



# *Composite Rankings*

## County Rank

The composite county rank is a ranked index of the sum of eight outcome measures and represents the relative position of a particular county in relation to all 114 Missouri counties and St. Louis City. A “1” indicates the highest overall score of the eight outcome measures chosen for this report. All ranks are out of 115.

Each county also has an individual rank for eight outcome measures. The eight outcome measures chosen for this report are:

- births to mothers without H.S. diplomas, a higher ranking indicates a lower rate of births to mothers without a H.S. diploma
- teen birth rate, a higher ranking indicates a lower rate of births to teens
- diabetes rate, a higher ranking indicates a lower rate of diabetes
- infant mortality rate (which is used as a proxy for access to maternity care), a higher ranking indicates a lower rate of infant deaths
- unintended births, a higher ranking indicates few births that were unintended.
- women completing a college degree, a higher ranking indicates a higher rate of women completing a college degree
- ratio of female to male median income index, a higher ranking indicates a higher ratio of female to male median income
- female voter turnout, a higher ranking indicates a higher rate of female voter turnout.

These measures were chosen as they are important to the overall well-being of women, are comparative across geographies and are indicators communities could use to affect change or improve circumstance.

County	Composite Rank	Births to Mothers without H.S. Diplomas	Births to Teenagers	Preventable Hospitalizations of Females for Diabetes
	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank
Adair	13	30	3	97
Andrew	14	20	48	44
Atchison	18	4	9	1
Audrain	101	105	78	92
Barry	75	98	70	31
Barton	73	95	94	62
Bates	67	34	72	112
Benton	88	58	45	52
Bollinger	61	50	59	39
Boone	4	11	10	58
Buchanan	79	65	99	71
Butler	110	93	109	90
Caldwell	52	70	97	58
Callaway	71	30	29	93
Camden	22	43	40	84
Cape Girardeau	23	28	22	62
Carroll	43	47	50	1
Carter	64	72	105	90
Cass	12	18	20	39
Cedar	65	60	47	109
Chariton	56	14	25	68
Christian	6	10	27	51
Clark	49	27	81	31
Clay	7	8	26	65
Clinton	25	21	55	48
Cole	15	34	37	45
Cooper	26	76	8	25
Crawford	102	96	80	35
Dade	24	16	19	12
Dallas	81	101	83	52
Daviess	30	102	4	11
DeKalb	48	30	86	106
Dent	47	90	102	10
Douglas	44	23	53	8
Dunklin	114	112	110	113
Franklin	42	40	35	70
Gasconade	53	37	41	14
Gentry	36	99	34	64
Greene	20	33	38	52
Grundy	69	105	111	19
Harrison	57	56	74	29
Henry	76	52	85	72
Hickory	90	77	31	78
Holt	50	5	16	1
Howard	28	19	13	52
Howell	74	69	103	42
Iron	99	22	14	102
Jackson	39	51	74	79
Jasper	87	91	100	96
Jefferson	19	24	30	35
Johnson	5	12	15	25
Knox	60	113	46	107
Laclede	86	74	88	87
Lafayette	62	49	58	60
Lawrence	89	100	71	94

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	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank
Lewis	34	41	24	45
Lincoln	54	29	39	43
Linn	33	46	68	16
Livingston	40	13	91	1
Macon	31	73	54	74
Madison	100	45	98	108
Maries	9	17	28	50
Marion	85	78	44	74
McDonald	107	110	108	37
Mercer	27	87	5	24
Miller	59	62	52	73
Mississippi	112	103	112	100
Moniteau	35	92	59	60
Monroe	16	81	33	1
Montgomery	82	39	32	110
Morgan	103	114	90	79
New Madrid	108	97	106	98
Newton	80	85	57	104
Nodaway	11	15	6	86
Oregon	58	65	78	9
Osage	8	7	17	39
Ozark	68	26	61	69
Pemiscot	115	108	115	115
Perry	55	44	66	22
Pettis	97	84	95	101
Phelps	45	42	49	74
Pike	98	83	93	88
Platte	3	3	12	49
Polk	41	62	43	20
Pulaski	29	25	42	33
Putnam	106	87	114	89
Ralls	84	53	21	18
Randolph	72	54	73	85
Ray	63	38	63	17
Reynolds	111	81	88	27
Ripley	113	103	113	105
Saline	93	55	51	33
Schuyler	105	110	76	99
Scotland	17	115	11	1
Scott	95	68	77	77
Shannon	78	94	104	14
Shelby	21	6	1	23
St. Charles	2	2	6	29
St. Clair	37	86	64	81
St. Francois	92	61	101	65
St. Louis	10	9	18	56
St. Louis city	96	75	96	95
Ste. Genevieve	32	34	23	21
Stoddard	77	70	56	83
Stone	51	62	69	13
Sullivan	109	109	65	114
Taney	70	80	87	56
Texas	91	78	82	67
Vernon	66	58	36	103
Warren	38	47	84	28
Washington	94	67	67	81
Wayne	83	57	107	37
Webster	46	107	62	47
Worth	1	1	2	1
Wright	104	89	92	111

County	Infant Mortality	Unintended Births	Women with at least Associate Degree	Women's Earnings Relative to Men's	Female Voter Turnout
	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank	Rank
Adair	53	28	18	9	21
Andrew	19	18	14	69	17
Atchison	1	26	42	110	104
Audrain	29	108	81	43	96
Barry	64	85	102	62	37
Barton	66	24	78	52	72
Bates	37	40	93	7	49
Benton	96	82	97	111	30
Bollinger	93	19	108	50	50
Boone	39	32	1	15	44
Buchanan	81	106	33	53	31
Butler	98	103	54	36	113
Caldwell	27	73	61	22	28
Callaway	106	75	17	79	92
Camden	24	66	24	20	11
Cape Girardeau	62	69	16	74	8
Carroll	68	71	67	65	76
Carter	95	78	85	2	27
Cass	44	30	12	61	12
Cedar	66	77	74	14	13
Chariton	112	33	39	59	53
Christian	39	6	8	70	7
Clark	51	8	47	95	99
Clay	35	23	5	54	9
Clinton	58	56	26	78	2
Cole	71	31	7	29	15
Cooper	70	51	40	41	14
Crawford	35	68	110	103	109
Dade	64	48	109	27	34
Dallas	78	37	111	48	35
Daviess	108	11	52	16	58
DeKalb	11	71	27	19	52
Dent	71	41	88	8	24
Douglas	89	38	103	56	73
Dunklin	104	111	96	94	108
Franklin	71	52	28	102	22
Gasconade	100	88	77	84	20
Gentry	1	67	34	46	86
Greene	53	42	10	39	32
Grundy	22	22	45	28	67
Harrison	58	16	106	64	55
Henry	78	104	59	40	59
Hickory	26	112	115	92	33
Holt	111	48	65	91	89
Howard	6	27	38	106	95
Howell	29	63	83	68	63
Iron	51	100	99	115	101
Jackson	85	105	6	26	10
Jasper	14	87	44	47	82
Jefferson	37	43	19	89	4
Johnson	19	12	13	60	26
Knox	1	29	72	17	54
Laclede	94	90	84	32	36
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Livingston	10	107	31	81	62
Macon	8	47	62	33	48
Madison	12	83	75	109	85
Maries	1	34	21	23	56
Marion	83	80	36	105	78
McDonald	71	99	114	71	102
Mercer	86	1	25	90	84
Miller	88	58	100	4	90
Mississippi	33	113	112	57	98
Moniteau	22	36	51	21	46
Monroe	7	25	66	25	43
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Pettis	45	94	22	58	103
Phelps	63	70	15	104	23
Pike	110	86	41	42	69
Platte	14	17	2	86	3
Polk	48	39	53	108	19
Pulaski	83	14	37	51	91
Putnam	114	5	9	30	114
Ralls	105	76	79	107	87
Randolph	53	98	49	44	71
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Schuyler	114	7	76	24	107
Scotland	89	3	32	1	61
Scott	82	102	95	55	74
Shannon	42	78	104	67	38
Shelby	89	15	58	73	77
St. Charles	42	9	4	96	1
St. Clair	21	62	80	5	39
St. Francois	77	91	30	76	97
St. Louis	80	54	3	85	25
St. Louis city	101	114	11	11	57
Ste. Genevieve	18	35	55	114	40
Stoddard	13	53	101	93	88
Stone	14	89	43	80	68
Sullivan	46	109	70	6	110
Taney	46	97	35	31	65
Texas	103	74	90	66	47
Vernon	48	96	69	13	75
Warren	14	50	50	97	18
Washington	48	101	113	35	94
Wayne	99	95	91	10	60
Webster	58	10	46	77	6
Worth	1	2	68	3	51
Wright	31	57	86	101	83