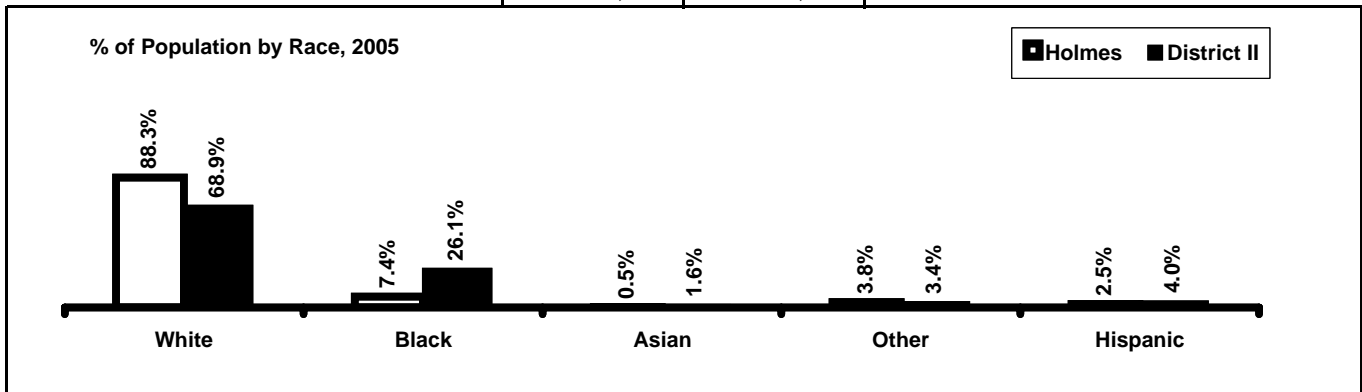


# HOLMES COUNTY HEALTH PROFILE

## 2006

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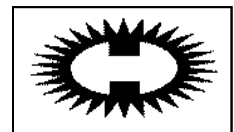


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The Big Bend Health Council is comprised of Bay, Calhoun, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Holmes, Jackson, Jefferson, Leon, Liberty, Madison, Taylor, Wakulla, and Washington Counties. The mission of the Council is as follows:

- 1 Provide effective health planning for the area.
- 2 Promote the development of health services, a supply of health professionals, and facilities which meet identified community health needs in a cost effective manner.
- 3 Increase public and individual awareness of health issues and available resources.
- 4 Assist individuals and communities in maintaining and improving health.

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## HOLMES COUNTY

DEMOGRAPHICS, 2005	Holmes		District II	
	Number	%	Number	%
Total Population	19,478		685,646	
White	17,199	88.3%	472,393	68.9%
Black	1,441	7.4%	179,202	26.1%
Asian	97	0.5%	10,967	1.6%
Other	740	3.8%	23,083	3.4%
Hispanic	487	2.5%	27,195	4.0%
Age 0-17	4,168	21.4%	147,267	21.5%
Age 18-64	12,291	63.1%	454,729	66.3%
Age 65+	3,019	15.5%	83,650	12.2%
Male	10,401	53.4%	341,464	49.8%
Female	9,077	46.6%	344,193	50.2%

Source: ESRI Population Data.

SOCIOECONOMICS	Holmes	District II
Per Capita Income, 2005	\$17,605	
Median Household Income, 2005	\$32,002	
% Persons below 100% Fed. Poverty Level, 2003	18.6%	13.9%
% Students on Free/Reduced Lunch, 2004-05	56.8%	47.7%
Unemployment Rate, 2004	4.8%	4.3%
High Sch. Diplomas/Higher (Population 25+), 2000	65.2%	79.3%
College Diplomas/Higher (Population 25+), 2000	8.8%	23.3%



Sources: Per Capita/Median Household Income-ESRI Population Data; Poverty-Bureau of the Census.  
% High Sch. Diplomas/Higher, College Diplomas (Bachelor's Degree/Higher)-Bureau of the Census.  
Free/Reduced Lunch-Florida Information Note, Education Information & Accountability Services,  
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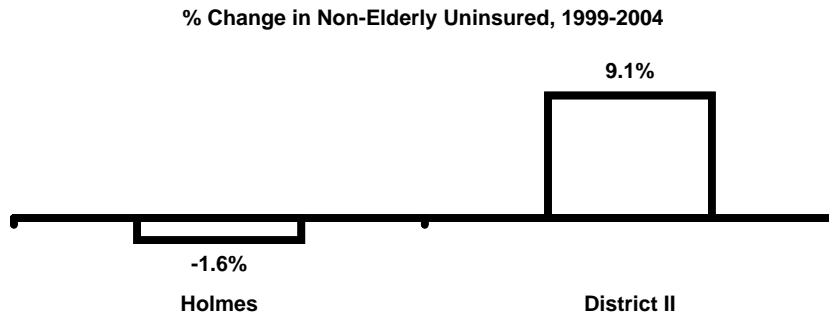
MATERNAL & INFANT HEALTH, 2004	Holmes	District II	HP 2010*
Number of Total Births	215	8,471	
Total Birth Rate/1,000 Population	11.3	12.3	
Births to Mothers Age 15-19/1,000 Females	68.9	39.0	
Repeat Births to Mothers age 15-19/1,000 Females	20.0	15.6	
% Low Birthweight (Less Than 2500 Grams)	10.7%	9.3%	5.0%
% Births: Late/No Prenatal Care	13.7%	4.1%	
% Kindergarten Immunized	98.8%	96.7%	95.0%
Infant Deaths/1,000 Live Births	14.0	9.1	4.5

\*HP 2010: Healthy People 2010 is a set of health objectives for the Nation to achieve by the year 2010.

Source: Florida CHARTS.

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HEALTHCARE ACCESS, 1999 & 2004	Holmes		District II		% Change: Non-Elderly Uninsured 1999-2004	
	Number	%	Number	%		
Non-Elderly (0-64) Uninsured						
1999	3,327	21.0%	87,367	16.0%	Holmes	-1.6%
2004	3,273	20.4%	95,303	16.1%	District II	9.1%



Source: Florida Health Insurance Study, 1999 & 2004.

FEDERAL DESIGNATIONS	Designation		Type (and Number)*
	Yes	No	
Health Professional Shortage Area			
Primary Care	Yes		LIC (1); CI (1)
Dental Care	Yes		LIC (1); CI (1)
Mental Care	Yes		C; CI (1)
MUA/P*	Yes		C

\*C-Entire County; LIC-Low Income; LIC/MFW-LIC Migrant Farm Worker; CHC-Community Health Center; CI-Correctional Institute. \*MUA/P: Medically Underserved Areas/Populations.

Source: HRSA.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH	Holmes			District II			Healthy People 2010 Objective
	Number 2004	Crude Rate* 2004	AADR* 2004	Number 2004	Crude Rate* 2004	AADR* 2004	
All Causes	205	1077.4	919.6	5,506	797.9	882.9	
Heart Disease	91	478.3	388	1,413	204.8	237.4	166.0
Cancer	39	205.0	177.3	1,276	184.9	200.9	159.9
Unintentional Injuries	12	63.1	68.3	307	44.5	56.3	17.5
Stroke	5	26.3	21.8	333	48.3	56.2	48.0
COPD*	17	89.3	71.9	292	42.3	47.6	60.0

\*COPD-Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease.

\*A crude death rate gives a general estimate of mortality in a population; it does not provide an accurate picture of the true nature of mortality because of the differences of population composition.

\*An age-adjusted death rate (AADR) adjusts the differences in age distribution and allows populations with different age structures to be compared. These two rates are per 100,000 population.

Source: Florida CHARTS.

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<b>UTILIZATION, CY 2004 HOSPITAL DISCHARGES</b>	<b>Holmes</b>	<b>District II</b>
Total Resident Discharges	2,382	78,890
Hospitalization Discharge Rate-Total/100,000	12,523	11,623
Hospital Utilization (Acute Care Beds)	39.3%	49.3%
Nursing Home Utilization Rate	82.5%	89.9%
Emergency Room Visits per Day	13.4	734.8
County and District Data: % of ER cases admitted to a hospital divided by ER cases.	14.6%	15.2%
ER Cases = Total of ER cases admitted to a hospital plus ER cases treated and released from ER.		

*Sources: AHCA Discharge Data; District Utilization Report 2004.*

*ER Data: District Utilization Report 2004-Note: Gulf/Madison (in Total District) 6 Months Data Only.*

<b>AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE RESEARCH AND QUALITY (AHRQ) PREVENTION QUALITY INDICATORS: HOSPITAL ADMISSION FOR AMBULATORY CARE SENSITIVE CONDITIONS-RATES, 2004</b>	<b>Rates in Descending Order by District</b>	
	<b>Holmes</b>	<b>District II</b>
Congestive Heart Failure Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Age 18+)	504.2	464.6
Perforated Appendix Admission Rate per 1,000 Admissions with Appendicitis	384.6	307.5
Bacterial Pneumonia Admissions per 100,000 (Total Population)	609.9	291.0
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Admissions Rate/100,000 (Age 18+)	726.1	268.6
Pediatric Gastroenteritis Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Age <18)	410.0	183.7
Urinary Tract Infection Admissions per 100,000 (Total Population)	283.9	144.5
Pediatric Asthma Admissions per 100,000 (Age < 18)	144.7	141.7
Diabetes Long-term Complications Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Age 18+)	94.1	111.8
Dehydration Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Total Population)	120.9	100.0
Adult Asthma Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Age 18+)	67.2	90.5
Diabetes Short-term Complications Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Age 18+)	100.8	51.4
Angina without Procedure Admissions per 100,000 (Age 18+)	450.4	45.9
Hypertension Admissions Rate per 100,000 (Age 18+)	60.5	42.2
Uncontrolled Diabetes Admissions per 100,000 (Age 18+)	74.0	21.6
Low Birth Weight Rate (% All Births)	5.2%	5.9%
Lower-extremity Amputation among Patients with Diabetes Rate/1,000 (Age 18+)	0.2	0.5

*Sources: Calendar Year 2004 Hospital Discharge Data File; AHRQ Quality Indicators, Guide to Prevention Quality Indicators: Hospital Admission for Ambulatory Care Sensitive Conditions, Revision 4, November 24, 2004; Community Sourcebook America, 2004 Edition, ESRI.*

<b>NUMBER OF HOSPITAL LICENSED BEDS, JANUARY 2006</b>	<b>Holmes</b>	<b>District II</b>
Acute Care	25	1,723
Long Term Care Hospital	0	30
Neonatal Intensive Care Unit II	0	23
Neonatal Intensive Care Unit III	0	17
Psychiatric-Total	0	174
Rehabilitation	0	151

*Sources: Hospital Beds and Service List, Florida Agency for Health Care Administration, 1/2006.*