

	Percent of Adults in Less Than Very Good Health by Level of Educational Attainment									
	Number of Adults, Ages 25–74 Years ³	Overall Rate of Less Than Very Good Health (%)	Ranking on Overall Rate of Less Than Very Good Health	Less Than High-School Graduate	High-School Graduate	Some College	College Graduate	Percent of Population That Would be Affected if Gap Were Eliminated ⁴	Size of Health Gap ²	Ranking on Size of Health Gap ⁵
Maryland	3,347,365	38.4	8	66.5	49.8	40.2	28.4	52.5	10.1	3
Massachusetts	3,847,284	37.5	5	70.1	50.3	40.2	26.2	50.6	11.3	8
Michigan	5,900,297	44.3	29	70.4	55.0	45.7	29.8	65.6	14.5	29
Minnesota	3,054,284	35.7	2	66.4	46.5	38.9	24.8	58.1	10.9	6
Mississippi	1,652,848	52.9	51	73.6	60.2	49.5	36.5	72.7	16.5	40
Missouri	3,417,530	46.3	34	72.5	56.2	46.5	29.9	67.6	16.4	39
Montana	555,307	40.2	11	65.9	50.0	40.8	28.6	63.2	11.6	10
Nebraska	1,020,100	41.9	20	74.2	50.5	43.2	28.9	64.0	13.0	17
Nevada	1,460,181	49.1	41	81.3	57.0	45.0	32.1	68.6	17.1	43
New Hampshire	817,179	35.7	2	64.3	45.8	39.3	24.0	56.6	11.7	11
New Jersey	5,165,709	44.3	29	80.8	55.9	45.2	30.3	55.5	14.0	24
New Mexico	1,107,513	49.5	44	82.7	58.7	47.0	31.7	65.8	17.8	46
New York	11,404,275	45.4	31	78.0	54.1	46.4	30.9	60.0	14.5	29
North Carolina	5,178,716	47.8	37	77.6	57.5	45.4	29.3	67.2	18.5	48
North Dakota	361,807	41.1	17	65.9	49.3	42.6	30.9	64.2	10.2	4
Ohio	6,742,564	43.2	26	73.3	51.8	43.5	28.4	65.9	14.7	32
Oklahoma	2,093,456	50.1	45	79.5	56.1	48.9	32.7	72.3	17.5	44
Oregon	2,184,355	42.6	23	73.2	51.4	45.2	28.5	62.6	14.2	27
Pennsylvania	7,273,894	43.0	24	69.7	51.3	42.6	29.2	66.0	13.8	22
Rhode Island	627,588	40.2	11	73.5	48.4	42.5	27.5	58.3	12.8	16
South Carolina	2,599,644	46.9	35	75.0	56.5	45.2	29.9	68.0	17.0	42
South Dakota	434,190	39.0	9	65.0	45.6	40.2	28.6	64.5	10.4	5
Tennessee	3,708,411	49.3	42	77.4	57.8	46.0	31.2	73.1	18.1	47
Texas	13,158,177	50.1	45	78.3	59.5	47.2	32.3	65.8	17.7	45
Utah	1,287,862	40.4	14	74.7	49.1	40.7	28.7	63.5	11.7	11
Vermont	379,968	34.7	1	67.6	46.1	36.2	21.7	57.9	13.0	17
Virginia	4,539,053	40.2	11	73.1	50.2	43.2	28.5	54.4	11.7	11
Washington	3,768,213	42.0	22	74.8	54.2	44.8	28.1	59.0	14.0	24
West Virginia	1,116,118	52.6	49	75.8	58.3	49.4	33.1	76.5	19.5	50
Wisconsin	3,259,450	40.5	16	72.1	48.8	40.5	29.2	65.1	11.4	9
Wyoming	302,980	41.9	20	68.5	51.2	43.3	27.2	67.4	14.7	32
United States	174,572,966	45.2	—	77.2	54.4	44.7	29.8	63.5	15.4	—

4 Defined as the percent of adults who have not graduated from college.

5 Ranked by size of gap, from smallest to largest; states with the same size gap were assigned the same ranking.