

County Profile: Phillips County (Rural)



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County Overview

Population Information 2023*

Total
Population
4,414

Unique Lives
in the CO APCD
3,220

Insured
Population**
4,173

% Total Population
in the CO APCD

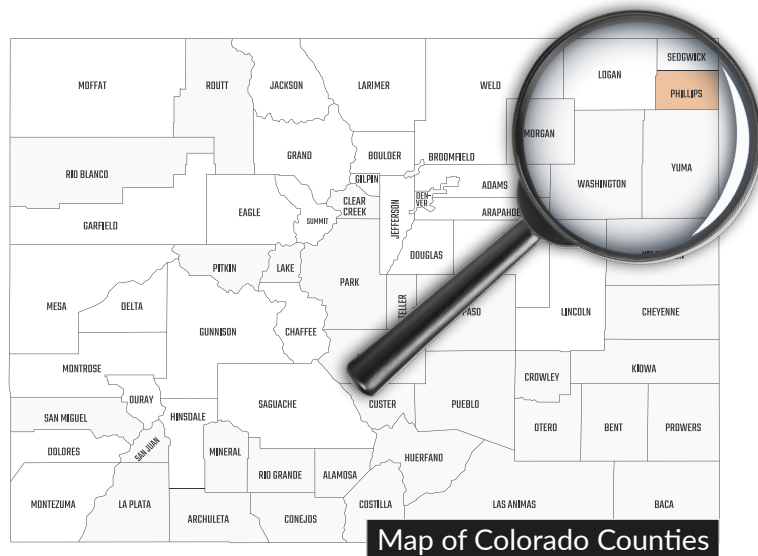
73%

% Total Insured Population
in the CO APCD

77%

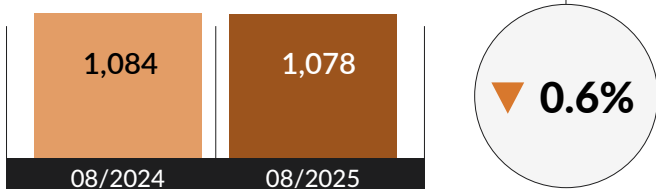
*Data comes from the [CO APCD Insights Dashboard](#), with data from reporting year 2023. See full considerations and [methodology](#) for Insights Dashboard population reporting.

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



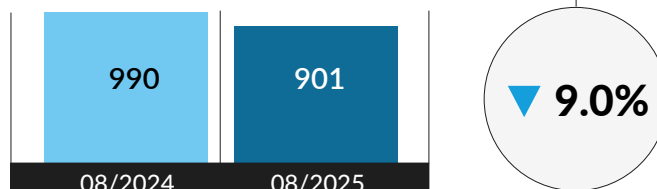
Year-Over-Year County Enrollment

Commercial



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

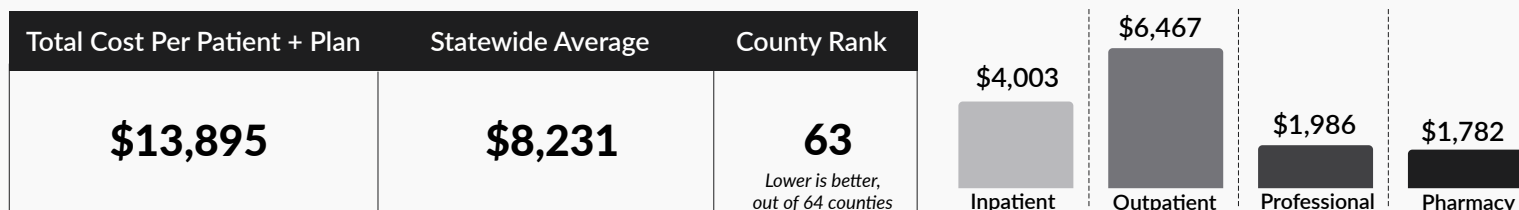
Medicaid



Spending on Care in Phillips 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)

- Phillips County has the **highest rate of spending on care (plan + patient) among all Colorado counties**. In 2023, Phillips County's the total patient cost of care was \$13,895, far above the statewide benchmark of \$8,231 and rural county benchmark of \$9,534.
- Eligible people in Phillips County **receive their breast cancer screenings at a slightly higher rate** than other Colorado counties. In 2023, the county recorded eligible people receiving their breast cancer screenings at a rate of 64%, slightly above the statewide benchmark of 63% and rural county benchmark of 61%.
- Phillips County has a **higher rate of emergency department (ED) visits than most rural Colorado counties** and Colorado counties overall. In 2023, Phillips County recorded people visiting the ED at a rate of 410 per 1,000 people, above the rural county benchmark of 344 per 1,000 people and statewide benchmark of 316 per 1,000.

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