



ALASKA

Obesity Fact Sheet

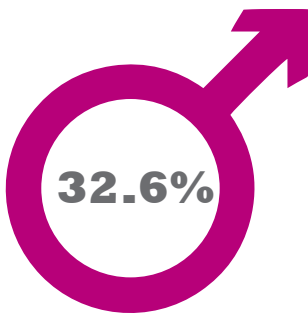
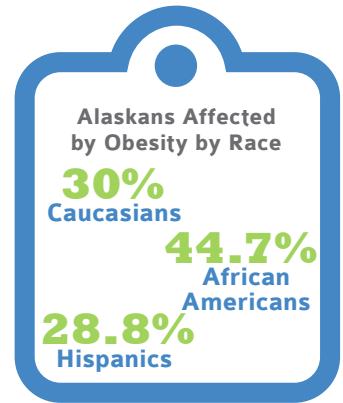


ADULT OBESITY FACTS:

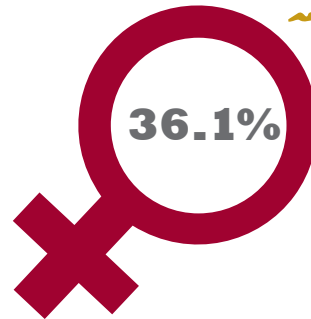
Obesity affects more than 34.2% of Alaskans.



Alaska is ranked 9/51 in states impacted by obesity.



More than 32.6% of male Alaskans are affected by obesity.



More than 36.1% of female Alaskans are affected by obesity.



The age group most affected by obesity in Alaska is 45-64 (36.9%).

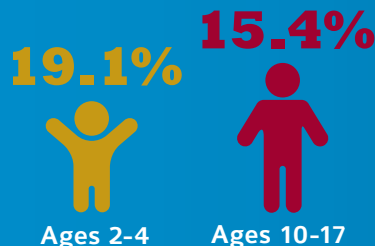
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Alaska ranks 49th in adults with Type 2 Diabetes (7.4%).

CHILDREN AFFECTED BY OBESITY IN ALASKA:

Alaska **IS NOT** one of 15 states that receives CDC grant funds for training to help with obesity prevention in Early Childhood Education settings.

CHILDREN AFFECTED BY OBESITY



COST OF OBESITY IN ALASKA:

The total cost of obesity in Alaska **\$4.52 BILLION**

The cost of obesity for Medicare in Alaska **\$5.91 BILLION**

The cost of employment for the population with obesity is **\$3.77 BILLION** more than the normal weight population.

NATIONAL COST OF OBESITY:

\$1.72 TRILLION
The total cost of obesity



Healthcare costs for individuals affected by obesity is **42% HIGHER**

\$1.24 TRILLION

The total indirect cost of obesity

\$480 BILLION

The total direct healthcare cost of obesity

\$2.9 BILLION

The direct costs of childhood obesity

For people living with obesity, **28.2%** of their annual healthcare costs are spent treating obesity-related conditions.

Sources:

- Centers for Disease Control
- Clinical Chemistry
- Milken Institute
- Obesity Action Coalition
- Trust for America's Health



OBESITY CARE
ADVOCACY NETWORK

MISSION:

The mission of the Obesity Care Advocacy Network (OCAN) is to unite and align key obesity stakeholders and the larger obesity community around key obesity-related education, policy and legislative efforts in order to elevate obesity on the national agenda.

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