## **Frontier County**



and better than the average county in the nation.

Population Health and Well-being: Frontier County

is faring slightly worse than the average county in Nebraska

Least Healthy in US National Average State Average

Community Conditions: Frontier County is faring

about the same as the average county in Nebraska and

better than the average county in the nation.

Each Nebraska county with sufficient data is represented by a dot, placed on a continuum from least health to healthiest in the nation.

The color of each dot represents data-informed groupings of counties nationwide with similiar **Population Health and Wellbeing** or **Community Conditions** on the continuum.

| Population: 2,585  | 2025   | Low NE<br>2025 | High NE<br>2025 | NE 2025 | U.S.<br>2025 |
|--|--------|----------------|-----------------|---------|--------------|
| Population Health and Well-being   |        |                |                 |         |              |
| Length of Life   |        |                |                 |         |              |
| Premature death (years of potential life lost, per 100,000) $^{(1)}$           |        | 4802           | 27000           | 7100    | 8400         |
| Quality of Life  |        |                |                 |         |              |
| Average # of poor physical health days (adults)                                | 3.7    | 3.2            | 4.9             | 3.4     | 3.9          |
| % Low birthweight, <2,500 grams  | 9      | 3              | 12              | 8       | 8            |
| Average # of poor mental health days (adults)                                  | 4.6    | 4.3            | 5.3             | 4.3     | 5.1          |
| % Reporting of poor or fair health (adults)                                    | 16     | 11             | 24              | 15      | 17           |
| Community Conditions   |        |                |                 |         |              |
| Health Infrastructure  |        |                |                 |         |              |
| % Flu vaccinations (Medicare enrollees)  | 40     | 4              | 64              | 50      | 48           |
| % Access to exercise opportunities <sup>(1)</sup>                              | 61     | 2              | 100             | 85      | 84           |
| Food environment index (0=worst, 10=best)                                      | 7.3    | 3.5            | 8.8             | 7.6     | 7.4          |
| Primary care physicians rate (per 100,000 population)                          |        | 367:1          | 8330:1          | 1340:1  | 1330:1       |
| Mental health providers rate (per 100,000 population)                          | 2585:1 | 158:1          | 8459:1          | 290:1   | 300:1        |
| Dentists rate (per 100,000 population)   | 2633:0 | 372:0          | 5287:1          | 1220:1  | 1360:1       |
| Preventable hospital stays (per 100,000 Medicare enrollees)                    | 2074   | 605            | 5909            | 2231    | 2666         |
| % Mammography screening (Medicare females age 65-74)                           | 48     | 18             | 64              | 52      | 44           |
| % Uninsured (population under age 65)  | 8      | 5              | 15              | 8       | 10           |
| Physical Environment   |        | •              |                 |         |              |
| % Households with severe housing problems                                      | 10     | 3              | 21              | 12      | 17           |
| % Driving alone to work  | 83     | 55             | 88              | 77      | 70           |
| % Long commute – driving alone   | 35     | 5              | 52              | 19      | 37           |
| Average daily density of fine particulate matter                               | 5.8    | 4.8            | 7.8             | 6.0     | 7.3          |
| Drinking water violations?   | No     |                |                 |         |              |
| % Households with broadband Internet connection (1.2)                          | 73     | 71             | 95              | 90      | 90           |
| Library visits per person in service area per year (2)                         | 2      | 1              | 20              | 3       | 2            |
| Social and Economic Factors  |        |                |                 |         |              |
| % With some college (adults age 25–44)   | 83     | 48             | 90              | 72      | 68           |
| % High school completion (adults age 25 and older)                             | 93     | 77             | 100             | 92      | 89           |
| % Unemployed (population age 16 and older)                                     | 2.0    | 1.5            | 3.6             | 2.3     | 3.6          |
| Income inequality ratio (80th to 20th percentile)                              | 4.2    | 2.8            | 5.9             | 4.2     | 4.9          |
| % Children in poverty  | 17     | 5              | 28              | 11      | 16           |
| Injury death rate (per 100,000 population) <sup>(1)</sup>                      |        | 45             | 216             | 65      | 84           |
| Membership associations rate (per 10,000 population)                           | 19.0   | 0.0            | 59.6            | 13.7    | 9.1          |
| Childcare cost (as % of median houshold income, two children) <sup>(1,2)</sup> | 31     | 23             | 44              | 30      | 28           |



Note: Shaded cells indicate data are unavailable due to low reliability or were omitted due to <sup>(II)</sup>methodology change or <sup>(2)</sup>new additions in 2025.

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