



Henderson County Quick Facts 2018

Demographics

- Henderson County's percent of **population growth** is 3.2%. This is higher than Region 4's rate (2.9%), and lower than the state rate (12.6 %) and the U.S. rate (5.5%).
- The **majority of Henderson County's population** (26.5%) is between the ages of 45-64 followed by the ages of 0-17 at (22.4%).

Socioeconomics

- Henderson County's **per capita income** is \$ 23,605. This is higher than Region 4's per capita income (\$22,678), but lower than Texas (\$27,828), and the United States (\$29,829).
- Henderson County's **percent of single-parent households** (31%) is lower than the region (33%) and the state (33%).
- Henderson County has a **higher number of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)/Food Stamp recipients** (15.3) per a population of 100 compared to Region 4 (15.1) and the state (13.9).
- Henderson County has the **4th highest percent of children under the age of 18 living in poverty** (30.9%) compared to Region 4 (26.5%) and the state (23.9%).

Education

- Henderson County's **dropout rate** (2%), is lower than the than the state rate of 6.2%, and the regional rate of 3.6.
- Henderson County's **rate of high school to college enrollment per 100 students** is lower than that of the state (49.7 vs. 57.5) and the region (49.7 vs. 53.3).

Family Violence

- Henderson County has the **2nd highest rate of confirmed victims of child abuse/neglect per 1,000 children in the region** (20.9), which is significantly higher than that of the state (20.9 vs. 8.6) and the region (20.9 vs. 13.7).

Alcohol & Drug-Related Crimes

- Henderson County has the **9th highest rate of DUI fatalities per 100,000 people** at (6.2), which is significantly higher than that of the state (2.7) and the region (5.6).
- Henderson County has a **lower rate of alcohol and drug-related incarcerations per 10,000 people** at (18.1) vs. Region 4 (21.3). However, the rate is still higher than the state rate (10.7).



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Texas School Survey- Youth Regional Consumption

- **Marijuana:** Students in Regions 4&5 have **higher rates than the state for current, school year use, and lifetime use for all grades (Grades 7-12).**
- **Prescription Drugs:** Students in Regions 4&5 have **higher numbers for prescription drug use. Regions 4&5 have the highest reported current (30-day) use, school year use, and lifetime use for all grades and for the 12th grade in the state.** It should be noted that the reported lifetime use for 7th graders (14.4%) is not too far behind lifetime use for all grades (20.4%).
- **Prescription Drugs:** Students in Regions 4&5 have **higher reported rates than the state for the two opioid categories ('Codeine Cough Syrup' and 'OxyContin, Percodan, Percocet, Oxycodone, Vicodin, Lortab, Lorcet, Hydrocodone').**
- **Alcohol:** Students in Regions 4&5 report **substantially higher usage of alcohol in every category compared to the state.**

Teen Births

- Henderson County's **percent of teen pregnancies (11.3%) is higher than that of the state (8.1%) and the region (10.3%).**

Mental Health

- Henderson County's **rate of mental health providers available per 10,000 people (7) is lower than that of the state (14) and the region (10).**
- Of the **percentage of the Medicare population that report depression, Henderson County has the 4th highest in the region (19.5%), compared to Region 4 (17.6%) and the state (17%).**

ETCADA Substance Abuse Screenings

- Henderson County's **rate of ETCADA substance abuse screening calls per 1,000 people (3) is higher than that of the region (2.7).**

Health Factors

- Henderson County **ranks #176 out of the 242 Texas counties that were ranked for social determinants of health, which include health behaviors, clinical care, social and economic factors, and physical environment.**
- Henderson County has **one of the highest adult smoking rates in the entire state at 17%.**

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