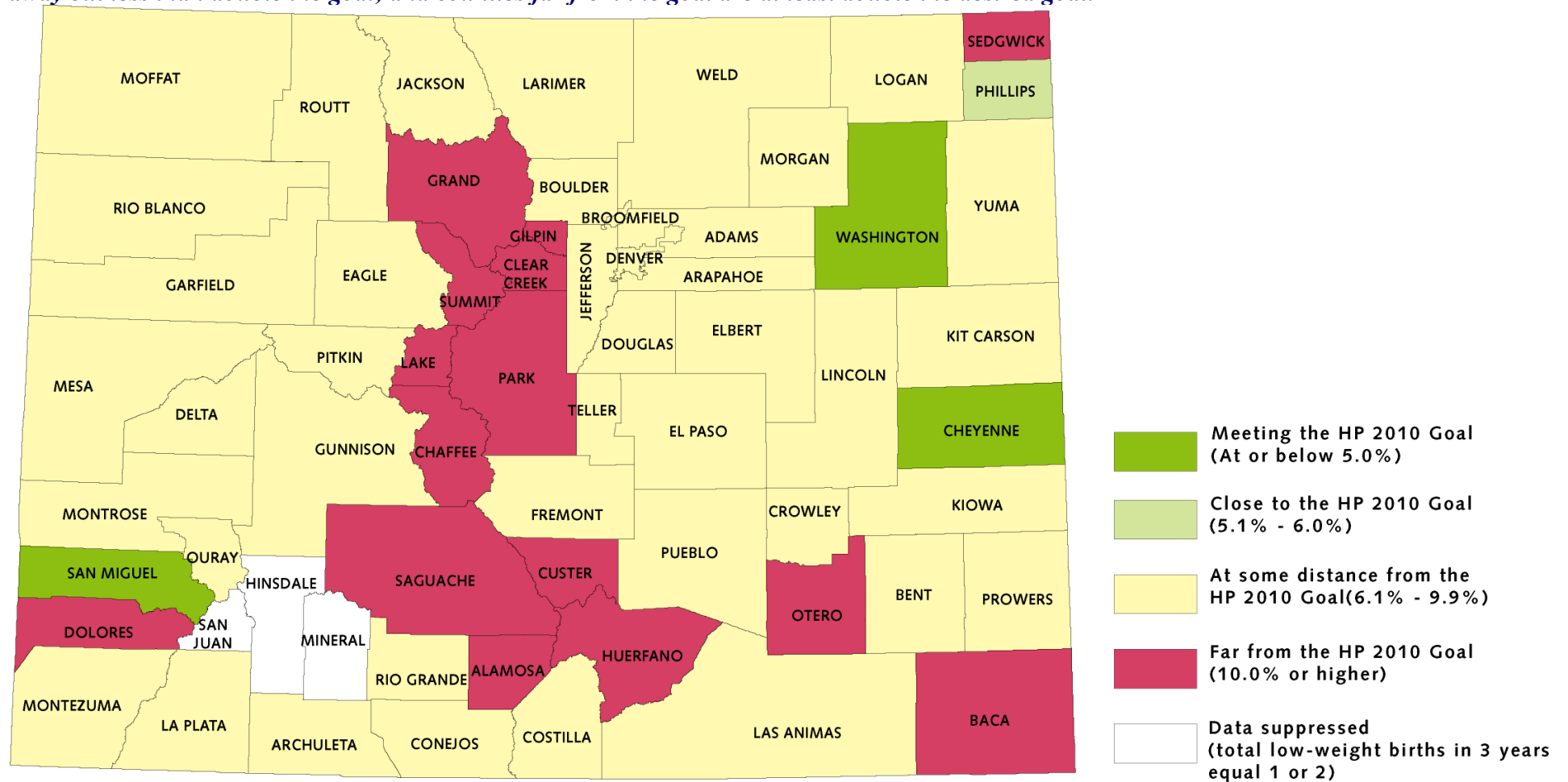


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Counties Meeting the HP 2010 Goal (at or below 5.0%):

Cheyenne	San Miguel	Washington
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Counties Close to the HP 2010 Goal (5.1% - 6.0%):

Phillips

Counties At Some Distance from the HP 2010 Goal (6.1% - 9.9%):

Adams	Elbert	Moffat
Arapahoe	Fremont	Montezuma
Archuleta	Garfield	Montrose
Bent	Gunnison	Morgan
Boulder	Jackson	Ouray
Broomfield (2002)	Jefferson	Pitkin
Conejos	Kiowa	Prowers
Costilla	Kit Carson	Pueblo
Crowley	La Plata	Rio Blanco
Delta	Larimer	Rio Grande
Denver	Las Animas	Routt
Douglas	Lincoln	Teller
Eagle	Logan	Weld
El Paso	Mesa	Yuma

Counties Far from the HP 2010 Goal (10.0% or higher):

Alamosa	Dolores	Otero
Baca	Gilpin	Park
Chaffee	Grand	Saguache
Clear Creek	Huerfano	Sedgwick
Custer	Lake	Summit

Data suppressed (total low weight births in 3 years equal 1 or 2):

Hinsdale
Mineral
San Juan