



United Way of Southern Nevada

COMMUNITY CONNECT

HEALTH AND WELLNESS REPORT

Clark County is the largest county in Nevada with 2,205,207 residents, 75 percent of the state's population.

Obesity is a major concern in Southern Nevada. Adults and children who are obese are at risk of diabetes, heart disease, and other illnesses. Approximately 27.8 percent of all adults in Clark County are obese, compared with 26.2 percent in Nevada and 28.9 percent in the United States.

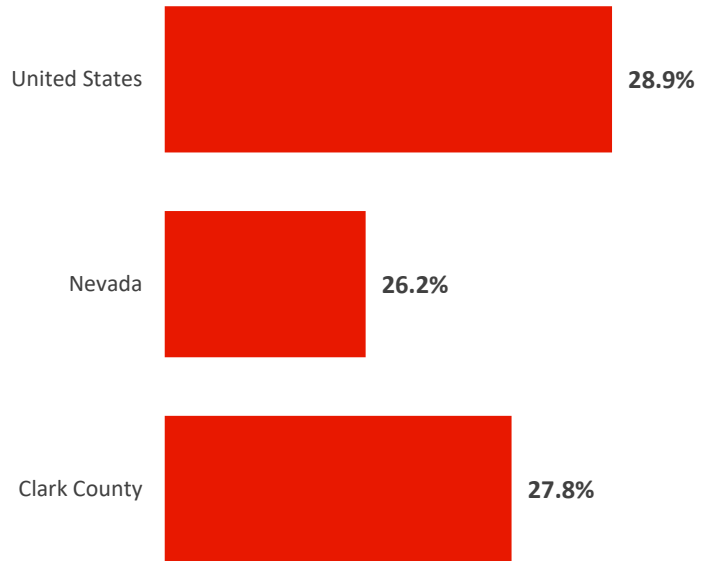
Childhood obesity rates in Clark County are lower than Nevada (12.2 percent) and lower than the United States, where 13.9 percent of all children are obese.

Access to healthy foods is limited for a considerable population, as 14.4 percent of Clark County's population regularly experiences food insecurity.

Access to health insurance is the best way to ensure access to healthcare in the United States. A smaller proportion of the population in Clark County (81 percent) has health insurance than in the United States (87 percent).

At nearly 25 percent, ages 18 to 64 has the highest rate of uninsured individuals.

Adult obesity rates in Clark County are lower than United States as a whole



The childhood obesity rate in Clark County is

11.4%

reported in 2015

The childhood obesity rate in Nevada is

12.2%

reported in 2015

The childhood obesity rate in the United States is

13.9%

reported in 2015

HEALTH INDICATORS



14.4%

of Clark County residents regularly experience

FOOD INSECURITY



8.2%

of babies born in Clark County have a

LOW BIRTH WEIGHT



4.8

infants die out of every 1,000 births in Clark County

INFANT MORTALITY

HEALTH INSURANCE

Place	Insured (0-17)	Insured (18-64)	Insured (65+)	Uninsured (0-17)	Uninsured (18-64)	Uninsured (65+)
United States	93.5%	81.9%	99.0%	6.5%	18.1%	1.0%
Nevada	87%	76.2%	97.9%	13.0%	23.8%	2.1%
Clark County	87.0%	75.3%	97.4%	13.0%	24.7%	2.6%
Boulder City	93.7%	84.0%	100%	6.3%	16.0%	0%
Henderson	91.7%	84.9%	98.8%	8.3%	15.1%	1.2%
City of Las Vegas	86.6%	73.5%	98.1%	13.4%	26.5%	1.9%
Mesquite	82.5%	76.7%	100%	17.5%	23.3%	0%
North Las Vegas	86.1%	73.2%	96.7%	13.9%	26.8%	3.3%

Data Source: Table S2701, American Community Survey, US Census Bureau

Community Connect is a service provided by United Way of Southern Nevada

Community Connect is a data portal provided by United Way of Southern Nevada. The portal tracks county-wide and municipal-level statistics on a select group of education, health, and financial measures. The data portal is meant to increase our community's awareness of local issues by presenting data in accessible and locally-relevant ways. UWSN uses Community Connect to inform its own decision making and empower communities across Southern Nevada to actively participate in the process of positive social change.

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