



OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

# State of the County's Health Report

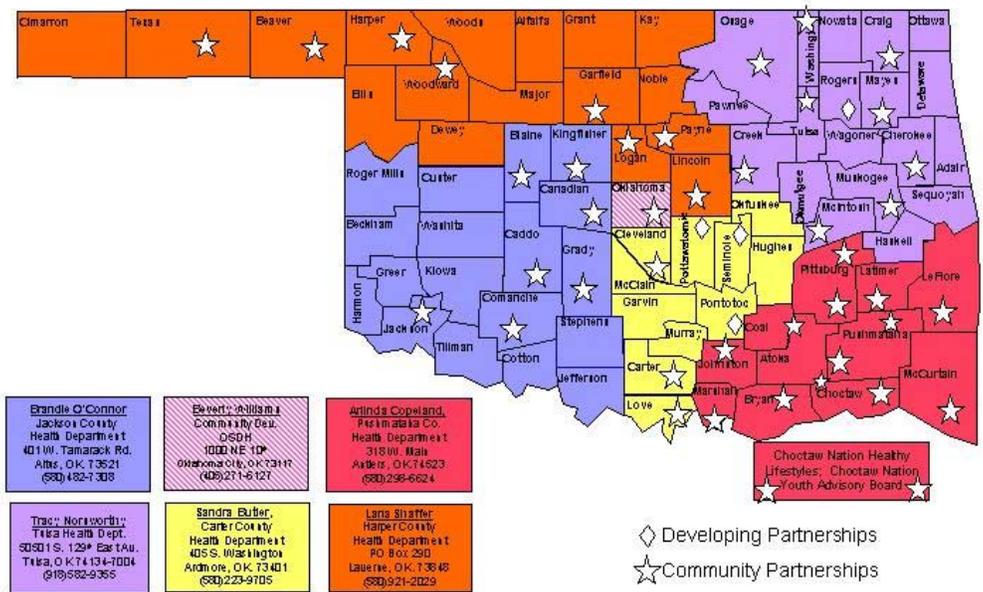
## A Look Back To Move Forward

### Canadian County

The state of Oklahoma has been in a downward health trend since the 1990's, until recently. Through the efforts of the state and county health departments, state and local governments and the individual communities the health of Oklahomans is looking up. However, we could do more to improve the health of the citizens of Oklahoma.

This report focuses on the health factors for the citizens of Canadian County. We will take a look back to discover what has been affecting the health of the citizens in order to move forward and make healthy, effective and safe changes for all.

TURNING POINT PARTNERSHIPS and FIELD CONSULTANT DISTRICT



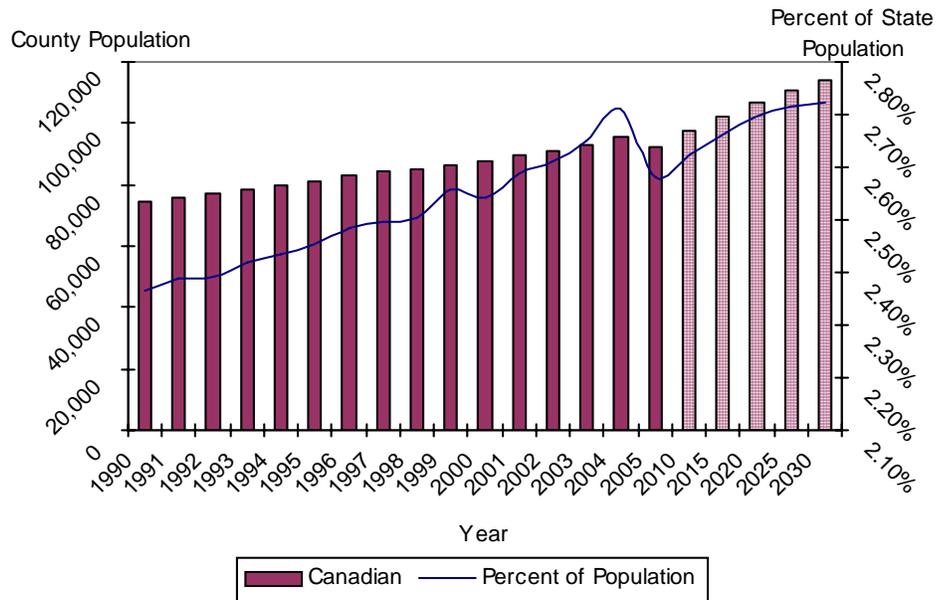
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# Demographics

- Population estimates
  - 18% increase from 1990 to 2000 (74,409 to 87,697)
  - 9% increase from 2000 to 2004
  - Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> for growth in state
- 2000 Census
- Hispanic/Latino ethnicity = 4%
- Race
  - Whites = 87%
  - Native Americans = «Indian %»
  - Blacks = 2%
  - Other/Multiple = 7%
- Age
  - Under 5 = 7%
  - Over 64 = 10%
  - Median age = 35.4 years
- Housing units
  - Occupied = 31,484 (93%)
  - Vacant = 2,485 (7%)
- Disability (ages 21 to 64) = 15.6%
  - national = 19.2% state = 21.5%
- Individuals below poverty = 7.9%
  - national = 12.4% state = 14.7%

Canadian County Population Growth with Projections



\* *Vital Statistics, Health Care Information Systems, OSDH & Centers for Disease Control*

## Top 10 Leading Causes of Death

The top 10 leading causes of death table on the next page displays a broad picture of the causes of death in Canadian County. Since many health-related issues are unique to specific ages, this table provides causes of death by age group at a glance. The causes of death that are present across almost every age group have been highlighted. From 1983 to 1993 heart disease killed 1,611 people in Canadian County

and is still the leading cause of death among all age groups. According to the Centers for Disease Control, almost \$400,000 is spent on each heart disease-related death. With an average of 188.9 deaths a year, heart disease accounts for almost \$70 million a year in medical costs

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Alzheimer's disease and the complications associated with it have increased from the 12<sup>th</sup> ranked cause of death (1983-1993) to the 8<sup>th</sup> ranked cause of death in persons 65 and older accounting for a 330% increase in deaths.

\* *Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, Health Care Information System, OSDH & Health Affairs Journal, R. Strum, 2002*

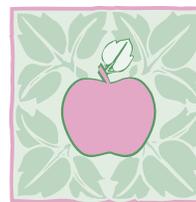
## Nutrition and Obesity

With the United States coming in as the most obese country in the world, health care costs related to obesity and poor nutrition are on the rise.

Of the 292 million people in the United States, 129 million are overweight or obese according to their body mass index (BMI). The number of obese (BMI > 29) and overweight (BMI 25-29) Oklahomans has been increasing at the

same rate as the nation, and health care costs are reflecting this downward spiral of health. For persons under the age of 65, on average, health care costs are \$395 more for obese individuals and are even greater for persons over the age of 65.

In 2002-2004, 21.7%



**Sensible Foods – Sensible Portions  
5 to 9 Fruits & Vegetables a Day**

( 20,160 ) of people in Canadian County were considered obese which accounted for an additional \$7,963,200 in medical costs for the county. These costs are underestimated because they

do not take into account the percentage of obese or overweight persons who are over the age of 65.

## Top 10 Causes of Death by Age Group Canadian County 1993-2003

Rank	0-4	05-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	All Ages
1	PERINATAL PERIOD 30	UNINTENT. INJURY 11	UNINTENT. INJURY 59	UNINTENT. INJURY 33	CANCER 59	CANCER 139	CANCER 298	HEART DISEASE 1676	HEART DISEASE 2078
2	CONGENITAL ANOMALIES 26	CANCER 2	SUICIDE 21	SUICIDE 24	HEART DISEASE 42	HEART DISEASE 126	HEART DISEASE 215	CANCER 944	CANCER 1460
3	SIDS 12	SUICIDE 2	HEART DISEASE 8	HOMICIDE/LEGAL 11	UNINTENT. INJURY 39	UNINTENT. INJURY 42	BRONCHITIS/EMPHYSEMA/ASTHMA 35	STROKE 431	STROKE 481
4	UNINTENT. INJURY 7	CONGENITAL ANOMALIES 1	HOMICIDE/LEGAL 8	CANCER 10	SUICIDE 17	SUICIDE 17	DIABETES MELLITUS 27	BRONCHITIS/EMPHYSEMA/ASTHMA 286	BRONCHITIS/EMPHYSEMA/ASTHMA 341
5	HEART DISEASE 5	HOMICIDE/LEGAL 1	CANCER 6	HEART DISEASE 6	HIV 10	BRONCHITIS/EMPHYSEMA/ASTHMA 16	STROKE 25	INFLUENZA/PNEUMONIA 167	UNINTENT. INJURY 300
6	HOMICIDE/LEGAL 2	STROKE 1	BRONCHITIS/EMPHYSEMA/ASTHMA 1	HIV 4	HOMICIDE/LEGAL 9	STROKE 15	UNINTENT. INJURY 19	DIABETES MELLITUS 114	INFLUENZA/PNEUMONIA 186
7	SEPTICEMIA (BLOOD POISONING) 2	OTHER 9	INFLUENZA/PNEUMONIA 1	LIVER DISEASE 4	LIVER DISEASE 9	HOMICIDE/LEGAL 10	LIVER DISEASE 10	UNINTENT. INJURY 90	DIABETES MELLITUS 150
8	FOUR CAUSES TIED 1		OTHER 7	INFLUENZA/PNEUMONIA 2	STROKE 7	DIABETES MELLITUS 8	SEPTICEMIA (BLOOD POISONING) 10	ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE 86	SUICIDE 107
9				SEPTICEMIA (BLOOD POISONING) 2	CONGENITAL ANOMALIES 4	LIVER DISEASE 7	KIDNEY DISEASE 8	KIDNEY DISEASE 76	KIDNEY DISEASE 87
10				EIGHT CAUSES TIED 1	SEPTICEMIA (BLOOD POISONING) 3	INFLUENZA/PNEUMONIA 6	TWO CAUSES TIED 7	ATHERO-SCLEROSIS 50	ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE 86

Data source: Vital Statistics, Health Care Information Division, Oklahoma State Department of Health

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## Injury and Violence

Across the nation and the state of Oklahoma, unintentional and violence-related injuries are on the rise. Unintentional injuries account for the 4th leading cause of death in the United States and the 5th leading cause of death in Oklahoma from 1999-2002. For persons ages 1 to 44 in Oklahoma, unintentional injuries are the leading cause of death.

This trend does not change much in Canadian County. Unintentional injuries are the leading cause of death from ages 5 to 34.

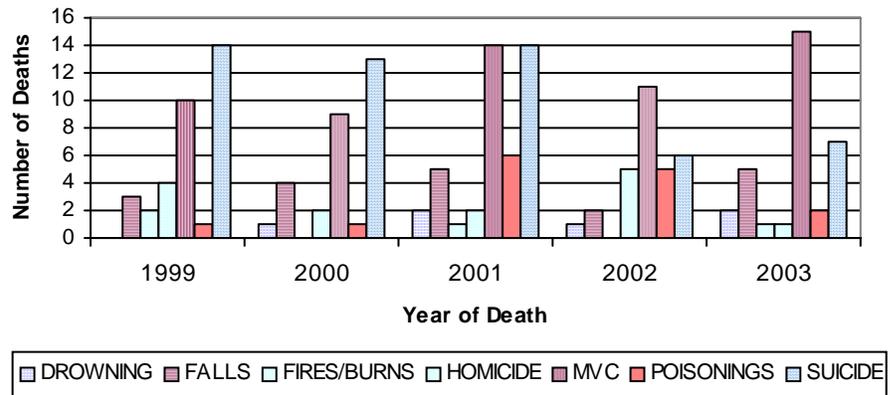
It is estimated that for every motor vehicle-related death \$1.1 million in economic costs are incurred. For Canadian County which has an average of 11.8 motor vehicle-related deaths a

year, that translates to over \$13 million a year.

Violence-related injuries (homicide

and suicide) in Canadian County are ranked in the top 10 in six of the eight age groups (see Top 10 list on page 3).

**Injury and Violence-Related Deaths in Canadian County, 1999 - 2003**



\* Vital Statistics, Health Care Information Systems, OSDH & Centers for Disease Control

## Tobacco Use

According to the 2005 State of the State's Health Report, tobacco use among Oklahomans has remained fairly stable from 1990 to 2002. Oklahoma has been consistently higher in its tobacco use than the nation and is 30% higher than the nation on the amount of tobacco consumed per capita (103 packs vs. 79 packs).

Tobacco use is no longer just the

problem of the individual but also the community as a whole. With health care costs on the rise, targeting areas such as tobacco use is an effective way to control those costs.

In 2002, the CDC estimated that a person that used tobacco accrued over \$3,300 in health care costs per year. According to the Be-

havioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, it is estimated that 26.7% (24,805) of people in Canadian County use tobacco of some sort. Medical costs accumulated by those persons are almost \$82 million a year for Canadian County.

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\* Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, Health Care Information System, OSDH & American Diabetes Association, 2002

## Physical Activity, Wellness and Diabetes

The increasing inactivity of the U.S. population is contributing to an increase in numerous poor health-related outcomes. Physical inactivity robs the body of precious energy needed to function properly, in turn health declines and rates of various chronic diseases escalate.

According to the 2002-2004 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), it is estimated that 23.3%

(21,647) of people in Canadian County had no leisure activity in the past month at the time they were surveyed.

The BRFSS also indicated that 4.8% (4,459) of Canadian County citizens have been diagnosed by a health professional as having dia-



*Increase activity gradually. Moderate exercise for 30 minutes 5 days a week.*

betes. In 2002, the per capita annual healthcare costs for people with diabetes was \$13,243 compared to \$2,560 for people without diabetes. Persons with diabetes accumulated health care costs of \$59,050,537.00 in one year for Canadian County.

# Teen Pregnancy

While births to teen mothers (age 15 to 19) are on the decline in both the U.S. and Oklahoma, Oklahoma has moved up in rank from 13th to 8th in the country. In 1993 the rate of teen births

was 60.0 (per 1,000 15-19 year old females) in the U.S. and 66.6 in Oklahoma. In 2003, the rate decreased to 41.7 in the U.S. and 55.8 in Oklahoma, a decrease of

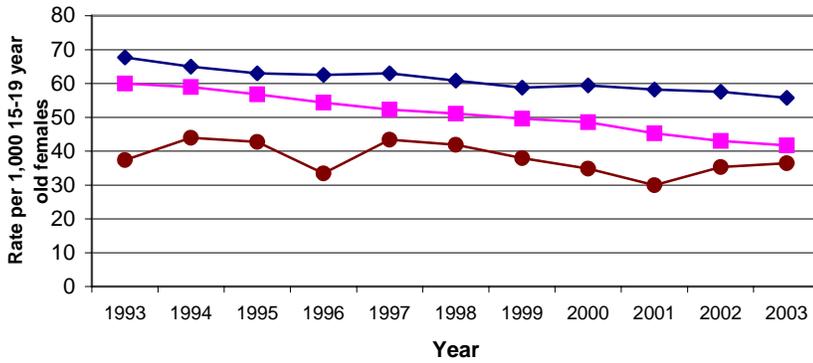
31% and 7%, respectively.

Children of teen mothers are more likely to display poor health and social outcomes than those of older mothers, such as premature birth, low birth weight, higher rates of abuse and neglect, and more likely to go to foster care or do poorly in school. Additionally, births to teen mothers accumulate \$3,200 a year for each teenage birth, which is passed on to citizens.

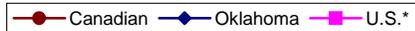
According to Oklahoma Vital Statistics, Canadian County had a teen birth rate of 36.4 in 2003 which was a 3% increase from 2002 (35.3) and a 3% decrease since 1993 (37.4).

With an average of 123 births per year, teen pregnancy costs the citizens of Canadian County \$393,600.00 a year.

Rate of Live Births to Teen Mothers, Ages 15-19, 1993 to 2003



\*2003 U.S. data is preliminary



Note: 12 births to a mother 10-14 years of age occurred during the 11 year period.

# Poverty

\* U.S. Census Bureau

As the nation advances in technology and the ability to detect and prevent disease at an earlier stage, persons that are impoverished carry a large burden of poor health outcomes. Higher incidences of unplanned or unwanted pregnancies, teen pregnancy, inade-

quate prenatal care, higher rates of low-birth-weight babies, infant deaths and low immunization rates are all associated with poverty along with a myriad of other adverse health outcomes.

According to the 2000 census, 7.9% of persons in Canadian County for

whom poverty status was known had an income below what was needed to live at the federal poverty level. Canadian County is 46% below the state (14.7%) and 36% below the nation (12.4%) for persons with incomes below the federal poverty level.

Income to Poverty Ratio, Canadian County, 2000 Census

Poverty level	Total	50% below	51% to 99% below	poverty level to 149% above	150% to 199% above	200% and above
Population	85,060	2,703	4,048	6,563	7,353	64,393
Cumulative Population		2,703	6,751	13,314	20,667	85,060
% of Total	100.0%	3.2%	4.8%	7.7%	8.6%	75.7%
Cumulative %		3.2%	7.9%	15.7%	24.3%	100.0%

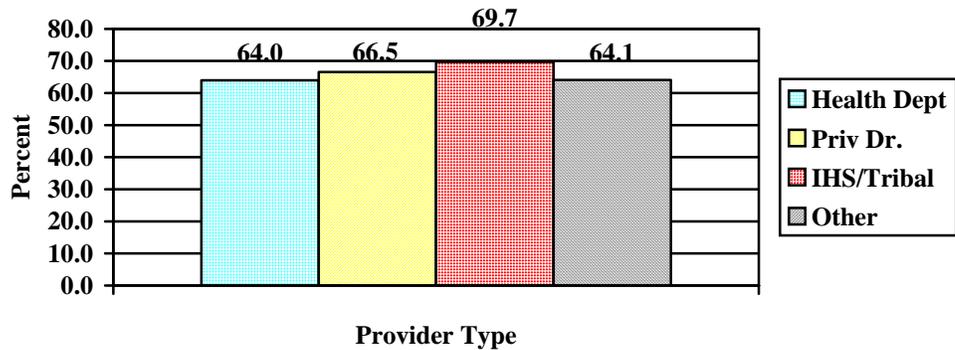
# OK By One - State Immunization Data

\* 2 Year-old Immunization Survey, Immunization Service, OSDH

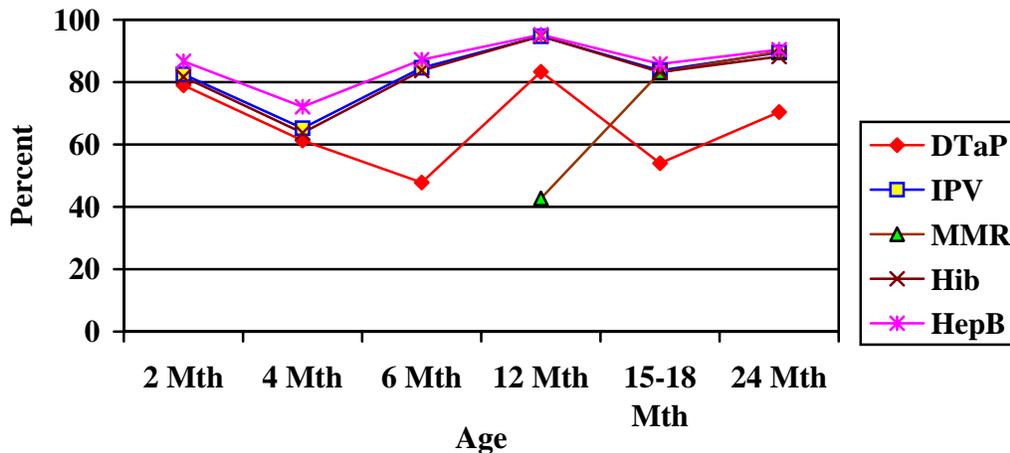
## 2003-04 Immunization Coverage Rates



## 4:3:1:1:3 Coverage by Location of Shots, Oklahoma, 2004



## Oklahoma Children On Schedule by Antigen, 2004

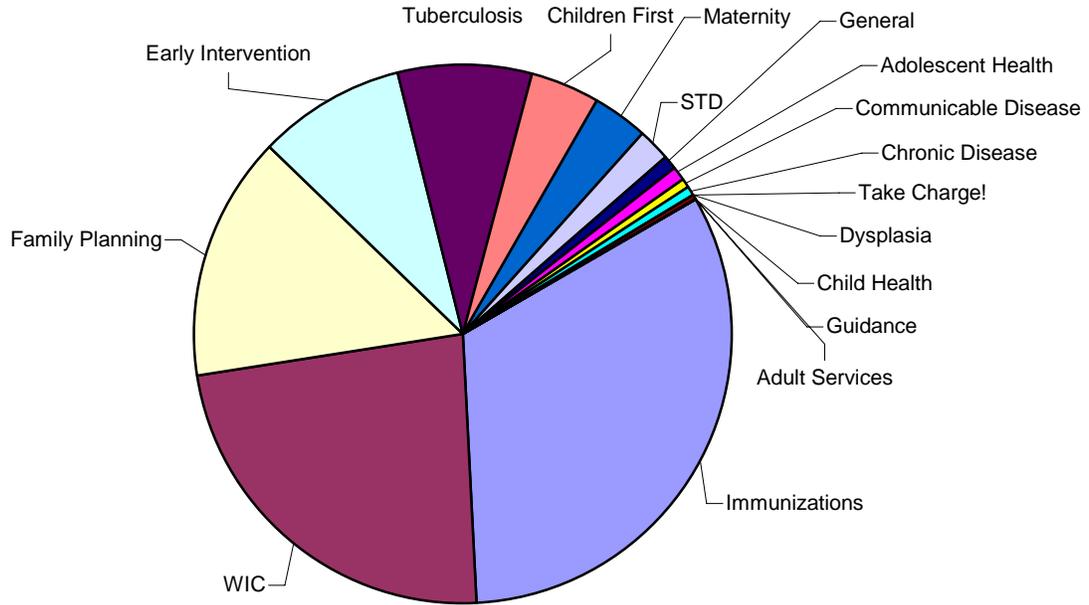


\*\*Note: County level data will be available soon.

# County Health Department Usage

\* PHOCIS, Community Health Services, OSDH

## Attended Appointments for Canadian County Health Department, State Fiscal Year 05



## Health Care Costs Summary

### Cardiovascular Disease (Heart Disease)

- Average 189 deaths a year
- \$369,476.69 per death
- Total— \$69,831,094.41 a year

### Obesity

- 21.7% of population ( 20,160 )
- \$395.00 in additional medical costs per person
- Total—\$7,963,200.00

### Motor Vehicle-Related Injury Death

- Average 11.8 deaths per year
- \$1,120,000.00 in economic costs per death
- Total—\$13,216,000.00 a year

### Tobacco Use

- 26.7% of population (24,805)
- \$3,300.00 in health care costs
- Total—\$81,856,500.00 a year

### Diabetes

- 4.8% of population (4,459 )
- \$13,243.00 in healthcare costs a year
- Total—\$59,050,537.00 a year

### Teen Pregnancy

- Average of 123 births to teen mothers per year
- \$3,200.00 in costs for each birth a year
- Total— \$393,600.00 a year



Grand Total for Canadian County:

**\$232,310,931.41**



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***Looking Back to Move Forward***

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*The Oklahoma Turning Point Initiative is public health improvement in action. The success of the Turning Point process involves a partnership between the state and county departments of health, local communities, and policy-makers. The Oklahoma Turning point engine is fueled by a community-based decision making process whereby local communities tap into the capacities, strengths, and vision of their citizens to create and promote positive, sustainable changes in the public health system, and the public's health.*

## El Reno Healthcare Coalition

Thank you to all the people of El Reno Health Care Coalition who have made It such a success.

- C.A.R.E.
- Canadian County Health Department
- Concerned Citizens
- El Reno City Government
- El Reno Schools
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