

FENTRESS COUNTY PRIORITIZATION TABLE

| Council Ranking | BRFS | Comm. Quest. | Health Indicator Trends (Secondary Data) |
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| Tobacco Use/Smoking/ Smokeless Tobacco | (1) | (2) (5) | In ages 25-44, the mortality rates for malignant neoplasms increased substantially from 1985-87, and remained above the region and the state until 1991-93. The rates drastically increased in 1993-95 to well above the region and state in 1994-96. In ages 45-64, the 10-year trend of deaths from malignant neoplasms has shown a slight decline. In ages 65+, the rates have steadily increased over the past 10 years. Rates for this age group have been well above the region and the state since 1992-94. Lung cancer incidence rates for 1995 were 88.2, with the state's rate being 64.2. There were 17 reported cases for 1995. |
| Adult Alcohol Abuse | (2) | (1) | In ages 45-64, chronic liver disease & cirrhosis mortality rates increased steadily from 1985-87 through 1990-92. The rate dropped and remained low until 1992-94, and has increased every year since then. The 1994-96 rate is above both the state and the region. |
| Teen Alcohol and Drug Abuse | (2/5) Addressed Total Population | (3) | In ages 15-24, no deaths were reported from suicide for Fentress county for the years 1986-88 through 1989-91. The suicide rates for years 1990-92 through 1993-95 were above the state and above the region. |
| Adult Drug Abuse | (5) | (4) | |
| High Blood Pressure | (4) | (4) Stress Ranked 7th | In ages 25-44, deaths from cerebrovascular disease increased dramatically in 1985-87, and remained well above the state and the region through 1993-95. The rate dropped in years 1994-96. In ages 45-64, deaths from cerebrovascular disease have shown a slight decrease since 1990-92. In ages 65+, the rates have remained fairly stable over the past 10 years. The rates for this age group are high, but fall below the region and the state. |
| Cancer Breast Cancer Lung Cancer Other Cancer | (3) | (16) (19) (20) | In ages 5-14, deaths from malignant neoplasms increased dramatically in 1991-93, and remained well above the region and the state. In ages 25-44, the rates increased substantially from 1985-87, and remained above the region and the state until 1991-93. The rates drastically increased from 1993-95 to well above the region and state in 1994-96. In ages 45-64, the 10-year trend has shown a slight decline. In ages 65+, the rates have steadily increased over the past 10 years. The rate for this age group has been well above the region and the state since 1992-94. Lung cancer incidence rate for 1995 was 88.2, with the state's rate being 64.2. There were 17 reported cases for 1995. Breast cancer incidence rate for 1995 was 38.2, with the state's rate being 94.4. There were 4 reported cases for 1995. Incidence rate for "other sites" for 1995 was |