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SD KIDS COUNT Website

Regional data for all South Dakota Planning Districts are available on the SD KIDS COUNT Website.

- [Northeast Council of Governments](#)
- [First District Association of Local Governments](#)
- [South Eastern Council of Governments](#)
- [Planning & Development District III](#)
- [Central South Dakota Enhancement District](#)
- [Black Hills Council of Local Governments](#)

A [comparison](#) of all planning districts to the state is also available.

2010 Census Data

Planned release date (JUN 2011 – AUG 2011) for Summary File 1 (SF 1), data for:

- * Population counts for 63 race categories and Hispanic or Latino
- * Population counts for many detailed race and Hispanic or Latino categories, and American Indian and Alaska Native tribes
- * Selected population and housing characteristics

Information on other 2010 Census Data Products and their release dates can be found at <http://www.census.gov/population/www/cen2010/glance/>

Hunger and Food Insecurity

Food Desert Locator

The USDA Economic Research Service offers an interactive mapping tool to view census tract-level statistics on population groups with low access to healthy food, plus related information on food deserts (low-income neighborhoods with high concentrations of people who are far from a grocery store).

[Facts on KIDS Health Disparities & Prenatal Care](#)

Health disparities are a growing concern for the United States as the population grows more diverse. Understanding what health disparities are, why they exist, and what can be done to close the variances in health between population groups will offer a chance at improving the health of the entire nation. The determinants of health interact throughout a person's life to influence disease prevalence, morbidity, and mortality. Prenatal care is a widely used preventive health care service that may lead to better birth outcomes and provide babies a healthy start to life.

In order to eliminate health disparities, this monograph will discuss why differences in health exist between population groups, health disparities in South Dakota, and how an effective intervention like prenatal care can provide babies a healthy start to life.

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