Everyone needs to have access to high quality healthcare services in order to achieve health equity and increase the quality and years of healthy life. Lack of insurance coverage, the high cost of healthcare, and the lack of availability of healthcare services have prevented many people from getting needed care. These barriers to accessing healthcare services lead to unmet health needs, delays in receiving appropriate care, inability to get preventive services, and hospitalizations that could have been prevented.

### Indicators

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**Story Behind the Curve**

National Comparison 2013: 80.0%

Nebraska Racial/Ethnic Comparison (2011-2013, combined, age-adjusted):

- White NH: 85.9%
- African American NH: 67.9%
- Native American NH: 77.9%
- Asian/Pacific Islander NH: 87.0%
- Hispanic: 50.5%

NH = Non-Hispanic

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**Story Behind the Curve**

National Comparison 2013: 77.1%

Nebraska Racial/Ethnic Comparison (2011-2013, combined, age-adjusted):

- White NH: 83.2%
- African American NH: 76.2%
- Native American NH: 73.3%
- Asian/Pacific Islander NH: 78.1%
- Hispanic: 61.1%

NH = Non-Hispanic
**HP2020** Percentage of persons aged 65 and older who have a personal doctor or health care provider.

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**Story Behind the Curve**

National Comparison 2013: 94.3%

Nebraska Racial/Ethnic Comparison (2011-2013, combined, age-adjusted):

- White NH: 95.5%
- African American NH: 94.7%
- Native American NH: 84.4%
- Asian/Pacific Islander NH: -%
- Hispanic: 84.4%

**Definition**

This scorecard is created to track performance; therefore the demonstration of data within color markers identifies the boundaries of what we define as success. In some instances, a trend may be moving in the wrong direction, but still may be within our ‘Target for Success’ area. The use of Color Bands and Color Arrows help to define the Target for Success and Current Progress.

Green, Black and Red arrows are used to reflect our ‘Current Progress’ status.

- **GREEN Arrow** = We’re getting better!
- **BLACK Arrow** = We’re maintaining our position.
- **RED Arrow** = We’re going in the wrong direction.

Green, Yellow or Red color bands are used to reflect our ‘Target for Success’ zones.

- **GREEN Color Band** = We’ve reached our Target for Success!
- **YELLOW Color Band** = We’re making progress, but not quite there yet.
- **RED Color Band** = We’re below our Target for Success.
Data is described with the Time Period, Actual Value, Target Value, Current Trend and Baseline Change %. These mean:

- **Time Period** - The most current time period for which the data were available.
- **Actual Value** - The actual level of achievement, the most current data point for the indicator; also shown in a Color Band to reflect if that value is or is not within our Target for Success zone.
- **Target Value** - The desired level of achievement for the data indicator.
- **Current Trend** - The direction of progress is shown by a Color Arrow to reflect our Current Progress status, and also noting for how many data points the direction been occurring.
- **Baseline Change %** - The percentage of change between the baseline data point and the current data point (actual value); also shown with a Color Arrow to describe Current Progress status.

### Actions

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### File Attachments

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