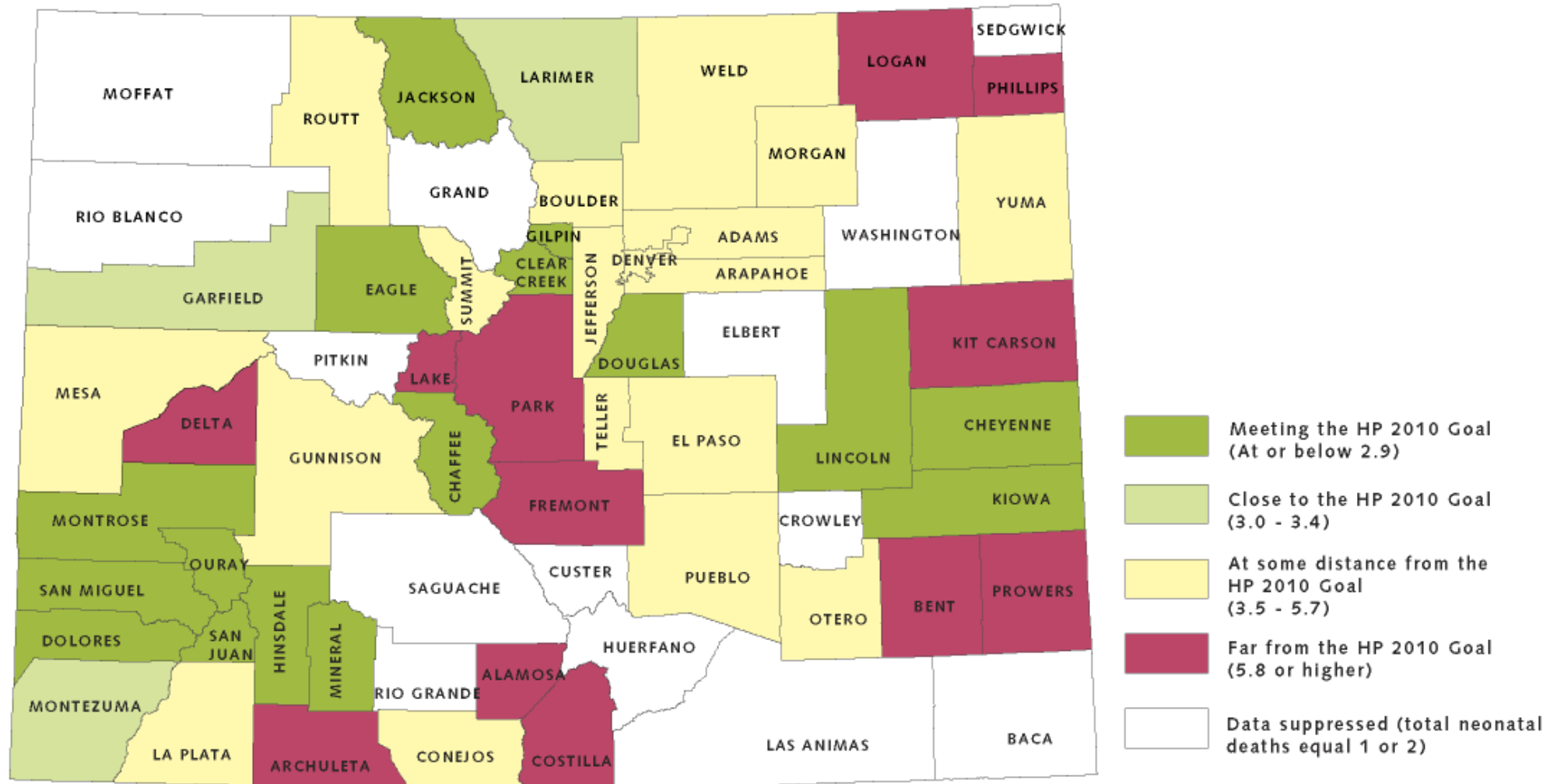# Neonatal Mortality Rate
National Outcome Measure 3

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Counties Meeting the HP 2010 Goal (at or below 2.9)

Chaffee	Gilpin	Montrose
Cheyenne	Hinsdale	Ouray
Clear Creek	Jackson	San Juan
Dolores	Kiowa	San Miguel
Douglas	Lincoln	
Eagle	Mineral	

Counties Close to the HP 2010 Goal (3.0 - 3.4)

Garfield	Larimer	Montezuma

Counties At Some Distance from the HP 2010 Goal (3.5 - 5.7):

Adams	Gunnison	Pueblo
Arapahoe	Jefferson	Routt
Boulder	La Plata	Summit
Conejos	Mesa	Teller
Denver	Morgan	Weld
El Paso	Otero	Yuma

Counties Far from the HP 2010 Goal (5.8 or higher):

Alamosa	Delta	Logan
Archuleta	Fremont	Park
Bent	Kit Carson	Phillips
Costilla	Lake	Prowers

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Baca	Huerfano	Rio Grande
Crowley	Las Animas	Saguache
Custer	Moffat	Sedgwick
Elbert	Pitkin	Washington
Grand	Rio Blanco	