

NGMC Braselton: CHNA Data

The following is a report on key health indicators within the NGMC Braselton service area, which includes Gwinnett, Barrow, Hall, Jackson, and Banks counties. Indicators in **red** mean the indicator is worse than the state rate, and indicators in **green** mean the indicator is better than the state rate. Please note that most data reflects the US Census's American Community Survey's 2019 to 2023 data. Other sources include the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. All data is the most recent available.

Demographics

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Total Population	Total Population	361,382	10,822,590
	Total Land Area (Square Miles)	550.81	57,716.61
	Population Density (Per Square Mile)	656	188
Total Population Change, 2010 - 2020	Total Population, 2010 Census	276,851	9,687,647
	Total Population, 2020 Census	351,021	10,711,908
	Population Change, 2010-2020	74,170	1,024,261
	Population Change, 2010-2020, Percent	26.79%	10.57%
Population with Any Disability	Population with a Disability	34,466	1,375,224
	Population with a Disability, Percent	9.60%	12.94%
People of Color (Not Non-Hispanic White)	Non-Hispanic Non-White Population	149,896	5,428,519
	Percent Population Non-Hispanic Non-White	41.48%	50.16%

Income and Economics

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Employment - Unemployment Rate	Labor Force	194,036	5,379,587
	Number Employed	188,209	5,192,730
	Number Unemployed	5,826	186,857
	Unemployment Rate	3.0%	3.5%
Poverty - Children Below 200% FPL	Population Under Age 18 Below 200% FPL	24,791	1,034,212
	Population Under Age 18 Below 200% FPL, Percent	26.22%	41.25%
Poverty - Population Below 100% FPL (Annual)	Population in Poverty	38,120.16	1,477,354
	Percent Population in Poverty	10.2%	13.70%
Poverty - Population Below 200% FPL	Population with Income Below 200% FPL	74,288	3,282,672
	Population with Income Below 200% FPL, Percent	20.72%	31.08%

Education

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Access - Childcare Centers	Total Childcare Centers	177	8,072
	Rate of Childcare Centers per 1,000 Population Age < 5	8.55	14.33
Access - Post-Secondary Enrollment	Enrolled in Post-Secondary School	20,036	696,312
	Enrolled in Post-Secondary School, Percent	5.73%	6.66%
Attainment - Some Post-secondary Education	Population Age 25-44 with at least Some College Education, Total	63,619	1,924,056
	Population Age 25-44 with at Least Some College Education, Percent	70.2%	65.57%

Housing and Families

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Families - Overview	Married Couple	76,427	1,867,456
	Female, Spouse Absent	13,451	600,475
	Male, Spouse Absent	5,096	193,575
Affordable Housing - Low Income Tax Credits	LIHTC Properties	8.00	1,037
	LIHTC Units	976.00	101,831
Affordable Housing - Assisted Housing Units	Total Housing Units (2022)	104,735	3,830,264
	Total HUD-Assisted Housing Units	719	136,938
	HUD-Assisted Units, Rate per 10,000 Housing Units	68.65	357.52

Other Social and Economic Factors

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Utility Services Threat	Adults Age 18+ Having Utility Services Threat	7.3%	9.4%
	Adults Age 18+ Having Utility Services Threat (Age-Adjusted)	7.7%	9.8%
Homeless Children & Youth (ED)	Students in All Districts	53,816	1,740,875
	Students Reporting Experiencing Homelessness	1,049	36,547
	Students Reporting Experiencing Homelessness, Percent	1.95%	2.10%
	Districts Reporting	100.00%	79.91%
	Students in Reported Districts	100.00%	98.14%
Insurance - Insured Population and Provider Type	Population with Health Insurance	259,389	9,288,560
	Percentage with Private Insurance	76.09%	75.38%
	Percentage with Public Insurance	37.45%	37.11%
Insurance - Medicare Enrollment Demographics	Total Medicare Beneficiaries	53,477	1,703,148
	Medicare Advantage Beneficiaries	27,133	928,498
	FFS Beneficiaries	26,344	774,650
	Medicaid Eligible, Percentage	11.37%	13.09%
	Avg. Age of FFS Beneficiaries	73	72
Insurance - Population Receiving Medicaid	Population Receiving Medicaid	52,564	1,928,147
	Percent of Insured Population Receiving Medicaid	20.26%	20.76%
Insurance - Uninsured Adults	Pop. Age 18-64 w/ Insurance	149,902	5,440,432
	Pop. Age 18-64 w/ Insurance, Percent	78.79%	83.48%
	Pop. Age 18-64 w/o Insurance	40,359	1,076,981
	Pop. Age 18-64 w/o Insurance, Percent	21.21%	16.52%
Insurance - Uninsured Children	Pop. Age 0-18 w/ Insurance	72,103	2,409,565
	Pop. Age 0-18 w/ Insurance, Percent	91.51%	93.77%
	Pop. Age 0-18 w/o Insurance	6,690	159,988
	Pop. Age 0-18 w/o Insurance, Percent	8.49%	6.23%
Housing + Transportation Affordability Index (H+T Index)	Total Households (ACS 2015-19)	106,214	3,830,264
	Housing + Transportation Costs % Income	18%	49%
	Housing Costs % Income	10%	25%
	Transportation Costs % Income	9%	24%

Physical Environment

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Built Environment - Banking Institutions	Total Population (2020)	347,022	10,711,908
	Number of Establishments	71	2,969
	Establishments, Rate per 100,000 Population	20.46	27.72
Community Design - Community Diversity (Emp. + Housing)	Total Households	37,147	3,709,488
	Total Workers	42,678	4,246,473
	Diversity Score	1	0.68
Environmental Justice Index (EJI Index) - Details	Number of Neighborhoods in Report Area	144	2,796
	Neighborhoods Meeting Environmental Justice Social Criteria	29	1,129
	Population in Neighborhoods Meeting EJ Social Criteria (%)	22.49%	37.69%
	Neighborhoods Meeting Environmental Justice Health Criteria	25	529
	Population in Neighborhoods Meeting EJ Health Criteria (%)	17.66%	17.17%

Clinical Care and Prevention

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Cancer Screening - Mammogram (Adult)	Females Age 50-74 with Recent Mammogram	74.0%	75.8%
Cancer Screening - Sigmoidoscopy or Colonoscopy	Adults Age 45-75 with Adequate Colorectal Cancer Screening	63.6%	64.4%
Diabetes Management - Hemoglobin A1c Test	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes	2,820	101,932
	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes with Annual Exam	2,537	89,176
	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes with Annual Exam, Percent	89.97%	87.49%
Hospitalizations - Inpatient Stays	Medicare Part A and B Beneficiaries	49,325	1,703,148
	Beneficiaries with Inpatient Stays	63.9%	14.2%
	Total Inpatient Stays, Rate (per 1,000 Beneficiaries)	219.1	219.6
Hospitalizations - Heart Disease	Cardiovascular Disease Hospitalizations, Rate per 1,000	1.8	10.3
Late or No Prenatal Care (CDC)	Births with Late/No Care	585	32,275
	% of Births with Late/No Care	6.49%	8.45%
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	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes with Annual Exam	2,537	89,176

	Medicare Enrollees with Diabetes with Annual Exam, Percent	89.97%	87.49%
Health Care - FQHC Patient Services Profile	Medical Patients	97.43%	93.00%
	Dental Patients	2.52%	8.12%
	Mental Health Patients	2.93%	3.57%
Health Care - FQHC Medical Conditions	Diabetes	17.31%	17.67%
	Hypertension	3.96%	5.00%
	Asthma	28.72%	32.46%
	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)	0.10%	1.18%
Prevention - Recent Primary Care Visit (Medicare)	Medicare Enrollees with Recent Primary Care Visit	19,118	625,580
	Medicare Enrollees with Recent Primary Care Visit, Percent	85.92%	83.81%
Prevention - Core Preventative Services for Men	Males Age 65+ Up to Date on Core Preventative Services	49.7%	45.7%
Prevention - Core Preventative Services for Women	Females Age 65+ Up to Date on Core Preventative Services	41.0%	39.3%
Readmissions - Heart Failure	Discharges for Heart Failure	No data	27,192
	30-day Readmission Rate	No data	19.73%
Readmissions - Pneumonia	Discharges for Pneumonia	No data	22,484
	30-day Readmission Rate	No data	16.41%

Health Behaviors

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Alcohol - Binge Drinking	Adults Age 18+ Binge Drinking in the Past 30 Days	15.9%	15.3%
Physical Inactivity	Adults Age 20+ with No Leisure Time Physical Activity	49,741	1,686,986
	Adults Age 20+ with No Leisure Time Physical Activity, Percent	18.9%	20.6%
STI - HIV Incidence	Total HIV / AIDS Infections	64.00	2,209
	HIV / AIDS Infections, Rate per 100,000 Pop.	-386.52	20.0
STI - HIV Prevalence	Population with HIV / AIDS	957.00	60,902
	Population with HIV / AIDS, Rate per 100,000 Pop.	314.33	664.1
Insufficient Sleep	Adults Age 18+ Sleeping Less Than 7 Hours on Average	35.4%	38.4%
Walking or Biking to Work	Population Age 16+	177,328	5,071,788
	Population Walking or Biking to Work	776	76,369
	Percentage Walking or Biking to Work	0.44%	1.51%
Obesity - Pre-pregnancy (HRSA)	Live Births	3,854	124,231
	To Women with Obesity, Total	1,193	41,239
	To Women with Obesity, Percent	31.0%	33.2%
Obesity (adult)	Adults with a BMI of 30+	34.8	36.8

Health Outcomes

Data Indicator	Indicator Variable	Service area	Georgia
Birth Outcomes - Infant Mortality (CDC)	Number of Infant Deaths	153.95	6,113
	Deaths per 1,000 Live Births	5.6	7.0
Birth Outcomes - Low Birth Weight (CDC)	Low Birthweight Births	2,241.06	89,423
	Low Birthweight Births, Percentage	8.3%	10.2%
Cancer Incidence - Cervical	New Cases (Annual Average)	13	439
	Cancer Incidence Rate (Per 100,000 Females)	8.1	8.0
Cancer Incidence - Colon and Rectum	Estimated Total Population	344,719	11,567,430
	New Cases (Annual Average)	131	4,546
	Cancer Incidence Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	38.0	39.3
Cancer Incidence - Lung	Estimated Total Population	335,887	11,891,191
	New Cases (Annual Average)	184	6,885
	Cancer Incidence Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	54.8	57.9
Cancer Incidence - Prostate	New Cases (Annual Average)	221	7,711
	Cancer Incidence Rate (Per 100,000 Males)	129.5	134.7

Cancer Prevalence - All Sites (Medicare Population)	Cancer - Colorectal, Breast, Prostate, Lung Prevalence, Total	2,522	89,890
	Cancer - Colorectal, Breast, Prostate, Lung Prevalence, Percent	11%	11%
Chronic Conditions - Alzheimer's Disease (Medicare Population)	Beneficiaries with Alzheimer's Disease	2,568	98,702
	Beneficiaries with Alzheimer's Disease, Percent	10.5%	10.7%
Chronic Conditions - Asthma (Medicare Population)	Beneficiaries with Asthma	1,177.78	43,405
	Percentage with Asthma	4.8%	4.7%
Chronic Conditions - Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (Medicare Population)	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Prevalence, Total	2,561	98,062
	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Prevalence, Percent	11%	12%
Chronic Conditions - Depression (Medicare Population)	Depressive Disorders Prevalence, Total	3,691	130,749
	Depressive Disorders Prevalence, Percent	16%	16%
Chronic Conditions - Diabetes Prevalence (Adult)	Adults Age 18+ Ever Diagnosed with Diabetes	11.1%	12.6%
Chronic Conditions - Heart Disease (Medicare Population)	Ischemic Heart Disease Prevalence, Total	4,815	179,780
	Ischemic Heart Disease Prevalence, Percent	21%	22%
Chronic Conditions - High Blood Pressure (Adult)	Adults Age 18+ with HTN	32.8%	37.4%
Chronic Conditions - High Blood Pressure (Medicare Population)	Hypertension Prevalence, Total	15,385	563,855
	Adults Age 18+ with High Cholesterol	34.8%	35.3%
Chronic Conditions - High Cholesterol (Medicare Population)	Beneficiaries with High Cholesterol	12,266.85	461,974
	Percent with High Cholesterol	50.2%	50.1%
Chronic Conditions - Kidney Disease (Adult)	Adults Age 18+ Ever Diagnosed with Kidney Disease	2.5%	3.3%
Mortality - Cancer	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	136.9	167.4
Mortality - Deaths of Despair (Suicide + Drug/Alcohol Poisoning)	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	43.0	48.6
Mortality - Heart Disease	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	141.3	195.3
Mortality - Homicide	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	5.1	10.1
Mortality - Life Expectancy	Life Expectancy at Birth (2019)	79.79	78.01
Mortality - Lung Disease	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	34.2	43.9
Mortality - Motor Vehicle Crash, Overall	Total Crash Deaths (2018-2022)	144	17,118
	Fatal Crash Deaths, Annual Rate per 100,000 Population	24.47	32.0
Mortality - Motor Vehicle Crash, Alcohol-Involved	Alcohol-Involved Crash Deaths (2018-2022)	11	1,505
	Alcohol-Involved Crash Deaths, Annual Rate per 100,000 Population	0.0	2.2
Mortality - Suicide	Five Year Total Deaths, 2019-2023 Total	89	5,438
	Crude Death Rate (Per 100,000 Population)	5.1	10.1
Mortality - Child Mortality	Number of Child Deaths	192.83	6,866
	Deaths per 100,000 Population Age < 20	47.5	61.0

Poor Mental Health	Adults Age 18+ with Poor Mental Health	15.2%	16.7%
Poor or Fair Health	Adults Age 18+ with Poor or Fair General Health	15.7%	19.1%