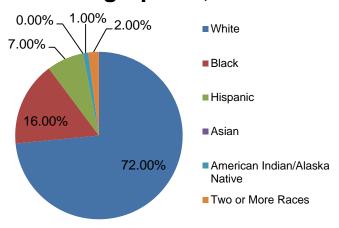
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#### Racial/Ethnic Demographics, 2014

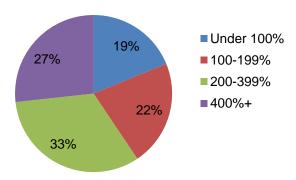


Source: The Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation.http://kff.org/other/stateindicator/distribution-by-raceethnicity/#. Accessed December 2, 2015

### Distribution of Total Population by Federal Poverty Level, 2014

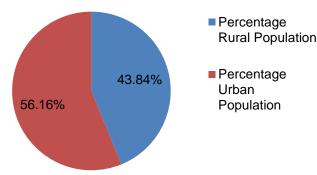
The federal poverty level is an annual income of \$19,055 for a family of two adults and one child.

The color-coded percentages listed on the right correlate to that dollar amount. For example, the blue—"under 100 percent"—shows the percentage of the population that makes \$19,055 a year or less. The purple shows the percentage of the population that makes four times or more the annual income.



#### **Population Living in Rural Versus Urban Areas, 2010**

The Census defines "urban area" as a densely developed territory with at least 2,500 residents, at least 1,500 of whom live outside institutional settings such as correctional facilities, in-patient hospital facilities, etc.



Source: 2010 Census Urban and Rural Classification and Urban Area Criteria. http://www.census.gov/geo/reference/ua/urban-rural-2010.html. Accessed December 2, 2015

# Primary Care Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSA), 2014

Two factors matter in determining whether an area is short of primary care health professionals: numbers and need. For primary medical care, a shortage is defined as a population-to-physician ratio of at least 3,500 to 1; in communities with unusually high needs, the ratio is 3,000 to 1. Percentage of need met reflects the number of physicians it would take to serve the population—a

| Total Primary Care | Percentage of |
|--------------------|---------------|
| HPSA Designations  | Need Met      |
| 75                 | 65.29%        |

Source: The Henry J Kaiser Family Foundation. http://kff.org/other/state-indicator/primary-care-health-professional-shortage-areas-hpsas/. Accessed December 2, 2015