

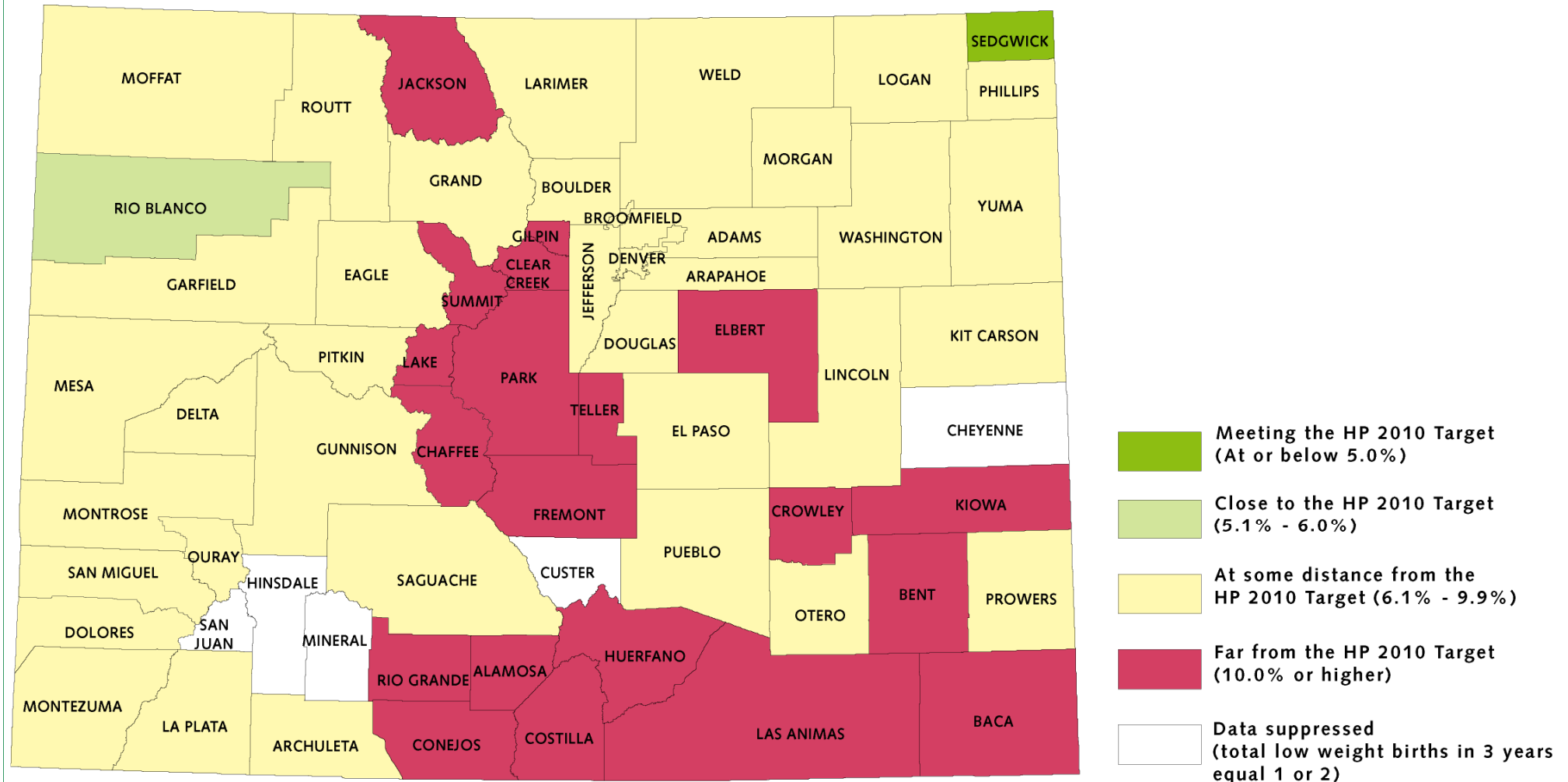
Low Birth Weight

(Percent)

State Outcome Measure 1

Healthy People 2010 Objective: Reduce the low birth weight rate to 5.0 percent.

Data are 2006-2008 three-year averages. The Colorado low birth weight rate is 9.0 percent.



Counties categorized as close to the target are within 80 percent of the target; counties at some distance from the target are between 51 percent and 79 percent of the target; and counties far from the target are 50 percent or less of the desired target.

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

Low Birth Weight

(Percent)

State Outcome Measure 1

Healthy People 2010 Objective: Reduce the low birth weight rate to no more than 5.0 percent.

Data are 2006-2008 three-year averages. The Colorado low birth weight rate is 9.0 percent.

Category Definition	Percentile Range	Percent (%)
Meeting the Healthy People 2010 Target	100% of the target	≤ 5.0
Close to the Healthy People 2010 Target	80% - 99% of the target	5.1 – 6.0
At Some Distance from the Healthy People 2010 Target	51 - 79% of the target	6.1 – 9.9
Far From the Healthy People 2010 Target	≤ 50% of the target	≥10.0

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

Sedgwick

Counties Close to the HP 2010 Target (5.1% - 6.0%)

Rio Blanco

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

Adams	Gunnison	Ouray
Arapahoe	Jefferson	Phillips
Archuleta	Kit Carson	Pitkin
Boulder	La Plata	Prowers
Broomfield	Larimer	Pueblo
Delta	Lincoln	Routt
Denver	Logan	Saguache
Dolores	Mesa	San Miguel
Douglas	Moffat	Washington
Eagle	Montezuma	Weld
El Paso	Montrose	Yuma
Garfield	Morgan	
Grand	Otero	

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

Alamosa	Crowley	Lake
Baca	Elbert	Las Animas
Bent	Fremont	Park
Chaffee	Gilpin	Rio Grande
Clear Creek	Huerfano	Summit
Conejos	Jackson	Teller
Costilla	Kiowa	

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

Cheyenne	Hinsdale	San Juan
Custer	Mineral	