Population Change by County, 1980 - 2010

Data Sources: The Gallup-Healthways Well Being Index, Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (Life Expectancy and Population), National Center for Health Statistics natality data (birth defects), Extent of Mountaintop Mining in Appalachia – 2009 combined with most recent active surface mine mine permits approved since the study was completed (acreage impacted), Center for Disease Control (death rates for all cancer, chronic cardiovascular disease, lung cancer, and all causes), The 2010 US Census (poverty rate and population)