

## **Section II: Selected Public Health Data Websites**

This section of the Minnesota County Health Tables is a list of selected public health data websites by category. This list is by no means exhaustive.

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## ACCESS AND SERVICE DELIVERY

### **MinnesotaCare Coverage – Minnesota Department of Human Services**

<http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/HealthCare/programs/minnesotacare.htm>

Minnesota Health Care Program enrollment by month for the state.

### **Health Economics Program Publications – Minnesota Department of Health**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/hpsc/hep/miscpubs/other.htm>

The Health Economics Program conducts research and applied policy analysis to monitor changes in the health care marketplace; to understand factors influencing health care cost, quality and access; and to provide technical assistance in the development of state health care policy. The information is used to inform policymakers, consumers, and other stakeholders in Minnesota.

### **Health Economics Program - Issue Briefs**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/hpsc/hep/issbrief/issues.htm>

Issue briefs and issue papers developed by the Health Economics Program of the Minnesota Department of Health including 2001 Health Insurance Coverage for Minnesota Counties.

### **Workforce Data – Office of Rural Health (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/workforce.htm>

Information on the healthcare workforce in Minnesota including workforce profiles by profession and shortage information.

### **Office of Rural Health Publications (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/rhpc.htm>

A listing of publications out of the Office of Rural Health and Primary Care.

## ALCOHOL TOBACCO AND OTHER DRUGS

### **Tobacco Reports – Center for Health Statistics (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/hpcd/tpc/TobaccoReports.html>

### **Minnesota Student Survey – survey of 6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> graders (DCFL)**

<http://www.mnschoolhealth.com/resources.html?ac=data>

### **CDC Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System**

[www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/brfss/](http://www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/brfss/)

State data on adult risk behaviors such as smoking and alcohol use

## **BIRTHS AND DEATHS**

### **Center for Health Statistics (MDH)**

[www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/top\\_2.htm](http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/top_2.htm)

### **Minnesota Health Statistics Annual Summary (MDH)**

[www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/99annsum/index.htm](http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/99annsum/index.htm)

Yearly publications on birth and deaths in Minnesota by county and selected cities.

### **National Center for Health Statistics**

[www.cdc.gov/nchs/](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/)

National data on births and deaths

### **Minnesota Organization on Adolescent Pregnancy, Prevention and Parenting – Info Exchange**

<http://www.moapp.org/resources/statistics.asp>

Statistical reports on adolescent pregnancy and birth.

## **CHILD AND ADOLESCENT HEALTH**

### **Children’s Report Card (Minnesota Department of Administration)**

<http://www.mnplan.state.mn.us/children/>

Minnesota Planning developed the *Children’s Report Card* in 1994 to help the state and its 87 counties gauge the well-being of Minnesota’s children and youth. The site includes state, county and school district data over several years for each of the 31 indicators. Maps and county rankings are some of the features that allow comparisons from county to county and with the state as a whole. Indicators:

### **Minnesota Student Survey – survey of 6<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, and 12<sup>th</sup> graders**

<http://www.mnschoolhealth.com/resources.html?ac=data>

Results from the 2001 Minnesota Student Survey by state and county.

### **Data Center – District Information (Minnesota Department of Education)**

[http://education.state.mn.us/html/intro\\_data\\_center.htm](http://education.state.mn.us/html/intro_data_center.htm)

The Data Center provides a repository of information about Minnesota schools. Several years of data have been compiled describing general characteristics of each school district including enrollment, attendance and language.

## **Minnesota KIDS COUNT - Children's Defense Fund Minnesota**

<http://www.cdf-mn.org/kidscount.htm>

Minnesota KIDS COUNT provides county-by-county data on the well-being of Minnesota's children and families. Minnesota KIDS COUNT releases periodic reports and an annual data book to provide a statistical profile of Minnesota's children and suggestions for action on their behalf.

## **City-County-Community Level Information on Kids System**

<http://www.aecf.org/cgi-bin/cliiks.cgi>

This website brings together data on the well-being of children collected by KIDS COUNT grantees from state and local sources. The unique system allows users to access state-specific inventories of data from local sources, such as health departments, human services agencies, and schools. The content of state pages is determined by a participating KIDS COUNT partner using data from local jurisdictions.

## **Minnesota Children with Special Health Care Needs – Research and Reports (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/fh/mcshn/resrept.htm>

## **CHRONIC CONDITIONS**

### **Minnesota Cancer Surveillance System (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/hpcd/cdee/mcss/index.html>

The Minnesota Cancer Surveillance System (MCSS) is the state's cancer registry. It is an ongoing program within the Section of Chronic Disease and Environmental Epidemiology at the Minnesota Department of Health (MDH). The MCSS systematically collects demographic and diagnostic information on all Minnesota residents with newly-diagnosed cancers.

### **Minnesota Diabetes Program (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/diabetes/>

Includes national and state publications on diabetes.

## **DEMOGRAPHICS**

### **Census 2000 (Minnesota Department of Administration)**

<http://www.demography.state.mn.us/Census2000.html>

A compilation of most requested Census 2000 data, issues, links and presentations.

**Per Capita Income for previous years by county (1989, 1994-98) (Minnesota Department of Administration)**

<http://server.admin.state.mn.us/resource.html?Id=2228>

**Annual Population and Household Estimates (Minnesota Department of Administration)**

<http://www.lmic.state.mn.us/datanetweb/pop.html>

**State Demographic Center (Minnesota Department of Administration)**

<http://www.mnplan.state.mn.us/demography/>

The State Demographic Center at Minnesota Planning analyzes and distributes data from state, U.S. Census Bureau and other sources. Data includes population projections and estimates.

**Census County Quick Facts (US Census)**

<http://quickfacts.census.gov/qfd/states/27000.html>

A summary of often requested census data by county.

**Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates**

<http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/saipe/>

1989 – 2002 Intercensal Estimates for States, Counties & School Districts of age 0-17 in poverty, age 5-17 in families in poverty, age 5-17 in families in poverty, under age 5 in poverty (Only available for states), median household income

**Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development - Workforce Data**

<http://www.deed.state.mn.us/lmi/Home.htm>

Employment related statistics for the state of Minnesota and its counties.

**Bureau of Economic Analysis: Local Data**

<http://www.bea.gov/bea/regional/reis/>

Per Capital Income, Personal Income, Population by county

## **ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH**

**Minnesota Pollution Control Agency**

<http://www.pca.state.mn.us/>

MPCA has information on air quality, hazardous waste and water quality.

**Minnesota Department of Natural Resources**

<http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/index.html>

**Ground Water**

<http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/groundwater/index.html>

**Lakes**

<http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/lakes/index.html>

**Minnesota Department of Agriculture**

**Water and land quality**

<http://www.mda.state.mn.us/waterland.htm>

**Minnesota Emergency Response Commission**

**Toxic Release Inventory (TRI)**

<http://www.erc.state.mn.us/>

**INFECTIOUS DISEASE**

**Acute Disease Investigation and Control Section - Publications On-Line (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/idepc/dtopics/stds/index.html>

Data on HIV/AIDS, sexually transmitted diseases, other reportable diseases and vaccine preventable diseases.

**STD Surveillance Reports (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/idepc/dtopics/stds/stdstatistics.html>

**HIV Surveillance Reports (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/idepc/diseases/hiv/hivstatistics.html>

**VIOLENCE AND UNINTENTIONAL INJURY**

**Criminal Justice Data**

<http://www.lmic.state.mn.us/datanetweb/justice.html>

The Criminal Justice Statistics Center at the Minnesota Department of Administration obtains databases from various state agencies and analyzes them for policy-makers. Updated annually, these databases contain data on criminal offenses, arrests and apprehensions, justice system expenditures, and probation cases.

**Traffic Safety – Crash Data Reports – Minnesota Department of Public Safety**

<http://www.dps.state.mn.us/ots/crashdata/default.asp>

This website is a link to Minnesota Department of Public Safety reports including the Minnesota Crash Facts.

**State Fire Marshal Publications – Minnesota Department of Public Safety**

<http://www.dps.state.mn.us/fmarshal/SpecialPublications.html>

This website lists state and national publications on fires.

**Injury and Violence Prevention (MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/injury/pub/index.cfm>

Injury and violence publications on injury-related mortality, intimate partner violence and violence-related injury.

**Minnesota Injury Data Access System (MIDAS – MDH)**

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/injury/midas/>

To support its mission of preventing injuries in Minnesota, the Minnesota Department of Health has developed MIDAS, the Minnesota Injury Data Access System. It will enable you to more easily learn about the injury and violence data for Minnesotans, whether for a specific county, for a type of injury, or by gender, timeframe, or other factor.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) – [www.dhs.state.mn.us](http://www.dhs.state.mn.us)**

**Minnesota Department of Health**

Minnesota Department of Health, Health Statistics (Links to selected MDH publications)

[www.health.state.mn.us/stats.html](http://www.health.state.mn.us/stats.html)

Minnesota Health Profiles

[www.mnplan.state.mn.us/datanetweb/health.html](http://www.mnplan.state.mn.us/datanetweb/health.html)

Population Health Assessment Quarterly

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/data/popassess.htm>

Healthy Minnesotans Public Health Goals

<http://www.health.state.mn.us/divs/chs/phg/intro.html>

## **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)**

### **CDC Homepage**

[www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)

### **CDC Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System**

<http://www.cdc.gov/brfss/>

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### **CDC Wonder**

<http://wonder.cdc.gov>

Provides a multitude of public health data such as births, deaths and injury