

County Profile: Montrose County (Rural)



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County Overview

Population Information 2023*

Total
Population
42,852

Unique Lives
in the CO APCD
32,820

Insured
Population**
37,319

% Total Population
in the CO APCD

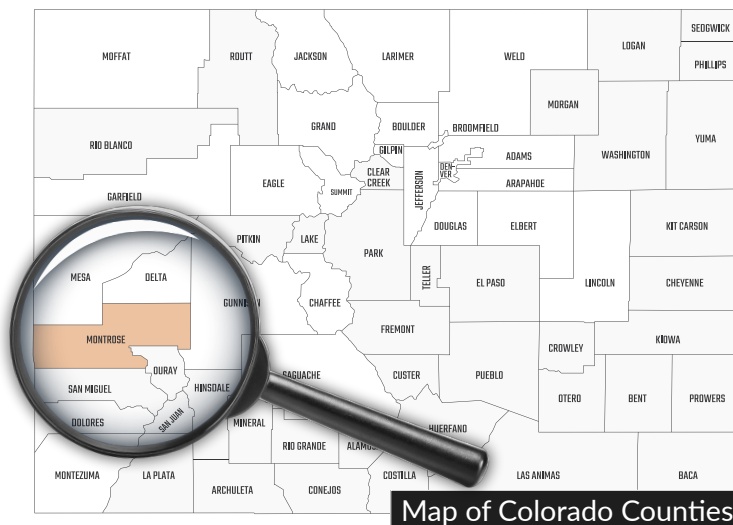
77%

% Total Insured Population
in the CO APCD

88%

*Data comes from the [CO APCD Insights Dashboard](#), with data from reporting year 2023. See full considerations and [methodology](#) for Insights Dashboard population reporting.

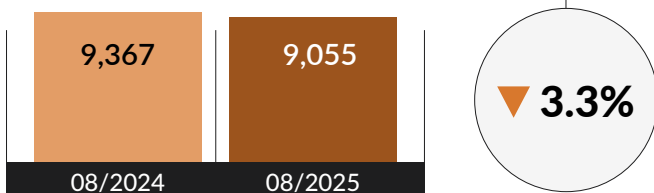
**County population and insured estimates are based on five years of Census data leading up to the selected year.



Map of Colorado Counties

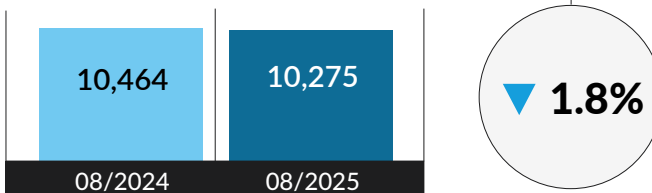
Year-Over-Year County Enrollment

Commercial



Commercial and Medicaid only, does not include Medicare Fee-for-Service or Advantage.

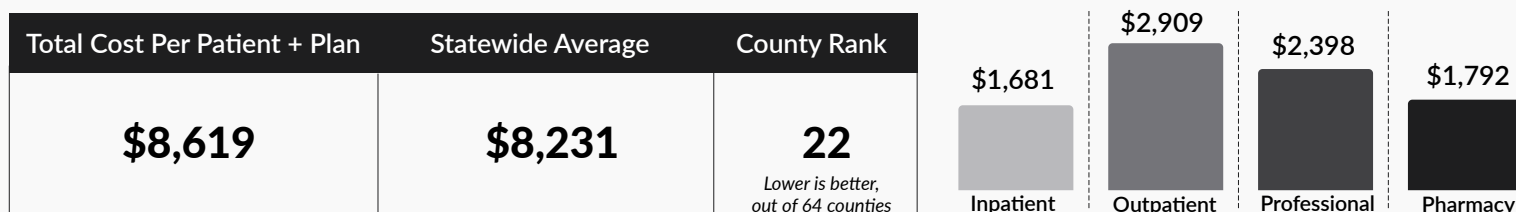
Medicaid



Spending on Care in Montrose County

Payments Made by Health Plans and Patients Combined | All Payers, 2023 | Per Person Per Year (PPPY)

All data in this section comes from the [Community Dashboard](#), with most recent data through reporting year 2023.



County Trends and Notes | All measures reflect data from the [Community Dashboard](#) (2013 -2023)

- Montrose County records a **consistently higher rate of primary care users** compared to other Colorado counties. In 2023, Montrose County recorded people accessing primary care at a rate of 592 per 1,000 people, higher than the rural county benchmark of 555 per 1,000 people and statewide benchmark of 547 per 1,000.
- Montrose County has a **higher rate of eligible people who receive their breast cancer screenings** compared to other rural counties. The rate of eligible people in Montrose County who receive their breast cancer screenings is 63%, which matches the urban county and statewide benchmark and outpaces other rural counties, which have a benchmark screening rate of 61%.
- Montrose County has a **lower rate of health care non-users**, or people who have health insurance but do not use it, than other Colorado counties. In 2023, Montrose County recorded a non-user rate of 224 per 1,000 people, below the statewide benchmark of 246 per 1,000 people and rural county benchmark of 234 per 1,000.

Explore more county profiles and download the full underlying dataset for the Community Dashboard on [civhc.org](#).