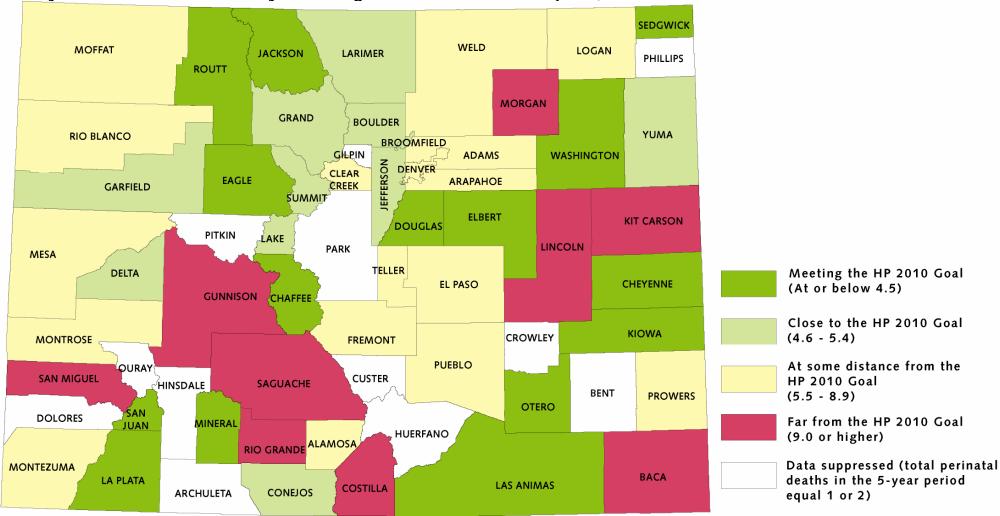
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Source: Health Statistics and Vital Records, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

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| Category Definition                                | Percentile Range      | Rate per<br>1,000 |
|--|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Meeting the Healthy People 2010 Goal               | 100% of the goal      | ≤4.5              |
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| At Some Distance from the Healthy People 2010 Goal | 51% - 79% of the goal | 5.5 – 8.9         |
| Far From the Healthy People 2010 Goal              | ≤ 50% of the goal     | 9.0               |

### Counties Meeting the HP 2010 Goal (at or below 4.5)

ChaffeeJacksonOteroCheyenneKiowaRouttDouglasLa PlataSan JuanEagleLas AnimasSedgwickElbertMineralWashington

### Counties Close to the HP 2010 Goal (4.6 - 5.4)

BoulderGarfieldLarimerBroomfieldGrandSummitConejosJeffersonYuma

Delta Lake

#### Counties At Some Distance from the HP 2010 Goal (5.5 - 8.9):

Adams Fremont Prowers
Alamosa Logan Pueblo
Arapahoe Mesa Rio Blanco
Clear Creek Moffat Teller
Denver Montezuma Weld

El Paso Montrose

### Counties Far from the HP 2010 Goal (9.0 or higher):

BacaKit CarsonRio GrandeCostillaLincolnSaguacheGunnisonMorganSan Miguel

## Data suppressed (total perinatal deaths in the 5-year period equal 1 or 2):

Archuleta Dolores Ouray
Bent Gilpin Park
Crowley Hinsdale Phillips
Custer Huerfano Pitkin

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