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Counties categorized as close to the goal are within 20 percent of the goal; counties at some distance from the goal are more than 20 percent away but less than double the goal; and counties far from the goal are at least double the desired goal.

Source: Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS) survey data, Health Statistics and Vital Records, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment.

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Category Definition	Percentile Range	Percent
		(%)
Meeting the Healthy People 2010 Goal	100% of the goal	30.0
Close to the Healthy People 2010 Goal	80% - 99% of the goal	30.1 – 36.0
At Some Distance from the Healthy People 2010 Goal	51% - 79% of the goal	36.1 – 59.9
Far From the Healthy People 2010 Goal	≤ 50% of the goal	60.0

#### Regions Meeting the HP 2010 Goal (at or below 30.0%)

Region 3: Douglas

### Regions Close to the HP 2010 Goal (30.1%-36.0%):

Region 12: Eagle<sup>a</sup>, Garfield<sup>c</sup>, Grand<sup>b</sup>, Pitkin<sup>a</sup>, Summit<sup>a</sup>

Region 16: Boulder<sup>e</sup>, Broomfield

Region 17: Clear Creek, Gilpin, Parke, Tellere

#### Regions At Some Distance from the HP 2010 Goal (36.1%-59.9%):

Region 1: Logane, Morgane, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yumae

Region 2: Larimer

Region 4: El Paso

Region 5: Cheyenne, Elbert<sup>e</sup>, Lincoln, Kit Carson

Region 6: Baca, Bent, Crowley, Huerfano, Kiowa, Las Animas, Otero<sup>d</sup>, Prowers<sup>e</sup>

Region 7: Pueblo

Region 8: Alamosa<sup>e</sup>, Conejos, Costilla, Mineral, Rio Grande<sup>e</sup>, Saguache

Region 9: Archuleta<sup>b</sup>, Dolores, La Plata<sup>e</sup>, Montezuma<sup>b</sup>, San Juan

Region 10: Delta<sup>e</sup>, Gunnison<sup>a</sup>, Hinsdale, Montrose<sup>e</sup>, Ouray, San Miguel

Region 11: Jackson, Moffate, Rio Blanco, Routta

Region 13: Chaffee<sup>b</sup>, Custer, Fremont<sup>e</sup>, Lake<sup>e</sup>

Region 14: Adams

Region 15: Arapahoe

Region 18: Weld

Region 19: Mesa

Region 20: Denver

Region 21: Jefferson

# Regions Far from the HP 2010 Goal (60.0% or higher):

None

<sup>a</sup>County level data are available; county percent category differs from regional percent category; county percent category meets the HP 2010 goal.

<sup>6</sup>County level data are available; county percent category differs from regional percent category; county percent category is close to the HP 2010 goal.

<sup>c</sup>County level data are available; county percent category differs from regional percent category; county percent category is at some distance to the HP 2010 goal.

<sup>d</sup>County level data are available; county percent category differs from regional percent category; county percent category is far from the HP 2010 goal.

<sup>e</sup>County level data are available; county percent category is the same as regional percent category.