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How is this county's population doing?

1. Sussex County, Delaware has the 4th-highest population (225,322) of the 393 counties that are better than the nationwide public-safety averages in each of traffic fatalities, drinking water, airborne cancer risk, air quality, and toxic-chemical exposure. Those 225,322 represent 1.6% of the total across the 393 counties, whose average is 35,392.

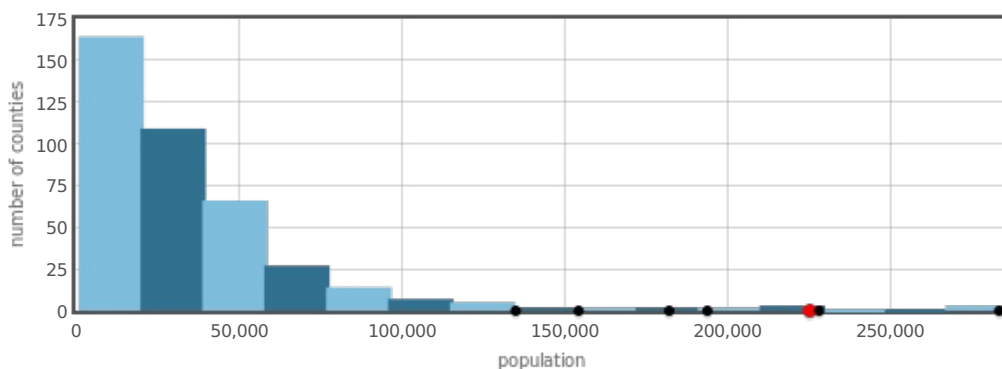
Sussex County, Delaware has these standings *among those 393 peer counties* plus nationwide comparisons:

- car crash fatalities per 100,000 population = 16.58 (26th-most)
the nationwide average is 17.26
- unsafe drinking water exposure = 2.04% (114th-most)
the nationwide average is 9.20%
- airborne cancer risk per million in population = 36.58 (63rd-highest)
the nationwide average is 39.61
- risk of developing serious respiratory complications per 10,000 in population = 1.36 (94th-highest, tied)
the nationwide average is 1.78
- chronic health risk from exposure to toxic chemicals = 637.44 (177th-highest)
the nationwide average is 158,974
- households in a FEMA-designated flood hazard area = 20.16% (17th-most)
the nationwide average is 6.13%

outdone by Ottawa County, Michigan (286,383), San Luis Obispo County, California (283,405), and Yavapai County, Arizona (228,168).

outdid Onslow County, North Carolina (193,893), Litchfield County, Connecticut (182,177), Indian River County, Florida (154,383), and Washington County, Wisconsin (135,101), and 385 others, ending with Irion County, Texas (1,516).

■ Sussex County, Delaware



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How is this county's population doing?

2. Sussex County, Delaware is one of just 3 Delaware counties.
with New Castle County, Delaware and Kent County, Delaware.

Where could it improve?

1. Sussex County, Delaware has the 11th-lowest natural amenities index (0.05) of the 811 counties that are urban high-performing. That 0.05 compares to an average of 2.05 and standard deviation of 2.20 across those 811 counties.

Sussex County, Delaware has these related standings *among those 811 peer counties* :

- natural amenities index = 0.05 (11th-lowest, tied)
- chronic health risk from exposure to toxic chemicals = 637.44 (185th-lowest)
- households in a FEMA-designated flood hazard area = 20.16% (44th-most)
- very-hot days per year = 5 (130th-fewest, tied)
- risk of developing serious respiratory complications per 10,000 in population = 1.36 (123rd-lowest, tied)
- airborne cancer risk per million in population = 36.58 (170th-lowest)
- unsafe drinking water exposure = 2.04% (328th-most, tied)
- land area covered by tree canopy, weighted by population = 33.32% (294th-most)

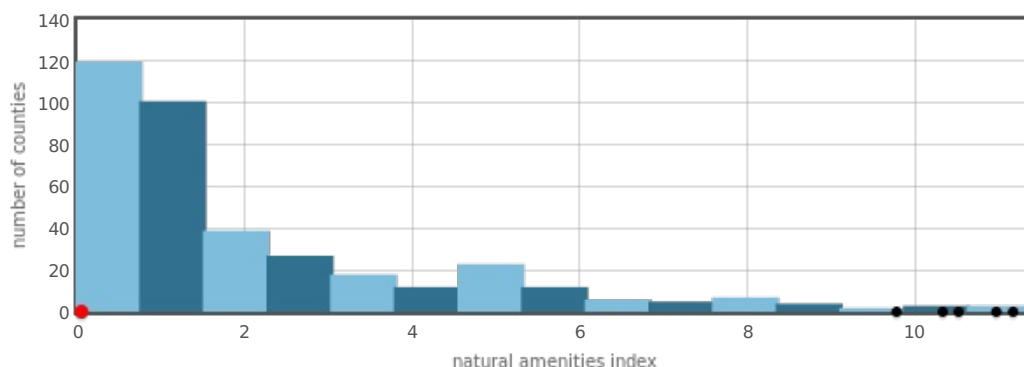
better than Franklin County, Massachusetts (0.00), Warren County, New York (0.00), Bucks County, Pennsylvania (0.01), and Queens County, New York (0.01), and 6 others, ending with Buffalo County, Nebraska (0.04).

tied with Wagoner County, Oklahoma (0.05).

trailed Hughes County, South Dakota (0.07), Livingston Parish, Louisiana (0.07), Hillsborough County, New Hampshire (0.07), and Christian County, Missouri (0.08), and others, ending with Ventura County, California (11.17).

444 out of the other 810 counties were ruled out due to missing, unknown, or not-applicable values for natural amenities index, e.g., Perry County, Pennsylvania.

 Sussex County, Delaware





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Where could it improve?

2. Sussex County, Delaware has the 8th-lowest natural amenities index (0.05) of the 178 Mid-Atlantic counties. That 0.05 compares to an average of 0.49 and standard deviation of 0.39 across those 178 counties.

Sussex County, Delaware has these related standings *among those 178 peer counties* :

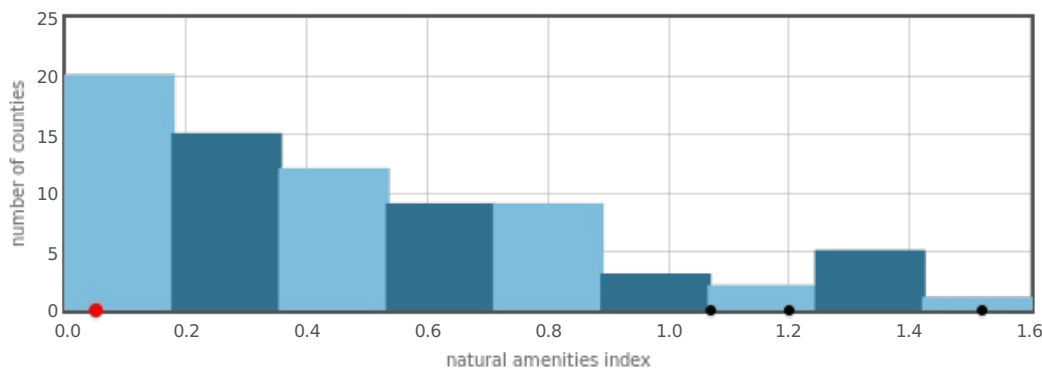
- natural amenities index = 0.05 (8th-lowest)
- chronic health risk from exposure to toxic chemicals = 637.44 (45th-lowest)
- households in a FEMA-designated flood hazard area = 20.16% (7th-most)
- very-hot days per year = 5 (3rd-fewest, tied)
- risk of developing serious respiratory complications per 10,000 in population = 1.36 (36th-lowest, tied)
- airborne cancer risk per million in population = 36.58 (43rd-lowest)
- unsafe drinking water exposure = 2.04% (68th-least)
- land area covered by tree canopy, weighted by population = 33.32% (71st-least)

better than Warren County, New York (0.00), Somerset County, Pennsylvania (0.01), Bucks County, Pennsylvania (0.01), and Sullivan County, Pennsylvania (0.01), and 3 others, ending with Harford County, Maryland (0.04).

trailed Elk County, Pennsylvania (0.07), Cape May County, New Jersey (0.07), Orange County, New York (0.09), and Cecil County, Maryland (0.10), and others, ending with Suffolk County, New York (1.52).

102 out of the other 177 counties were ruled out due to missing, unknown, or not-applicable values for natural amenities index, e.g., Bedford County, Pennsylvania.

■ Sussex County, Delaware



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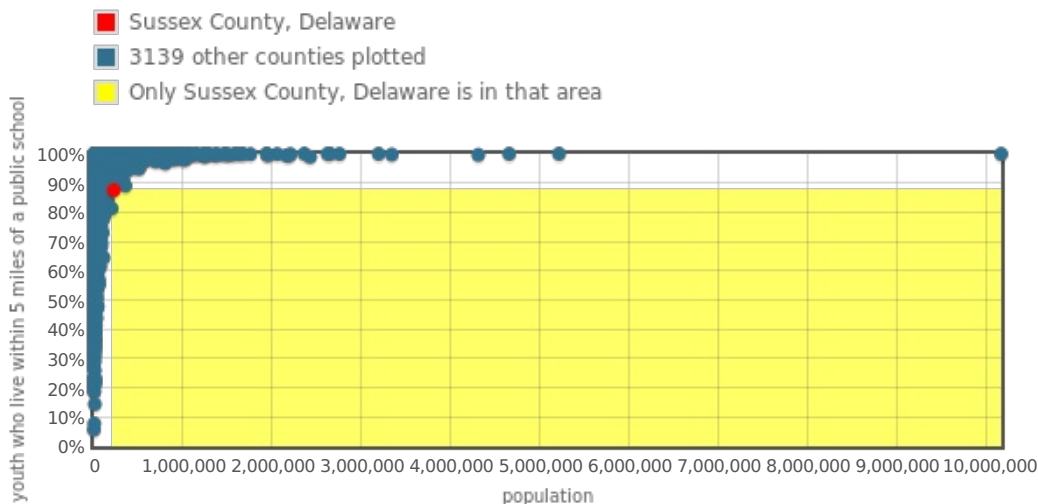
Where could it improve?

3. Sussex County, Delaware has the fewest youth who live within 5 miles of a public school (87.55%) among the 333 counties with at least 200,182 in population (Sussex County, Delaware is at 225,322). That 87.55% compares to an average of 98.35% and standard deviation of 2.20% across those 333 counties.

Sussex County, Delaware has these related standings *among those 333 peer counties* :

- youth who live within 5 miles of a public school = 87.55% (the fewest)
- pre-school enrollment = 36.48% (24th-lowest)
- tax returns that claim adult education tax credits = 3.70% (27th-fewest, tied)
- youth of ages 16-19 who are neither working nor enrolled in school = 4.81% (29th-most)
- high-school graduation rate = 84.03% (130th-lowest)
- population age 25+ with an Associate Degree or higher = 31.78% (53rd-least)
- 4th-grade students who are proficient in English Language Arts = 54.04% (145th-most)
- public-school spending per student = \$17,404 (47th-most)

trailed Whatcom County, Washington (88.52%), York County, Maine (89.01%), Marion County, Florida (89.07%), and Horry County, South Carolina (90.64%), and 328 others, ending with Broward County, Florida (100%).



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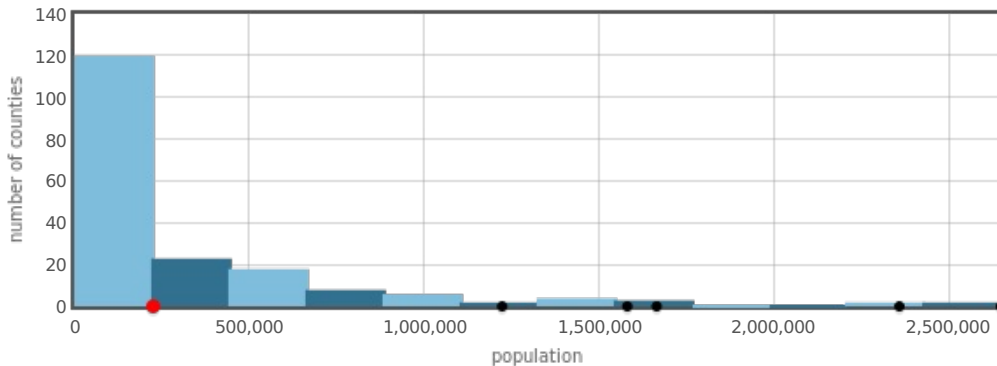
4. Of the 59 counties in the Mid Atlantic that have at least 225,322 in population, Sussex County, Delaware is one of just 9 that are worse than the nationwide adult-disease averages in each of diabetes, heart disease, and cancer.

Sussex County, Delaware has these standings *among those 59 peer counties* plus nationwide comparisons:

- adult obesity = 30.80% (8th-most)
the nationwide average is 30.84%
- adult diabetes = 10.2% (11th-most)
the nationwide average is 9.6%
- heart disease among older adults = 31.23% (18th-most)
the nationwide average is 26.35%
- cancer among older adults = 8.79% (27th-most)
the nationwide average is 7.15%

Sussex County, Delaware (225,322), with Atlantic County, New Jersey (269,918), Gloucester County, New Jersey (292,206), Luzerne County, Pennsylvania (317,343), and Essex County, New Jersey (808,285), and 4 others, ending with Kings County, New York (2,648,771).

 Sussex County, Delaware



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Where could it improve?

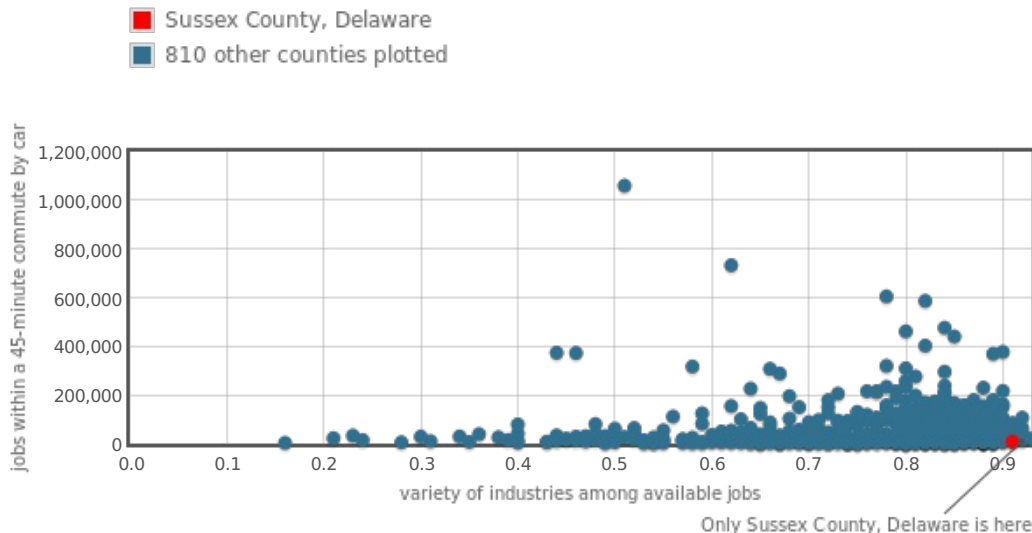
5. Sussex County, Delaware has the fewest jobs within a 45-minute commute by car (8,769) of the 32 counties that are urban high-performing and have at least 0.91 as the variety of industries among available jobs.

That is, among those 32 counties that *do well* on one measure, Sussex County, Delaware *does least well* on a related measure. Those 8,769 represent 0.68% of the total across the 32 counties, whose average is 40,259.

Sussex County, Delaware has these related standings *among those 32 peer counties* :

- jobs within a 45-minute commute by car = 8,769 (the fewest)
- new-business growth rate = 9.01% (10th-lowest)
- variety of industries among available jobs = 0.91 (the least, tied)
- labor-force participation = 57.43% (3rd-lowest)
- average weekly wage = \$742.00 (4th-lowest)
- civilian labor-force unemployment = 4.4% (16th-lowest)
- households that receive public-assistance income = 2.38% (16th-fewest)
- median household income = \$53,751 (14th-lowest)
- poverty rate = 12.63% (14th-lowest)

after Sussex County, Delaware (8,769, 0.91), closest are Warren County, Virginia (8,883, 0.91), Wicomico County, Maryland (15,885, 0.91), Whatcom County, Washington (15,968, 0.92), and Woodbury County, Iowa (19,038, 0.92), ending with Riverside County, California (107,066, 0.92).



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What's best in class?

What is best in class on adult diabetes?

1. Warren County, New Jersey has the least adult diabetes (7.9%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 10.2%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 8.0% is Niagara County, New York.

Sussex County, Delaware is 86th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 5.8% (Hunterdon County, New Jersey) to a worst of 12.2% (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 8.7% and standard deviation of 1.3%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 9.6% and median is 9.3% and standard deviation is 2.2%. Best is Eagle County, Colorado with 3.8%. Worst is Lowndes County, Alabama with 20.8%.

What is best in class on adult obesity?

1. New Castle County, Delaware has the least adult obesity (27.20%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 30.80%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 27.20% is Harford County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 79th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 14.80% (New York County, New York) to a worst of 35.80% (Wicomico County, Maryland), with an average of 27.40% and standard deviation of 3.90%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 30.84% and median is 31.00% and standard deviation is 4.60%. Best is Eagle County, Colorado with 11.80%. Worst is Claiborne County, Mississippi with 47.90%.

What is best in class on homeownership rate?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the highest homeownership rate (83.8%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 77.6%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 81.6% is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 18th best (tied with 1 other) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 22.9% (New York County, New York) to a best of 84.1% (Pike County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 69.2% and standard deviation of 11.2%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 71.4% and median is 72.7% and standard deviation is 8.2%. Best is Catron County, New Mexico with 92.7%. Worst is Kalawao County, Hawaii with 3.7%.

What is best in class on labor-force participation?

1. Calvert County, Maryland has the highest labor-force participation (69.16%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 57.43%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 68.62% is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is worst among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 57.43% to a best of 72.08% (Howard County, Maryland), with an average of 64.80% and standard deviation of 3.30%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 58.82% and median is 59.37% and standard deviation is 7.90%. Best is Aleutians East Borough, Alaska with 88.20%. Worst is Forest County, Pennsylvania with 18.46%.

What is best in class on overcrowded households?

1. Harford County, Maryland has the fewest overcrowded households (0.89%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 1.90%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.90% is Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 70th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.47% (Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania) to a worst of 10.72% (Kings County, New York), with an average of 2.10% and standard deviation of 1.80%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 2.41% and median is 1.90% and standard deviation is 2.40%. Best is Radford City, Virginia with 0.00%, tied with Mathews County, Virginia, Calhoun County, West Virginia, Jefferson County, Nebraska, and Lexington City, Virginia, and 31 others. Worst is Kusilvak Census Area, Alaska with 51.99%.

What is best in class on poverty rate?

1. Calvert County, Maryland has the lowest poverty rate (5.84%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 12.63%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 7.47% is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 65th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 4.40% (Hunterdon County, New Jersey) to a worst of 23.66% (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 11.20% and standard deviation of 4.00%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 16.70% and median is 15.97% and standard deviation is 6.60%. Best is Borden County, Texas with 1.42%. Worst is Oglala Lakota County, South Dakota with 53.32%.

What is best in class on racial integration?

1. Berks County, Pennsylvania has the most racial integration (45.00%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 42.00%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 43.00% is Salem County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 12th best (tied with 3 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 18.00% (Howard County, Maryland) to a best of 50.00% (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 34.10% and standard deviation of 7.10%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 41.40% and median is 41.00% and standard deviation is 11.70%. Best is Chouteau County, Montana with 86.00%. Worst is Manassas Park City, Virginia with 11.00%.

What is best in class on vacant houses?

1. Calvert County, Maryland has the fewest vacant houses (0.01%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 1.89%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.24% is Wyoming County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 60th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.01% (Calvert County, Maryland) to a worst of 8.87% (Schoharie County, New York), with an average of 2.00% and standard deviation of 1.60%.

Among all 3,125 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 3.55% and median is 2.60% and standard deviation is 3.60%. Best is Sandoval County, New Mexico with 0.00%, tied with Apache County, Arizona, Pender County, North Carolina, Carroll County, New Hampshire, and Delaware County, Oklahoma, and 242 others. Worst is Stonewall County, Texas with 33.73%.

What is best in class on walkability index?

1. New Castle County, Delaware has the highest walkability index (11.68) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 7.39) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 11.49 is Atlantic County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 56th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 4.41 (Schoharie County, New York) to a best of 14.52 (Hudson County, New Jersey), with an average of 9.00 and standard deviation of 2.70.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 6.30 and median is 6.10 and standard deviation is 1.80. Best is San Francisco County, California with 16.23. Worst is Loving County, Texas with 1.00.

What is best in class on average weekly wage?

1. St. Mary's County, Maryland has the highest average weekly wage (\$1,245) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with \$742.00) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with \$1,154 is New Castle County, Delaware.

Sussex County, Delaware is 92nd best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of \$618.00 (Perry County, Pennsylvania) to a best of \$2,184 (New York County, New York), with an average of \$992.90 and standard deviation of \$243.80.

Among all 3,141 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is \$748.30 and median is \$714.00 and standard deviation is \$167.40. Best is Santa Clara County, California with \$2,271. Worst is Delta County, Texas with \$406.00.

What is best in class on civilian labor-force unemployment?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the lowest civilian labor-force unemployment (3.8%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 4.4%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 3.8% is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 39th best (tied with 5 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 3.2% (Howard County, Maryland) to a worst of 7.4% (Atlantic County, New Jersey), with an average of 4.7% and standard deviation of 0.80%.

Among all 3,141 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 5.3% and median is 5.0% and standard deviation is 1.9%. Best is Baca County, Colorado with 1.7%. Worst is Imperial County, California with 23.5%.

What is best in class on food environment index?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the highest food environment index (9.2) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 8.3) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 8.9 is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 45th best (tied with 9 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 5.9 (Baltimore City, Maryland) to a best of 9.6 (Nassau County, New York), with an average of 8.2 and standard deviation of 0.66.

Among all 3,136 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 7.0 and median is 7.3 and standard deviation is 1.3. Best is Loudoun County, Virginia with 10.0. Worst is Corson County, South Dakota with 0.

What is best in class on high-school graduation rate?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the highest high-school graduation rate (95.00%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 84.03%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 94.00% is St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 67th best among the 93 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 66.00% (District of Columbia) to a best of 96.00% (Carroll County, Maryland), with an average of 87.30% and standard deviation of 5.30%.

Among all 2,775 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 85.61% and median is 87.00% and standard deviation is 8.10%. Best is Carter County, Kentucky with 99.50%, tied with Lauderdale County, Tennessee and Rowan County, Kentucky. Worst is Jefferson County, Mississippi with 2.50%.

What is best in class on median household income?

1. Calvert County, Maryland has the highest median household income (\$95,828) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with \$53,751) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with \$86,987 is St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 79th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of \$42,241 (Baltimore City, Maryland) to a best of \$110,238 (Howard County, Maryland), with an average of \$66,751 and standard deviation of \$15,799.

Among all 3,141 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is \$46,830 and median is \$45,111 and standard deviation is \$12,251. Best is Loudoun County, Virginia with \$123,453. Worst is McCreary County, Kentucky with \$19,328.

What is best in class on new-business growth rate?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the highest new-business growth rate (10.51%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 9.01%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 10.47% is Kent County, Delaware.

Sussex County, Delaware is 47th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 4.40% (Montour County, Pennsylvania) to a best of 14.09%

(Kings County, New York), with an average of 9.00% and standard deviation of 1.50%.

Among all 3,141 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 8.69% and median is 8.27% and standard deviation is 3.20%. Best is Sterling County, Texas with 50.00%. Worst is Catron County, New Mexico with 0.00%, tied with Ziebach County, South Dakota, Buffalo County, South Dakota, Boyd County, Nebraska, and Carter County, Montana, and 12 others.

What is best in class on teenage birth rate?

1. St. Mary's County, Maryland has the lowest teenage birth rate (1.01%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 7%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 1.22% is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 88th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0% (Talbot County, Maryland) to a worst of 16.54% (Wicomico County, Maryland), with an average of 3.50% and standard deviation of 2.50%.

Among all 3,110 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 6.34% and median is 4.07% and standard deviation is 8.50%. Best is Delaware County, Ohio with 0%, tied with Tolland County, Connecticut, Johnson County, Iowa, Sussex County, New Jersey, and Washington County, Rhode Island, and 762 others. Worst is Moore County, Tennessee with 100%.

What is best in class on cancer among older adults?

1. Washington County, Maryland has the least cancer among older adults (6.83%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 8.79%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 6.86% is Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 65th best among the 97 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 6.20% (Schoharie County, New York) to a worst of 10.68% (Ocean County, New Jersey), with an average of 8.50% and standard deviation of 0.92%.

Among all 3,096 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 7.15% and median is 7.13% and standard deviation is 1.20%. Best is Sedgwick County, Colorado with 2.93%. Worst is Lane County, Kansas with 12.65%.

What is best in class on homicides per 100,000 population?

1. Warren County, New Jersey has the fewest homicides per 100,000 population (1.480) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 4.120) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 2.080 is Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 56th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 1.110 (Centre County, Pennsylvania) to a worst of 13.070 (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 4.300 and standard deviation of 2.400.

Among all 2,583 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 5.161 and median is 4.540 and standard deviation is 3.100. Best is Winnebago County, Wisconsin with 0.890. Worst is St. Bernard Parish, Louisiana with 36.300.

What is best in class on households with internet access?

1. Monroe County, Pennsylvania has the most households with internet access (99.06%) among the 20 counties

most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 95.90%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 98.75% is Niagara County, New York.

Sussex County, Delaware is 71st best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 63.40% (Snyder County, Pennsylvania) to a best of 100% (Passaic County, New Jersey), with an average of 95.50% and standard deviation of 6.90%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 64.96% and median is 73.60% and standard deviation is 31.90%. Best is Kings County, New York with 100%, tied with Dallas County, Texas, King County, Washington, Tarrant County, Texas, and Nassau County, New York, and 115 others. Worst is Apache County, Arizona with 0.00%, tied with Cibola County, New Mexico, Marion County, Mississippi, Logan County, Arkansas, and Llano County, Texas, and 138 others.

What is best in class on nonprofits per 100,000 population?

1. New Castle County, Delaware has the most nonprofits per 100,000 population (70.7) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 38.0) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 50.8 is Dauphin County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 46th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 22.1 (Hudson County, New Jersey) to a best of 161.2 (District of Columbia), with an average of 42.1 and standard deviation of 17.5.

Among all 3,141 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 43.9 and median is 38.1 and standard deviation is 33.2. Best is Edgefield County, South Carolina with 1,353. Worst is Daggett County, Utah with 0.00, tied with Loving County, Texas.

What is best in class on population without health insurance?

1. Harford County, Maryland has the least population without health insurance (5.02%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 9.83%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 5.14% is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 76th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 4.48% (Hunterdon County, New Jersey) to a worst of 19.44% (Hudson County, New Jersey), with an average of 8.50% and standard deviation of 2.80%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 13.43% and median is 12.87% and standard deviation is 5.40%. Best is McPherson County, Nebraska with 1.85%. Worst is Aleutians East Borough, Alaska with 56.29%.

What is best in class on unsafe drinking water exposure?

1. St. Mary's County, Maryland has the least unsafe drinking water exposure (0.00%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 2.04%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.00% is Niagara County, New York.

Sussex County, Delaware is 41st best among the 95 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.00% (Monroe County, New York) to a worst of 100% (Richmond County, New York), with an average of 8.80% and standard deviation of 14.50%.

Among all 3,082 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 9.20% and median is 1.13% and standard deviation is 16.80%. Best is King County, Washington with 0.00%, tied with Wayne County, Michigan, New York County, New York, Alameda County, California, and Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, and 1,101 others. Worst is Richmond County, New York with 100%, tied with Gaines County, Texas, Andrews County, Texas, Martin County, Kentucky, and Yoakum County, Texas, and 11 others.

What is best in class on heart disease among older adults?

1. Beaver County, Pennsylvania has the least heart disease among older adults (23.62%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 31.23%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 25.19% is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 78th best among the 97 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 19.92% (Monroe County, New York) to a worst of 40.92% (Kings County, New York), with an average of 27.80% and standard deviation of 4.00%.

Among all 3,127 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 26.35% and median is 26.22% and standard deviation is 5.50%. Best is Bethel Census Area, Alaska with 9.47%. Worst is Sutton County, Texas with 52.11%.

What is best in class on newborns with low birth weight?

1. St. Mary's County, Maryland has the fewest newborns with low birth weight (6.59%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 7.60%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 7.15% is Wyoming County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 46th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 5.85% (Genesee County, New York) to a worst of 11.98% (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 7.70% and standard deviation of 0.99%.

Among all 3,040 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 8.14% and median is 7.81% and standard deviation is 2.10%. Best is Traill County, North Dakota with 3.15%. Worst is Jackson County, Colorado with 30.99%.

What is best in class on property crimes per 100,000 population?

1. Adams County, Pennsylvania has the fewest property crimes per 100,000 population (1,183) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 3,482) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 1,236 is Wyoming County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 93rd best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 829.2 (Hunterdon County, New Jersey) to a worst of 4,817 (District of Columbia), with an average of 2,129 and standard deviation of 781.2.

Among all 3,074 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 2,135 and median is 1,973 and standard deviation is 1,190. Best is Calhoun County, Mississippi with 0.00, tied with Oglala Lakota County, South Dakota, Perry County, Alabama, Boone County, Nebraska, and Sioux County, North Dakota, and 7 others. Worst is St. Louis City, Missouri with 7,953.

What is best in class on violent crimes per 100,000 population?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the fewest violent crimes per 100,000 population (83.63) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 489.61) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 93.08 is Warren County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 79th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 48.47 (Hunterdon County, New Jersey) to a worst of 1,449 (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 300.0 and standard deviation of 232.7.

Among all 3,074 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 251.99 and median is 200.11 and standard deviation is 204.1. Best is Calhoun County, Mississippi with 0.00, tied with Oglala Lakota County, South Dakota, Perry County, Alabama, Thurston County, Nebraska, and Bon Homme County, South Dakota, and 25 others. Worst is Dillingham Census Area, Alaska with 2,009.

What is best in class on affordable housing relative to low-income population?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the most affordable housing relative to low-income population (-44.52) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with -61.62) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with -48.97 is Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 25th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of -87.49 (Centre County, Pennsylvania) to a best of -43.30 (Washington County, Pennsylvania), with an average of -67.00 and standard deviation of 9.20.

Among all 3,137 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is -59.79 and median is -65.90 and standard deviation is 30.80. Best is Rock County, Nebraska with 450.0. Worst is Camden County, North Carolina with -100.0, tied with Jenkins County, Georgia, Covington City, Virginia, Hyde County, North Carolina, and Real County, Texas, and 12 others.

What is best in class on car crash fatalities per 100,000 population?

1. Niagara County, New York has the fewest car crash fatalities per 100,000 population (7.31) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 16.58) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 8.34 is Warren County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 97th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 3.83 (New York County, New York) to a worst of 17.50 (Talbot County, Maryland), with an average of 9.00 and standard deviation of 2.90.

Among all 3,126 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 17.26 and median is 16.31 and standard deviation is 7.00. Best is Bronx County, New York with 3.80. Worst is Bennett County, South Dakota with 59.76.

What is best in class on population living close to emergency facilities?

1. Beaver County, Pennsylvania has the most population living close to emergency facilities (56.78%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 26.24%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 55.05% is Niagara County, New York.

Sussex County, Delaware is 85th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 14.39% (St. Mary's County, Maryland) to a best of 99.98% (New York County, New York), with an average of 47.10% and standard deviation of 20.00%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 38.52% and median is 37.03% and standard deviation is 16.00%. Best is New York County, New York with 99.98%. Worst is McMullen County, Texas with 0.00%, tied with Kent County, Texas, Kenedy County, Texas, Loving County, Texas, and Kalawao County, Hawaii.

What is best in class on preventable hospital admissions per 100,000 population?

1. Franklin County, Pennsylvania has the fewest preventable hospital admissions per 100,000 population (3,278) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 3,844) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 3,573 is Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 54th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 2,359 (Tompkins County, New York) to a worst of 6,122 (Salem County, New Jersey), with an average of 3,917 and standard deviation of 687.9.

Among all 3,123 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 4,505 and median is 4,367 and standard deviation is 1,423. Best is Lake County, Colorado with 940.0. Worst is Mingo County, West Virginia with 14,330.

What is best in class on variety of industries among available jobs?

1. Cecil County, Maryland has the greatest variety of industries among available jobs (0.92) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 0.91) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.92 is Niagara County, New York.

Sussex County, Delaware is 3rd best (tied with 3 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 0.44 (District of Columbia) to a best of 0.92 (Cecil County, Maryland), with an average of 0.82 and standard deviation of 0.09.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 0.65 and median is 0.72 and standard deviation is 0.21. Best is Mobile County, Alabama with 0.93, tied with Bonneville County, Idaho and Josephine County, Oregon. Worst is Craig County, Virginia with 0, tied with Quitman County, Georgia, Issaquena County, Mississippi, Daggett County, Utah, and McPherson County, Nebraska, and 3 others.

What is best in class on adults of age 18+ who smoke tobacco?

1. Harford County, Maryland has the fewest adults of age 18+ who smoke tobacco (13.70%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 17.25%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 13.83% is St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 86th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 8.70% (Montgomery County, Maryland) to a worst of 23.64% (Baltimore City, Maryland), with an average of 15.10% and standard deviation of 2.20%.

Among all 3,136 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 17.89% and median is 17.34% and standard deviation is 3.60%. Best is Utah County, Utah with 6.55%. Worst is Todd County, South Dakota with 41.39%.

What is best in class on airborne cancer risk per million in population?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the lowest airborne cancer risk per million in population (26.07) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 36.58) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 36.16 is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 10th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 21.13 (Schoharie County, New York) to a worst of 200.6159 (Allegheny County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 59.00 and standard deviation of 25.60.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 39.61 and median is 38.32 and standard deviation is 21.10. Best is Hinsdale County, Colorado with 10.93. Worst is St. John the Baptist Parish, Louisiana with 826.3095.

What is best in class on households in a FEMA-designated flood hazard area?

1. Berks County, Pennsylvania has the fewest households in a FEMA-designated flood hazard area (2.04%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 20.16%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 2.25% is Beaver County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 96th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.47% (Erie County, New York) to a worst of 37.52% (Atlantic County, New Jersey), with an average of 5.00% and standard deviation of 5.30%.

Among all 3,140 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 6.13% and median is 3.77% and standard deviation is 8.00%. Best is San Francisco County, California with 0.00%, tied with Beltrami County, Minnesota, Otsego County, Michigan, Roscommon County, Michigan, and Hubbard County, Minnesota, and 104 others. Worst is Hyde County, North Carolina with 96.05%.

What is best in class on jobs within a 45-minute commute by car?

1. New Castle County, Delaware has the most jobs within a 45-minute commute by car (89,049) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 8,769) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 64,380 is Dauphin County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 91st best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 3,659 (Pike County, Pennsylvania) to a best of 1,059,922 (New York County, New York), with an average of 111,666 and standard deviation of 169,013.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 17,817 and median is 4,934 and standard deviation is 47,569. Best is New York County, New York with 1,059,922. Worst is Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, Alaska with 0, tied with Aleutians East Borough, Alaska, Petersburg Borough, Alaska, Wrangell City and Borough, Alaska, and Lake and Peninsula Borough, Alaska, and 2 others.

What is best in class on local food outlets per 100,000 in population?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the most local food outlets per 100,000 in population (10.4) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 9.0) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Sussex County, Delaware is 17th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 0.00 (Montour County, Pennsylvania) to a best of 31.5 (Columbia County, New York), with an average of 6.0 and standard deviation of 5.1.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 8.1 and median is 4.9 and standard deviation is 11.4. Best is Wheeler County, Oregon with 150.6. Worst is Mohave County, Arizona with 0.00, tied with Ector County, Texas, Ascension Parish, Louisiana, Kaufman County, Texas, and Newton County, Georgia, and 733 others.

What is best in class on workers who commute 60 minutes or more?

1. Niagara County, New York has the fewest workers who commute 60 minutes or more (2.44%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 6.77%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 4.39% is Dauphin County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 25th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 2.44% (Niagara County, New York) to a worst of 33.04% (Richmond County, New York), with an average of 11.80% and standard deviation of 7.10%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 7.57% and median is 6.42% and standard deviation is 4.60%. Best is Aleutians East Borough, Alaska with 0.00%, tied with Alpine County, California. Worst is Warren County, Virginia with 35.41%.

What is best in class on chronic health risk from exposure to toxic chemicals?

1. Atlantic County, New Jersey has the lowest chronic health risk from exposure to toxic chemicals (4.39) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 637.44) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 20.78 is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 19th best among the 94 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.00 (Columbia County, New York) to a worst of 8,087,088 (Montgomery County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 305,171 and standard deviation of 983,644.

Among all 2,256 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 158,974 and median is 1,593 and standard deviation is 1,671,387. Best is Sonoma County, California with 0.00, tied with Butte County, California, Nevada County, California, Columbia County, New York, and Garfield County, Colorado, and 36 others. Worst is Orange County, California with 67,381,808.

What is best in class on tax returns that claim adult education tax credits?

1. New Castle County, Delaware has the most tax returns that claim adult education tax credits (5.58%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 3.70%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 5.47% is Atlantic County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 64th best (tied with 2 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 0.31% (Queen Anne's County, Maryland) to a best of 8.12% (Howard County, Maryland), with an average of 4.30% and standard deviation of 1.50%.

Among all 3,137 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 2.39% and median is 2.29% and standard

deviation is 2.10%. Best is Morgan County, Utah with 11.17%. Worst is James City County, Virginia with 0.00%, tied with Eagle County, Colorado, Stevens County, Washington, Tazewell County, Virginia, and Tioga County, Pennsylvania, and 936 others.

What is best in class on 4th-grade students who are proficient in English Language Arts?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the most 4th-grade students who are proficient in English Language Arts (62.98%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 54.04%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 62.49% is Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 35th best among the 94 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 13.00% (Baltimore City, Maryland) to a best of 75.40% (Chester County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 47.90% and standard deviation of 14.70%.

Among all 3,112 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 51.31% and median is 51.58% and standard deviation is 18.70%. Best is Mason County, Texas with 94.91%. Worst is Beaverhead County, Montana with 0.00%, tied with Dolores County, Colorado, Judith Basin County, Montana, Powder River County, Montana, and Golden Valley County, Montana, and 4 others.

What is best in class on adults who don't eat enough daily fruits & vegetables?

1. Berks County, Pennsylvania has the fewest adults who don't eat enough daily fruits & vegetables (69.60%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 77.10%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 69.90% is Atlantic County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 72nd best (tied with 1 other) among the 92 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 63.40% (Tompkins County, New York) to a worst of 84.70% (Wyoming County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 73.90% and standard deviation of 3.90%.

Among all 1,926 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 79.28% and median is 79.20% and standard deviation is 5.40%. Best is Santa Cruz County, California with 63.30%. Worst is Okfuskee County, Oklahoma with 96.10%.

What is best in class on households with utility gas or electric for home heating?

1. Niagara County, New York has the most households with utility gas or electric for home heating (83.66%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 53.94%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 83.06% is Atlantic County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 70th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 10.18% (Schoharie County, New York) to a best of 96.63% (Allegheny County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 65.50% and standard deviation of 21.30%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 71.43% and median is 76.60% and standard deviation is 21.50%. Best is Kenedy County, Texas with 100%, tied with Kalawao County, Hawaii. Worst is Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, Alaska with 0.57%.

What is best in class on land area covered by tree canopy, weighted by population?

1. Monroe County, Pennsylvania has the most land area covered by tree canopy, weighted by population (60.23%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 33.32%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 59.96% is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 46th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 4.20% (Kings County, New York) to a best of 70.92% (Pike County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 34.00% and standard deviation of 12.60%.

Among all 3,108 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 32.97% and median is 28.96% and standard deviation is 22.00%. Best is Leslie County, Kentucky with 89.39%. Worst is Kidder County, North Dakota with 1.44%.

What is best in class on older adults (Medicare beneficiaries) who are diagnosed with depression?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the fewest older adults (Medicare beneficiaries) who are diagnosed with depression (13.69%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 14.04%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 14.01% is Salem County, New Jersey.

Sussex County, Delaware is 18th best among the 97 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 9.80% (Prince George's County, Maryland) to a worst of 22.41% (Monroe County, New York), with an average of 16.00% and standard deviation of 2.30%.

Among all 3,113 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 16.31% and median is 16.34% and standard deviation is 3.40%. Best is Bethel Census Area, Alaska with 2.89%. Worst is Dickenson County, Virginia with 30.01%.

What is best in class on population age 25+ with an Associate Degree or higher?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the most population age 25+ with an Associate Degree or higher (42.75%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 31.78%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 42.03% is Harford County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 82nd best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 24.32% (Snyder County, Pennsylvania) to a best of 66.25% (Howard County, Maryland), with an average of 40.60% and standard deviation of 9.10%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 28.74% and median is 27.32% and standard deviation is 9.60%. Best is Falls Church City, Virginia with 81.80%. Worst is Kusilvak Census Area, Alaska with 7.54%.

What is best in class on population without nearby access to a large grocery store?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the least population without nearby access to a large grocery store (0.10%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 29.66%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 11.34% is Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 72nd best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.00% (New York County, New York) to a worst of 50.47% (Putnam County, New York), with an average of 22.10% and standard deviation of 12.00%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 25.20% and median is 21.59% and standard deviation is 20.10%. Best is New York County, New York with 0.00%, tied with Alexandria City, Virginia, DeKalb County, Alabama, White County, Georgia, and Hart County, Georgia, and 37 others. Worst is Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area, Alaska with 100%, tied with Dewey County, Oklahoma, Haskell County, Kansas, Kearny County, Kansas, and Catron County, New Mexico, and 56 others.

What is best in class on days per month that adults self-report 'not good' mental health?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the fewest days per month that adults self-report 'not good' mental health (3.12) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 3.69) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 3.21 is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 64th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 2.79 (Howard County, Maryland) to a worst of 4.04 (Kent County, Delaware), with an average of 3.60 and standard deviation of 0.27.

Among all 3,136 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 3.78 and median is 3.77 and standard deviation is 0.57. Best is Union County, South Dakota with 2.28. Worst is Apache County, Arizona with 5.78.

What is best in class on risk of developing serious respiratory complications per 10,000 in population?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the lowest risk of developing serious respiratory complications per 10,000 in population (1.06) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 1.36) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 1.08 is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 8th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.66 (Schoharie County, New York) to a worst of 40.78 (Camden County, New Jersey), with an average of 3.60 and standard deviation of 4.30.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 1.78 and median is 1.48 and standard deviation is 1.60. Best is Hinsdale County, Colorado with 0.17. Worst is Camden County, New Jersey with 40.78.

What is best in class on youth who live within 5 miles of a public school?

1. Harford County, Maryland has the most youth who live within 5 miles of a public school (99.90%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 87.55%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 99.83% is New Castle County, Delaware.

Sussex County, Delaware is 83rd best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a worst of 62.59% (Schoharie County, New York) to a best of 100% (Bergen County, New Jersey), with an average of 93.90% and standard deviation of 9.00%.

Among all 3,140 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 78.84% and median is 81.17% and standard deviation is 16.40%. Best is Cook County, Illinois with 100%, tied with Kings County, New York, Queens County, New York, Broward County, Florida, and New York County, New York, and 85 others. Worst is Issaquena County, Mississippi with 5.69%.

What is best in class on deaths due to drug overdose, alcohol, or suicide per 100,000 population?

1. Franklin County, Pennsylvania has the fewest deaths due to drug overdose, alcohol, or suicide per 100,000 population (28.16) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 42.67) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 29.04 is Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 89th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 15.22 (Montgomery County, Maryland) to a worst of 52.77 (Cecil County, Maryland), with an average of 31.30 and standard deviation of 8.30.

Among all 2,626 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 41.37 and median is 38.51 and standard deviation is 16.10. Best is Sioux County, Iowa with 8.29. Worst is Buffalo County, South Dakota with 187.3.

What is best in class on relative disparity in income among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites?

1. Calvert County, Maryland has the lowest relative disparity in income among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites (0.38) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 0.43) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.40 is St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 32nd best (tied with 15 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.38 (Perry County, Pennsylvania) to a worst of 0.60 (New York County, New York), with an average of 0.44 and standard deviation of 0.04.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 0.44 and median is 0.44 and standard deviation is 0.04. Best is Sublette County, Wyoming with 0.33, tied with Skagway Municipality, Alaska. Worst is Randolph County, Georgia with 0.62.

What is best in class on relative disparity in Bachelor's degree among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites?

1. Cecil County, Maryland has the lowest relative disparity in Bachelor's degree among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites (0.01) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 0.23) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.04 is Kent County, Delaware.

Sussex County, Delaware is 72nd best (tied with 2 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.01 (Cecil County, Maryland) to a worst of 0.50 (New York County, New York), with an average of 0.17 and standard deviation of 0.10.

Among all 2,101 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 0.16 and median is 0.15 and standard deviation is 0.09. Best is York County, Maine with 0.00, tied with Penobscot County, Maine, Kennebec County, Maine, Cabell County, West Virginia, and Indiana County, Pennsylvania, and 2 others. Worst is Arlington County, Virginia with 0.63.

What is best in class on relative disparity in poverty rates among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the lowest relative disparity in poverty rates among blacks and hispanics,

compared to whites (0.04) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 0.25) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.07 is Cecil County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 71st best (tied with 4 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.00 (Perry County, Pennsylvania) to a worst of 0.37 (Lehigh County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 0.18 and standard deviation of 0.10.

Among all 2,101 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 0.13 and median is 0.13 and standard deviation is 0.09. Best is St. Lawrence County, New York with 0.00, tied with Pike County, Kentucky, Kittitas County, Washington, Perry County, Pennsylvania, and DeKalb County, Indiana, and 13 others. Worst is Seminole County, Georgia with 0.41.

What is best in class on relative disparity in premature death among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites?

1. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania has the lowest relative disparity in premature death among blacks and hispanics, compared to whites (0.00) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 0.08) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.02 is Cecil County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 68th best (tied with 5 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.00 (Perry County, Pennsylvania) to a worst of 0.31 (District of Columbia), with an average of 0.06 and standard deviation of 0.05.

Among all 3,080 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 0.03 and median is 0.01 and standard deviation is 0.04. Best is Webb County, Texas with 0.00, tied with Clermont County, Ohio, York County, Maine, Butler County, Pennsylvania, and Licking County, Ohio, and 1,444 others. Worst is District of Columbia with 0.31.

What is best in class on youth of ages 16-19 who are neither working nor enrolled in school?

1. Monroe County, Pennsylvania has the fewest youth of ages 16-19 who are neither working nor enrolled in school (0.92%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 4.81%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 1.47% is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 89th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.27% (Tompkins County, New York) to a worst of 8.19% (Cecil County, Maryland), with an average of 2.60% and standard deviation of 1.50%.

Among all 3,141 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 3.79% and median is 2.87% and standard deviation is 3.80%. Best is Summit County, Utah with 0.00%, tied with Cheatham County, Tennessee, Albany County, Wyoming, Adams County, Nebraska, and Wythe County, Virginia, and 299 others. Worst is Stewart County, Georgia with 38.49%.

What is best in class on adults who self-report fair or poor general health within the last 30 days?

1. Queen Anne's County, Maryland has the fewest adults who self-report fair or poor general health within the last 30 days (10.45%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 15.92%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 10.91% is Calvert County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 85th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 9.00% (Hunterdon County, New Jersey) to a worst of 22.05% (Hudson County, New Jersey), with an average of 13.30% and standard deviation of 2.30%.

Among all 3,136 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 17.02% and median is 16.10% and standard deviation is 4.80%. Best is Douglas County, Colorado with 7.88%. Worst is Brooks County, Texas with 42.40%.

What is best in class on relative disparity in pollution exposure among blacks, hispanics, and other, compared to whites?

1. Calvert County, Maryland has the lowest relative disparity in pollution exposure among blacks, hispanics, and other, compared to whites (0.76) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 4.69) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 1.95 is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 24th best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.76 (Calvert County, Maryland) to a worst of 68.63 (Lancaster County, Pennsylvania), with an average of 13.80 and standard deviation of 13.00.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 5.33 and median is 2.36 and standard deviation is 6.40. Best is Teton County, Idaho with 0.00, tied with Kusilvak Census Area, Alaska, La Salle County, Texas, Boise County, Idaho, and Lexington City, Virginia, and 13 others. Worst is Lancaster County, Pennsylvania with 68.63.

What is best in class on relative disparity in unemployment rates among the disabled, compared to the total population?

1. Cecil County, Maryland has the lowest relative disparity in unemployment rates among the disabled, compared to the total population (0.59%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 0.72%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 0.59% is Wyoming County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 71st best (tied with 3 others) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 0.54% (Richmond County, New York) to a worst of 0.85% (Hunterdon County, New Jersey), with an average of 0.68% and standard deviation of 0.06%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 0.68% and median is 0.67% and standard deviation is 0.15%. Best is Glasscock County, Texas with 0.00%, tied with Kalawao County, Hawaii. Worst is Forest County, Pennsylvania with 1.93%.

What is best in class on households where housing costs (mortgage or rent and utilities) exceed 30% of household income?

1. Beaver County, Pennsylvania has the fewest households where housing costs (mortgage or rent and utilities) exceed 30% of household income (25.66%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 30.65%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 26.88% is Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

Sussex County, Delaware is 31st best among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 22.37% (Montour County, Pennsylvania) to a worst of 50.63%

(Passaic County, New Jersey), with an average of 34.40% and standard deviation of 6.70%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 26.55% and median is 26.20% and standard deviation is 6.70%. Best is Blaine County, Nebraska with 7.79%. Worst is Bronx County, New York with 54.67%.

What is best in class on adults who did NOT take part in leisure-time physical activity or exercise in the past month?

1. Niagara County, New York has the fewest adults who did NOT take part in leisure-time physical activity or exercise in the past month (19.80%) among the 20 counties most similar to Sussex County, Delaware (with 24.00%) that likewise are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing.

Next with 20.00% is Queen Anne's County, Maryland.

Sussex County, Delaware is 73rd best (tied with 1 other) among the 98 counties with actual values and that are in the Mid Atlantic and are urban high-performing, which range from a best of 15.70% (Montgomery County, Maryland) to a worst of 28.30% (Richmond County, New York), with an average of 21.60% and standard deviation of 3.00%.

Among all 3,142 counties with actual values, the nationwide average is 24.70% and median is 24.50% and standard deviation is 5.00%. Best is Summit County, Colorado with 8.40%. Worst is Mississippi County, Arkansas with 39.80%.

Where does it stand in its state?

Rank	County	Standout Score
2,526	Sussex County, Delaware	-3.5
2,612	Kent County, Delaware	-4.0
2,901	New Castle County, Delaware	-6.0

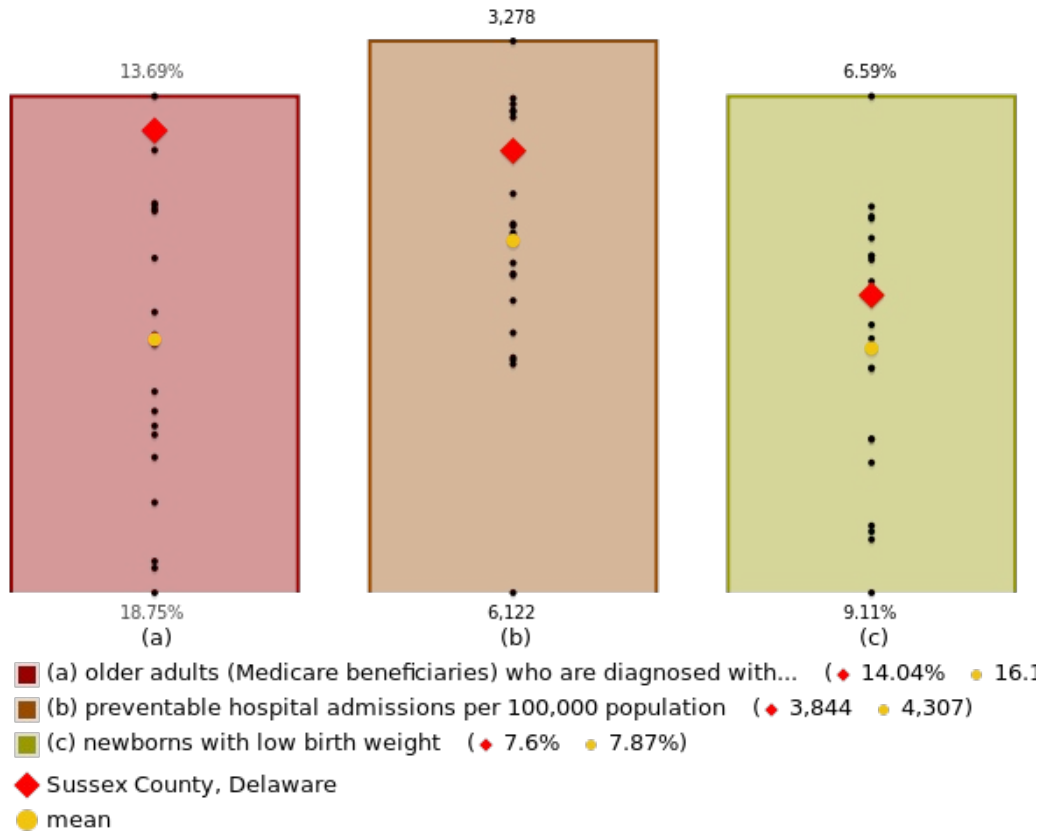
20 most-similar Mid-Atlantic counties that are urban high-performing:

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2. Kent County, Delaware
3. Franklin County, Pennsylvania
4. Washington County, Maryland
5. Beaver County, Pennsylvania
6. Berks County, Pennsylvania
7. Salem County, New Jersey
8. Wicomico County, Maryland
9. Atlantic County, New Jersey
10. Harford County, Maryland
11. Calvert County, Maryland
12. Warren County, New Jersey
13. Queen Anne's County, Maryland
14. Wyoming County, Pennsylvania
15. St. Mary's County, Maryland
16. New Castle County, Delaware
17. Adams County, Pennsylvania
18. Cecil County, Maryland
19. Niagara County, New York
20. Monroe County, Pennsylvania

How is it doing, compared to its 20 most-similar Mid-Atlantic counties that are urban high-performing?

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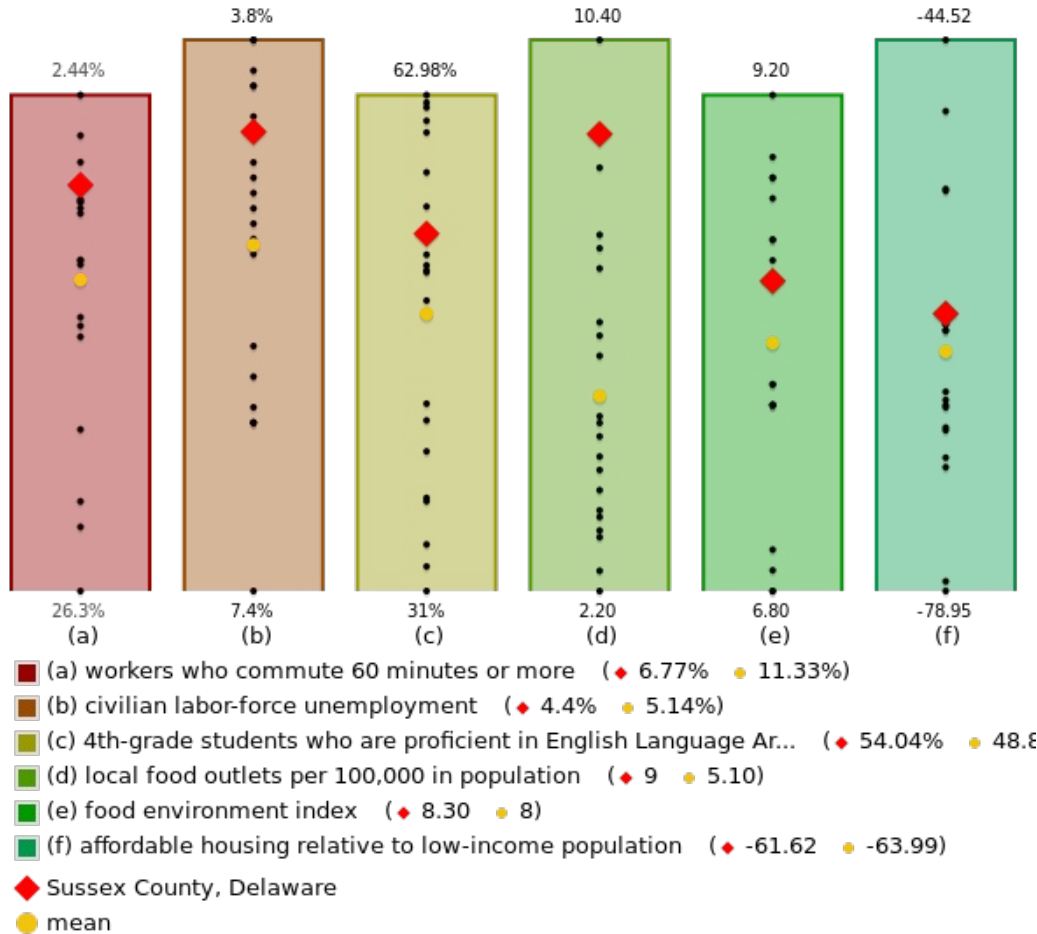


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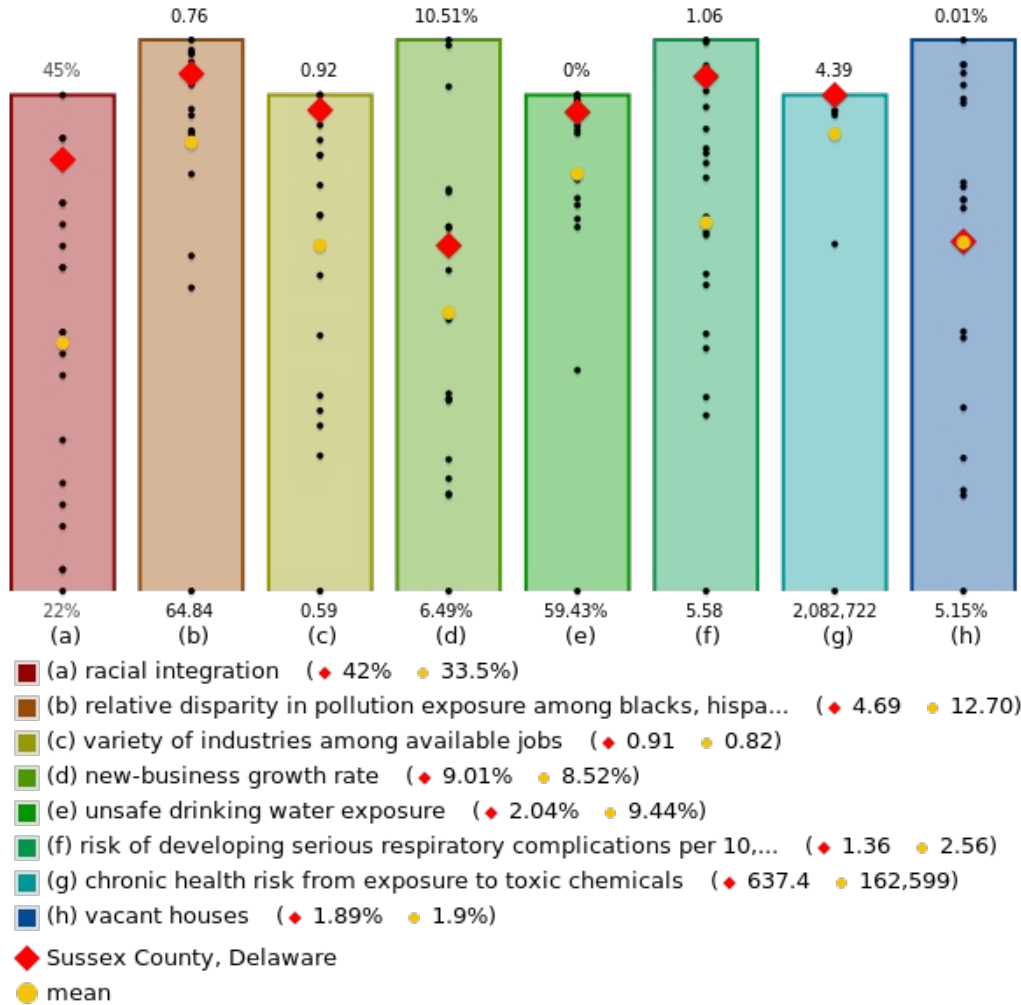


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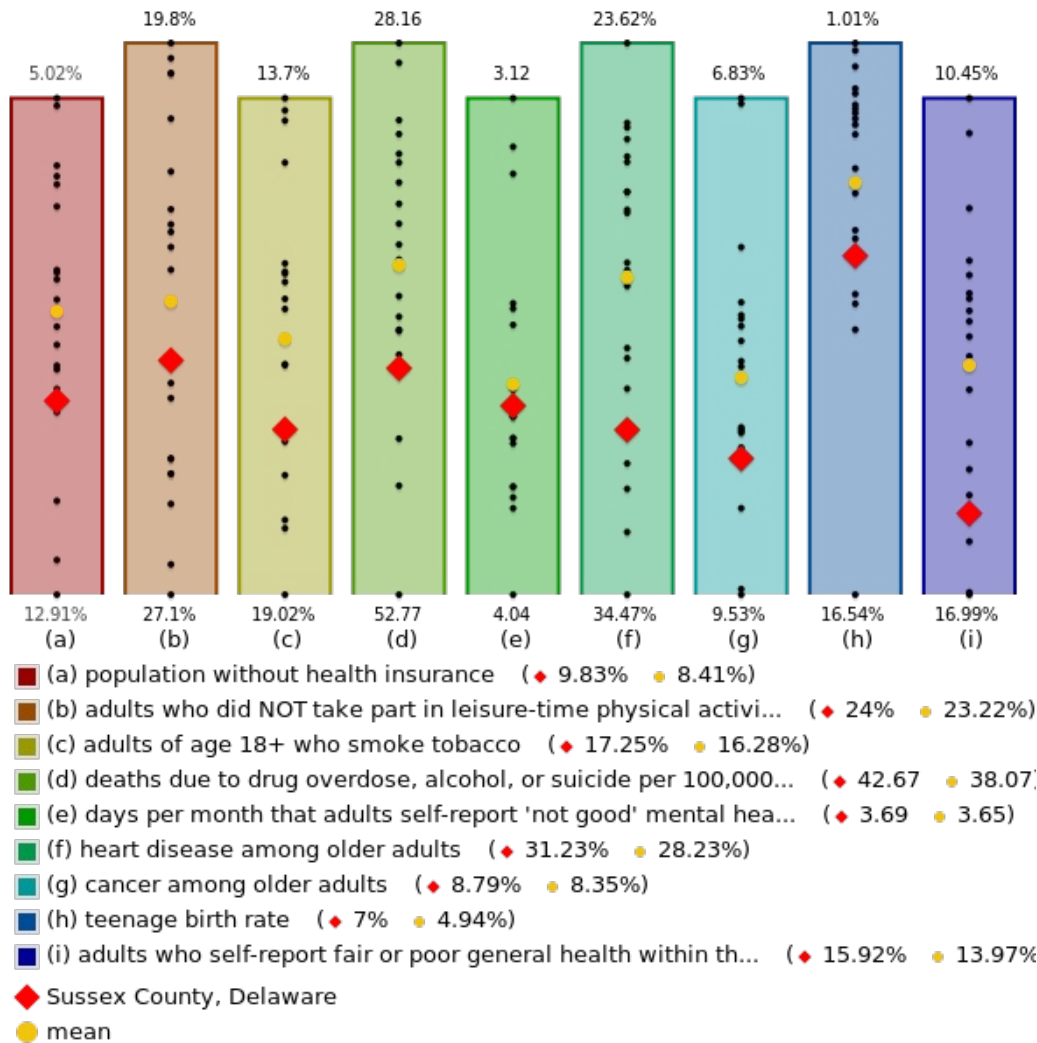
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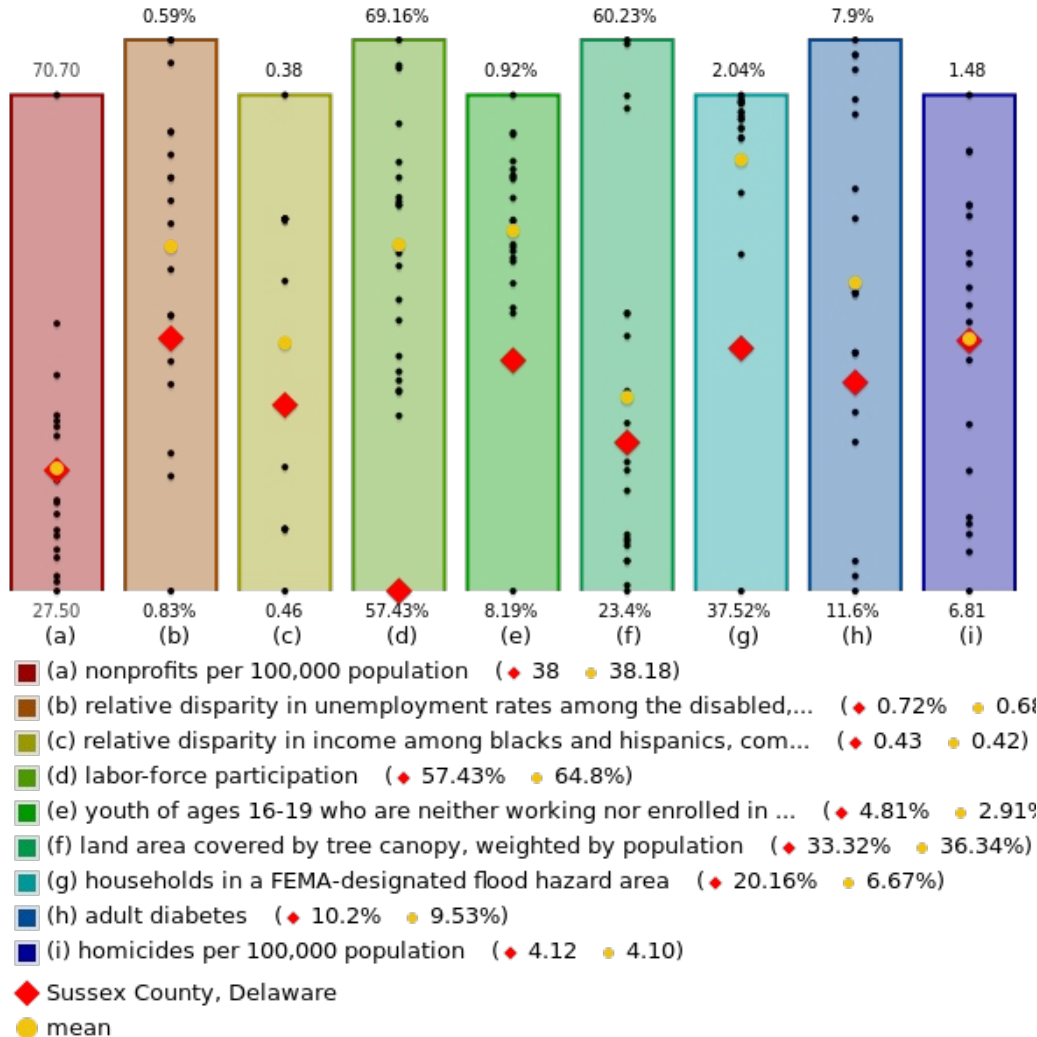
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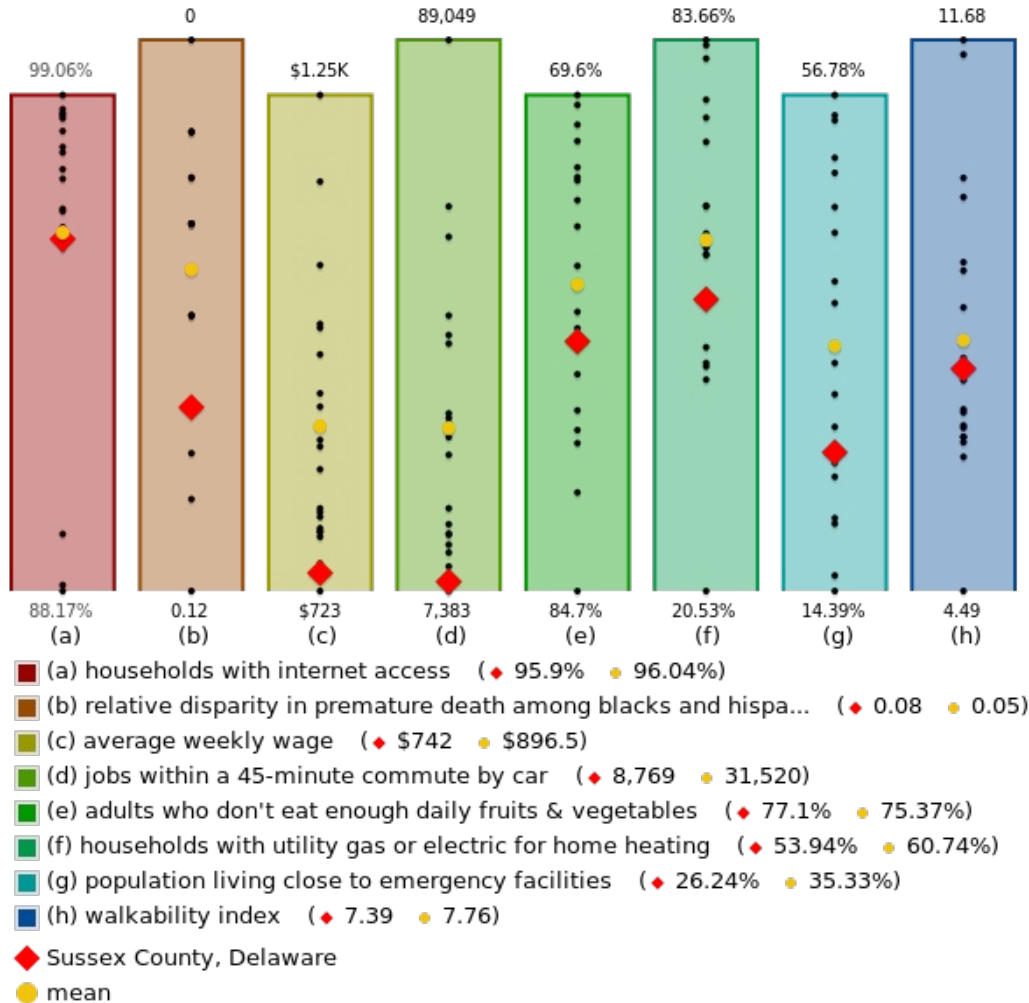
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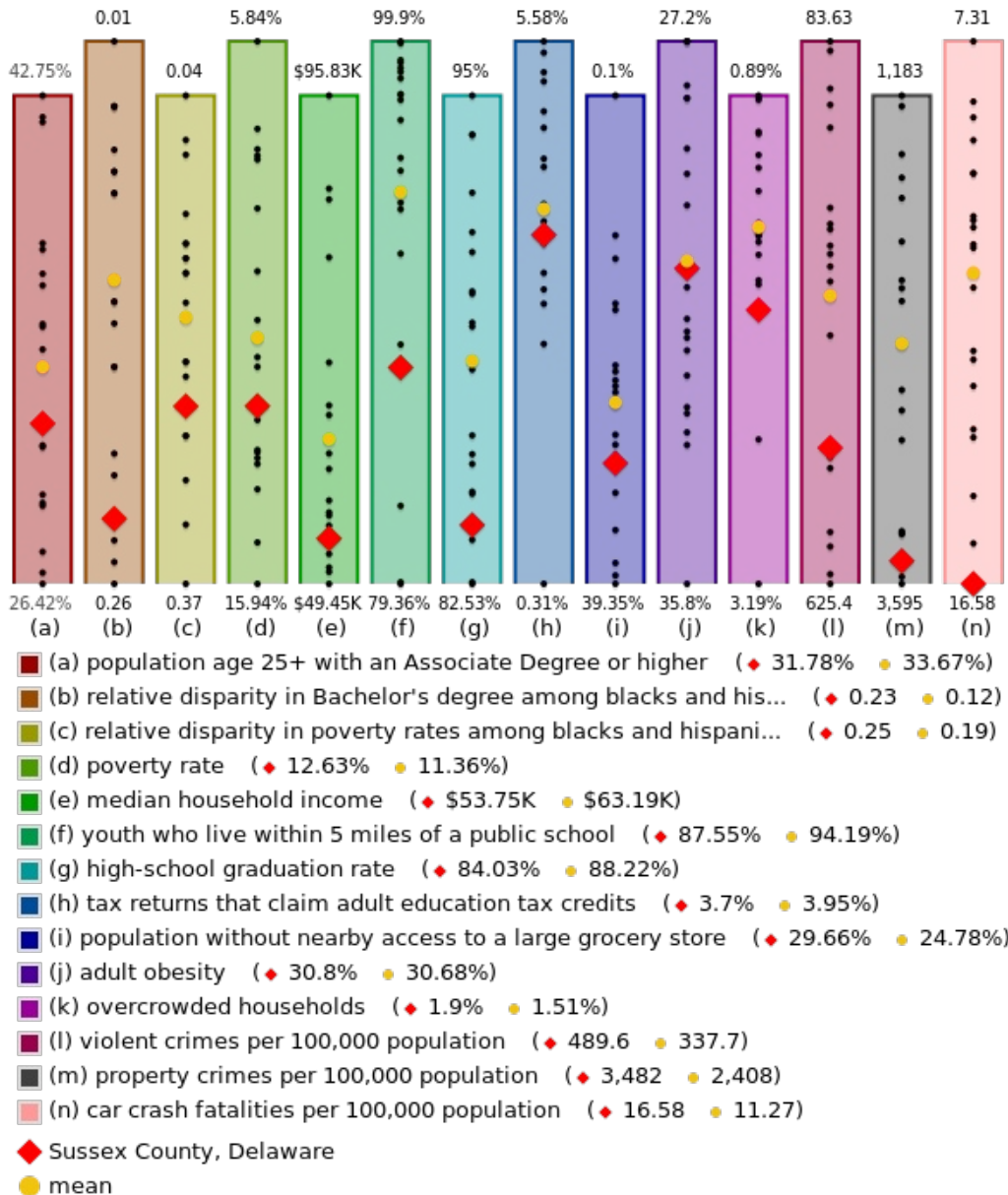
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