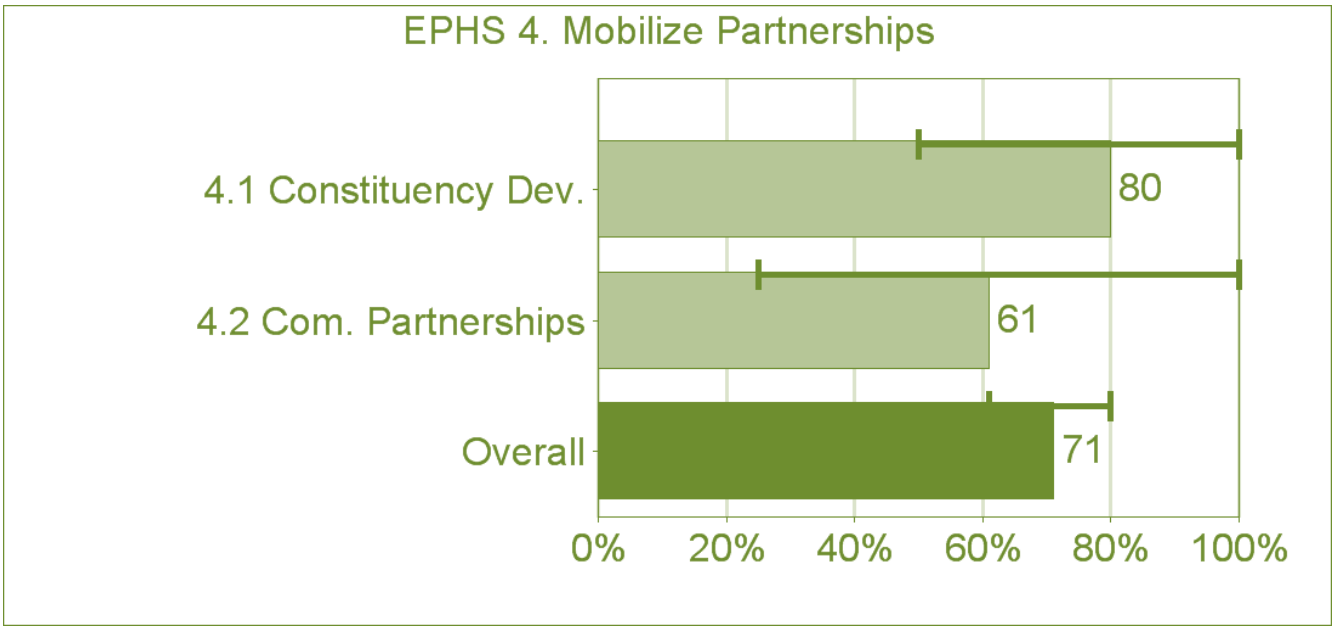
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Health education and promotion
- Health communication
- Risk communication

Our *Local Public Health System* has the following opportunity to improve:

- Increase activity around health education and health promotion campaigns

Essential Public Health Service # 4: Mobilize Community Partners



According to the LPHSA our community has **significant activity** related to this standard.

Best Practices in Essential Service #4 are identified as:

- Identifying and convening other health organizations (e.g., hospital, CBO's) within community to develop community-wide health improvement plan.
- Coordinating agreements between other community health organizations to determine specific roles and responsibilities toward improving community's health.
- Expanding partnerships among groups and associations to improve community health.

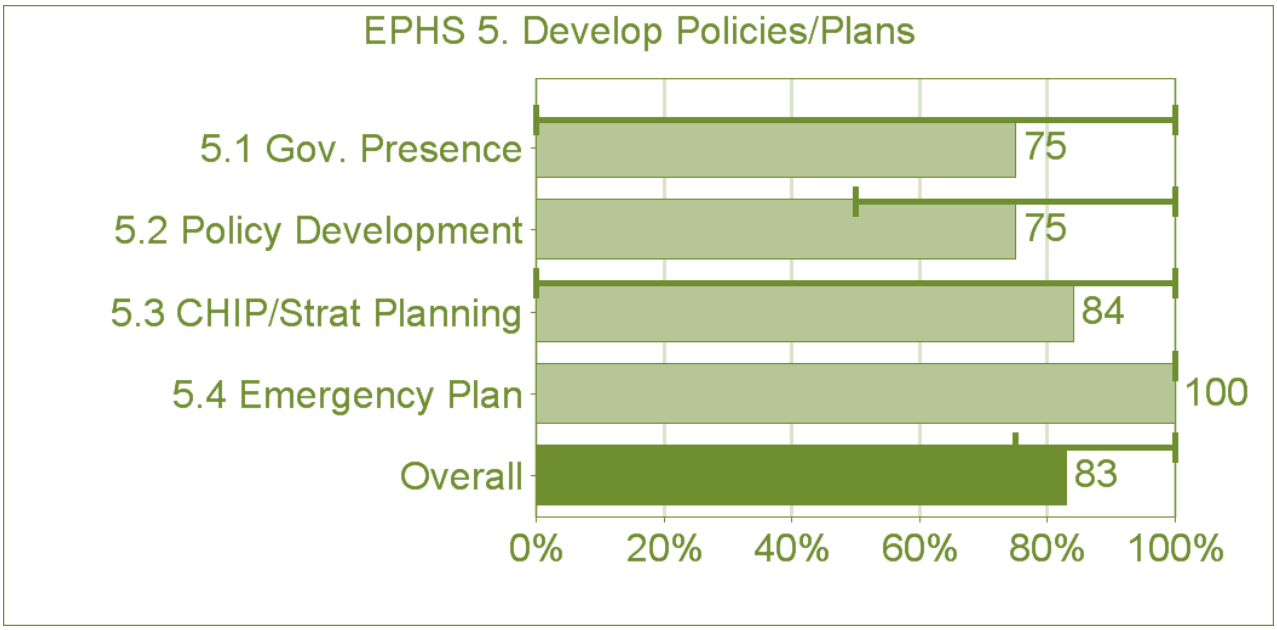
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Having and maintaining a directory of organizations that comprise the local public health system
- Identifying of key constituents

Our *Local Public Health System* has the following opportunities to improve:

- Improve communication strategies to build awareness of public health
- Review community partnerships and strategic alliances

Essential Public Service #5: Policy Development



According to the LPHSA our community was scored to have **optimal activity** in this Essential Service.

Best Practices in Essential Service #5 are identified as:

- Advocate for policies that will improve public health, such as clean indoor air law.
- Testify at public hearings in support of legislation that will improve public health.

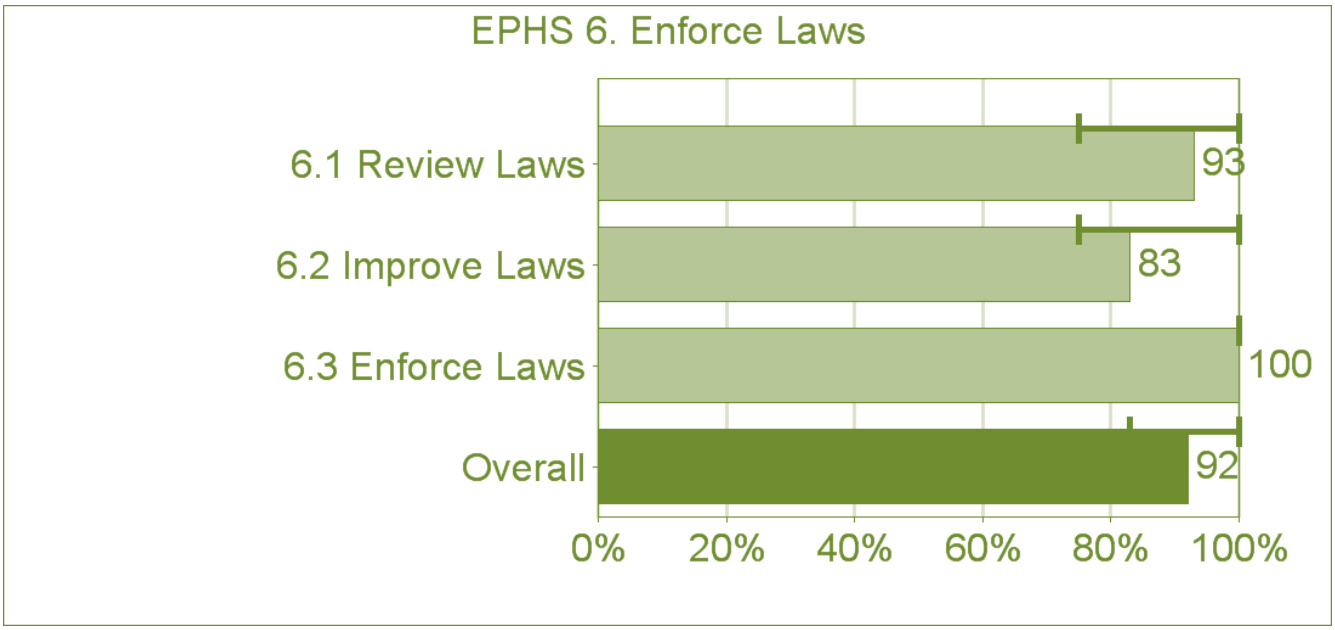
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Planning for public health emergencies
- Having governmental local public health practice

Our *Local Public Health System* has the following opportunity to improve:

- Increase collaboration between local health department and the state health department and other state partners

Essential Public Service #6: Enforce Laws and Regulations



According to the LPHSA our community was scored to have **optimal activity** in this Essential Service.

Best Practices in Essential Services #6 are identifies as:

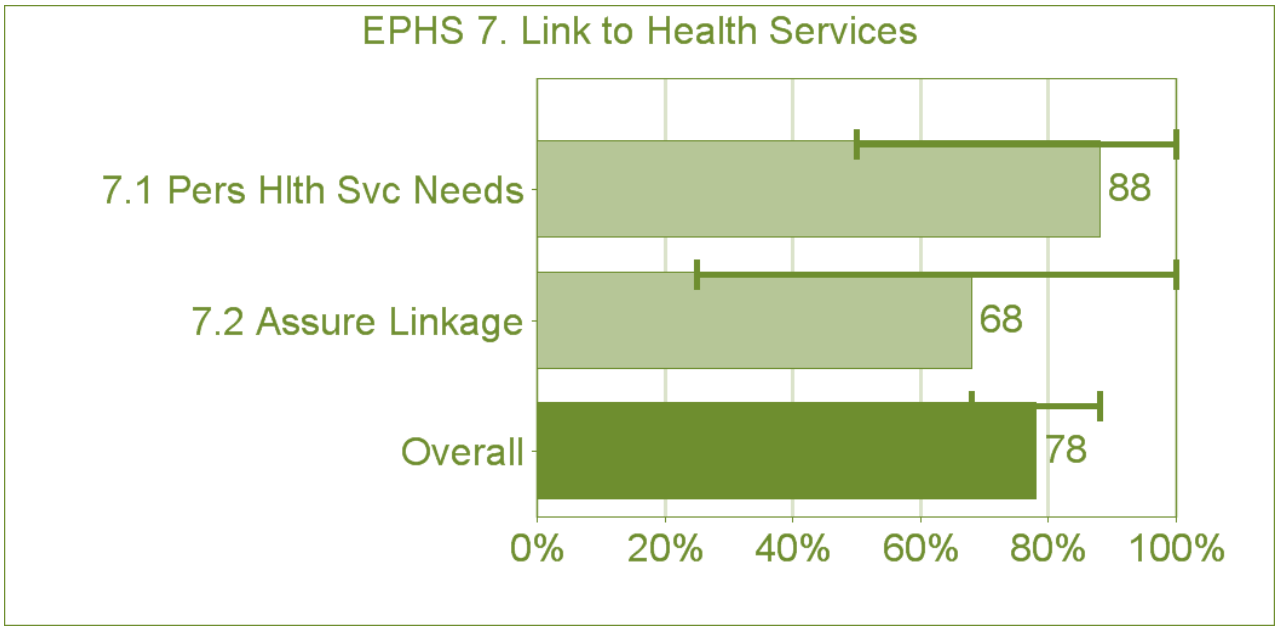
- Enforce public health code.
- Protect drinking water supplies.
- Conduct timely inspections (i.e., restaurants, tattoo parlors, campgrounds, day care)
- Conduct timely environmental inspections (i.e. septic systems, pools, lead abatement)
- Follow up on hazardous environmental exposures and preventable injuries.
- Serve quarantine/isolation order to individual infected with infectious diseases such as Tuberculosis, SARS, or Smallpox.
- Assist in revising outdated public health laws and development of proposed public health legislation.

Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Review and evaluation of laws, regulations and ordinances
- Involvement in the improvement of laws, regulations and ordinances
- Enforcement of laws, regulations and ordinances

There were not any areas for improvement identified with regard to this Essential Service.

Essential Public Service #7: Link People to Health Services



According to the LPHSA our community was scored to have **optimal activity** in this Essential Service.

Best Practices in Essential Services #7 are identified as:

- Establish and maintain referral network for provision of personal health services to ensure that people who cannot afford health care get the care they need.
- Distribute mass quantities of antibiotics or vaccines in event of widespread disease outbreak (e.g., pandemic flu) or bioterror-related attack (i.e., smallpox or anthrax)
- Identify and locate underserved populations such as low-income families, minorities, and the uninsured.
- Provide culturally and language appropriate materials so that special groups of people can be linked with preventive services.

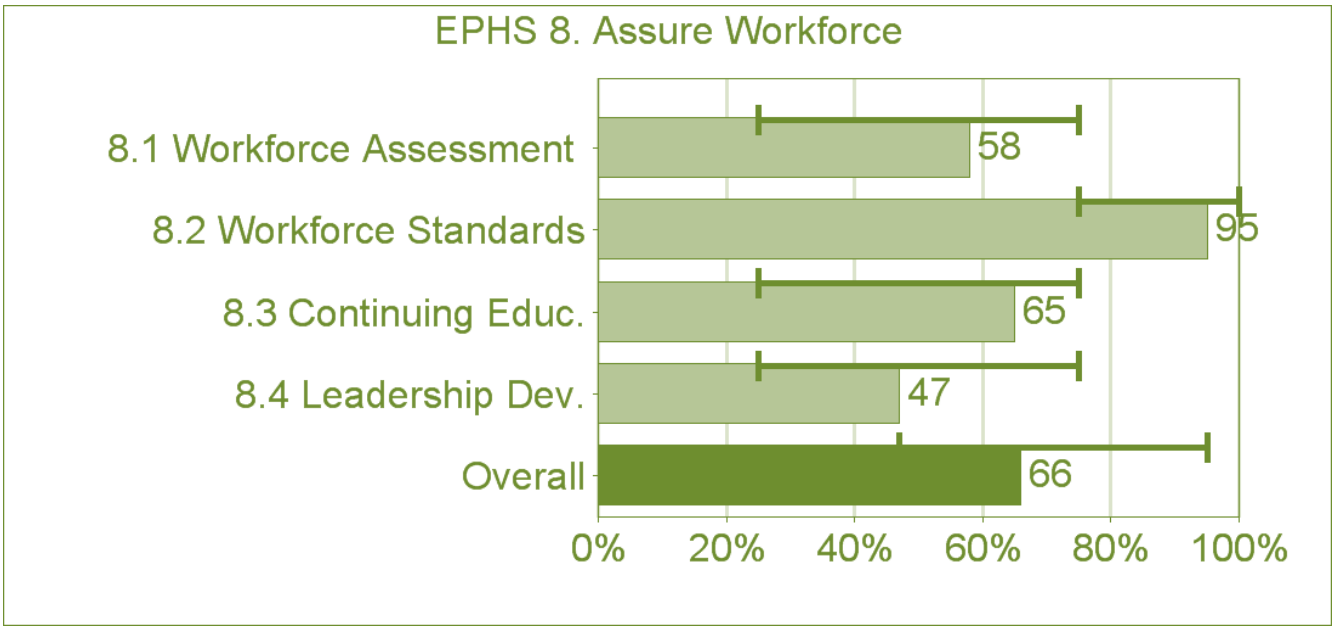
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Identification of populations with barriers to personal health services

Our *Local Public Health System* has the following opportunities to improve:

- Link populations to needed personal health services
- Coordination of personal and social services

Essential Public Service #8: Assure a Competent Workforce



According to the LPHSA our community has **significant activity** related to this standard.

Best practices in Essential Service #8 are identified as:

- Fund professional development and opportunities for staff.
- Test emergency response plan during mock event to evaluate performance.

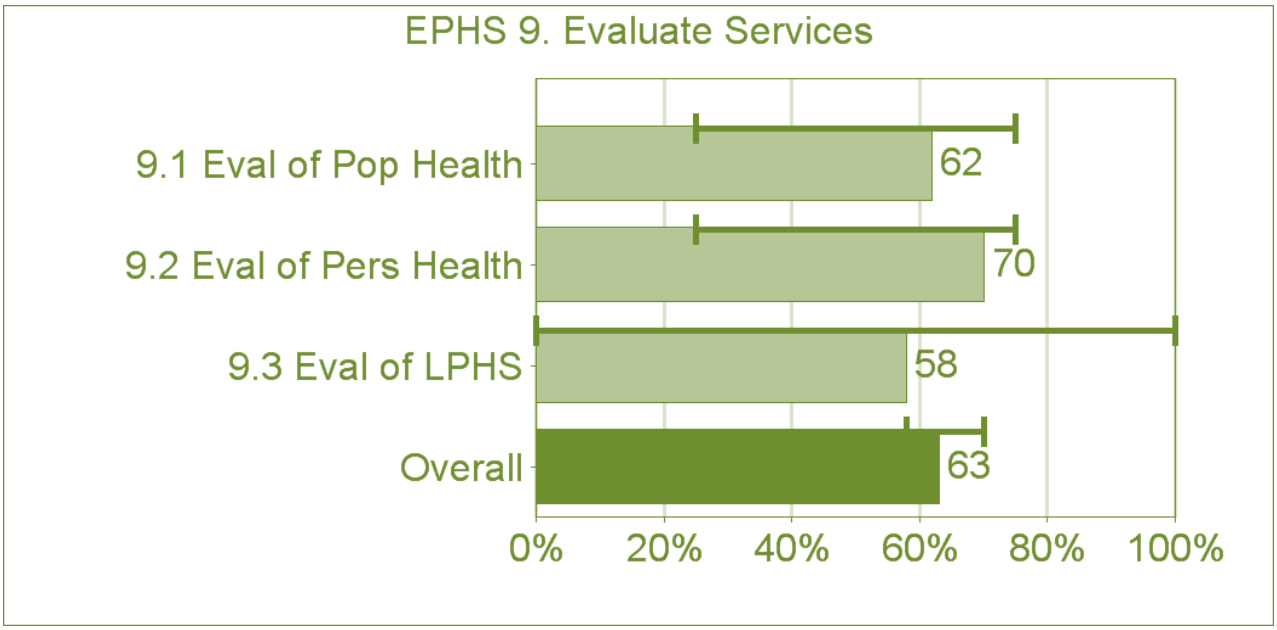
Our Local Public Health System Strengths in this area were:

- Establishment of public health workforce standards

Our Local Public Health System was identified to have the following opportunities to improve:

- Dissemination of results of the workforce assessments and gap analysis
- Provision of opportunities for developing core public health competencies
- Public health leadership development including collaborative leadership, provision of leadership opportunities for individuals and organizations and recruitment and retention of new and diverse leaders

Essential Public Service #9: Evaluate Services



According to the LPHSA our community **significantly** met this standard.

Best Practices in Essential Service #9 are identified as:

- Monitor trends in disease rates to assess effectiveness of disease prevention activities.
- Monitor trends in risk factors (i.e., unprotected sex, drinking-and-driving, smoking) to assess effectiveness of health promotion activities.
- Evaluate effectiveness of public health programs and services.

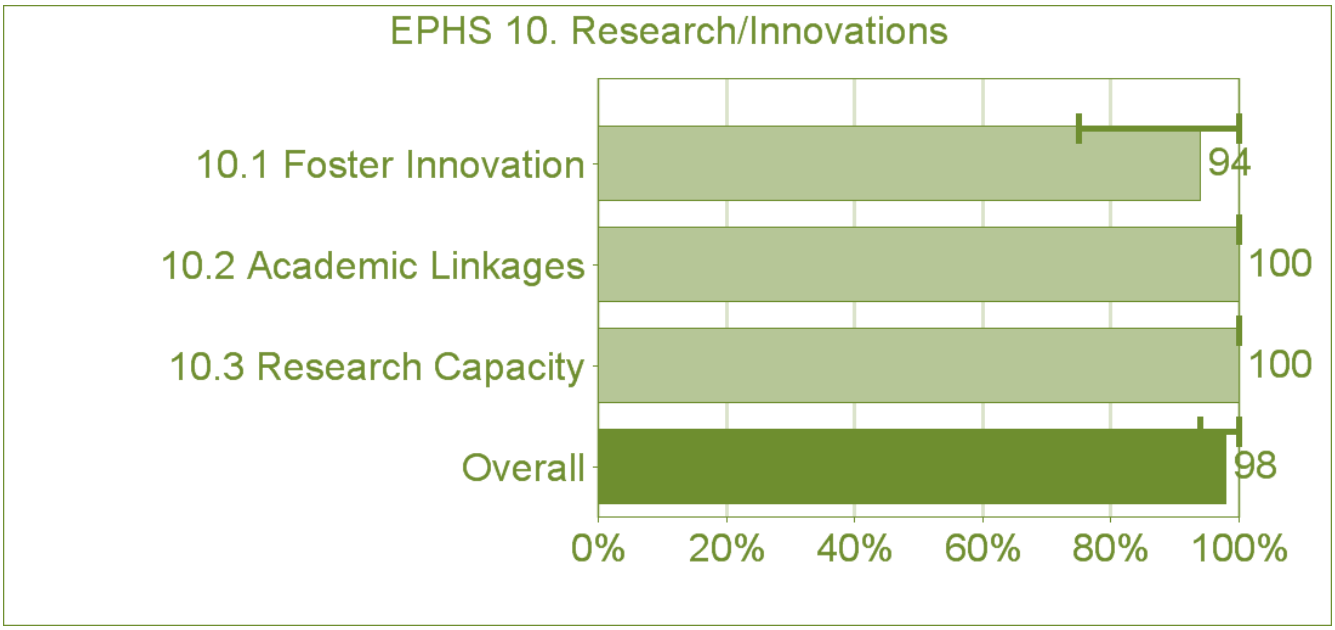
Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Identification of gaps in the provision of population-based health services
- Identification of community organizations that contribute to the Essential Public health Services

Our *Local Public Health System* has an opportunity to improve:

- Use of population based health service evaluations
- Periodic evaluation of the local public health system

Essential Public Service #10: Research for New Insights



According to the LPHSA our community has **optimal activity** with related to this standard.

Best Practices in Essential Service #10 are identified as:

- Monitor rapidly changing disease prevention research and health promotion research.
- Revise practices in order to remain current with recommended practices resulting from evidence-based research.

Our *Local Public Health System Strengths* in this area were:

- Fostering innovation
- Linkages with institutions of higher learning and research institutions
- Capacity to initiate and participate in research

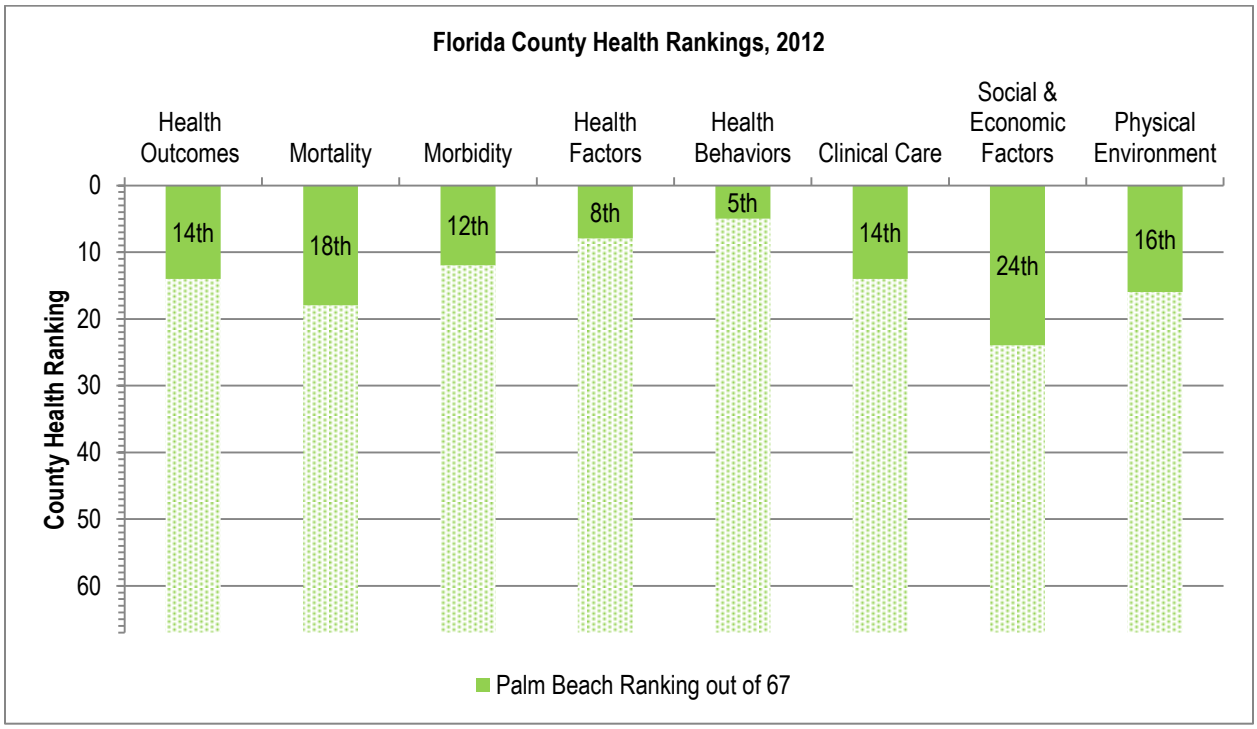
This was the highest scoring Essential Public Health Service in Palm Beach County. There were no opportunities for improvement identified.

COUNTY HEALTH RANKINGS

Each year, since 2010, nearly every county in the country is given a global health rank, through a project called *County Health Rankings* established by The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation and the University of Wisconsin Population Institute The rankings are based on strict measures in four distinct health domains: health behaviors, clinical care, social and economic factors and physical environment. "The *Rankings* are an annual check-up that highlights the healthiest and least healthy counties in every state, as well as those factors that influence health, outside of the doctor's office. The *Rankings* highlight the importance of critical factors such as education rates, income levels, and access to healthy foods, as well as access to medical care, in influencing how long and how well people live."[37]

Figure 29 shows the Palm Beach County's health ranking for 2012. The 67 counties in Florida are ranked 1-67 (1 is the highest) on various components contributing to health status. Palm Beach County's highest ranking was in health behaviors where it received a ranking of 5 out of 67, followed by health factors ranked 8, and morbidity ranked 12th. Appendix D provides more specific information on the ranking process.

Figure 29: 2012 County Health Rankings, Palm Beach



Source: University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute. County Health Rankings 2010, Released April 3, 2012
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[37] 2012 Press Release " Healthiest and Least Healthy Counties Ranked in Every State *2012 County Health* Rankings *Show What Influences How Healthy Residents Are, How Long They Live" http://www.countyhealthrankings.org/sites/default/files/CHRR%20national%20release_0.pdf*

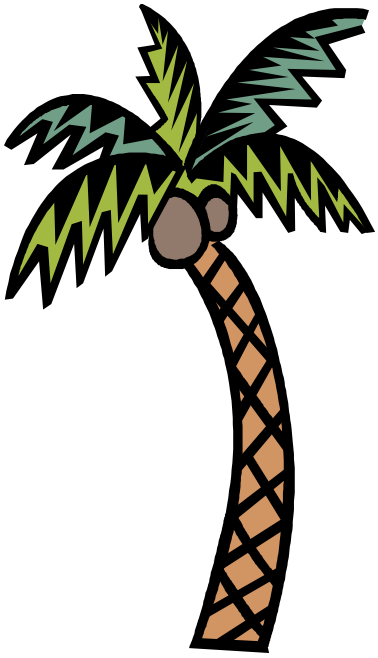
CONCLUSION

Communities face the challenge of balancing the desire to provide residents access to quality health and human services with decreasing resources and increasing demand. This community assessment will enable Palm Beach County to better understand the needs of its community and aid in planning for services in an effort to most efficiently use its resources and improve the health of its residents.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT

COMMUNITY PERSPECTIVE



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INTRODUCTION

The second phase of Palm Beach County's Community Health Assessment consisted of the collection and synthesis of information for the Community Perspective. The data contained herein is qualitative, primary data – it was obtained directly from the source and has not been previously published. This information was collected through focus groups with members of the community and through an online survey of providers and stakeholders in the community.

The target populations, agencies, providers and stakeholders were identified and engaged by the Health Council of Southeast Florida (HCSEF).

FOCUS GROUPS

COMMUNITY FOCUS GROUPS - METHODOLOGY

Seven (7) focus groups with members of the community were conducted in July 2012. The dates, locations, times are in Table 143. The purpose of the focus groups was to get input from certain underserved and vulnerable populations in the community. These were identified at the outset of data collection process. The target populations included: certain geographic sectors within the county, Creole and Spanish-speaking individuals, the elderly, males and uninsured and underinsured individuals. HCSEF enlisted the assistance of several agencies within the community to recruit focus group participants. A matrix of the target populations can be seen in Table 144.

Each focus group was led by a skilled facilitator, accompanied by a note-taker. Not including the introduction and overview, each group lasted approximately 60 minutes. Five (5) focus groups were conducted in English, one (1) was conducted in Haitian Creole and one (1) was conducted in Spanish. A total of 76 individuals participated in the group, with between 3 – 19 individuals per group. Refreshments were provided at each session and participants were incentivized to participate with $15-$25 Walmart or Winn-Dixie gift cards, which were distributed at the end of the session. Each participant completed a demographic questionnaire prior at the start of the focus group and an aggregation of this information can be seen in the Tables 145-153, below. The participants were asked a series of 10 pre-determined, open-ended questions. These questions can be referenced in Appendix E. The questions sought to gain insight, not only on individual's interaction and perception of the health care system in the community, but also to glean insight on health behaviors, attitudes and influences. All participants were informed at the beginning of the session that the session was being audiotaped. Participants were assured that names would not be attributed to the responses given.

Methodology Notes:

The geographical area known as "The Glades" in the western part of the county was oversampled due to the pre-existing knowledge that this community has a significant underserved population.

The focus group at St. George's Community Center had three participants, though this is less than the ideal number of individuals the focus groups was conducted given that the individuals served at the Center are often homeless, a target population which is typically very challenging to reach in this capacity.

Participants in a number of the focus groups faced challenges filling out the demographic forms, which is believed to be due the their literacy level. HCSEF facilitators assisted participants, when it was recognized that help was needed, in completing the forms, often by reading the questions and recording the answer on the sheet based on the response.

The 'no answer' categories are a catch all for those who preferred not to answer as well as those who left the field blank. It is hypothesized that many of the 'no answers' are a result of challenges with literacy.

Table 143: Location, Date, Time and Number of Participants in Focus Groups

Site	Date	Time	# of Participants
Adopt-a-Family	7/17/2012	6:00pm	14
Villa Regina	7/19/2012	1:30pm	11
The Bridges Belle Glade	7/23/2012	6:00pm	10
The Bridges Belle Glade	7/23/2012	6:00pm	11
El Sol Community Resource Center	7/26/2012	10:00am	19
Delray Health Center	7/27/2012	12:00pm	8
St. George's Community Center	7/30/2012	6:00pm	3

Table 144: Focus Group Target Population Matrix

	Central County	North County	South County	Western County	Elderly	Haitian	Hispanic	Homeless	Males	Uninsured / Underinsured
El Sol Community Resource Center		x					x		x	x
The Bridges Belle Glade				x		x			x	x
The Bridges Belle Glade				x					x	x
St. George's Community Center	x							x	x	x
Villa Regina	x				x					
Adopt-a-Family	x								x	x
Delray Health Center			x						x	x

Table 145: Focus Groups - Zip Codes

Zip Code	# of Participants	% of Participants
33404	2	2.6%
33406	1	1.3%
33417	11	14.5%
33418	1	1.3%
33426	2	2.6%
33430	19	25.0%
33444	3	3.9%
33445	3	3.9%
33458	15	19.7%
33460	13	17.1%
33469	1	1.3%
33476	2	2.6%
33478	1	1.3%
No Answer	2	2.6%

Table 146: Focus Groups - Gender

Gender	# of Participants	% of Participants
Female	58	76.3%
Male	17	22.4%
No Answer	1	1.3%

Table 147: Focus Groups - Age

Age Group	# of Participants	% of Participants
Under 18 years	1	1.3%
18-25	13	17.1%
26-39	19	25.0%
40-54	26	34.2%
55-64	5	6.6%
65-74	4	5.3%
75 +	6	7.9%
Unknown	2	2.6%

Table 148: Focus Groups - Race

Race	# of Participants	% of Participants
Asian	0	0.0%
Black or African American	37	48.7%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	0	0.0%
American Indian, Alaskan Native or Indigenous	2	2.6%
White/Caucasian	24	31.6%
Some other Race	7	9.2%
Two or more races	3	3.9%
No Answer	3	3.9%

Table 149: Focus Groups- Educational Attainment

Educational Attainment	# of Participants	% of Participants
6th Grade or <	13	17.1%
Some Middle School or Some High School, no Diploma	14	18.4%
High School graduate or GED (grade 12)	24	31.6%
Some College, No Degree	7	9.2%
Associate's Degree	4	5.3%
Certificate from Vocational, Business or Trade School	5	6.6%
4 years of college or higher, with Bachelor's degree or higher	8	10.5%
Other:	0	0.0%
No Answer	1	1.3%

Table 150: Focus Groups - Ethnicity

Ethnicity	# of Participants	% of Participants
Hispanic or Latino	25	32.9%
Not Hispanic or Latino	29	38.2%
No Answer	22	28.9%

Table 151: Focus Groups - Employment

Employment	# of Participants	% of Participants
35 or more hours per week	8	10.5%
< 35hours per week	7	9.2%
Unemployed	35	46.1%
Other:	8	10.5%
No Answer	18	23.7%

Table 152: Focus Groups - Insurance Coverage

Insurance Coverage	# of Participants	% of Participants
Yes	38	50.0%
No	31	40.8%
Don't Know/Not Sure	2	2.6%
No Answer	5	6.6%

Table 153: Focus Groups - Income

Annual Income	# of Participants	% of Participants
$0 - $10,000	40	52.6%
$10,001 - $20,000	9	11.8%
$20,001 - $40,000	4	5.3%
$40,001 - or more	0	0.0%
Prefer not to answer	23	30.3%

Health Behavior / Health Attitude Questions

The first several questions in the sessions dealt with health behaviors, health attitudes, perceptions about health and influences on health. Understanding the motivations and underlying thought processes is vital to planning for action, addressing health issues and improving health status within a community

HEALTH

Focus group participants were asked, *"What does health mean to you?"*

Several themes emerged from the responses. Participants talked about health being central to life; when you have health, you have life. Specifically, it was noted that health is very important to survive, and with health one can do anything. Participants spoke about the goal to live a long life, *"being able to see generations over a long time."* One individual stated that *"without health there is no peace in life."*

Additionally, participants expressed the notion that if you are healthy, you live longer, think better and have more vitality and energy. *"It's very important", "it's the main thing" and "it's gold"* were repeated sentiments of many participants.

It was also noted that health is not *"something you can't take for granted"* and that it can be taken from you very quickly. Participants expressed that a person is healthy, everything functions "well."

Health to others meant the ability to bear children and to have healthy children. Participants noted that *"without health [one] cannot take care of children."* For others, *"healthy means to be happy and to see your grandkids grow up."*

Participants also talked about health meaning to take care of oneself. More specifically, they mentioned eating right and working out, and *"watch[ing] what I eat and drink."* Others spoke of the importance of self-management of chronic conditions, such as frequently measuring their blood sugar with diabetes.

Keeping positive and watching stress levels were also mentioned.

For some participants, health meant focusing on more basic needs such as showering and keeping oneself clean.

Another theme that emerged was related to prevention and health behaviors. Respondents specifically noted: keeping up with appointments, going to the doctor when you feel well, and not waiting until you are sick – being proactive.

UNHEALTHY

Participants were then asked, *"What does unhealthy mean to you?"*

Several themes emerged in response to this question. For some, unhealthy meant simply, doing something to your body that you're not supposed to or that *"something is wrong."*

Others mentioned chronic conditions such as diabetes and high blood pressure.

As with health, being unhealthy for many was seen as a central component to life. It was recognized that being unhealthy can affect one's well-being; mentally, physically and emotionally and that one has to be well in these area to function socially. As noted by one participant, unhealthy is when *"my body and mind are not in harmony."* Being unhealthy was seen to be a *"dark place"* and thought to keep one unhappy and to be *"very depressing."* Others alluded to being unhealthy mentally, particularly after a traumatic event in their lives and the need *"to grab your boots by the laces"* and lift yourself up.

It was noted that there are many annoyances when you are not feeling well. One participant noted that being unhealthy is the *"#1 circumstance we are facing."*

Participants acknowledged that other things, such as money, do not matter if you are unhealthy.

There was significant discussion about the repercussions of being unhealthy. Specifically, *"stress", "lots of bills"* and the fear that *"trouble lies ahead"* were mentioned. Unhealthy to some meant not having the energy to do anything, and for others it meant sadness for the family. For others, unhealthy meant being incapacitated and unable to work.

There was significant discussion and mention of actions and behaviors related to, or causing one to be unhealthy. "Not going to the doctor" and "not taking medications as you are supposed to and as were prescribed to you" were specifically noted.

Unhealthy for others meant not eating "right" and not exercising, *"I think unhealthy is when you don't take care of yourself… when you don't eat right, when you don't exercise."* One participant noted that even for people on a budget there are alternatives to eating unhealthy food and that people have choices about what they eat. The same participant noted that "*we can grow our food, but that's time-consuming and not practical for a lot of people."* Another participant noted that unhealthy goes beyond diet, and stated, unhealthy "*means not eating right, not taking care of yourself – letting things get out of hand if you are hurt– being real dirty – more than just what you put in your body."*

There was discussion about needing education, *"We just need to be able to have the education necessary to know what health is all about…and then we can make decisions from there. We are bombarded by what the television tells us what to eat, what to watch, what we do, when we sleep, etc…we are robotic. We are hypnotized by the TV. Education is key."*

TAKING CARE OF HEALTH

Focus group participants were asked *"How do you take care of your health?"*

The importance of taking care of one's health was recognized, as one participant phrased it, *"Your body is the temple and if you don't take care of it, you are [expletive] out of luck."*

There was considerable mention of diet and exercise. Participants specifically mentioned the importance of eating lots of vegetables, fruits and grains. They also noted different types of exercises. One said that her exercise consisted of *"walk[ing] the hills daily at the Dike."* Others ride their bicycles, while others walk and swim. Exercise was said to help one relax, feel light and relieve stress. One participant's advice was to *"drink a lot of water and don't worry."* Eating and drinking in moderation was mentioned. One participant noted, *"I eat oranges and applies… of course, there is a [little] beer in there."*

Spirituality and praying were noted by participants. One participant noted *"I take yoga, it keeps me calm…."* Many mentioned the importance of prayer.

Some participants noted the importance of one's surrounding in taking care of their health. Keeping a clean house was noted as well as keeping the streets clean in the community. Clean air was as noted to be important. The burning of sugarcane and use of pesticides in the Glades area were attributed to keeping people sick with allergies and asthma.

Participants discussed behaviors and actions they took to take care of their health. Taking medications, regular visits to the doctor and psychiatrist and self-management of health and conditions were all mentioned.

For some, taking care of their health meant focusing on their personal hygiene, including taking daily baths, brushing their teeth, getting rid of germs and breathing in fresh air (as opposed to air conditioned air). One individual noted, "*eating right, staying clean and clean[ing] your teeth because that is so important. Dental health is critical…to prevent gum disease that can ultimately lead to heart disease."*

Others noted that they attempt to take care of their health by keeping a positive outlook, *"being jovial"* and avoiding depression. Maintaining a *"healthy state of mind"* was mentioned.

Educating oneself was mentioned as another way to take care of health.

One individual commented *"I come to the health department every day – Monday through Friday"* in response to how they take care of their health and others reported going to the emergency room *"when things get really bad."* One participant noted that she was pregnant, so she *"goes to the doctor on a regular basis."*

Discussion about the difficulty in taking care of one's health also arose. One respondent

discussed being turned away from the emergency room and told to find a primary care doctor after returning repeatedly for a recurring pain. Others reported having medications sent from relatives in other countries, where they can be purchased more affordably.

One participant noted challenges in taking *"I don't take care of my health because I don't have Medicaid or Medicare…Medically Needy puts me at a standstill."*

INFLUENCES ON WHAT YOU DO ABOUT YOUR HEALTH

Participants were then asked, *"Who or what influences what you do about your health?"*

Family emerged as a main theme including the following responses: *"my husband", "my spouse reminds me to do to the doctor", "my family", "my children…I want to be able to take care of them", "my granddaughter encouraged me to get off drugs", "I learn from my parents", "my dad", "my grandchildren remind me to take my medicine.*" One participant shared the she and her husband decided to not eat after 7pm and the start eating healthier as a family. One's upbringing and how [they] were raised was also mentioned as influential.

Personal accountability, *"me, myself and I"* and *"I have to take care of myself, otherwise not one else will do it for me"* was also mentioned as contributing to what participants do about their health.

Fear of getting sick, fear of needles and getting shots, fear of going to the hospital and fear of dying were discussed as influencing what people do about their health.

Furthermore, another noted that knowing that they don't have protection from health insurance influences them to stay healthy.

Other influences mentioned were "friends" and "learning from television."

INFLUENCES ON WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT HEALTH

Participants were also asked, *"Who or what influences the way you think about health?"*

Family, specifically, parents and grandparents were mentioned. One individual shared that they were motivated to stay healthy because they see their mother who is in her 70s and is healthy and still working; another mentioned motivation from a 96 year old aunt who is *"still going strong."* One participant shared that seeing their parents take pills motivated them to be healthy. Another commented that thinking about who their children were going to be with if something happened to them influenced their thinking.

Personal influence was noted several times; *"Your body tells you what is going on."* Others shared that being healthy and not having medical problems motivated them to stay that way and take good care of themselves.

Previous experiences were noted to influence the way people thought about health. Others responded that without health insurance no one wants to get sick and that influences them to take good care of themselves.

The media, and specifically, Dr. Oz were mentioned as influences, though it was noted that the media can sometime send the wrong signals, particularly to children.

Participants mentioned the importance of getting your own information and reading books.

Some mentioned that doctors influenced what and how they think about health, though *"we never do what they say. They tell us we shouldn't do something, but we do it anyhow."*

Other influences included: the teachers at El Sol Community Resource Center, community outreach workers who knock on doors, churches through their health awareness activities, community health fairs that offer screenings and religion, *"the Man upstairs."*

WHERE GET HEALTH CARE

Participants were asked *where they get health care- specifically do they have a place where they usually receive care and where they get physicals and check-ups*.

The overarching theme in response to this line of questioning was that it depended on what kind of coverage and insurance you have; it *"depends of what insurance you have, if you don't have the right insurance you might not get seen by a doctor."* Some participants mentioned not being able to get a check-up because they had turned 18 and were no longer eligible.

Among the responses was the hospital, one participant shared, "*"I just go to the hospital, give them my name and let the bill float."*

Some individuals with no payer source commented that they go to the emergency room. The health department clinic was mentioned, I go to the "*Health Department, I don't have health insurance, so I have to come to the clinic… I thank God for it."*

Some participants in the Riviera Beach area mentioned receiving care from mobile van that is parked outside on Tuesdays and Thursdays that provides services such as checking blood pressure.

It was mentioned that due to insurance coverage one participant had to travel to Miami to see a specialist and that was an issue due to gas and car repair.

Urgent care centers were mentioned, *"I use urgent care… it is open 24 hours a day and I do not wait a long time to be seen. I am out of there in 10 minutes",* however they were thought to be expensive.
Participants noted frustration with needing to continually change providers due to insurance coverage issues.

Additionally, there was discussion about parents not having health care access though children do. Some respondents shared that they don't have Medicaid for themselves or for their children.

The senior population reported receiving care at their doctor's office; however they discussed the challenges with having several doctors who do not communicate with each other.

USE OF EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT

Participants asked, *"In what cases do you use the emergency room?"*

A few themes emerged in response to this question. Participants discussed use of the emergency room when they needed immediate attention. For example, when they were very sick, *"heart attack",* had an accident or injuries, or if it was something they couldn't control.

Others mentioned using the emergency room for the effects of a chronic illness, *"I go when the gout flares up"* or having high blood pressure.

Other comments were related the time and day of needing care. *"It depends on what time of the day I get sick." "They tell you if something goes wrong on a Saturday or Sunday, then go to the ER, but I am terrified because I don't know my doctor."* Others talked about having a pain that prevented them from sleeping and others *"if you have severe pain during the night, then I would go."*

Others spoke of specific reasons they had used the emergency room in the past; *"If I'm having an asthma attack or a seizure, I'll go to the emergency room. Last week, I went for my back…it was gas, but I didn't know that. I go to the clinic and they send me to the ER."* Another shared, *"When my daughter was pregnant, her back was hurting…her boyfriend took her to the emergency room. When I came, I said "why", it's nothing…only baby moving. When she went to the doctor, they said the same thing…it's nothing."*

Another participant, who was homeless, shared that they go to the emergency room when an ambulance picks them up.

There was significant discussion about using the emergency room due to the constraints they feel financially or due to insurance coverage. Among the uninsured and underinsured there were many comments regarding the use of the emergency room: "*"for me, everything", "it is more reliable to go to the ER", "all the time…when no coverage, all the time"* and *"when you are hurt or sick and something doesn't feel right… no choice when you don't have any money."*

Health System Questions

The next several questions focused on gleaning insight from the participants about the health system in the community.

STRENGTHS OF THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM

The participants were asked, *"What do you feel are the strengths of the health care system in our community?"*

The responses were grouped into a few major themes. Many of the responses were centered on the quality of care provided including, getting good attention, being treated well and not experiencing discrimination (though this varied among participants). One participant shared insight on the system of care in Belle Glade; *"This is a small community…I give'em their props. There might be a lot of paperwork, but at least we have something. A lot of people don't have what we have, so we need to be thankful."*

Other comments were centered on the services offered. The Health Department clinics were seen to be a strength of the system, "*If it wasn't for the health department and the health care system, I don't know what I would do. The people are nice…they take care of us…and with a smile."*

The hospitals were also seen to be a strength of the system. *"Emergency room care is very effective, even if you are sick."* The medical staff in the hospital (Belle Glade) were said to be nice and diligent, particularly since the hospital has changed.

One participant shared that they, "*appreciate that Palm Beach County in particular, really, really helps pregnant women."*

The Health Care District was noted to help a lot of people, specifically, one participant commented, *"it boils down to Health Care District."*

Participants also spoke positively of the support offered at faith-based facilities, such as Father Mike at St. George's.

Another comment was, *"Our strength is that it is confidential."*

Other participants discussed that a strength of the system is the access for everyone and that services will be offered regardless of whether or not you can pay. This sentiment however, was not shared by all participants.

Some participants from the senior group commented that they have Medicare along with either BCBS or Humana and "*don't have any problems."*

Some participants reported experiences with the health care system that were poor. *"I don't think the system is very good….it could use an overhaul."* There was discussion of discrimination, particularly for individuals who are undocumented. Two individuals shared their experiences of going to hospital emergency rooms because they were experiencing labor pains and reportedly were not given priority and forced to wait, despite other patients being seen before them. Both women reported that the babies died at birth due to complications and attributed this to the time it took for them to receive medical care.

BARRIERS TO ACCESSING CARE

Participants were asked, *"What barriers (difficulties/challenges) have you faced e.g., transportation, lack of insurance, scheduling, etc. accessing healthcare in our community?"*

The participants' responses centered on a few major themes. The first was around cost. There was discussion about health insurance being too expensive and having expensive co-pays. There was also discussion about the challenges presented by health insurance. One participant asked, *"Why am I getting a bill when they know I cannot afford it?"*

Participants discussed not being eligible for certain services because they did not have "the right insurance", specifically there was mention of not being able to get speech therapy because they were no longer on Medicaid. Some participants felt that doctors will decide whether or not to do surgery based on an individual's coverage. Furthermore, it was stated that "*"trying to get insurance benefits is a horrible experience"*, specifically, that it takes months to apply and a get approved. Participants discussed the challenges of not being approved for coverage for more than 6 months. They also noted over and over the high share of cost associated with the Medically Needy program. Additionally, it was mentioned that it "*seems like you only get coverage as an adult if you are pregnan.t"*

Language barriers were discussed and people mentioned the need for Spanish-speaking staff and providers in clinics, doctor's offices and in hospitals. Immigration status was also noted to be a barrier in accessing health care in the community. Specifically, there were some services that the undocumented population cannot access.

Challenges and barriers due to transportation were often discussed. The expense of bus fare, $3-$4 per ride was mentioned, and included comments such as "*everyone does not have money to get on the bus."* There was discussion in one focus group about the cost of a monthly bus pass being $50-$60 but with a food stamp card it is $10. The focus group in Belle Glade had follow-up discussions about a fairly new initiative of the city – bus transportation which costs $.25 per ride, though participants did note that the routes are limited. The lead time needed to schedule a ride on Medicaid transport, up to 48 hours, was reported by some individuals while others were never able to access the transportation. Some groups however, expressed that transportation was not a barrier due to the public transportation services.

Individuals communicated that a barrier to accessing care was insufficient knowledge of the resources available in the community. One individual shared the suggestion that there should be more of a focus on education the public how to use the system, specifically the steps involved in using the system in an effort to eliminate clogs in the system.

Other comments included that there is too much paperwork and *"too much hassle…they give you a hard time. You go to a place…and you clearly need help, they look at you like you're crazy like they don't want to help you."* One individual conveyed the challenges they had experienced because they did not have proper identification and shared that showing their social security card had not sufficed. Participants also expressed frustration with the automated systems when applying for care and not being able to speak to a human.

The long wait time associated with accessing health care in the community was discussed and one participant shared that they had waited 3 hours to get their blood drawn.

Another theme that surfaced was barriers around hours of operation and scheduling. There was discussion about the usual hours of 8am-5pm for many doctor's offices and clinics offering no consideration for workers who have to take off work, with or without pay to go to appointments. The senior groups discussed frustration with block scheduling and that, *"they think older people don't have anything to do so they can wait."*

SUFFICIENT AND INSUFFICIENT SERVICES

Participants were asked, *"What services are sufficient?"* and *"What services do you feel are insufficient?"*

The responses to this set of questions primarily focused on the latter question about insufficient services, though there were a few comments in relation to sufficient services; *"the kids are covered, the kids are good, the kids get everything."*

While they seemed to feel that most services were sufficient, the seniors did mention a few services that they felt were lacking: coverage for hearing aids, dentures and vision care.

The lack of accessible and affordable dental care was mentioned repeatedly. Among the concerns noted were: the lack of preventive services and the lack of oral surgeons and orthodontic care. As one individual put it, *"why won't they help you get a smile on you?"*

Other insufficient services mentioned included speech therapy, dermatology and ophthalmology.

There was discussion, particularly among the homeless population, about the need for more shelters and the need for more places for them to shower.

Respondents felt that services for individuals with pre-existing conditions are insufficient and they felt that many physicians did not want to bother. One participant commented, *"You shouldn't be punished for something you have contracted or that you have."*

Insufficiencies were also noted around providers and provider locations. Respondents expressed interest in having more free clinics and for more providers that would see people who don't have insurance. It was noted that the free clinics are located downtown, and often people can't get to them. It was suggested that locations where one can go to get *"medicine and shots"* be spread throughout the county.

Individuals also experienced difficulties seeing specialists, *"I thought I had really good health coverage and then I had trouble when I need to see a specialist…."*

Also, there was also discussion about doctors being busy and not taking sufficient time with patients. *"The doctors are so busy because they want the money that they don't take the time with you…to answer your questions and talk…"*

Participants voiced that frustrations related to finances and health insurance. *"They need to help people like me who don't have income, unemployed."* One respondent commented, *"it's bad if you find a job, it's bad if you don't. I don't blame people who don't want to find a job."* It was stated that with Medically Needy, *"you may as well have no insurance."*

Other participants discussed being dropped from coverage and not being sure why and another discussed that challenges they face because each of their kids have different coverage.

QUALITY OF CARE AND SERVICES

Focus group participants were asked *"How would you describe the quality of care and services you receive?"*

There were varied responses to this question. Participants expressed that the quality of care was highly dependent on the doctors and staff. A participant remarked *"On a scale of 100, I give them between a 55 and 60. They could do better."* One individual reported, *"my doctor is good, but the staff [expletive]."* Another reported *"I have no problems with my doctor…I love him!"* One respondent spoke of the positive personal interaction with their doctor, *"When they do a test on you, my doctor calls me with the results himself"* and another, *"the care is great! I have no problems. If I call, they get right back with me."*

Participants noted that while the services may be good, if a person does not have health insurance, it was impossible to buy medications.

In the Belle Glade focus group the following was expressed, *"It's harder for men to get treatment out here than for women. I guess they feel like we're supposed to be able to do it ourselves… even though there are no jobs out here. It's more difficult."*

There was discussion about fear of going to the doctor and to the hospital due to the resulting medical bills. Participants reported that information is sent to a collection agency and to the credit bureaus when people are unable to pay.

Participants in some group recognized the role the individual plays in getting quality health care, *"being honest will help you get good services"* and another, *"I report every little thing to my doctor that his staff does to me. I let the doctor know when there is a problem."*

There were questions about why doctors and providers cannot communicate with each other and why it is left to the patient to obtain records.

PROVIDER / STAKEHOLDER SURVEY

In addition to gathering data through focus groups with members of the community, the Community Perspective component of the Community Health Assessment utilized a survey of providers and stakeholders in the community to glean their insight.

Provider/Stakeholder Survey – Methodology

In July and August 2012 the Health Council of Southeast Florida conducted an online survey with providers and stakeholders in the community. The survey consisted of 25 questions, related to the health system, heath needs in the community, identification of vulnerable populations, service needs of clients and patients, perspectives on health issues in the community, and barriers to accessing care for the individuals they serve, and a demographic overview of the respondents.

The survey link was disseminated to recipients via email and the survey was accessible and able to be completed online using SurveyMonkey, a web-based survey tool. Accompanying the link that was sent to potential respondents was a brief blurb explaining the purpose of the survey, assuring anonymity of individual responses, and noting the estimated time for completion. The initial email link was sent to 119 individuals. This distribution list was compiled with the intent to be representative of individuals working in health and human services in the community as well as key stakeholders in the local public health system. The survey was available for completion for a total of 11 days. The goal was a response rate of 30% of recipients or a total of 30 completed surveys. Forty individuals started the survey and 36 completed the survey.

Respondent Information

Table 154: Provider Stakeholder Survey - Agency Zip Codes

Zip Code of Agency Completing the Survey	# of Responses
33401	6
33402	1
33403	1
33406	1
33407	7
33426	1
33428	1
33430	1
33431	1
33432	1
33435	3
33444	1
33445	2
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Table 155: Provider Stakeholder Survey - Target Zip Codes

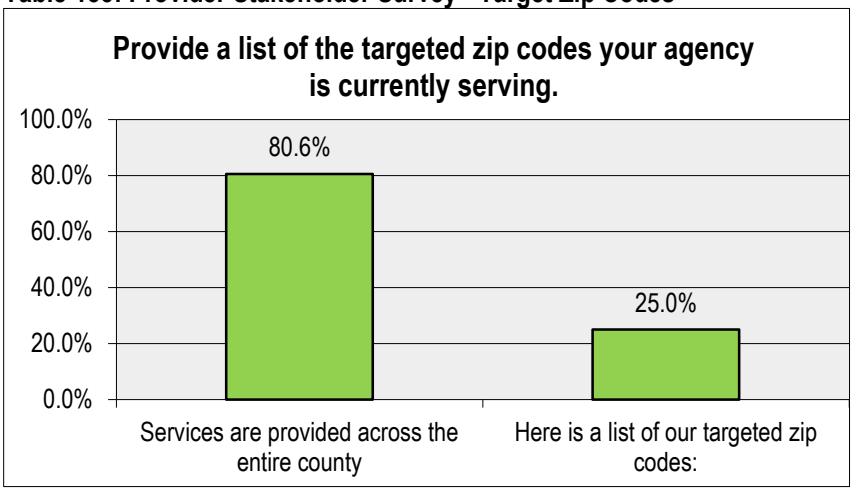

Table 156: Provider Stakeholder Survey - Specific Target Zip Codes

Zip Code Served	# of Responses	Zip Code Served	# of Responses	Zip Code Served	# of Responses
33401	4	33418	1	33462	2
33403	2	33425	1	33463	2
33404	2	33426	2	33467	1
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33412	1	33436	1	33487	1
33413	1	33438	1	33493	1
33414	1	33444	1	33494	1
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Figure 30: Provider Stakeholder Survey - Organization Type

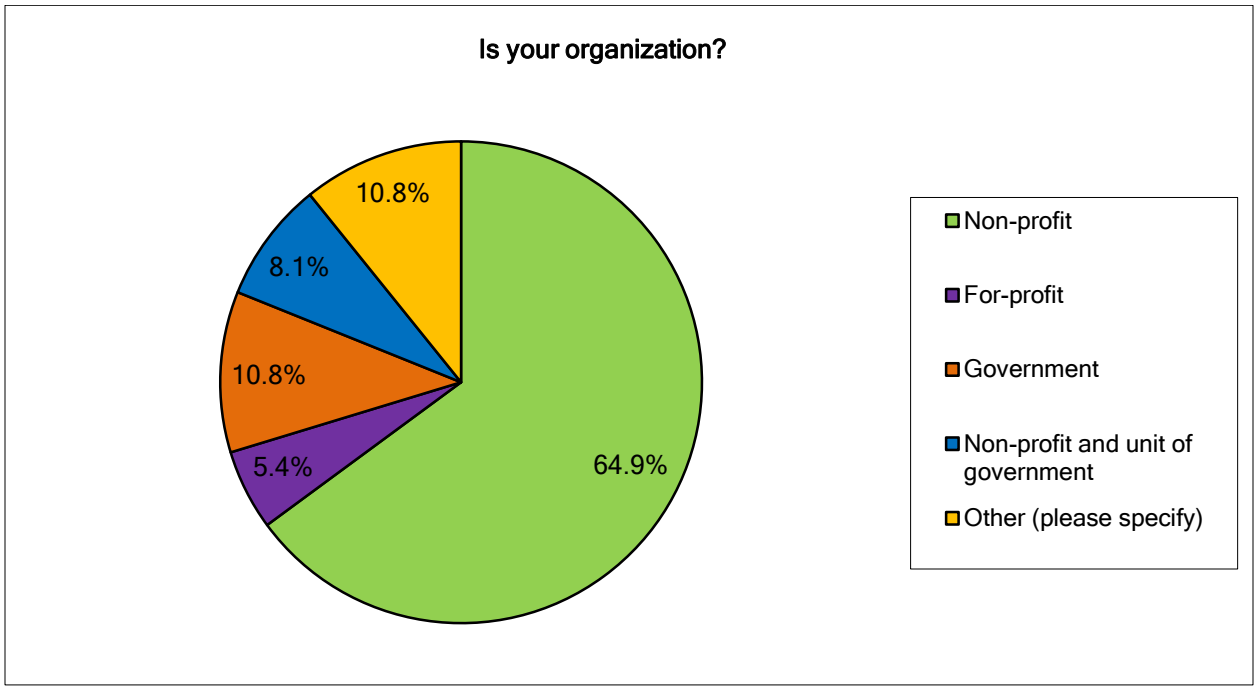


Figure 31: Provider Stakeholder Survey - Agency Services

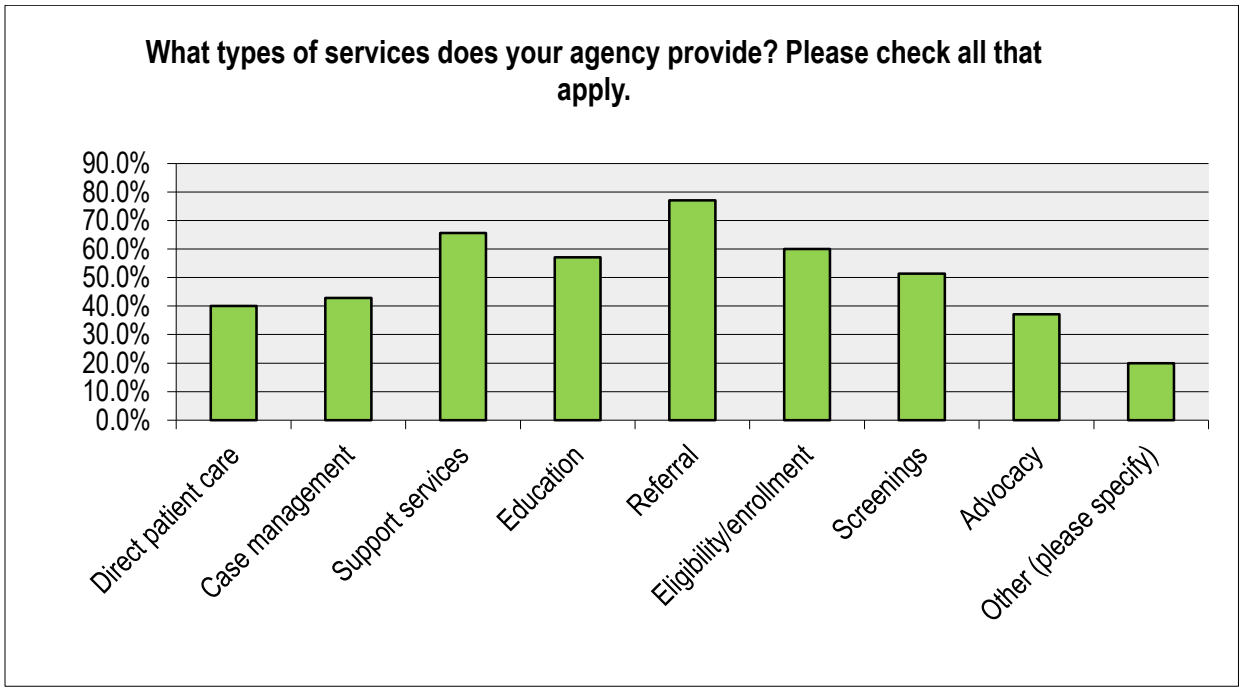
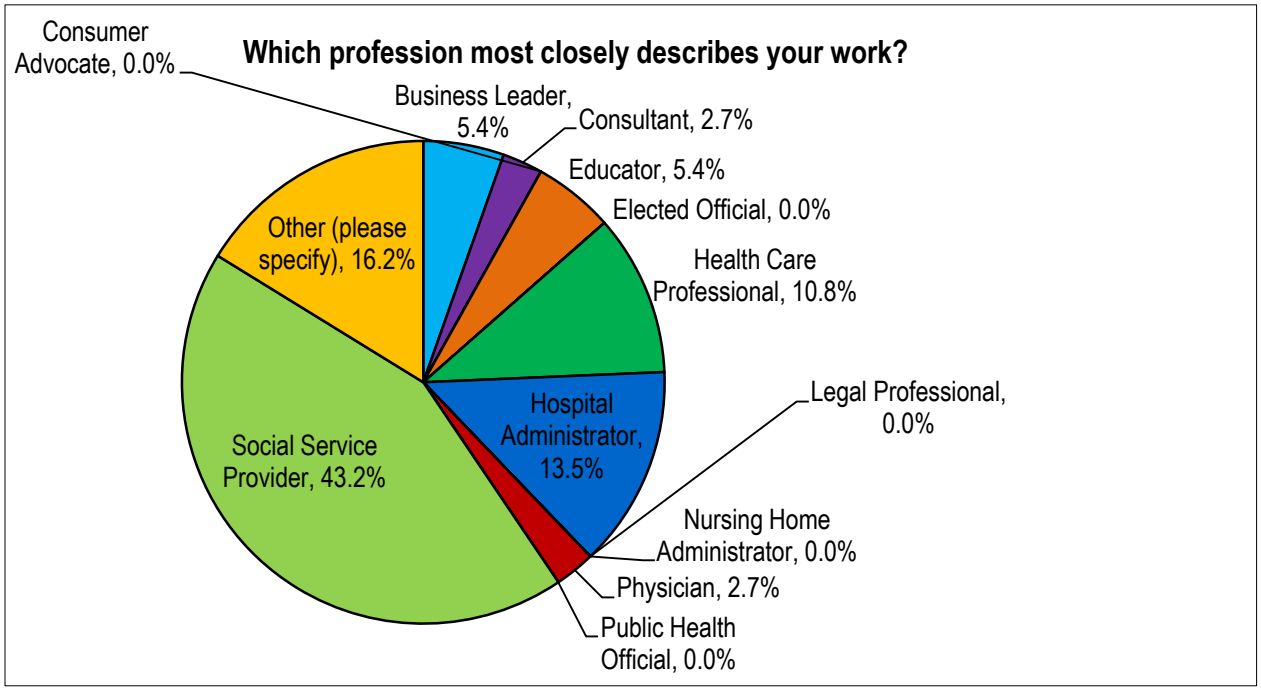
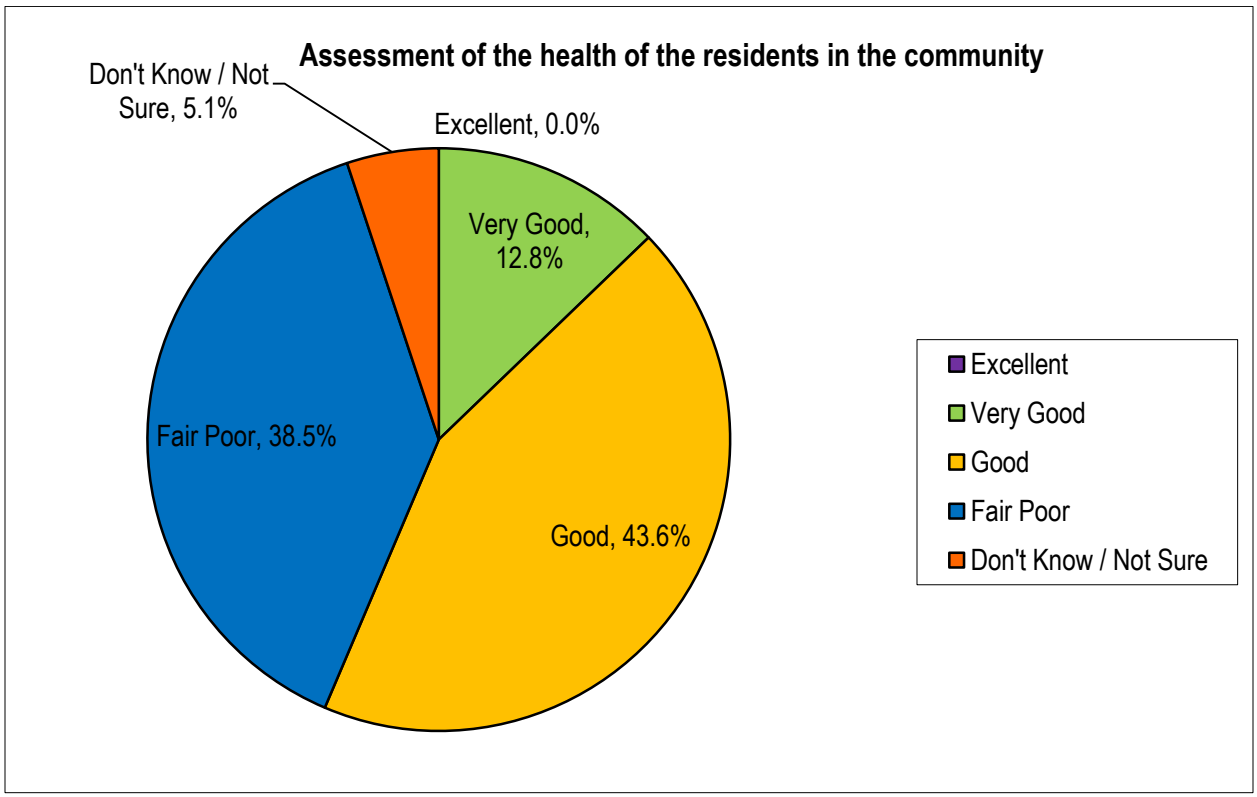


Figure 32: Provider Stakeholder Survey - Respondent Profession



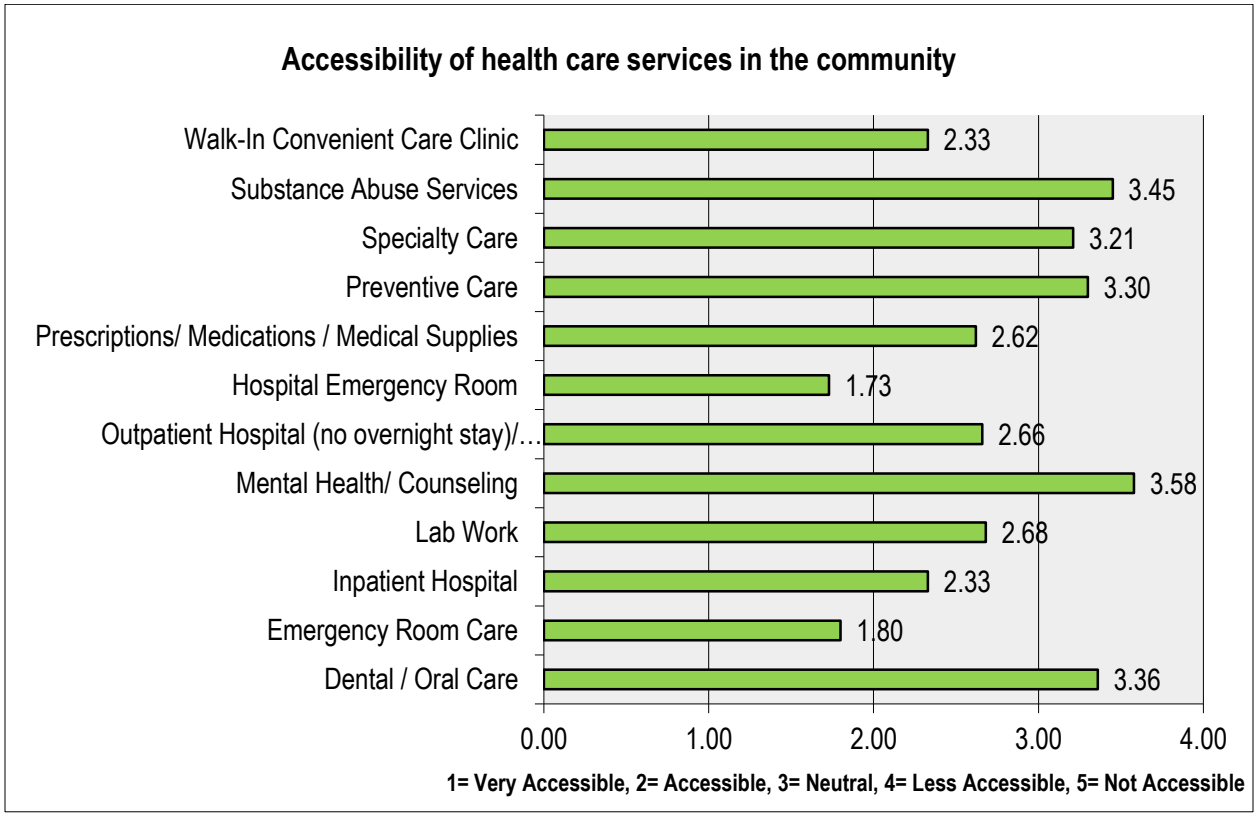
The first question in the survey asked respondents, *"What is your overall assessment of the health of residents in your community?"*

Thirty-nine respondents answered the question. Five or 12.8% said 'very good', 17 or 43.6% said 'good', 15 or 38.5% said 'fair/poor' and 2 or 5.1% said 'don't know/not sure.'



The next question asked respondents, "*How accessible are the following types of health care services in your community? Please take into consideration all segments of the population."*

Forty individual answered this question. The graph of results is shown below. The lower the score, the more accessible the service was perceived to be. Among the services provided, 'hospital emergency room' received the lowest average score, meaning it was thought to be the most accessible. 'Mental health counseling' received the highest score indicating it was thought to be the least accessible.



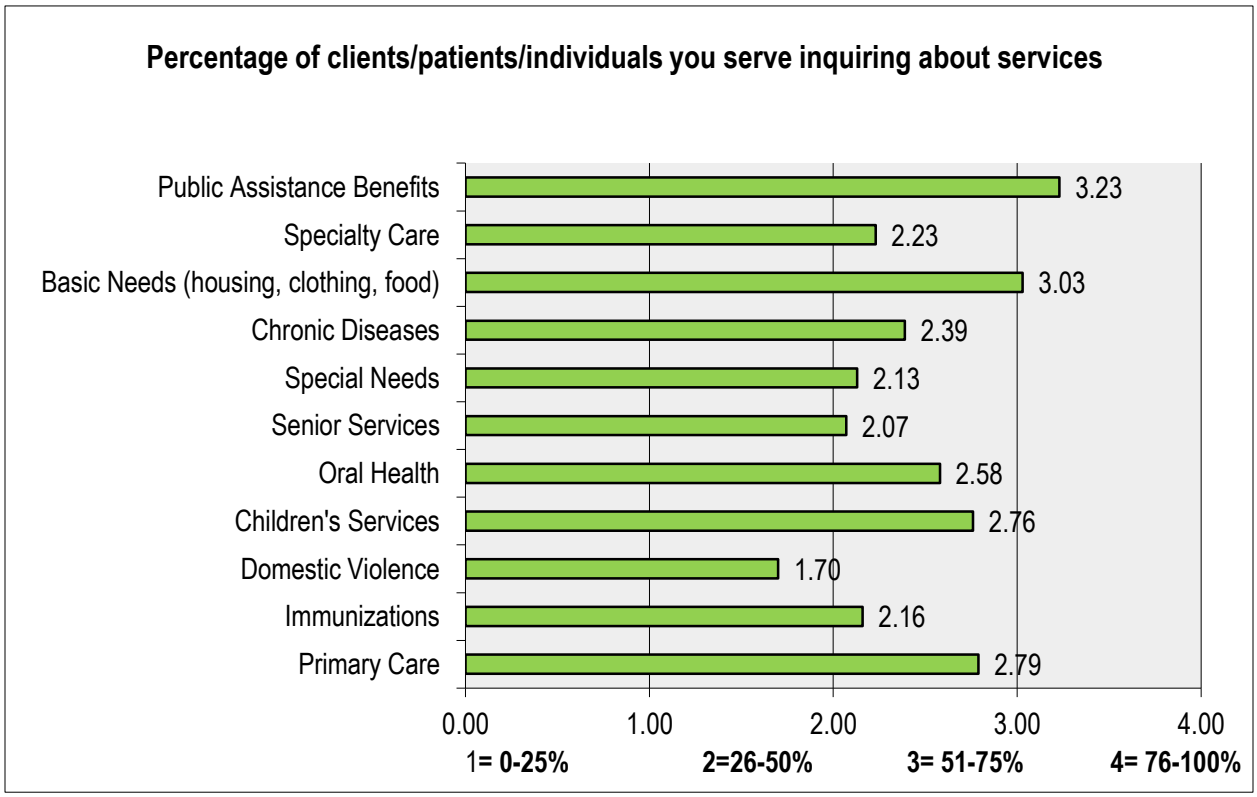
Respondents were asked, *"In your opinion, what are the top THREE barriers that create difficulties in accessing health care in the community? Please rank the top 3."*

Thirty-nine respondents completed the question. The top three responses were: 'health care service costs are too high', followed by, 'insurance cost is too high' and then by 'lack of knowledge about available services'.

Barriers to Accessing Health Care	**Rank**
Health care service costs are too high	Rank 1
Lack of cultural sensitivity/competency by providers	
Insufficient number of providers	
Lack of geographic access/ transportation	
Insurance cost is too high	Rank 2
Lack of knowledge about available services	Rank 3
Lack of quality care	
Lack of weekend/evening hours	
Lack of service availability	
Long waits for appointments	
Language barriers	
Long waits for treatment in the waiting room	
Don't know/not sure	
I don't think there are any barriers	

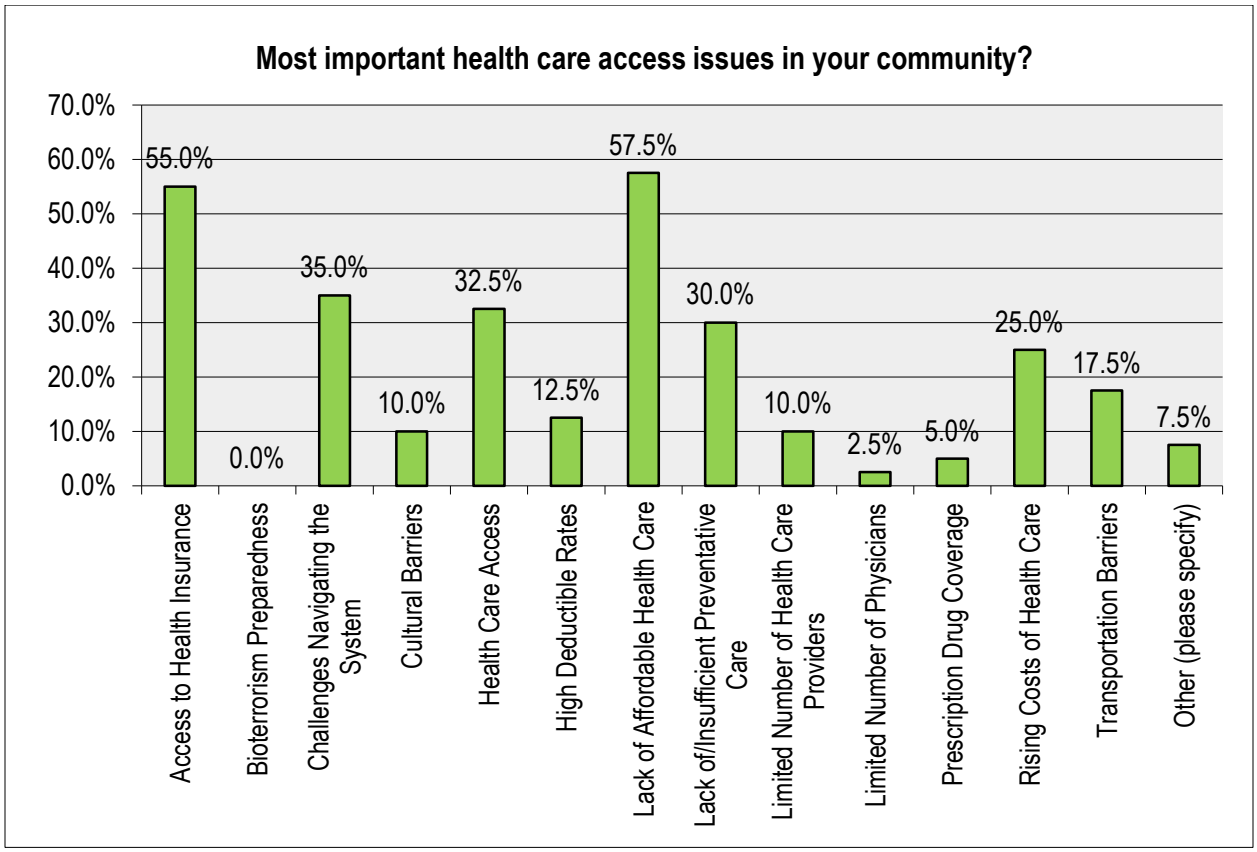
Survey respondents were asked, *"What percentage of your clients/patients/individuals you serve inquire about services such as."*

Thirty-nine respondents completed the question. The highest scores were for 'public assistance benefits' followed by 'basic needs (housing, clothing, food)'.



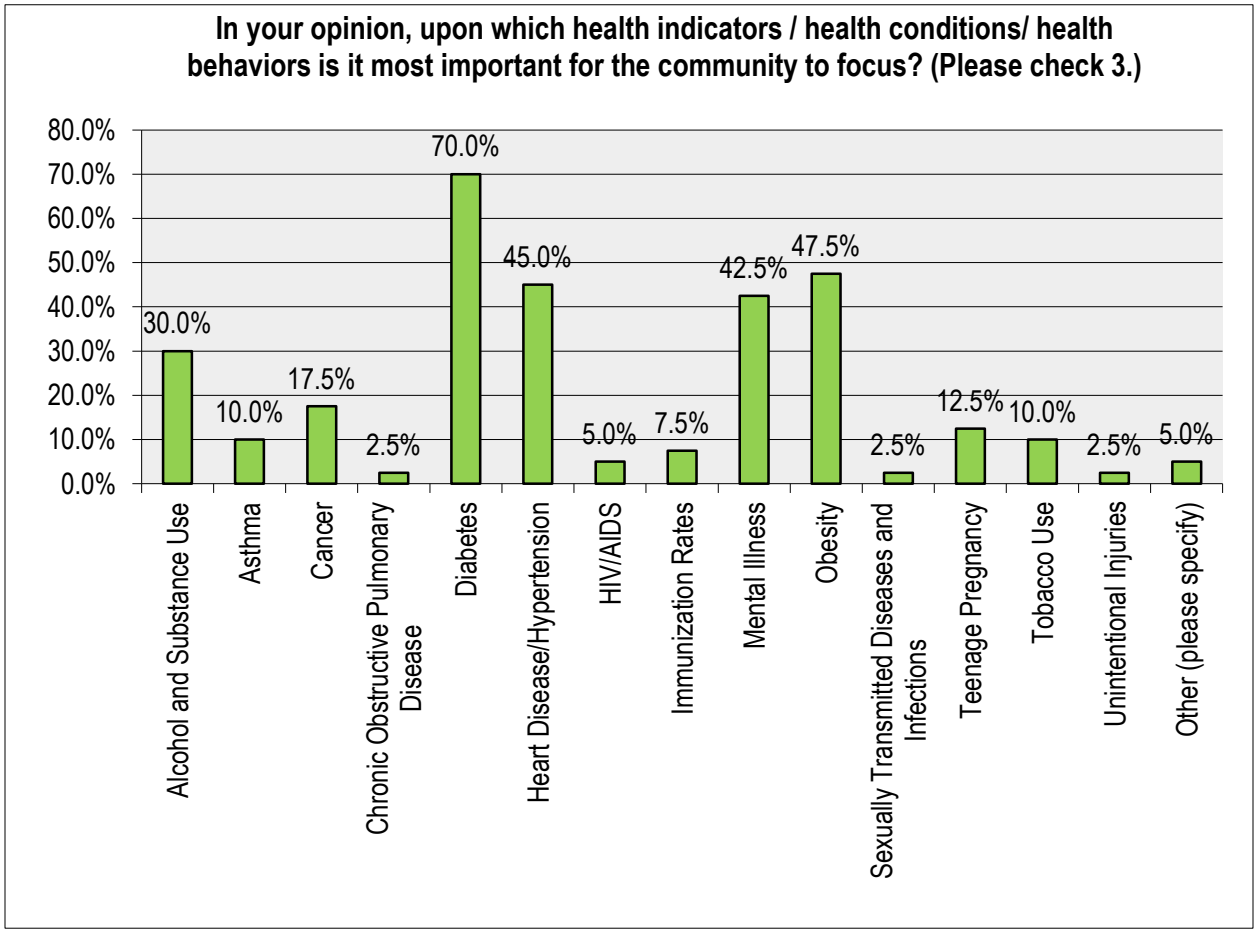
Respondents were asked, *"In your opinion, what are the THREE most important health care access issues in your community?"*

Forty respondents answered the question. 'Lack of affordable health care' was the most frequently selected and was among the top three for 57.5% of participants followed by 'access to health insurance' which was selected by 55% of respondents.



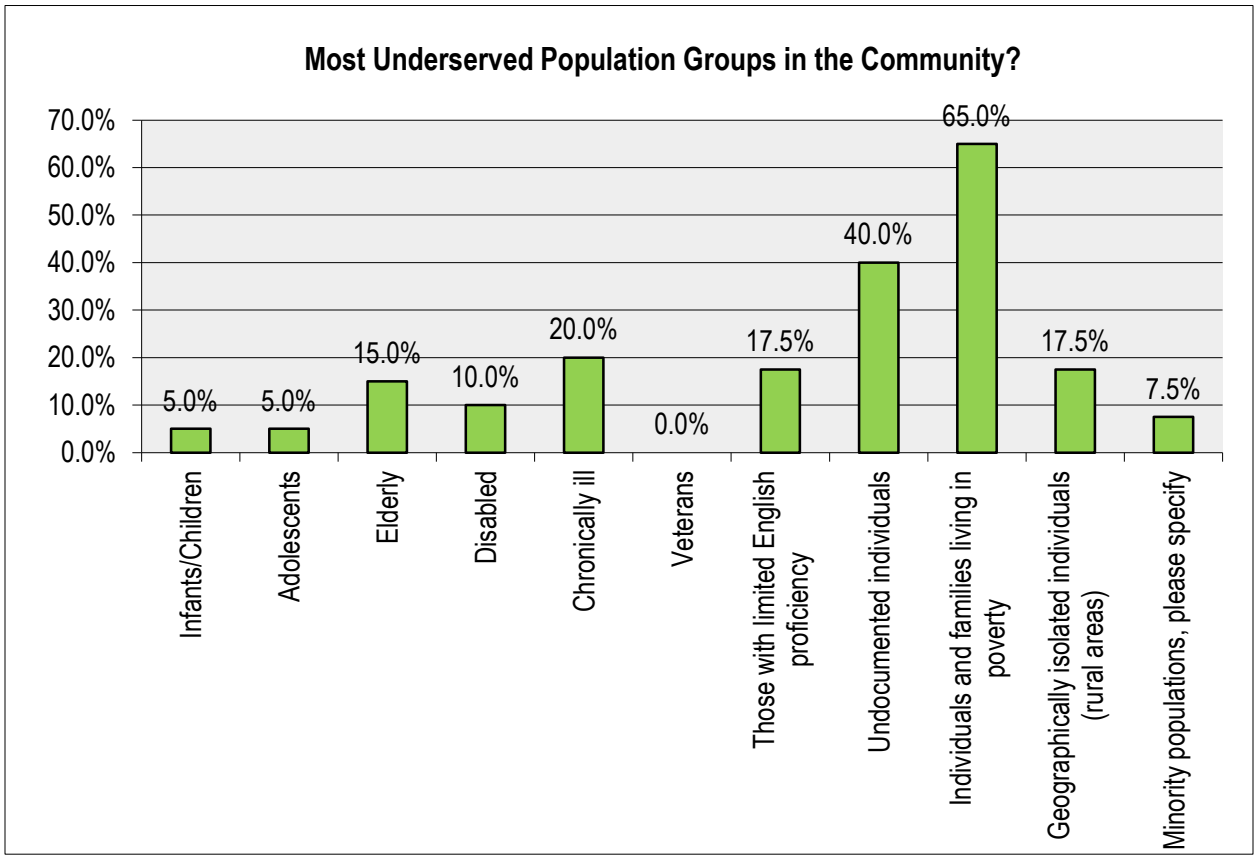
The next question asked, *"In your opinion, upon which health indicators / health conditions/ health behaviors is it most important for the community to focus? (Please check 3.)"*

Forty respondents answered the question. 'Diabetes' was the most frequently selected, with 70% of respondents choosing it, followed by 'obesity' (47.5%) 'heart disease/hypertension' (45%) and 'mental illness' (42.5%).



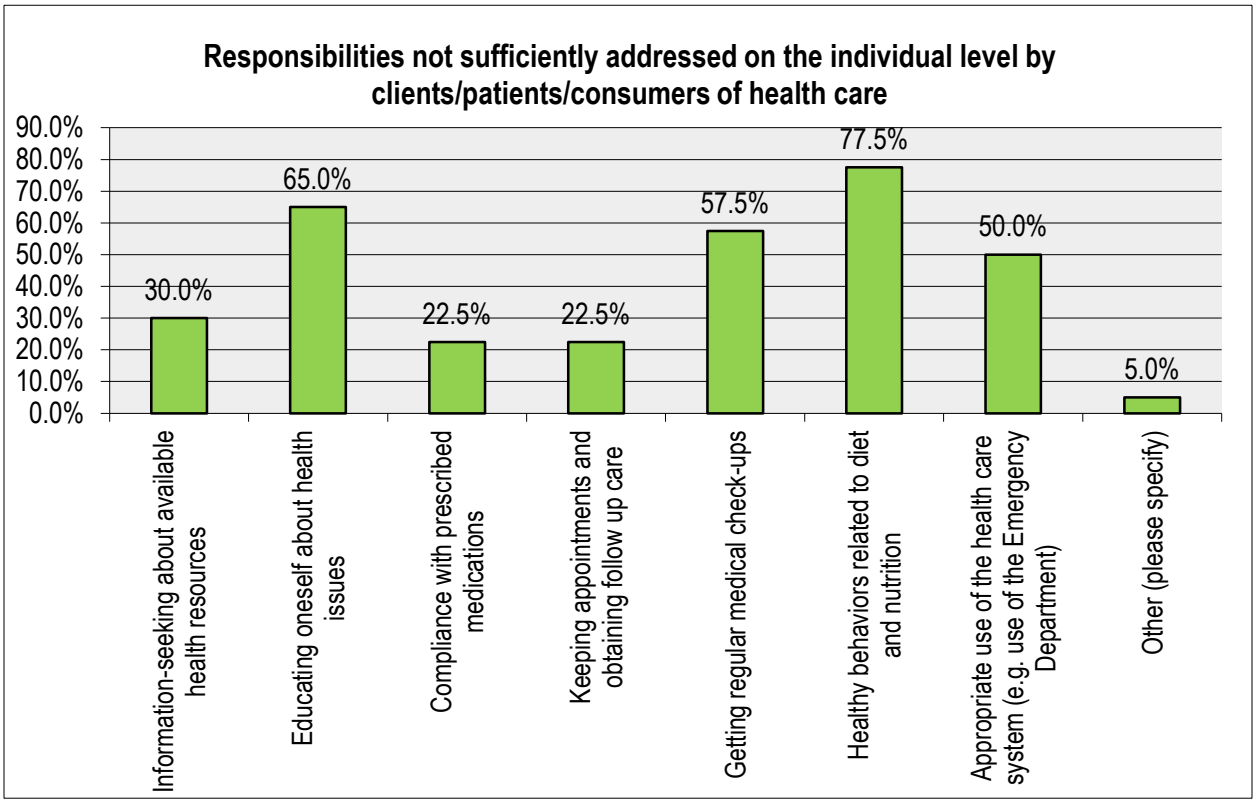
The next question asked respondents, *"In your opinion, which TWO population groups are the most underserved in the community?"*

Forty respondents answered the question. 'Individuals and families living in poverty' was the most frequently selected response with 65% choosing it, followed by 'undocumented individuals' which was selected by 40% of respondents. Twenty percent identified the 'chronically ill' as an underserved population.



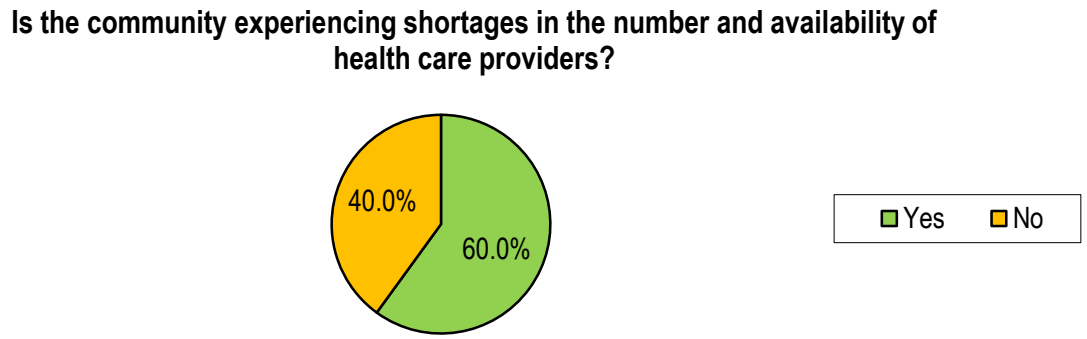
The next question was related to self-accountability on the part of the client/patient/consumer of health care.

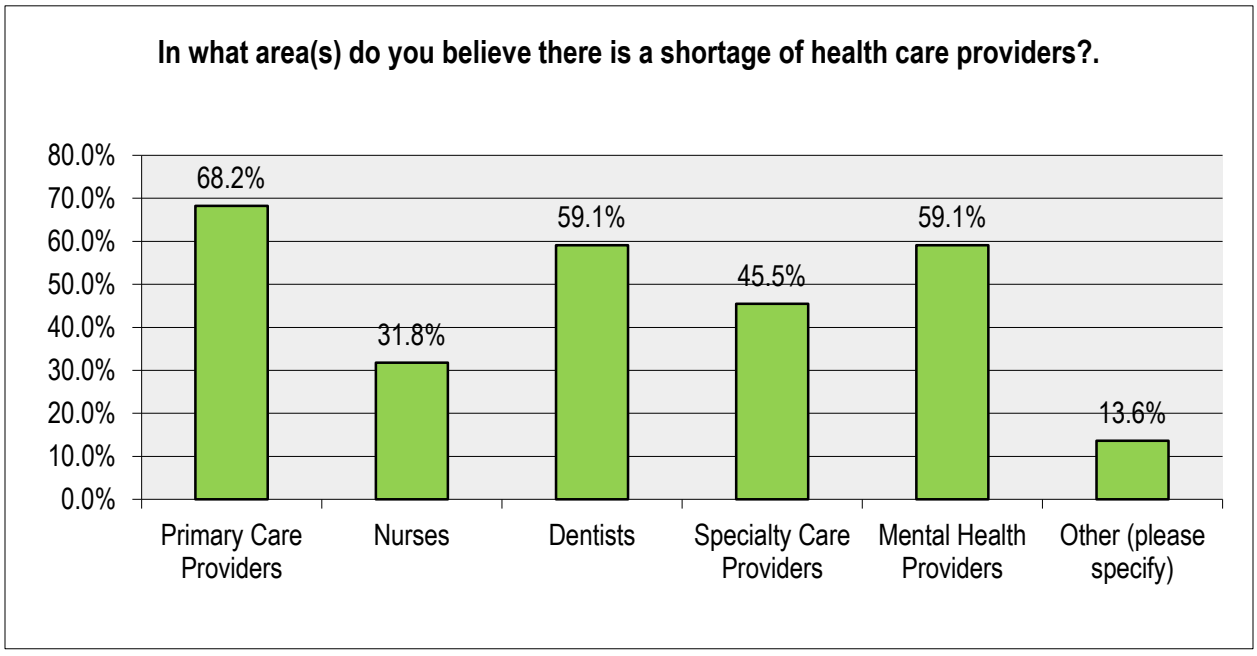
Forty respondents answered the question. Respondents were asked, *"In your opinion, what responsibilities, related to one's own health and health care, are not sufficiently addressed on the individual level (by clients/patients/consumers of health care)?"* The most frequently selected response was 'healthy behaviors related to diet and nutrition' (77.5%) followed by 'educating oneself about health issues' (65%).



The next question asked, *"Do you think that your community is experiencing shortages in the number and availability of health care providers?"*

Forty respondents answered, of those 24 or 60% answered 'Yes'. Those 24 were then asked, *"In what area(s) do you believe there is a shortage of health care providers? Please check all that apply."* 'Primary care providers' were the most frequently indicated followed by 'dentists' and 'mental health providers'.





OPEN-ENDED QUESTIONS.[38]

Respondents were asked, *"What do you consider to be the community's strengths in providing health and human services?"* A few themes emerged from the responses given.

There were a series of comments about resources including: the availability of resources (hospitals, mental health clinics, rehabilitation services), Caridad Center, the FQHC's and the local Health Departments. Additionally, the creation and maintenance of community health centers with comprehensive health services (including program screening and navigation support) and the Health Care District (county health insurance) were noted. Another recognized strength was that there are many agencies and adequate tax dollars, if coordinated and prioritized appropriately.

The second theme that emerged was around the human resources. One respondent indicated that "service agencies have truly caring hearts behind their desks and phones." Bilingual staff was reported as a strength.

The third theme that emerged was around the health care system and network. One noted strength was "a well-educated and knowledgeable health system that has the time to link families with the appropriate and effective provider."

Other comments focused on the network of providers, the network of committed professionals that communicate and are trying to do good and collaborative partnerships. Being able to communicate through the faith-based community was noted as a strength in the community. And finally, the willingness of the community to "try new things" was seen as a strength.

The next question asked respondents to *"Please describe any gaps in the community's health and human service delivery system."38*

Several of the comments centered on access and often times specifically on the cost of care. There were responses about the gaps in the system related to needing more access for the poor, the ability to easily access health care without the worry of payment, the inability of people to access primary care without using the emergency room, the lack of access for those in poverty, undocumented and/or geographically isolated and the adult population who cannot afford health insurance and have no access to health care.

Lack of adequate public transportation was also noted as ''a tremendous issue."

Other responses included: needing opportunities for the underinsured or uninsured populations to access services and that there were not "enough service centers."

Parents who are undocumented and who do not have access to healthcare (unless they pay out-of-pocket) were identified as a gap in the system.

[38] The tense, format and wording of the responses remain largely unchanged from their input into the survey tool. If changes have been made it was for purposes of improving the readability of the narrative.

Other gaps that were conveyed were around services: dental care for uninsured and [those on] Medicaid; the lack of cancer services for the financially disadvantaged; the availability of Health Department services; men's health services; and assistance for homeless children (specifically, the provision of immunizations so they can attend school); and day care service sites for Alzheimer's patients.

Gaps related to providers included: lack of Medicaid providers; not enough nurses who can work in the community with Alzheimer's families; and lack of cultural competency among the providers.

Identified gaps related to the system included: the inadequacy of the system to connect families to adequate and affordable health care; the communication on current programs and level of funding available for services; lacking partnerships and fragmented services, which in many cases don't address the need. The lack of resources and the need for more collaboration between public and private providers were also noted.

Insufficient knowledge was acknowledged as a gap in the system: lack of knowledge about the system on the part of clients, i.e. health literacy; lack of understanding about different "layers" or options for health care; and the challenges for families [in understanding] the options and services within the Medicaid and Medicare systems were noted.

The repetitive paperwork was noted as "a challenge."

Respondents were asked to, *"Please share any other comments you have that might assist efforts to improve the community's health and human service delivery system."38*

Related to coverage and cost, one suggestion was to "increase the number of insured patients by decreasing cost of insurance and services."

Several of the suggestions related to the expansion of services, specifically to increase the number of preventive health care centers; to expand services to include eye care, nutrition and meal preparation, exercise and medication; and to create more access and more affordable healthcare services to include at least an annual check-up.

Another recommendation was to improve transportation services for homeless and elderly [so they are able to access services].

It was noted that the Lewis facility in West Palm Beach is a new and valuable resource for the homeless population.

Other recommendations focused on education and increasing knowledge. It was noted that families must be educated on the available services in the community that can be accessed. Another suggestion was to have a lead group to help with health education not limited to the basic services, but on all aspects of health.

Another recommendation was to assist health care community based service providers to be more accessible and effective with their communications systems.

A few recommendations mentioned program and policy related topics. One comment indicated that school lunches need improvement and another noted pedestrian safety.

CONCLUSION

The data from the Community Health Perspective should be considered along with the quantitative data from the Community Health Profile to help inform priority identification, strategy determination and action plan development in an effort to achieve the overarching goal of improving the health status of the community.

Appendix A

Income/Earning Terms and Definitions

(2010 Subject Definition, American Community Survey).

Total income is the sum of the amounts reported separately for wage or salary income; net self-employment income; interest, dividends, or net rental or royalty income or income from estates and trusts; Social Security or Railroad Retirement income; Supplemental Security Income (SSI); public assistance or welfare payments; retirement, survivor, or disability pensions; and all other income.

Receipts from the following sources are not included as income: capital gains, money received from the sale of property (unless the recipient was engaged in the business of selling such property); the value of income "in kind" from food stamps, public housing subsidies, medical care, employer contributions for individuals, etc.; withdrawal of bank deposits; money borrowed; tax refunds; exchange of money between relatives living in the same household; gifts and lump-sum inheritances, insurance payments, and other types of lump-sum receipts.

Income Type in the Past 12 Months

The eight types of income reported in the American Community Survey are defined as follows:

1. Wage or salary income: Wage or salary income includes total money earnings received for work performed as an employee during the past 12 months. It includes wages, salary, Armed Forces pay, commissions, tips, piece-rate payments, and cash bonuses earned before deductions were made for taxes, bonds, pensions, union dues, etc.

2. Self-employment income: Self-employment income includes both farm and non-farm self-employment income.

Farm self-employment income includes net money income (gross receipts minus operating expenses) from the operation of a farm by a person on his or her own account, as an owner, renter, or sharecropper. Gross receipts include the value of all products sold, government farm programs, money received from the rental of farm equipment to others, and incidental receipts from the sale of wood, sand, gravel, etc. Operating expenses include cost of feed, fertilizer, seed, and other farming supplies, cash wages paid to farmhands, depreciation charges, rent, interest on farm mortgages, farm building repairs, farm taxes (not state and federal personal income taxes), etc. The value of fuel, food, or other farm products used for family living is not included as part of net income.

Non-farm self-employment income includes net money income (gross receipts minus expenses) from one's own business, professional enterprise, or partnership. Gross receipts include the value of all goods sold and services rendered. Expenses include costs of goods purchased, rent, heat, light, power, depreciation charges, wages and salaries paid, business taxes (not personal income taxes), etc.

3. Interest, dividends, net rental income, royalty income, or income from estates and trusts: Interest, dividends, or net rental income includes interest on savings or bonds, dividends

from stockholdings or membership in associations, net income from rental of property to others and receipts from boarders or lodgers, net royalties, and periodic payments from an estate or trust fund.

4. Social Security income: Social Security income includes Social Security pensions and survivor benefits, permanent disability insurance payments made by the Social Security Administration prior to deductions for medical insurance, and railroad retirement insurance checks from the U.S. government. Medicare reimbursements are not included.

5. Supplemental Security Income (SSI): Supplemental Security Income (SSI) is a nationwide U.S. assistance program administered by the Social Security Administration that guarantees a minimum level of income for needy aged, blind, or disabled individuals.

6. Public assistance income: Public assistance income includes general assistance and Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF). Separate payments received for hospital or other medical care (vendor payments) are excluded. This does not include Supplemental Security Income (SSI) or noncash benefits such as Food Stamps. The terms “public assistance income” and “cash public assistance” are used interchangeably.

7. Retirement, survivor, or disability income: Retirement income includes: (1) retirement pensions and survivor benefits from a former employer; labor union; or federal, state, or local government; and the U.S. military; (2) disability income from companies or unions; federal, state, or local government; and the U.S. military; (3) periodic receipts from annuities and insurance; and (4) regular income from IRA and Keogh plans. This does not include Social Security income.

8. All other income: All other income includes unemployment compensation, worker’s compensation, Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) payments, alimony and child support, contributions received periodically from people not living in the household, military family allotments, and other kinds of periodic income other than earnings.

Income of Households: This includes the income of the householder and all other individuals 15 years old and over in the household, whether they are related to the householder or not. Because many households consist of only one person, average household income is usually less than average family income.

Income of Individuals: Income for individuals is obtained by summing the eight types of income for each person 15 years old and over. The characteristics of individuals are based on the time of interview even though the amounts are for the past 12 months.

Median Income: The median divides the income distribution into two equal parts: one-half of the cases falling below the median income and one-half above the median. For households and families, the median income is based on the distribution of the total number of households and families including those with no income. The median income for individuals is based on individuals 15 years old and over with income.

Aggregate Income: Aggregate income is the sum of all incomes for a particular universe.

Mean Income: Mean income is the amount obtained by dividing the aggregate income of a particular statistical universe by the number of units in that universe. For the various types of income, the means are based on households having those types of income.

Per Capita Income: Per capita income is the mean income computed for every man, woman, and child in a particular group including those living in group quarters. It is derived by dividing

the aggregate income of a particular group by the total population in that group. (2010 Subject Definition, American Community Survey)

Earnings: Earnings are defined as the sum of wage or salary income and net income from self-employment. “Earnings” represent the amount of income received regularly for people 16 years old and over before deductions for personal income taxes, Social Security, bond purchases, union dues, Medicare deductions, etc.

Median Earnings: The median divides the earnings distribution into two equal parts: one-half of the cases falling below the median and one-half above the median.

Aggregate Earnings: Aggregate earnings are the sum of wage/salary and net self-employment income for a particular universe of people 16 years old and over.

Mean Earnings: Mean earnings is calculated by dividing aggregate earnings by the population 16 years old and over with earnings.

Appendix B

Agency for Health Care Administration (ACHA) Licensed Home Health Care Agencies

Name	Street City	Profit Status
@HOME HEALTHCARE	JUPITER	For-Profit
A BLESSING HOME HEALTH AGENCY	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
A FAMILY MEMBER HOME CARE GROUP INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
A MOMENTS NOTICE HOME CARE LLC	JUPITER	For-Profit
A PLUS HOME HEALTH CARE INC	LANTANA	For-Profit
A VISITING REDI-NURSE	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ABBEY DELRAY HOME HEALTH SERVICES	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
ABBEY DELRAY SOUTH HOME HEALTH AGENCY	DELRAY BEACH	Not-For-Profit
ABSOLUTE CAREGIVERS HOME HEALTH AGENCY INC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ACCESSIBLE HOME HEALTH CARE OF PALM BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
ACTION HOME CARE	JUPITER	For-Profit
ACTIVA HOME HEALTH	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
ACTIVE HOME HEALTH CARE SERVICES LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ACTS HOME HEALTH AGENCY	BOCA RATON	Not-For-Profit
ADVOCATE HOME HEALTH CARE SERVICES LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
AFFORDABLE HOME HEALTH CARE INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
AKER KASTEN HOME HEALTH CARE LLC	BOCA RATON	Not-For-Profit
ALC HOME HEALTH	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
ALL ABOUT YOU HOME HEALTH AGENCY INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
ALL FOR ONE HOME HEALTH INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ALL HEALTH CARE SERVICES INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
ALL METRO HEALTH CARE	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ALL SEASONS HOME CARE LLC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
ALL STEPS HOME CARE	JUPITER	For-Profit
ALL THE BEST HOME HEALTH SERVICES INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
ALL-CARE HOME HEALTH SERVICES INC	WELLINGTON	For-Profit
ALLEGIANCE HOME HEALTH AND REHAB INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
ALLIANCECARE	BOYNTON BEACH	Not-For-Profit
ALLIANCECARE AT BETHESDA	BOYNTON BEACH	Not-For-Profit
ALLIED HOME CARE INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
ALMOST FAMILY	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ALPHA ALLIED HOME CARE INC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ALTERCARE OF PALM BEACH COUNTY LLC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
ALTERNATIVE HOME HEALTH CARE OF PALM BEACH COUNTY INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
AMBIENT NURSING SERVICES INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
AMERICAN ELDERCARE INC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
AMERICAN STAFFING INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
AMICABLE HOME HEALTH CARE INC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
ANCHOR HOME HEALTH SERVICES LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
ANKOD INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
AP HOME HEALTH CARE LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
APOGEE HOME HEALTH	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
APPLETON HOME HEALTH SERVICES LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit

ARDENT HOME CARE INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
ASSOCIATED HOME HEALTH	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
AUTUMN HOME CARE	JUPITER	For-Profit
AVANTI HOME HEALTH OF PALM BEACH CORP	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
B & B HOMECARE OF PALM BEACH LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
BAYADA HOME HEALTH CARE INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
BEST HEALTH AND HOME CARE INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
BEST HEALTH SERVICES INC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
BETTER AT HOME HOME HEALTH LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
BOCA HOME CARE INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
BOCA HOME HEALTH	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
BOCA NURSING SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
BRIGHTSTAR HEALTHCARE	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
BRIGHTSTAR OF JUPITER/MARTIN COUNTY	JUPITER	For-Profit
BRRH HOME HEALTH SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	Not-For-Profit
BRRH HOME HEALTH SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	Not-For-Profit
CAIRO HOME CARE INC	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
CARING HANDS HOME CARE SERVICES	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
CARING PEOPLE LLC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
CERTIFIED HEALTH CARE SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
CERTIFIED HOMECARE OF THE PALM BEACHES	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
CHAMPION HOME HEALTH CARE	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
CHAMPION HOME HEALTH CARE INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
CHANCE HOME CARE INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
Columbia Home Health Care Inc.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
COMFORCARE SENIOR SERVICES-NORTH PALM BEACH	PALM BEACH GARDENS	For-Profit
COMFORT KEEPERS	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
COMFORT KEEPERS	JUPITER	For-Profit
COMFORTS OF HOME	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
COMMUNITY HOME HEALTH SERVICES	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
COMPLETE HOME CARE OF THE PALM BEACHES LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
COMPREHENSIVE HOME CARE OF PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
CONCEPTS IN ELDERCARE	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
CONFIDENT CARE OF FLORIDA CORP	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
CONTINUECARE HOME HEALTH LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
D P S HOME HEALTH AGENCY INC.	LAKE PARK	For-Profit
DIRECT NURSING CARE SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
DYNAMIKS HOME CARE INC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
ELDER ALTERNATIVES INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
ELDER'S CHOICE INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
EMPATHY CARE INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
EXPICARE NURSING AGENCY INC.	HYPOLUXO	For-Profit
FAMILY HOME HEALTH SERVICES LLC	JUPITER	For-Profit
FAMILY HOME HEALTH SERVICES LLC	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
FIRST CHOICE HOME HEALTH INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
FIRST QUALITY HOME HEALTH SERVICES INC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
FIRSTAT NURSING SERVICES-WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
FIRSTLANTIC NURSING SERVICES INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit

FOCUSCARE	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
GIFTED HEALTH CARE INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
GLADES HOME HEALTH CARE MEDICAL CENTER	BELLE GLADE	For-Profit
GUARDIAN CARE OF PALM BEACH INC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
HARBOUR'S EDGE	DELRAY BEACH	Not-For-Profit
HEALTH AT HOME	DELRAY BEACH	Not-For-Profit
HEALTH AT HOME	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
HEALTH FIRST INFUSION	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
HEALTH FORCE INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
HEALTHQUEST INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
HELP IS HERE LLC	RIVIERA BEACH	For-Profit
HERITAGE HOME HEALTH INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
HIGH CLASS HOME CARE INC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
HIGHLITE HOME CARE	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
HOME HEALTH ASSOCIATES LLC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
HOME HEALTH CARE RESOURCES CORP	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
HOME HEALTHCARE AUTHORITY INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
HOME IS WHERE THE HEART IS INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
HOMEWOOD HOME HEALTH LLC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
HOSPITAL WITHOUT WALLS	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
INFINITY HOMECARE OF DISTRICT 9 LLC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
INNOVATIVE SENIOR CARE HOME HEALTH	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
INTER COASTAL HOME HEALTH CARE INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
INTERIM HEALTHCARE OF THE TREASURE COAST INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
JUST FOR KIDS INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
K & D HOME HEALTH CARE CORP.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
KAY HEALTH SERVICES LLC	PALM BEACH GARDENS	For-Profit
LAKESIDE QUALITY HOME HEALTH CARE INC.	PAHOKEE	For-Profit
LIFECARE SOLUTIONS	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
M D HOME HEALTH LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
MATRIX HOME CARE LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
MAXICARE SELECT INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
MED TECH SERVICES OF PALM BEACH INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
MEDERI CARETENDERS	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
MEDERI CARETENDERS VS OF BROWARD LLC	NORTH PALM BEACH	For-Profit
MEDERI CARETENDERS VS OF SE FL LLC	NORTH PALM BEACH	For-Profit
MEGA NURSING SERVICES INC.	RIVIERA BEACH	For-Profit
MORSELIFE HOME CARE	WEST PALM BEACH	Not-For-Profit
NEW HOPE HEALTH AGENCY LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
NO OTHER PLACE LIKE HOME INC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
NURSE ON CALL OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC.	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
NURSING CARE SERVICES INC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
OASIS HOME CARE INC.	LAKE PARK	For-Profit
OPTIONS HOME HEALTH	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
ORTHOPAEDIC HOME HEALTH AND REHABILITATION INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	Not-For-Profit
PALM BEACH HOME HEALTH AGENCY	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
PALM BEACH HOME HEALTH INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit

PALM BEACH STAFFING INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
PATIENT CARE HOME HEALTH SERVICES LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
PERSONAL TOUCH HOME CARE OF FL. INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
PLATINUM SELECT NURSING LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
PREFERRED NURSING SERVICES INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
PRESTIGE NURSING SERVICES INC.	NORTH PALM BEACH	For-Profit
PRIMARY CARE SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
PROFESSIONAL NURSES HOME CARE INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
PROGRESSIVE HOME HEALTH CARE INC.	JUPITER	For-Profit
PROVIDERS WHO CARE HOME HEALTH AGENCY LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
PSA HEALTHCARE	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
PSI HOME HEALTH LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
REAL SOLUTIONS HOME HEALTH CARE INC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
RECOVERY HOME CARE SERVICES INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
RECOVERY HOME CARE INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
REDI-NURSE OF PALM BEACH COUNTY	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
REGAL HOME HEALTH INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
REHAB HOME HEALTH INC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
RELIANCE HOME HEALTH CARE LLC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
RESCARE HOMECARE	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
SENIOR HEALTHCARE SERVICES	LANTANA	For-Profit
SENIOR HEARTS HOME HEALTH AGENCY	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
SENIOR HELPERS	GREENACRES	For-Profit
SENIOR HELPERS	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
SENIOR HELPERS OF THE PALM BEACHES	PALM BEACH GARDENS	For-Profit
SENIORBRIDGE FAMILY COMPANIES (FL) INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
SIGHTLINEWORKS LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
SKILLED CARE INC.	NORTH PALM BEACH	For-Profit
SOUTH FLORIDA NURSING SERVICES INC.	PALM SPRINGS	For-Profit
SOUTHEAST HOMECARE	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
STRIVING FOR EXCELLENCE HOME HEALTH CARE INC	PALM SPRINGS	For-Profit
SUNCREST OMNI	JUPITER	For-Profit
SUNSHINE STATE HOME HEALTH INC.	LAKE WORTH	For-Profit
SYNERGY HOMECARE	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
TENDER CARE HEALTH SERVICES INC.	PALM BEACH GARDENS	For-Profit
THE NURSES GUILD OF THE PALM BEACHES INC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
TOTAL HOME HEALTH INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
TRANSITIONAL HOME CARE	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
TRINITY HEALTH CARE SERVICES INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
TWENTYFOUR SEVEN HOME HEALTH CARE INC	GREENACRES	For-Profit
UCI HOME HEALTH SERVICES	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
ULTIMATE ANGEL'S HOME HEALTH CARE INC.	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
UNIQUEMED HOME HEALTH CARE SERVICES INC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
UNITED NURSING SERVICES INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
UNS UNITED NURSING SERVICES	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit
USA HOME HEALTH SERVICES INC.	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit
VERITAS HOME CARE INC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
VILLAGE HOME CARE OF THE PALM BEACHES LLC	DELRAY BEACH	For-Profit

VIRGIN HEALTH OF WEST PALM LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
VITAE SERVICES OF THE PALM BEACHES INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
VITAL HOME CARE OF FLORIDA INC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
VITALINK HOME HEALTHCARE LLC	BOCA RATON	For-Profit
VITAS CARE SOLUTIONS INC	BOYNTON BEACH	For-Profit
WATERFORD HOME HEALTH AGENCY THE	JUNO BEACH	Not-For-Profit
WELCOME HOME HEALTHCARE INC	JUPITER	For-Profit
WORLDWIDE HEALTH GROUP OF PALM BEACH INC	WEST PALM BEACH	For-Profit

Source: FloridaHealthFinder, Agency for Health Care Administration

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Appendix C

Agency for Health Care Administration (ACHA) Licensed "All Agencies"

Facility Type	Name	City	Zip
Abortion Clinic	PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF S FLORIDA & TREASURE COAST	GREENACRES	33463
Abortion Clinic	PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF S FLORIDA & TREASURE COAST	BOCA RATON	33434
Abortion Clinic	PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF SOUTH FLORIDA AND THE TREASURE COACT INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Abortion Clinic	PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF SOUTH FLORIDA AND THE TREASURE COAST	WELLINGTON	33414
Abortion Clinic	PRESIDENTIAL WOMEN'S CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Adult Day Care Center	THE VOLEN CENTER	BOCA RATON	33486
Adult Day Care Center	THE VOLEN CENTER	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Adult Day Care Center	NEW DAY ADULT CARE CENTER	NORTH PALM BEACH	33408
Adult Day Care Center	PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33418
Adult Day Care Center	PALM BEACH COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS	LAKE WORTH	33461
Adult Day Care Center	SCHAFFER ADULT DAY HEALTH CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33417
Adult Day Care Center	ADOLPH & ROSE LEVIS ALZHEIMER AND ADULT DAY CARE CENTER	BOCA RATON	33428
Adult Day Care Center	ALZHEIMER'S COMMUNITY CARE INC	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
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Homemaker and Companion Service	HOMECARE NETWORK OF FLORIDA INC	BOCA RATON	33431
Homemaker and Companion Service	HOMECARE OF SOUTH FLORIDA INC	GREENACRES	33463
Homemaker and Companion Service	HOMEMAKERS AND COMPANIONS OF FLORIDA LLC	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Homemaker and Companion Service	HOPE COMPANION CARE SERVICES LLC	LAKE WORTH	33463
Hospice	VITAS HEALTHCARE CORPORATION OF FLORIDA	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Hospice	HOSPICE BY THE SEA INC.	BOCA RATON	33486
Hospice	HOSPICE OF PALM BEACH COUNTY INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Hospital	THE JEROME GOLDEN CENTER FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Hospital	WELLINGTON REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER	WELLINGTON	33414
Hospital	WEST BOCA MEDICAL CENTER	BOCA RATON	33428
Hospital	PALM BEACH GARDENS MEDICAL CENTER	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Hospital	PALMS WEST HOSPITAL	LOXAHATCHEE	33470
Hospital	SELECT SPECIALTY HOSPITAL- PALM BEACH	LAKE WORTH	33461
Hospital	ST MARY'S MEDICAL CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Hospital	A G HOLLEY STATE HOSPITAL	LANTANA	33465
Hospital	JFK MEDICAL CENTER	ATLANTIS	33462
Hospital	JUPITER MEDICAL CENTER	JUPITER	33458
Hospital	KINDRED HOSPITAL THE PALM BEACHES	RIVIERA BEACH	33418
Hospital	LAKESIDE MEDICAL CENTER	BELLE GLADE	33430
Hospital	BETHESDA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	BOYNTON BEACH	33435
Hospital	BOCA RATON REGIONAL HOSPITAL	BOCA RATON	33486
Hospital	COLUMBIA HOSPITAL	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Hospital	DELRAY MEDICAL CENTER	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Hospital	GOOD SAMARITAN MEDICAL CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33401
Intermediate Care Facility for the Developmentally Disabled	FLORIDA MENTOR	LANTANA	33462
Nurse Registry	TIME TO CARE LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	33436
Nurse Registry	TRUSTED HOME CARE SERVICE NURSE REGISTRY	BOCA RATON	33431

Nurse Registry	VALUE CARE AT HOME OF PALM BEACH COUNTY INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33417
Nurse Registry	VERITAS NURSE REGISTRY INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	33436
Nurse Registry	VICKA HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC	LOXAHATCHEE	33470
Nurse Registry	VISITING ANGELS OF SE FLORIDA	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	VISITING ANGELS OF THE PALM BEACHES	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Nurse Registry	WHITSYMS NURSING REGISTRY	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	NAUTILUS SENIOR HOME CARE	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Nurse Registry	NURSING SERVICES OF PALM BEACH	LOXAHATCHEE	33470
Nurse Registry	OMNICARE NR L.L.C.	NORTH PALM BEACH	33408
Nurse Registry	ONE ON ONE SERVICES	DELRAY BEACH	33483
Nurse Registry	PALM BEACH NURSING CARE	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	PARADISE HOME HEALTH CARE	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	PERSONAL SENIOR SERVICES INC.	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	PHYSICIANS' PRIVATE NURSING SERVICE INC.	WELLINGTON	33414
Nurse Registry	PICC LINES PLUS LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nurse Registry	PIONEER NURSING AND HOME CARE	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	POTTER NURSING SERVICE LLC	BOCA RATON	33487
Nurse Registry	PREMIER CARE NURSES OF AMERICA INC.	BOCA RATON	32009
Nurse Registry	PRIVATE DUTY NURSES INC.	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	QUALITY FAMILY CARE LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	33405
Nurse Registry	QUALITY NURSING HOME HEALTH LLC	GREENACRES	33463
Nurse Registry	RN HOMECARE SERVICES	BOCA RATON	33428
Nurse Registry	ROSE NURSE REGISTRY	WEST PALM BEACH	33415
Nurse Registry	ROYAL HEALTH CARE INC.	NORTH PALM BEACH	33408
Nurse Registry	SAFE N STEADY INC	BOYNTON BEACH	33437
Nurse Registry	SANACARE HOME HEALTH SOLUTIONS INC	DELRAY BEACH	33483
Nurse Registry	SENIOR HEARTS NURSE REGISTRY	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	SENIOR HOME COMPANIONS INC.	BOCA RATON	33433
Nurse Registry	SENIOR NANNIES HOME CARE SERVICES INC	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	SOUTH FLORIDA NURSING INC	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	A NURSES' REGISTRY INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	33401
Nurse Registry	A PLUS PRIVATE CARE SERVICES	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Nurse Registry	ABILITY NURSING INC.	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	ACTIVA HOMECARE	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nurse Registry	AFFINITY HOME CARE INC	DELRAY BEACH	33483
Nurse Registry	AMERICAN ELITE CARE LLC	BOCA RATON	33496
Nurse Registry	AMERICAN NURSING RESOURCES INC	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	AMERIHOME HEALTH CARE LLC	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Nurse Registry	ANGEL CARE NURSE REGISTRY	BOCA RATON	33487
Nurse Registry	ASSISTANCE REQUIRED CARE SERVICES	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Nurse Registry	AURACAL SENIOR HOME CARE LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nurse Registry	AURORA NURSES INC.	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Nurse Registry	BEST CARE	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	HORIZON CARE SERVICES INC	NORTH PALM BEACH	33408
Nurse Registry	HORIZON NURSING SERVICE	LAKE WORTH	33463
Nurse Registry	J & R CARE FINDERS INC	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	J N NURSING REGISTRY INC	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	JANEL'S NURSES REGISTRY	BOCA RATON	33432

Nurse Registry	KARING NURSING REGISTRY	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	KELLY'S ANGELS ELDER CARE INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	33405
Nurse Registry	KOSHER CAREGIVERS	BOCA RATON	33433
Nurse Registry	LA NURSE HOME HEALTH CARE REGISTRY INC.	DELRAY BEACH	33483
Nurse Registry	LANTANA PROFESSIONAL CAREGIVERS	LAKE WORTH	33449
Nurse Registry	LEVIN HOMECARE NURSE REGISTRY	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	LIVING LIFE AT HOME	JUPITER	33477
Nurse Registry	LYNDEN NURSING SERVICE LLC	GREENACRES	33463
Nurse Registry	BOCA HOME CARE SERVICES	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	BOCA NURSES	BOCA RATON	33432
Nurse Registry	BOYNTON BEACH HOME CARE INC.	LANTANA	33462
Nurse Registry	CARE FINDERS	JUPITER	33477
Nurse Registry	CAREMINDERS HOME CARE	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nurse Registry	CARING FOR SENIORS INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Nurse Registry	CARING HOME CARE INC	BOYNTON BEACH	33472
Nurse Registry	CENTRAL CARE SERVICES INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Nurse Registry	CHAMPION HOME HEALTH CARE	BOCA RATON	33487
Nurse Registry	CINTAA	LAKE WORTH	33467
Nurse Registry	COMFORT CARE NURSING REGISTRY LLC	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	COMPANIONS PLUS CORPORATION	DELRAY BEACH	33446
Nurse Registry	COMPLETE COMFORT PRIVATE DUTY HOME CARE INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Nurse Registry	COMPLETE HOME CARE REGISTRY INC	BOYNTON BEACH	33435
Nurse Registry	CONCEPTS IN CAREGIVING	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Nurse Registry	DIMI NURSING INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nurse Registry	ELDERCARE AT HOME INC	LAKE WORTH	33461
Nurse Registry	EXPERT CARE NURSING REGISTRY INC.	BOYNTON BEACH	33437
Nurse Registry	EXTENDED CARE NURSING SERVICES INC	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nurse Registry	FAMILY CARE NURSES REGISTRY LLC	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Nurse Registry	FEINGOLD NURSING SERVICES	WEST PALM BEACH	33411
Nurse Registry	FIDELITY HOME NURSING SERVICES	WELLINGTON	33414
Nurse Registry	FIRST CALL HOMECARE SERVICES INC.	DELRAY BEACH	33446
Nurse Registry	FIRSTLANTIC NURSES REGISTRY INC.	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	FLORICARE REGISTRY & SERVICES INC.	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Nurse Registry	FRIENDS ASSISTING SENIORS AND FAMILIES	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Nurse Registry	GENERATION HOME HEALTH CARE	BOCA RATON	33433
Nurse Registry	GERI-CARE CONNECTION SOUTH LLC	DELRAY BEACH	33444
Nurse Registry	GOLDEN GIRLS NURSE REGISTRY INC.	WELLINGTON	33414
Nurse Registry	GRANNY NANNIES	BOCA RATON	33486
Nurse Registry	HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS INTERNATIONAL	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Nurse Registry	HEAVENSENT HOME HEALTHCARE INC	DELRAY BEACH	33446
Nurse Registry	HOME CARE ONE	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nurse Registry	HOME MANAGEMENT CARE INC.	BOCA RATON	33431
Nurse Registry	HOME WITH HELP OF FLORIDA INC	BOYNTON BEACH	33436
Nursing Home	TERRACES OF LAKE WORTH REHABILITATION AND HEALTH CENTER	LAKE WORTH	33460
Nursing Home	VI AT LAKESIDE VILLAGE	LANTANA	33462
Nursing Home	WATERFORD HEALTH CARE CENTER	JUNO BEACH	33408
Nursing Home	WHITEHALL BOCA RATON	BOCA RATON	33433
Nursing Home	WILLOWBROOKE COURT AT EDGEWATER POINTE ESTATES	BOCA RATON	33433

Nursing Home	WILLOWBROOKE COURT AT ST ANDREWS	BOCA RATON	33433
Nursing Home	WOOD LAKE NURSING AND REHABILITATION CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33415
Nursing Home	NORTH LAKE REHABILITATION AND HEALTH CENTER	LAKE PARK	33403
Nursing Home	NURSING CENTER AT LA POSADA THE	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Nursing Home	NuVista Living at Wellington Green	WELLINGTON	33414
Nursing Home	OASIS HEALTH AND REHABILITATION CENTER	LAKE WORTH	33460
Nursing Home	PALM GARDEN OF WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	33401
Nursing Home	REGENTS PARK NURSING & REHABILITATION CENTER	BOCA RATON	33433
Nursing Home	REHABILITATION CENTER OF THE PALM BEACHES THE	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Nursing Home	RENAISSANCE HEALTH and REHABILITATION	WEST PALM BEACH	33415
Nursing Home	ROYAL MANOR	ROYAL PALM BEACH	33411
Nursing Home	SAVANNAH COVE	WEST PALM BEACH	33401
Nursing Home	SIGNATURE HEALTHCARE OF PALM BEACH	LAKE WORTH	33461
Nursing Home	STRATFORD COURT OF BOCA RATON	BOCA RATON	33433
Nursing Home	ABBEY DELRAY	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nursing Home	ABBEY DELRAY SOUTH	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Nursing Home	AVANTE AT BOCA RATON INC.	BOCA RATON	33486
Nursing Home	AVANTE AT LAKE WORTH INC.	LAKE WORTH	33460
Nursing Home	BARRINGTON TERRACE OF BOYNTON BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nursing Home	JOSEPH L MORSE GERIATRIC CENTER INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33417
Nursing Home	JUPITER MEDICAL CENTER PAVILION INC	JUPITER	33458
Nursing Home	LAKE VIEW CARE CENTER AT DELRAY	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Nursing Home	LAKESIDE HEALTH CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Nursing Home	LOURDES-NOREEN MCKEEN RESIDENCE FOR GERIATRIC CARE INC.	WEST PALM BEACH	33401
Nursing Home	MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES	DELRAY BEACH	33446
Nursing Home	MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES	BOCA RATON	33431
Nursing Home	MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES BOYNTON BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	33426
Nursing Home	MANORCARE HEALTH SERVICES WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Nursing Home	MEDICANA NURSING AND REHAB CENTER	LAKE WORTH	33460
Nursing Home	MENORAH HOUSE	BOCA RATON	33428
Nursing Home	BOCA RATON REHABILITATION CENTER	BOCA RATON	33486
Nursing Home	BOULEVARD REHABILITATION CENTER	BOYNTON BEACH	33435
Nursing Home	BOYNTON BEACH REHABILITATION CENTER	BOYNTON BEACH	33436
Nursing Home	BOYNTON HEALTH CARE CENTER	BOYNTON BEACH	33437
Nursing Home	CHATSWORTH AT PGA NATIONAL	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33418
Nursing Home	CONSULATE HEALTH CARE OF WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Nursing Home	CORAL BAY HEALTHCARE AND REHABILITATION	WEST PALM BEACH	33415
Nursing Home	COURTYARD GARDENS REHABILITATION CENTER LLC	JUPITER	33458
Nursing Home	CROSSINGS THE	LAKE WORTH	33463
Nursing Home	DARCY HALL OF LIFE CARE	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Nursing Home	EDWARD J HEALEY REHABILITATION AND NURSING CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Nursing Home	FINNISH AMERICAN REST HOME INC	LAKE WORTH	33461
Nursing Home	FOUNTAINS NURSING HOME	BOCA RATON	33431
Nursing Home	GARDENS COURT	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Nursing Home	GLADES HEALTH CARE CENTER	PAHOKEE	33476
Nursing Home	HAMLIN PLACE	LANTANA	33462
Nursing Home	HARBOURS EDGE	DELRAY BEACH	33483
Nursing Home	HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE AND REHABILITATION CENTER OF BOCA	BOCA RATON	33433

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Nursing Home	HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE CENTER BOYNTON BEACH	BOYNTON BEACH	33436
Nursing Home	HEARTLAND HEALTH CARE CENTER PROSPERITY OAKS	PALM BEACH GARDENS	33410
Portable X-Ray	PORTABLE MEDICAL DIAGNOSTICS INC	WEST PALM BEACH	33411
Portable X-Ray	MEDICUS DIAGNOSTICS INC	BOCA RATON	33428
Portable X-Ray	FAST RESPONSE PORTABLE IMAGING LLC	BOYNTON BEACH	33436
Prescribed Pediatric Extended Care Center	PSA HEALTHCARE	WEST PALM BEACH	33411
Rehabilitation Agency	SUNSHINE PHYSICAL THERAPY & FITNESS CENTER INC	GREENACRES	33463
Rehabilitation Agency	YAMATO ORTHOPEDIC AND SPINAL REHABILITATION INC	BOCA RATON	33496
Rehabilitation Agency	NATIONAL PAIN INSTITUTE	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Rehabilitation Agency	PHYSICAL THERAPY OF BOCA RATON PA	BOCA RATON	33432
Rehabilitation Agency	PHYSIOTHERAPY ASSOCIATES	ROYAL PALM BEACH	33411
Rehabilitation Agency	PROFESSIONAL TOUCH REHAB INC	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Rehabilitation Agency	SELECT PHYSICAL THERAPY	JUPITER	33477
Rehabilitation Agency	SELECT PHYSICAL THERAPY	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Rehabilitation Agency	SUN BRIGHT INC	DELRAY BEACH	33444
Rehabilitation Agency	ADVANCED FITNESS AND THERAPY AT ABACOA INC	JUPITER	33458
Rehabilitation Agency	ADVANCED PHYSICAL THERAPY ASSOCIATES	BOCA RATON	33433
Rehabilitation Agency	ADVANCED THERAPY CENTER OF DELRAY BEACH	DELRAY BEACH	33445
Rehabilitation Agency	INNOVATIVE SENIOR CARE AT THE CLASSIC AT WEST PALM BEACH	WEST PALM BEACH	33417
Rehabilitation Agency	JUPITER MEDICAL CENTER PAVILION OUTPATIENT REHABILITATION CENTER	JUPITER	33469
Rehabilitation Agency	COMPREHENSIVE HAND & PHYSICAL THERAPY	LAKE WORTH	33461
Rehabilitation Agency	CORA REHABILITATION CLINICS - LAKE WORTH	PALM SPRINGS	33461
Rehabilitation Agency	CORNERSTONE HEALTH CENTER	WEST PALM BEACH	33406
Rehabilitation Agency	FIRST REHAB	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Rehabilitation Agency	FLORIDA REHAB SERVICES	WEST PALM BEACH	33409
Residential Treatment Center for Children and Adolescents	THE CHILDREN'S PLACE AT HOME SAFE	LAKE WORTH	33461
Residential Treatment Center for Children and Adolescents	THE CHILDREN'S PLACE AT HOME SAFE	WEST PALM BEACH	33417
Residential Treatment Center for Children and Adolescents	THE CHILDREN'S PLACE AT HOME SAFE	BOCA RATON	33487
Residential Treatment Center for Children and Adolescents	THE CHILDREN'S PLACE AT HOME SAFE	BOCA RATON	33487
Residential Treatment Facility	THE JEROME GOLDEN CENTER FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH	WEST PALM BEACH	33407
Residential Treatment Facility	SOUTH COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Residential Treatment Facility	SOUTH COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER	DELRAY BEACH	33484
Rural Health Clinic	PALM GLADES RURAL HEALTH ASSOCIATES INC	BELLE GLADE	33430
Rural Health Clinic	PHILIP COLAIZZO MD PA	PAHOKEE	33476
Rural Health Clinic	CHILDRENS CLINIC	BELLE GLADE	33430
Rural Health Clinic	GRACE HEALTHCARE SOLUTIONS INC	PAHOKEE	33476

Source: FloridaHealthFinder, Agency for Health Care Administration

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Appendix D

Ranking System
County Health Rankings

The *County Health Rankings* are based on a conceptual model of population health that includes both Health Outcomes (length and quality of life) and Health Factors (determinants of health). These Outcomes and Factors were broken down into a number of components, which were additionally broken down into subcomponents we call Focus Areas.

After developing the *Rankings* model, the next step in creating the *Rankings* was to establish weights for each component in the model and find appropriate measures. The process for choosing weights and measures was guided by

- Review of the literature around the impact of various factors on health outcomes
- Ability for factors to be modified through community action
- Review of America's Health Rankings methodology and indicators
- Availability and reliability of indicators at the county level throughout the nation
- Analysis
- Feedback from a panel of technical experts

The Rankings are based on summary composite scores calculated from the individual measures. We calculate and rank eight different summary composites:

1. **Overall Health Outcomes**
2. Health Outcomes – **Mortality**
3. Health Outcomes – **Morbidity**
4. **Overall Health Factors**
5. Health Factors – **Health behaviors**
6. Health Factors – **Clinical care**
7. Health Factors – **Social and economic factors**
8. Health Factors – **Physical environment**

The overall Health Outcomes summary score is a weighted composite of Mortality (50%) and Morbidity (50%). The overall Health Factors summary score is a weighted composite of four

components: Health behaviors (30%), Clinical care (20%), Social and economic factors (40%), and Physical environment (10%). Note that the component weights add to 100%.

We would like to emphasize that there is no one "correct" formula or "true" set of weights that perfectly represents the health of a community. Indeed, even a very good system by today's standards might not perform well over long periods of time or under all possible circumstances. *County Health Rankings* staff have used information from a wide variety of sources--scientific research, available data, expert opinion, statistical analysis--to arrive at a set of easy to understand weights that reasonably reflect the different components and determinants of health. Of course, they are not perfect, but we stand by them as reasonable estimates supported by the best available evidence balanced with the availability of health data and interpretability.

Health Outcome Summary Score

To calculate the summary score for Health Outcomes, we combined scores for Mortality (50%) and Morbidity (50%) to produce 100% of the Health Outcomes summary score. The weights for specific measures were assigned based on relative importance within the factor and considerations of data reliability and availability. Within morbidity, we assign a higher weight to the low birthweight measure since this measure is based on a census of all live births whereas the other measures are based on a survey of a sample of the population.

Table 157: Health Outcome Weights for the 2011 County Health Rankings

Outcome	Focus Area	Measure
Mortality (50%)	Premature death	Years of potential life lost before age 75 (50%)
Morbidity (50%)	Quality of life	Percent reporting poor or fair health (10%) Physically unhealthy days (10%) Mentally unhealthy days (10%)
	Poor birth outcomes	Low birthweight live births (20%)

Health Factors Summary Score

To calculate the summary score of health factors, weights were determined for each of the four major factors (Health behaviors, Clinical care, Social and economic factors, and the Physical environment) based on a review of the literature, expert opinion, and data analysis. Additional information is available about the methods used to determine these weights (Working Paper on Assigning Determinant Weights). The following weights were used to calculate the overall Health Factors summary score: Health behaviors (30%), Clinical care (20%), Social and economic factors (40%), and the Physical environment (10%). Like the Health Outcomes summary score, weights at each level sum to 100%.

The weights for specific measures were assigned based on relative importance within the factor and considerations of data reliability and availability. A table presenting the weights follows.

Table 158: Health Factor Weights for the 2011 County Health Rankings

Health Factor	Focus Area	Measure
Health behaviors (30%)	Smoking (10%)	Adult smoking rate (10%)
	Diet and exercise (10%)	Adult obesity rate (10%)
	Alcohol use (5%)	Excessive drinking (2.5%) Motor vehicle crash death rate (2.5%)
	Unsafe sex (5%)	Sexually transmitted infection rate (2.5%) Teen birth rate (2.5%)
Clinical care (20%)	Access to care (10%)	Adult uninsured rate (5%) Primary care providers (5%)
	Quality of care (10%)	Hospitalization rates for ambulatory-sensitive conditions (5%) Diabetic screening rate (2.5%) Mammography screening rate (2.5%)
Social and economic factors (40%)	Education (10%)	High school graduation rate (5%) Adults with college degrees (5%)
	Employment (10%)	Unemployment rate (10%)
	Income (10%)	Children in poverty (10%)
	Family and social support (5%)	Social and emotional support (2.5%) Single-parent households (2.5%)
	Community safety (5%)	Violent crime or homicide rate (5%)
Physical environment (10%)	Environmental quality (5%)	Unhealthy air quality due to particulate matter (2.5%) Unhealthy air quality due to ozone (2.5%)
	Built environment (5%)	Access to healthy foods (2.5%) Access to recreational facilities (2.5%)

Source: Information copied from County Health Rankings' website: www.countyhealthrankings.org, Sept. 2011.

Appendix E

Palm Beach County Community Health Assessment - Community Focus Group Questions

Health Behavior / Health Attitude Questions

1. What does health mean to you?
2. What does unhealthy mean to you?
3. How do you take care of your health?
4. Who or what influences what you do about your health?
5. Who or what influences the way you think about health?
6. Where do you get health care?
    a. Do you have a place where you usually receive care?
    b. Where do you go to get physicals / check-ups?
    c. In what cases do you use the emergency room?

Health System Questions

7. What do you feel are the strengths of the health care system in our community?
8. What barriers (difficulties/challenges) have you faced e.g., transportation, lack of insurance, scheduling, etc. accessing healthcare in our community?
9. What services are sufficient? What services do you feel are insufficient?
10. How would you describe the quality of care and services you receive?

Individual health is closely linked to community health -- the health of the community in which people live, work, and play. Likewise, community health is profoundly affected by the collective beliefs, attitudes, and behaviors of everyone who lives in the community.

-Healthy People 2010: Understanding and Improving Health