Map 1
Percent of Low Birth Weight Infants by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 8.1% South Dakota = 6.5%

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○ Denotes that the county’s percent is significantly higher than the state percent

Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The percent of low birth weight infants is calculated based on the first weight of the newborn obtained after birth. Low birth weight infants are those born alive who weigh less than 2,500 grams (about 5 pounds 9 ounces). The U.S. percent of low birth weight infants is from 2010. See technical notes for more complete explanations.

Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 2
Percent of Mothers Receiving Prenatal Care in the 1st Trimester by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 71.0%*
South Dakota = 69.4%

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Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The U.S. percent of mothers receiving prenatal care in the 1st trimester is based on 27 states that were using the 2003 standard birth certificate, including South Dakota. See technical notes for more complete explanations.

*Due to lack of comparable data from all 50 states, U.S. and South Dakota cannot be compared. The U.S. percent of first trimester prenatal care is from 2010.
Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 3
Percent of Mothers Who Used Tobacco While Pregnant by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 9.7%*  South Dakota = 18.1%

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Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The data for mothers who used tobacco while pregnant are self-reported on the birth certificates. The U.S. percent of mothers who used tobacco while pregnant is from 2008 and is based on 24 states using the 2003 standard birth certificate, including South Dakota. See technical notes for more complete explanations. *Due to lack of comparable data from all 50 states, U.S. and South Dakota cannot be compared.

Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 4
Percent of Births Less Than 37 Weeks Gestation by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 12.0%
South Dakota = 8.5%

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 5
Average Age of Mother by Resident County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 27.7*  South Dakota = 27.0

Note: "Significantly" refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The U.S. average age of mothers is from 2010. *Due to lack of comparable data from all 50 states, U.S. and South Dakota cannot be compared. See technical notes for more complete explanations.

Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.

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- ○ Denotes that the county’s rate is significantly higher than the state rate.
Map 6
Teenage Birth Rate by Resident County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 17.3  South Dakota = 18.1

- ● Denotes that the county’s rate is significantly lower than the state rate.
- ○ Denotes that the county’s rate is significantly higher than the state rate.

Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The teenage birth rate is live births per 1,000 females age 15-17. The U.S. teenage birth rate is from 2010. See technical notes for more complete explanations.

Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.

Less than or equal to 6.8
6.9-16.5
Greater than or equal to 16.6
Low Number Events
Map 7
Death Rate Due to All Causes by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 741.1                                   South Dakota = 704.9

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Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The death rate is age-adjusted per 100,000 population. This eliminates age difference between populations, making them easier to compare. The U.S. age-adjusted death rate is from 2009. See technical notes for more complete explanations.

Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 8
Death Rate Due to Heart Disease by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 180.1 South Dakota = 159.6

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- ○ Denotes that the county’s rate is significantly higher than the state rate.

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See technical notes for more complete explanations.

Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 9
Death Rate Due to All Malignant Neoplasms (Cancer) by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 173.2
South Dakota = 166.1

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 10
Death Rate Due to Trachea, Bronchus, and Lung Cancer by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 48.5
South Dakota = 45.3

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 11
Death Rate Due to Colorectal Cancer by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 15.9
South Dakota = 15.9

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 12
Death Rate Due to Female Breast Cancer by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 22.3
South Dakota = 21.0

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 13
Death Rate Due to Pancreatic Cancer by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 10.8
South Dakota = 9.9

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.

Less than or equal to 6.1
6.2-10.4
Greater than or equal to 10.5
Low Number Events

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 14
Death Rate Due to Cerebrovascular Disease by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 38.9  South Dakota = 39.3

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 15
Death Rate Due to Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases by County, 2007-2011

U.S. = 42.3

South Dakota = 46.6

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 16
Death Rate Due to Accidents by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 37.3 South Dakota = 42.4

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 17
Death Rate Due to Motor Vehicle Accidents by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 11.7
South Dakota = 15.7

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 18
Death Rate Due to Alzheimer’s Disease by County, 2007-2011

U.S. = 23.5
South Dakota = 34.9

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 19
Death Rate Due to Diabetes Mellitus by County, 2007-2011

U.S. = 20.9
South Dakota = 23.8

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 20
Death Rate Due to Influenza and Pneumonia by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 16.2
South Dakota = 15.9

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 21
Death Rate Due to Intentional Self-Harm (suicide) by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 11.8                                                              South Dakota = 15.3

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 22
Death Rate Due to Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis by County, 2007-2011
U.S. = 9.2
South Dakota = 10.5

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Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. The death rate is age-adjusted per 100,000 population. This eliminates age difference between populations, making them easier to compare. Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis are defined as ICD-10 codes K70, K73-K74. The U.S. age-adjusted Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis death rate is from 2009. See technical notes for more complete explanations.
Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.
Map 23
Infant Mortality Rate by County, 2007-2011

U.S. = 6.39  South Dakota = 6.96

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Note: “Significantly” refers to statistical significance at the 0.05 level. Although a county’s actual percent may be higher or lower than the state percent, the difference may not be statistically significant due to the small number of people in the county. Infant mortality is calculated as the number of deaths to babies (less than 1 year old) per 1,000 live births. The U.S. infant mortality rate is from 2009. See technical notes for more complete explanations. Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics.