

Primary Care Access

WALLACE County

All Physicians (1998 Licensure Survey)

MD FTEs	DO FTEs	Total FTEs	Primary Care FTEs
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Percent of Physician FTEs in Primary Care

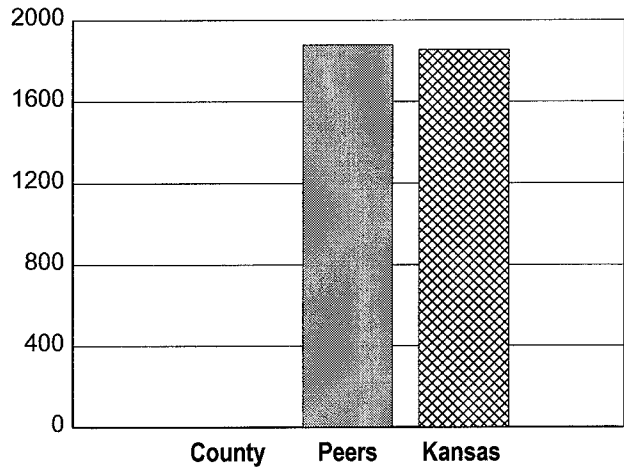
Kansas	Peers	County	Rank
39.4%	75.0%	-999.0%	104

Primary Care Physicians

Licensure Year	Primary Care FTEs	Population to Physician Ratio	Rank
1996	0.00	*	1
1997	0.00	*	1
1998	0.00	*	1

Population Density Peer Group Ratio (1998): 1,879
 Kansas Ratio (1998): 1,854

Population to Primary Care Physician Ratio Based on 1998 Licensure Survey



Underserved Area Designations

Federal Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSA)

Primary Care HPSA? *Whole County*
 Dental HPSA? *Whole County*
 Mental Health HPSA? *Whole County*

Federal Medically Underserved Areas (MUAs) and Medically Underserved Populations (MUPs)

MUA/MUP Designation? *Whole County*

Kansas Medically Underserved Areas (KMUA)

KMUA Designation? *Critically Underserved*

Rural Health Clinic (RHC) Eligibility

RHC Eligible? *Yes*

Primary Care Clinics Targeting the Medically Underserved

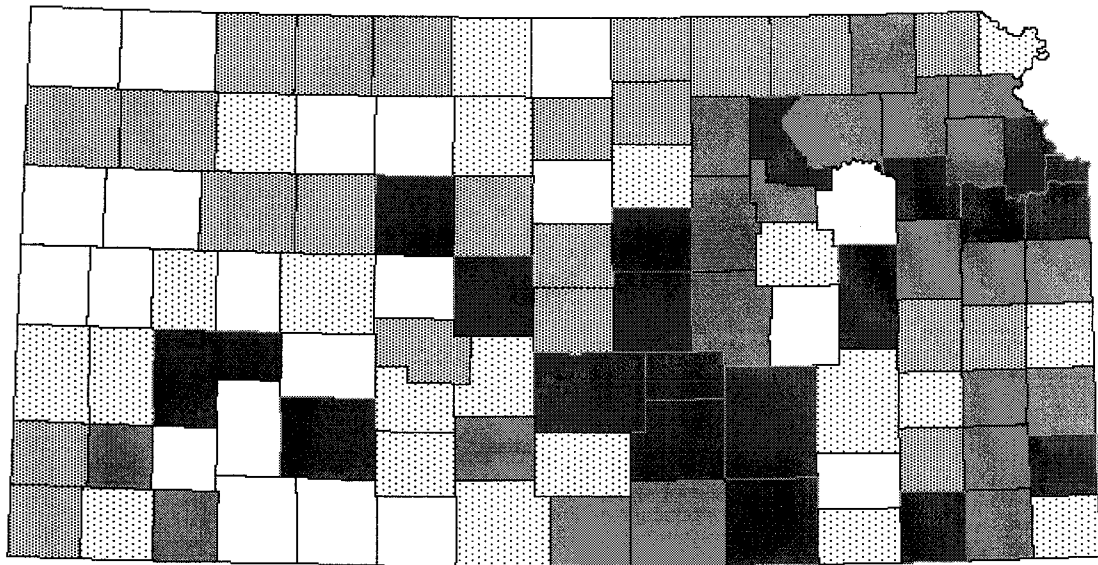
None

Data Sources: Office of Health Care Information and Office of Local and Rural Health, Kansas Department of Health and Environment (1996 - 1999); Kansas Association for the Medically Underserved (1999)

User Notes:

1. FTE: Full-time equivalent
 2. Primary care physicians include the following specialties: Family practice, General practice, Internal Medicine, Obstetrics, Obstetrics & Gynecology, and Pediatrics.
 3. Refer to the *County Health Profile User's Guide* for complete definitions and further explanation of these statistics.
- * No primary care physicians are practicing in this county. County is assigned a rank of "1" for ratio and ratio is not depicted on graph.

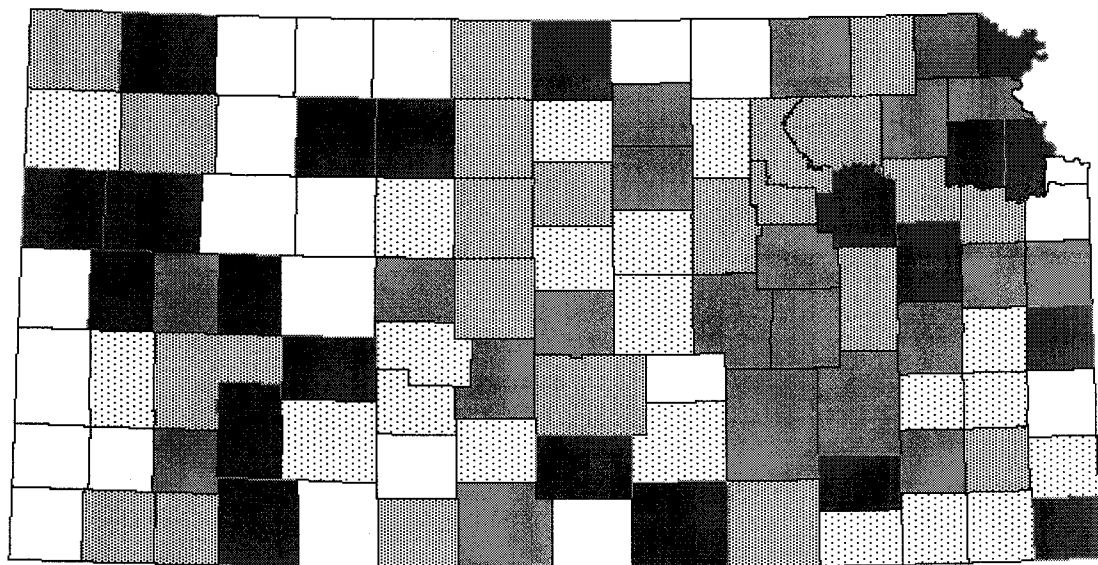
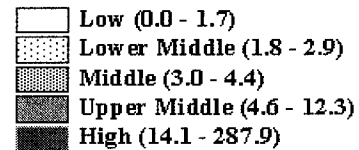
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Primary Care Physician FTEs

In 1998, there were 1,373 primary care physician FTEs in Kansas.

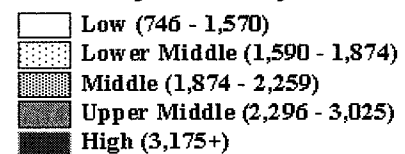
Counties are grouped into quintiles. For example, counties labeled as "High" are among the 20% of Kansas counties with the highest number of primary care physician FTEs.



Population to Primary Care Physician Ratio

In 1998, Kansas had a ratio of 1,854 persons per primary care physician FTE.

Counties with no primary care physician FTEs have been assigned to the "High" group for the purposes of this map.



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