

# NORTON



## COUNTY FACTS

Region of the State	Northwest
Population	5,550
2016 Kansas County Health Rank	61
Median Household Income	45,100
High School Graduation Rate	NA
Percentage of Residents with Some College	57
Unemployment Rate	2.5
Percentage of Children Living in Poverty	15
Percentage on Free & Reduced School Lunch	48.74
Children under 18 Enrolled in Medicaid	407
Adults over 18 Enrolled in Medicaid	239
Uninsured Residents	11
Ethnicity percentages: Non Hispanic African Americans - 3.1 American Indian and Alaskan Native - 0.4 Asian - 0.8 Hispanic - 5.3 Non-Hispanic White - 89.1 Pacific Islander/Other - 0	

## ORAL HEALTH FACTS

Dentists	3
Medicaid Dentists	*
Specialty Dentists	0
Registered Dental Hygienists	3
Extended Care Permit Dental Hygienists	0
Safety Net Clinic(s)	No
Navigators	No
Children (School Aged) with Sealants	40.42
Children with Treated Decay	68.74
Children with Untreated Decay	9.61

\* Current, unduplicated data is not available from state sources

## Emergency Room: A Costly Destination



**684**

People in the Northwest region of the state visited emergency rooms with dental pain in 2015 and received only pain medication or antibiotics.

**1.63%**

More people with dental pain made emergency room visits in this region from 2012 to 2015.

## Fluoridation: Greatest Public Health Achievement



**5%**

of the Norton County residents have access to fluoridated water through a public water supply.