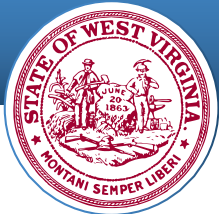


WEST VIRGINIA

Obesity Fact Sheet



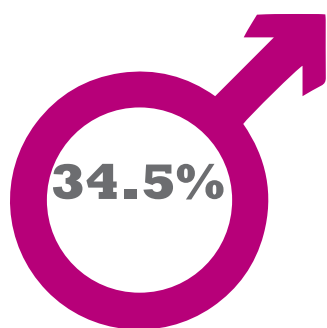
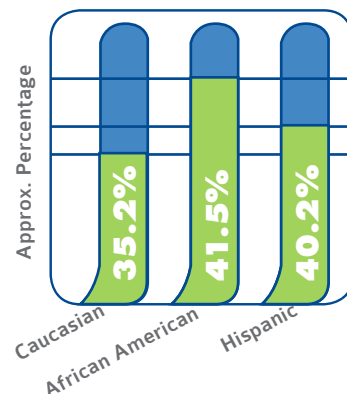
ADULT OBESITY FACTS:

Obesity affects more than 35.6% of West Virginians.



West Virginia is ranked 2/51 in states impacted by obesity.

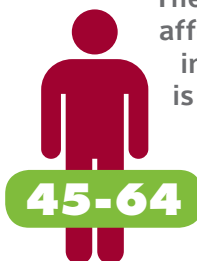
West Virginians Affected by Obesity by Race



More than 34.5% of male West Virginians are affected by obesity.



More than 33.1% of female West Virginians are affected by obesity.



The age group most affected by obesity in West Virginia is 45-64 (43.2%).

2nd

West Virginia ranks 2nd in adults with Type 2 Diabetes (35.6%).

STATE COST OF OBESITY:

The total cost of obesity in West Virginia

\$13.84 BILLION

The cost of obesity for Medicare in West Virginia

\$3.57 BILLION

The cost of employment for the population with obesity is

\$9.66 BILLION

more than the normal weight population.

NATIONAL COST OF OBESITY:

\$427.8 BILLION

Estimated cost of annual obesity-related healthcare

\$1.42 TRILLION

The total cost of obesity

\$988.8 BILLION

The total indirect cost of obesity

Sources:

- Centers for Disease Control
- Obesity Action Coalition
- Trust for America's Health
- Weighing Down America - Milken Institute



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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