



2015 COLORADO **HEALTH ACCESS** SURVEY

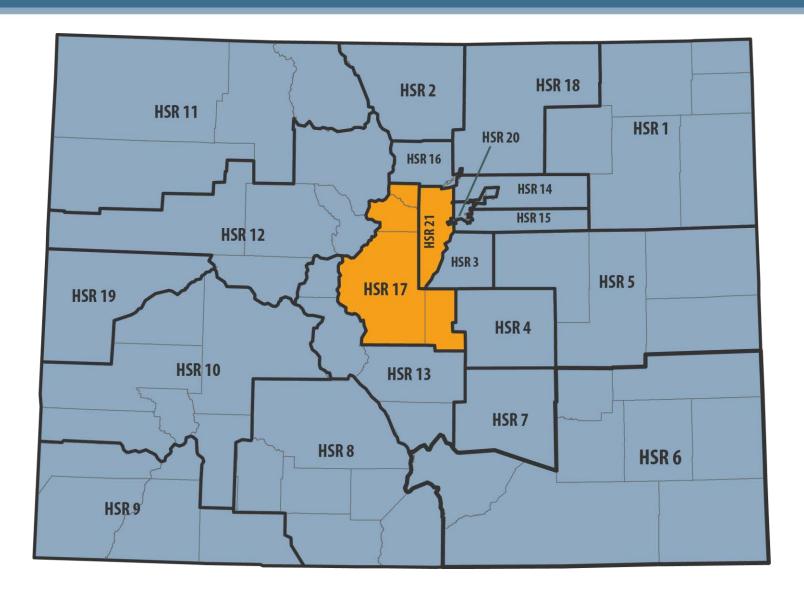
Health Insurance Reaches **Record High Jefferson Center for Mental Health**

November 11, 2015





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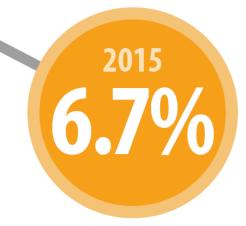


Colorado Accomplished Its Coverage Goals

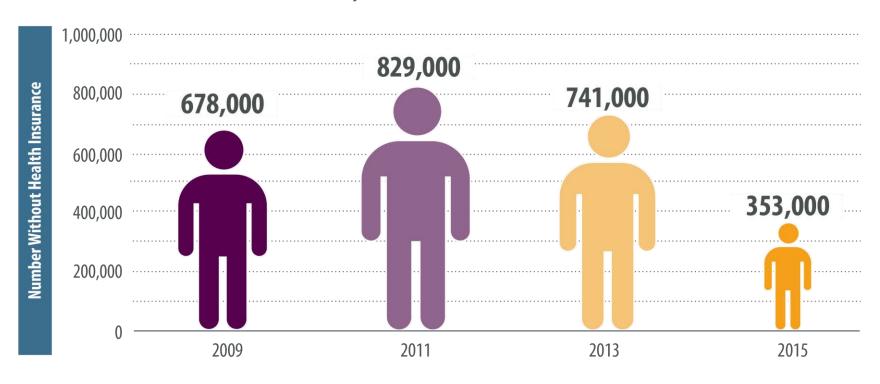
Colorado's Uninsured Rate: A New Low



Colorado's uninsured rate plummeted from **14.3**% in 2013 to **6.7**% in 2015. The rate reached a high of **15.8**% in 2011.



Numbers of Uninsured Coloradans, 2009-2015



Jeffco's Uninsured Rate: A New Low



Jefferson County had the state's greatest improvement in the uninsured rate, from **11.6**% in 2013 to **2.8**% in 2015. The rate reached a high of **17.0**% in 2011.

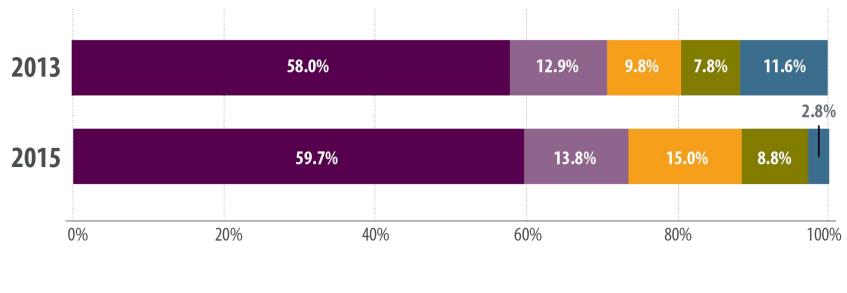




The Drop in Uninsured is a Story of Medicaid Expansion

Gains in All Coverage Types

Changes in Health Insurance Coverage, All Ages, Jefferson County, 2013-2015



■ Employer-Sponsored ■ Medicare ■ Medicaid/Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+)

Individual Market (Including Connect for Health Colorado)
Uninsured

Private Coverage Falls, Medicaid Surges

Changes in Health Insurance Coverage, All Ages, Region 17, 2013-2015

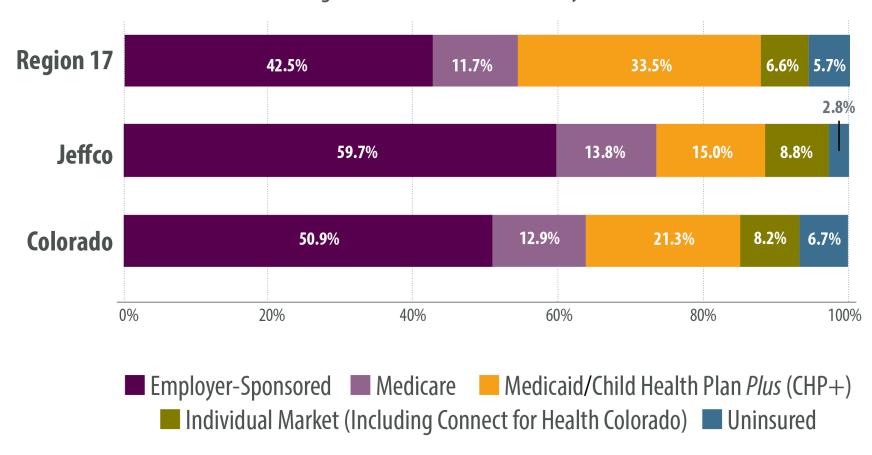




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Private Coverage Prominent in Jeffco

Difference in Insurance Coverage Between Jefferson County and Colorado, 2015

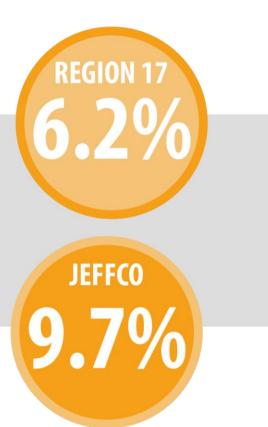




Barriers to Mental Health Care Have Shifted

Mental Health in Region 17 and Jeffco





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If you did not get needed mental health care over the past 12 months, why?

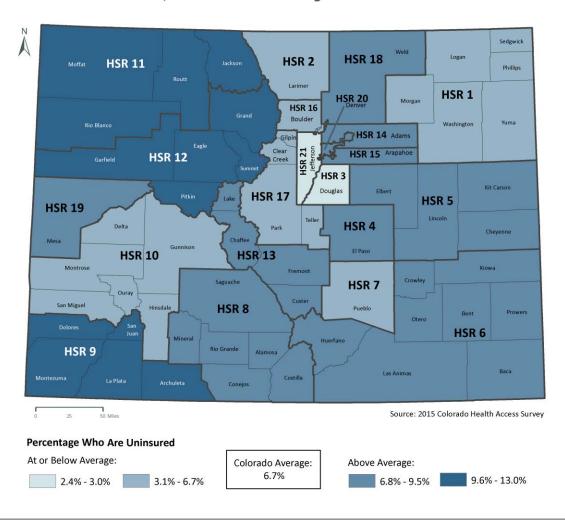
All that apply	2013		2015
You were concerned about the cost of treatment	75.6%	0	57.3%
You did not think your health insurance would cover it*	55.3%	0	43.3%
You were uninsured**	77.5%	0	65.2%
You did not feel comfortable talking about personal problems with a health professional	31.0%	0	40.2%
You were concerned about what would happen if someone found out you had a problem	19.8%	0	27.6%
You had a hard time getting an appointment	30.5%	0	34.0%



Coverage Shifts Mirror Existing Disparities

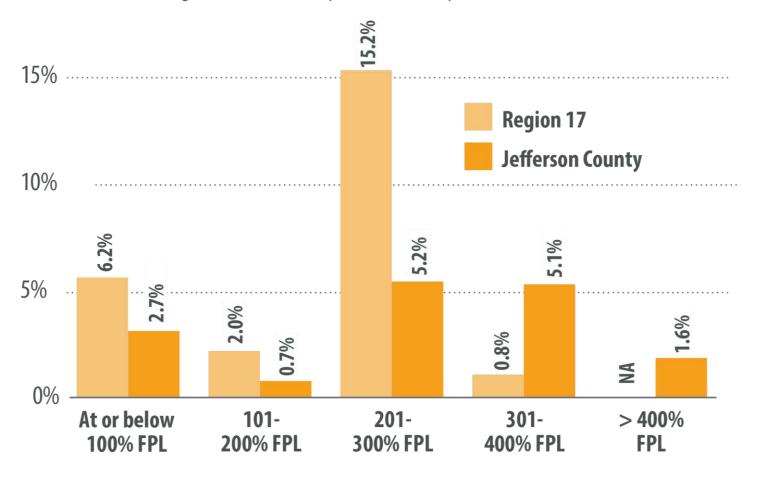
Regional Disparities in Uninsurance

Uninsured Rate by Health Statistics Region, 2015



A Spike in the Middle

Uninsured Rates in Region 17 and Jeffco by Federal Poverty Level, 2015



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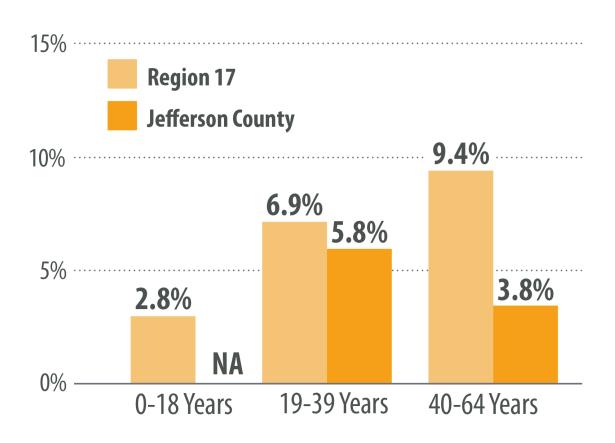
Kids Coverage is a Bright Spot

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The Kids Are All Right

Uninsured Rates by Age, Region 17 and Jeffco, 2015





Cost: The Top Reason for Lack of Insurance in Both Regions

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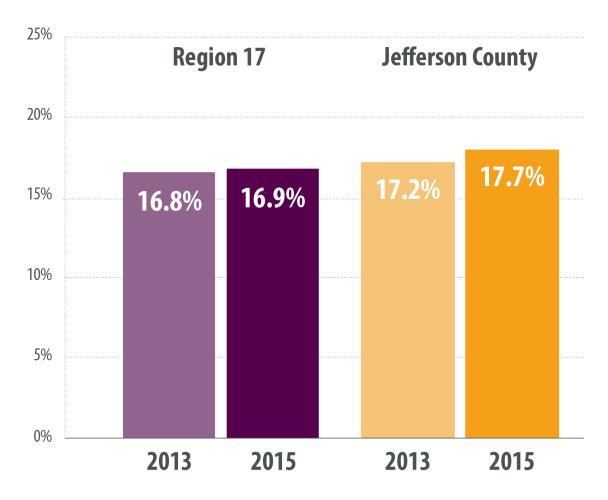
96.6%

of the Uninsured in Region 17 Cite Cost



Underinsurance Held Steady in Both Regions, But Climbed Statewide

Underinsured

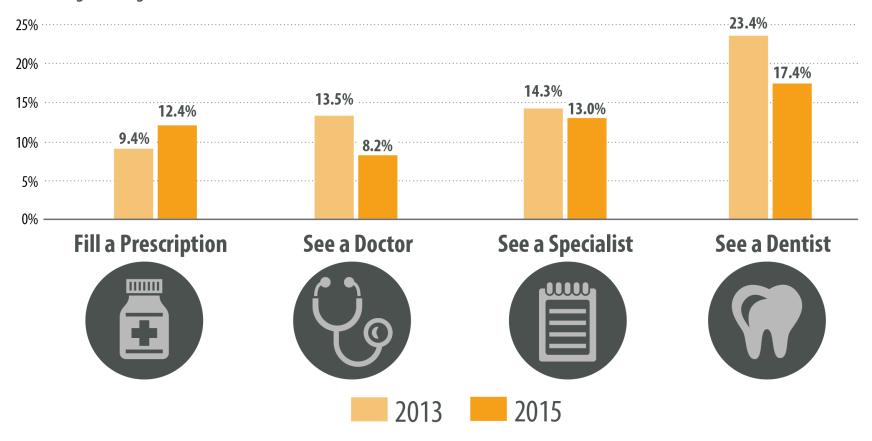




Fewer Skipping Care Because of Cost

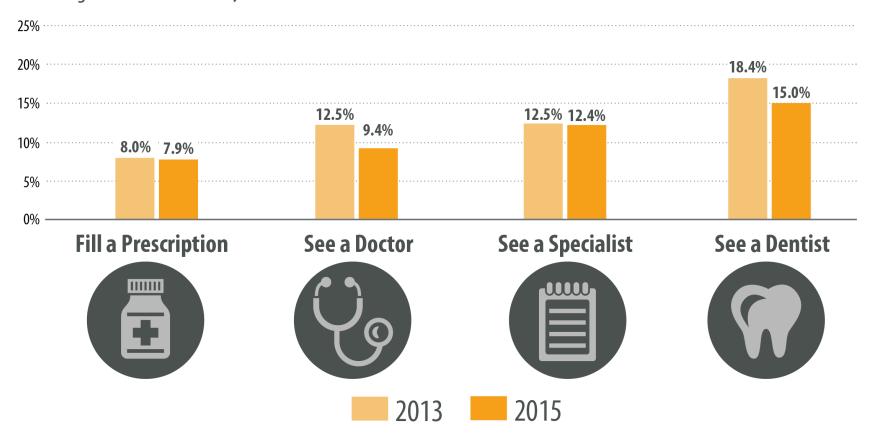
Skipping Care Because of Cost, 2013-2015

Percentage of Region 17 Residents in the Past Year Who Did Not ...



Skipping Care Because of Cost, 2013-2015

Percentage of Jefferson County Residents in the Past Year Who Did Not ...

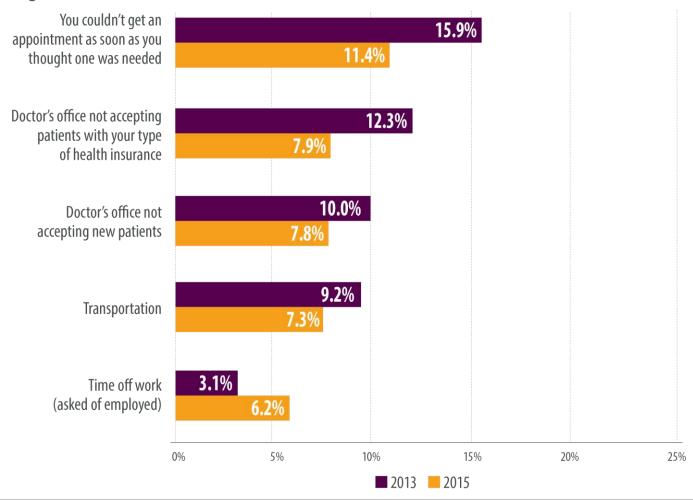




Gains in Coverage Have Mixed Results for Access to Care

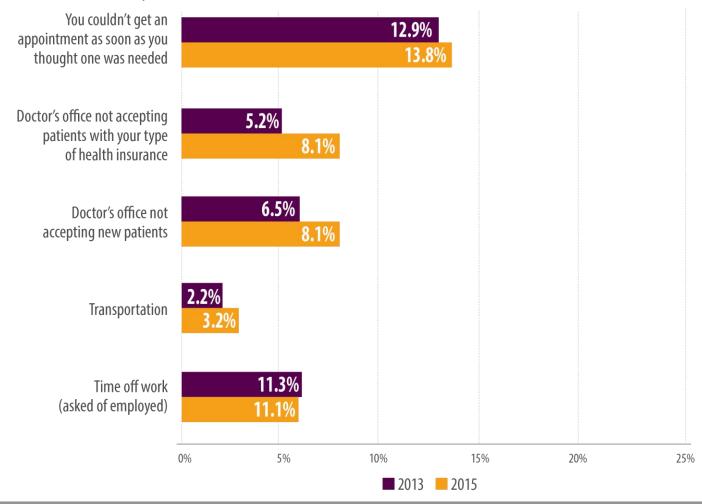
In the Past year, You Did Not Get Care Because ...

Region 17, 2013-2015



In the Past year, You Did Not Get Care Because ...

Jefferson County, 2013-2015



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Health Statistics Region 17



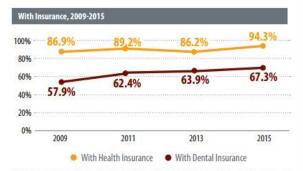


Clear Creek, Gilpin, Park and Teller Counties



Index Score 5.4

Adequate insurance coverage and enough local care providers make it more likely that people will get care when they need it.



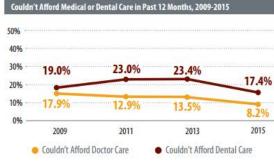




Barriers to Care

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But many obstacles make it hard for people to get health care even if they have insurance.



R.	Couldn't afford a prescription	12.4%
8	Couldn't afford specialist care	13.0%
1	Couldn't get a doctor appointment when needed	11.4%
4	Didn't have a usual source of care	9.8%
	Provider wouldn't accept insurance	7.9%
	Didn't get needed mental health care	6.2%
1	Didn't seek care because uninsured	7.9%
	Didn't go to doctor due to lack of transportation	7.3%

Realized Access

ex Score **6.7**

When people obtain preventive services, it's a good indication they have access to care. But hospitalizations or emergency room visits may indicate inadequate access.

Well-child visits in the past year	Received prenatal care in first trimester	98.9%
for those nder 19 years 2011 2013 2015	Pap test in the past three years for women aged 18+	55.4%
3.6% 83.3% 84.9% sited a dentist or dental	Mammogram in the past two years for women aged 50+	57.3%
hygienist in past year, all ages 2011 2013 2015 2.3% 56.1% 64.8%	Colonoscopy or sigmoidoscopy at any time for people aged 50+	65.2%

Avoidable Care

Of those who went to the ER, went for a condition that could have been treated by a regular doctor

22.5%

Hospitalized for uncontrolled diabetes, adults aged 18+

0.0*

Hospitalized for asthma, adults aged 18-39

* 48.8

Updated October 2015 - Data source details available at ColoradoHealthInstitute.org/COAccessIndex - *2013 data

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Health Statistics Region 21



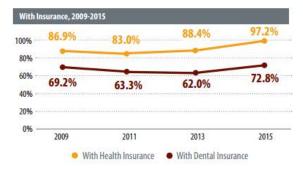


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Jefferson County

Potential Access

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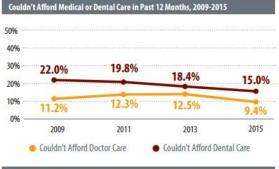






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Preventive Care	0	ė.	
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for those under 19 years	2015	Pap test in the past three years for women aged 18+	79.0 %
72.8% 77.2% Visited a dentist		Mammogram in the past two years for women aged 50+	72.3 %
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Hospitalized for uncontrolled diabetes, adults aged 18+ **RATE PER 100,000**

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Consumer Engagement is a Mixed Bag

Health Coverage Literacy

Region 17 and Jeffco adults who feel confident in understanding each insurance term

HSR 17 90.0% Premium

JEFFCO 91.4%

92.3% Deductible

92.1% 94.9% Copayment

74.0% Co-insurance



One of four insured Coloradans say they are unlikely to check if a doctor is in-network before getting care.



CHAS Data Can Help You...

- Adapt to the changing health care landscape
- Identify opportunities for improving health
- Measure effectiveness of reform in your community



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Need more information?

CHAS: How It Was Fielded



Who: 10,136 randomly selected households



What: Twenty-minute telephone survey



When: Between March 2 and June 26, 2015



Where: Statewide, divided among 21 Health Statistics Regions



Why: To gather information that can inform policy-making and help measure health reform efforts