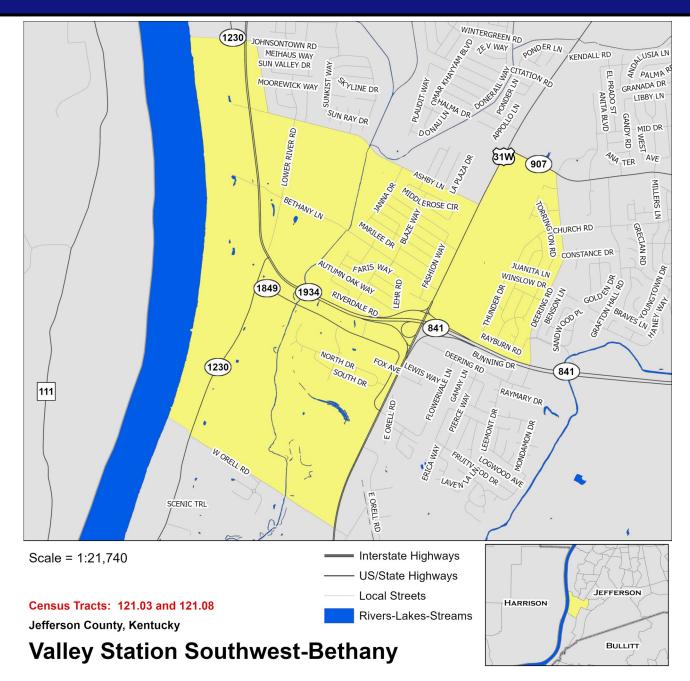
# Valley Station Southwest-Bethany NEIGHBORHOOD PROFILE June 2022



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This profile uses census tracts to approximate neighborhoods. Census tracts are statistical units used by the Census Bureau to enumerate data within small areas, and typically align well (but not perfectly) with traditional neighborhoods.

# POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

### Age and Sex

	VSS	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total population	6,123	_	768,419	1,262,287
Male	2,869	47%	48%	49%
Female	3,254	53%	52%	51%
	VSS	S-B	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population under age 5	463	8%	6%	6%
Under age 3	279	5%	4%	4%
Age 3 and 4	184	3%	3%	2%
Population under age 18	1,782	29%	22%	22%
Age 5 to 14	978	16%	12%	13%
Age 15 to 17	341	6%	4%	4%
Population age 18 to 64	3,701	60%	62%	62%
Population age 65 and over	640	10%	16%	16%

### Race, Ethnicity, and Nativity

	VSS-	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
White, non-Hispanic/Latino	5,316	87%	67%	75%
Black, non-Hispanic/Latino	401	7%	22%	15%
Asian, non-Hispanic/Latino	32	1%	3%	2%
Hispanic/Latino, of any race	65	1%	6%	5%
Multiple races, non-Hispanic/Latino	179	3%	3%	3%
Other, non-Hispanic/Latino	130	2%	1%	0%
Foreign born	91	1%	8%	6%

### **Veteran Status**

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Civilian population 18 years and over	4,341	_	597,788	978,060
Veterans	398	9%	7%	8%

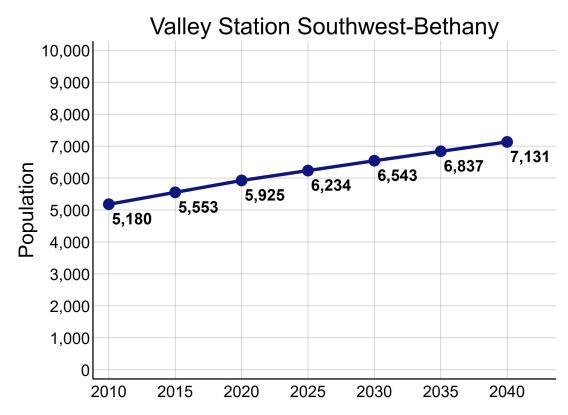
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# POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

### Households and Families

	VSS-	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total households	2,184	_	316,411	497,106
Married couple family households	1,040	48%	40%	46%
w/related children	561	26%	16%	18%
Male householder family households	123	6%	5%	5%
w/related children	38	2%	3%	3%
Female householder family households	293	13%	14%	13%
w/related children	127	6%	9%	8%
Non-family households	728	33%	41%	37%
Single person households	468	21%	34%	31%
Population in group quarters	0	0%	2%	2%

### **Population Projections**



Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey. STATS Indiana, Kentucky State Data Center 2022 Population Projections. Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

### Income

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Median household income (in 2020 dollars)	\$78,479	\$58,196	\$60,891
Median earnings for full-time male workers	\$60,580	\$52,019	\$52,300
Median earnings for full-time female workers	\$22,467	\$31,143	\$31,196
Gini coefficient	0.33	0.47	0.46

### **SNAP Benefits**

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Households receiving SNAP Benefits	234	11%	10%	9%
Households with public assistance (PA) income	16	1%	2%	2%
Households receiving either SNAP or PA	234	11%	11%	10%

### Vehicles Available

	VSS-I	В	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Households with no vehicle	59	3%	9%	7%

### Poverty Status of Individuals

	VSS-	В	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total population below federal poverty line (FPL)	501	8%	14%	12%
Population under 18 years below FPL	123	7%	21%	17%
Population under 6 years below FPL	56	8%	22%	19%
Population age 6 to 11 below FPL	16	5%	21%	18%
Population age 12 to 17 below FPL	51	7%	18%	16%
Population age 18 to 64 below FPL	324	9%	13%	11%
Population age 65 and over below FPL	54	8%	9%	8%
Total population below 150% of the FPL	885	15%	22%	20%
Population under 18 years below 150% of the FPL	192	11%	32%	29%
Population under 6 years below 150% of the FPL	56	8%	35%	32%
Population age 6 to 11 below 150% of the FPL	48	16%	34%	30%
Population age 12 to 17 below 150% of the FPL	88	12%	28%	24%
Population age 18 to 64 below 150% of the FPL	545	15%	20%	18%
Population age 65 and over below 150% of the FPL	148	23%	17%	16%
Total population below 185% of the FPL	1,064	17%	28%	26%
Population under 18 years below 185% of the FPL	205	12%	39%	35%
Population under 6 years below 185% of the FPL	56	8%	43%	40%
Population age 6 to 11 below 185% of the FPL	61	20%	40%	37%
Population age 12 to 17 below 185% of the FPL	88	12%	34%	30%
Population age 18 to 64 below 185% of the FPL	629	17%	25%	23%
Population age 65 and over below 185% of the FPL	230	36%	23%	22%
Total population below 200% of the FPL	1,206	20%	30%	28%
Population under 18 years below 200% of the FPL	213	12%	42%	38%
Population under 6 years below 200% of the FPL	56	8%	46%	42%
Population age 6 to 11 below 200% of the FPL	69	22%	44%	39%
Population age 12 to 17 below 200% of the FPL	88	12%	36%	33%
Population age 18 to 64 below 200% of the FPL	763	21%	27%	25%
Population age 65 and over below 200% of the FPL	230	36%	25%	25%
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### **Poverty Status**

Poverty status is determined by comparing a family's income to defined income thresholds that vary by family size and composition. If a family's total income is less than the established threshold for a family of that size, then that family and every individual in it is considered in poverty. The official poverty thresholds do not vary geographically, but they are updated for inflation annually. The official poverty definition uses money income before taxes and does not include capital gains or non-cash benefits (such as public housing, Medicaid, and food stamps).

The 2022 Poverty Guidelines as established by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services:

Number of persons in household	Poverty guideline
1	\$13,590
2	\$18,310
3	\$23,030
4	\$27,750
5	\$32,470
6	\$37,190
7	\$41,910
8	\$46,630

### **Poverty Status of Families**

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Families	1,456	_	186,716	314,935
Families below federal poverty line (FPL)	58	4%	10%	8%
Families below 150% of the FPL	142	10%	16%	15%
Families below 185% of the FPL	183	13%	21%	20%
Families below 200% of the FPL	245	17%	24%	22%
Families with related children	714	49%	46%	46%
Families with related children below FPL	34	2%	7%	6%

An **unemployed** person is someone who does not have a job, but is actively looking for a job and is available for work. The unemployment rate is calculated as the number of unemployed persons in an age group divided by the sum of the number of employed and unemployed persons in that age group.

A person who is **not in the labor force** is someone who does not have a job, and is not looking for one. This includes students, retirees, those taking care of children or other family members, and others who are neither working nor seeking work. The rate of labor force participation is calculated as the number of persons not in the labor force in an age group divided by the population in that age group.

### <u>Labor Force Status</u>

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Age 16-19—Unemployed	0	0%	13%	13%
Age 20-21—Unemployed	0	0%	8%	9%
Age 22-24—Unemployed	0	0%	9%	9%
Age 25-64—Unemployed	167	6%	5%	4%
Age 65 and over—Unemployed	0	0%	4%	3%
Total unemployed, age 16 and over	167	5%	5%	5%

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Age 16-19—Not in the labor force	253	58%	53%	53%
Age 20-21—Not in the labor force	0	0%	24%	23%
Age 22-24—Not in the labor force	10	7%	16%	17%
Age 25-64—Not in the labor force	568	17%	20%	21%
Age 65 and over—Not in the labor force	488	76%	80%	80%
Total not in the labor force, age 16 and over	1,319	28%	34%	35%

### Class of Worker

	VSS	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Private company/organization	2,777	88%	73%	74%
Nonprofit company/organization	100	3%	8%	8%
Local government	99	3%	5%	5%
State government	19	1%	4%	4%
Federal government	19	1%	2%	2%
Self-employed or unpaid family worker	152	5%	8%	8%

### Weeks and Hours Usually Worked

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Works 48-52 weeks/year, 35 or more hours/week	2,230	69%	68%	69%
Works 48-52 weeks/year, less than 35 hours/week	360	11%	11%	11%
Works 0-47 weeks/year, 35 or more hours/week	334	10%	11%	10%
Works 0-47 weeks/year, less than 35 hours/week	325	10%	11%	11%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey. Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

### Journey to Work

	VSS	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Drives alone in car	2,281	80%	84%	86%
Bus	107	4%	3%	2%
Bike	6	0%	0%	0%
Walk	18	1%	2%	2%
All other modes	432	15%	11%	10%

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Commutes less than 10 minutes	221	8%	10%	10%
Commutes 10-19 minutes	594	21%	33%	30%
Commutes 20-29 minutes	462	16%	31%	28%
Commutes 30-44 minutes	1,222	43%	19%	23%
Commutes 45-59 minutes	177	6%	4%	6%
Commutes 60 or more minutes	168	6%	3%	4%

	VSS	S-B	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Works at home	164	5%	7%	7%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey. Note: Except for "Works at Home", estimates limited to population who commute. Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

"Place of Work" identifies jobs located within the neighborhood and held by workers from inside or outside of the neighborhood. "Home Neighborhood of Worker" identifies jobs held by neighborhood residents, which may be located *inside* or outside of the neighborhood. The workplace is based on the administrative address, and may or may not be the location that a worker reports to most often.

### Jobs by Place of Work (2019)

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total full and part-time jobs	2,181	_	487,522	653,432
Agriculture and mining	0	0%	0%	0%
Construction	3	0%	4%	4%
Manufacturing	0	0%	11%	13%
Trade	834	38%	15%	15%
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	3	0%	9%	9%
Finance, insurance, information, and real estate	42	2%	10%	9%
Professional services	12	1%	6%	5%
Management and administration	704	32%	9%	8%
Education	0	0%	7%	7%
Health care	41	2%	13%	13%
Entertainment, arts, and recreation	86	4%	2%	2%
Accommodations and food service	435	20%	9%	9%
Other services	20	1%	3%	3%
Public administration	1	0%	2%	3%

### Jobs by Home Neighborhood of Worker (2019)

	VSS-	-B	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total full and part-time jobs	2,712	_	367,691	613,518
Agriculture and mining	3	0%	0%	0%
Construction	143	5%	4%	4%
Manufacturing	391	14%	11%	13%
Trade	443	16%	15%	15%
Transportation, warehousing, and utilities	302	11%	9%	8%
Finance, insurance, information, and real estate	160	6%	9%	8%
Professional services	115	4%	6%	5%
Management and administration	225	8%	9%	8%
Education	195	7%	8%	8%
Health care	336	12%	13%	13%
Entertainment, arts, and recreation	44	2%	2%	2%
Accommodations and food service	232	9%	10%	9%
Other services	66	2%	3%	3%
Public administration	57	2%	3%	3%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Longitudinal Employer-Household Dynamics Origin-Destination Employment Statistics (LODES). Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

### **School Enrollment**

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population age 3 and 4	184	_	19,694	31,544
Population age 3 and 4, enrolled in school	50	27%	42%	42%
Enrolled in Public school	42	23%	19%	20%
Population age 5 to 14	978	_	93,803	158,051
Population age 5 to 14, enrolled in school	967	99%	95%	96%
Enrolled in Public school	922	94%	75%	79%
Population age 15 to 17	341	_	28,153	48,770
Population age 15 to 17, enrolled in school	341	100%	96%	97%
Enrolled in Public school	341	100%	74%	79%
Population age 18 to 24	357	_	65,804	105,506
Population age 18 to 24, enrolled in school	140	39%	45%	43%

### **English Proficiency**

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population age 3+ speaking Spanish	31	1%	4%	4%
w/limited English proficiency	0	0%	2%	2%
Population age 3+ speaking Asian/PI language	0	0%	2%	1%
w/limited English proficiency	0	0%	1%	1%
Population age 3+ speaking Arabic	0	0%	0%	0%
w/limited English proficiency	0	0%	0%	0%
Population age 3+ speaking other language	9	0%	3%	2%
w/limited English proficiency	0	0%	1%	1%

### **Educational Attainment**

	VSS-	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population age 18 to 24	357	_	65,804	105,506
Less than 9th grade education	30	8%	1%	1%
9th thru 12th grade education	44	12%	10%	11%
High school graduate/GED	116	32%	34%	36%
Some college, no degree	158	44%	37%	36%
Associate degree	9	3%	4%	4%
Bachelor's degree	0	0%	13%	11%
Graduate or professional degree	0	0%	1%	1%

	VSS	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population age 25 and over	3,984	_	532,550	873,573
Less than 9th grade education	148	4%	3%	3%
9th thru 12th grade education	404	10%	6%	7%
High school graduate/GED	1,556	39%	26%	29%
Some college, no degree	794	20%	23%	22%
Associate degree	554	14%	8%	9%
Bachelor's degree	393	10%	20%	18%
Graduate or professional degree	135	3%	14%	12%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey, Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding.

### Field of Degree of Bachelor's Degree Holders

	VSS-	В	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total degrees	555	_	195,331	282,998
Science and engineering				
Computers, mathematics, and statistics	22	4%	4%	4%
Biological, agricultural, environmental sciences	8	1%	5%	5%
Physical and related sciences	8	1%	3%	3%
Psychology	0	0%	5%	5%
Social sciences	20	4%	7%	7%
Engineering	8	1%	6%	6%
Multidisciplinary studies	0	0%	1%	1%
Science and engineering related fields	150	27%	11%	11%
Business	128	23%	20%	21%
Education	38	7%	10%	12%
Arts, humanities, and other				
Literature and languages	47	8%	5%	4%
Liberal arts and history	52	9%	6%	6%
Visual and performing arts	0	0%	4%	4%
Communications	29	5%	6%	5%
Other	45	8%	6%	6%

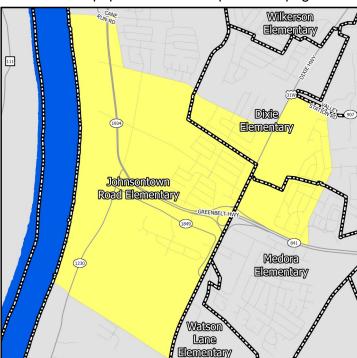
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## **Jefferson County Public Schools**

Valley Station Southwest-Bethany neighborhood is highlighted in yellow. Thick dashed lines represent school catchment area boundaries.

#### **Neighborhoods in Jefferson County**

Jefferson County Public Schools students are assigned to a "resides" (home) school, and for elementary students a cluster, based on their home address. Students may attend their resides school, other schools within the cluster, or apply for traditional and magnet schools within the district. There are also alternative schools serving particular segments of the population. The maps on this page

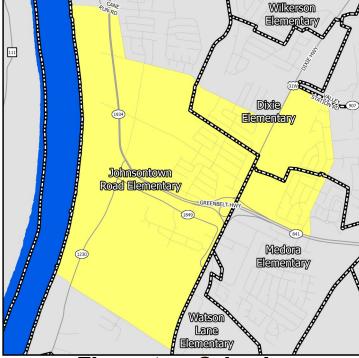


#### **Middle Schools**

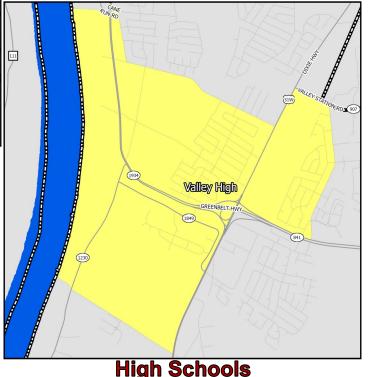
show only the "resides" schools for students within a particular neighborhood. Additional information on JCPS student assignment – which has recently been revised – can be found on their website.

#### Neighborhoods in Indiana

Indiana schools have open enrollment policies that allow for intra-district and inter-district transfers. The maps on this page show only the schools assigned to a student within a particular neighborhood based on their home address. Additional information on open enrollment policies can be obtained from individual district offices.



**Elementary Schools** 



### **Jefferson County Public Schools**

Schools Serving Neighborhood	Level	Cluster	Enrollment	Non-White	Free Lunch Eligible	Student/ Teacher	KDE/IDOE Grade
Dixie	Elementary	2	386	61.4%	90.9%	13.4	2
Johnsontown Road	Elementary	2	315	54.0%	84.6%	14.5	2
Medora	Elementary	1	484	27.1%	72.2%	18.1	3
Frost	Middle		507	61.1%	84.5%	17.1	1
Stuart	Middle	_	931	59.1%	90.4%	17.0	1
Valley	High	_	985	47.8%	80.9%	14.4	1

Data Source: National Center for Education Statistics, Kentucky Department of Education (KDE), Indiana Department of Education (IDOE), Jefferson County Public Schools, 2020-2021 Academic Year. Note: KDE grade is the number of stars — out of 5 — that the Kentucky school or district received on the most recent (2018-2019) school accountability report. IDOE grade is the A-F grade that the Indiana school or district received on the most recent (2018-2019) school accountability report.

# **Jefferson County Public Schools**

Schools Serving Neighborhood	Level	Reading Proficiency	Math Proficiency	KG Ready	Graduation Rate	College Transition
Dixie	Elementary	34.0%	24.5%	25.0%	_	_
Johnsontown Road	Elementary	37.2%	36.6%	48.8%	_	
Medora	Elementary	53.7%	44.7%	29.6%	_	_
Frost	Middle	29.1%	24.0%	_	_	
Stuart	Middle	25.3%	12.6%	_	_	_
Valley	High	16.4%	11.9%	_	82.8%	51.2%

Data Source: Kentucky Department of Education, Indiana Department of Education, 2018-2019 Academic Year. Note: KG=Kindergarten.

# HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

### **Housing Units**

	VSS-	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Total housing units	2,410	_	347,172	547,307
Occupied housing units	2,184	91%	91%	91%
Owner occupied	1,543	71%	62%	67%
Renter occupied	641	29%	38%	33%
Vacant housing units	226	9%	9%	9%

	VSS-	VSS-B		MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Single-family housing units	1,783	74%	68%	73%
Multi-family housing units	554	23%	30%	23%
2-4 unit structures	192	8%	10%	8%
5-9 unit structures	127	5%	7%	6%
10+ unit structures	235	10%	13%	10%
Other housing units	73	3%	1%	3%

### Home Value/Rent

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Median reported value of owner occupied housing units	\$141,572	\$178,100	\$177,400
Median gross rent of renter occupied housing units	\$1,034	\$901	\$882
Median contract rent of renter occupied housing units	\$868	\$741	\$719

### **Internet Access**

	VSS-	В	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Households w/internet access of any type	2,042	93%	89%	87%
Households w/any broadband internet access	2,024	93%	87%	85%
Households w/cell phone internet access only	410	19%	13%	12%
Households w/no internet access	142	7%	11%	13%

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey. Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 due to rounding. **Contract rent** is the amount indicated on the lease. **Gross rent** includes the estimated monthly cost of utilities that are paid by the tenant.

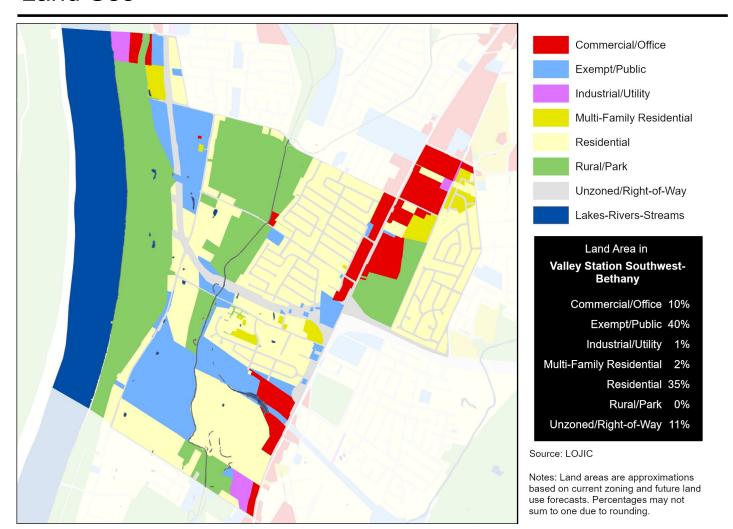
# HOUSING CHARACTERISTICS

### Housing Cost Burden

According to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, households that spend more than 30% of their income on housing are considered cost burdened and may have difficulty affording necessities such as food, transportation, and medical care.

	VSS-B		County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Renters paying 30%+ income on housing	83	14%	43%	43%
Owners paying 30%+ income on housing (mortgage)	108	10%	21%	20%
Owners paying 30%+ income on housing (no mortgage)	125	24%	11%	10%

### Land Use



### HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS

### Health Insurance Coverage

	VSS-	В	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population under 6 years without health insurance	0	0%	3%	3%
Population under 18 years without health insurance	37	2%	3%	3%
Total population without health insurance	222	4%	5%	5%

### **Disability Status**

	VSS-	В	County	MSA
	Estimate	Percent	Percent	Percent
Population with a disability	647	11%	14%	14%

### **Food Access**

	VSS-B	Jefferson County
Population who are low income and do not live close to a grocery store	0	92,837
Census tracts designated a food desert	0	36

### Crime (2019)

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Violent crimes	141	13,314	16,031
Violent crimes per 100,000 population	2,380	1,728	1,262
Property crimes	324	29,085	34,867
Property crimes per 100,000 population	5,468	3,775	2,744

Neighborhood crime includes only incidents reported to Louisville Metro Police Department— it does not include incidents reported to other local agencies. County and MSA crime includes incidents reported to all agencies.

Data Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2016-2020 American Community Survey. ESRI Business Analyst. FBI, Uniform Crime Reports. Louisville Metro Police Department. Note: Population who are low income is defined as living at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty line. Within an urban area, not living close to a grocery store is defined as living further than one mile from a full service grocery store. Food deserts are defined at the census tract level, when the tract is considered low income and low access. A tract is considered low income if the tract's poverty rate is 20% or greater, or if the tract has a median family income less than or equal to 80% of the metropolitan area's median family income. A census tract is considered to have low access if a significant number (at least 500 people) and share (at least 33%) of individuals in the tract are greater than one mile from the nearest grocery store.

# HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS

### **Fertility Measures**

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Births to mothers who smoked during pregnancy	16%	10%	10%
Births to mothers without a high school degree	11%	13%	_
Births to unmarried mothers	60%	46%	47%
Low birthweight births (<2,500 grams)	10%	9%	9%
Teen birth rate per 1,000 women age 15-19	14	22.0	22.6

### **Mortality Measures**

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Years of potential life lost (age 75) per 100,000	12,424	8,318	8,186

### **Health Behaviors**

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Population 18+ currently smokes	20%	22%	17%
Population 18+ obese	24%	34%	34%
Population 18+ binge drinking	14%	18%	16%
Population 18+ reporting 'fair' or 'poor' health	12%	14%	17%

### **Health Outcomes**

	VSS-B	County	MSA
Population 18+ reports having/had asthma	7%	10%	15%
Population 18+ reports having/had cancer	6%	8%	10%
Population 18+ reports having/had CHD	6%	7%	8%
Population 18+ reports having/had COPD	8%	9%	10%
Population 18+ reports having/had depression	19%	23%	23%
Population 18+ reports having/had diabetes	8%	12%	11%
Population 18+ reports having/had stroke	3%	4%	5%

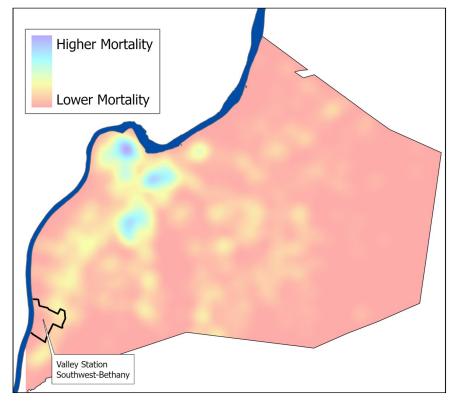
Data Source: Vital Stats: Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services Department of Public Health, Indiana Department of Health, 2015-2019. Health Behaviors and Health Outcomes: Centers for Disease Control, Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2019. Note: CHD=coronary heart disease, COPD=chronic obstructive pulmonary disease.

### HEALTH CHARACTERISTICS

### **Drug Overdose Mortality**

The age-adjusted rate of drug overdose deaths in Jefferson County was 37 deaths per 100,000 standard population.

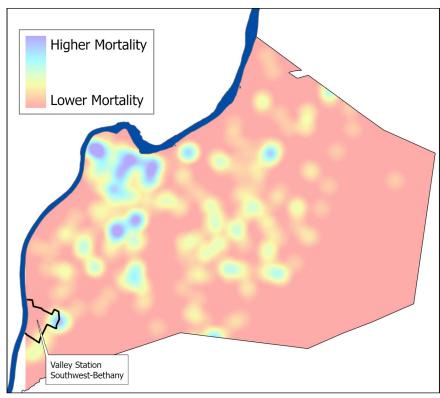
Due to the small number of observations, a drug overdose mortality rate was not calculated for individual neighborhoods.



#### **Infant Mortality**

For every 1,000 live births in Jefferson County there were 6.2 infant deaths.

Due to the small number of observations, an infant mortality rate was not calculated for individual neighborhoods.



Data Source: Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services. Note: Mortality data covers the period 2015-2019.