



## Roosevelt County Profile

**Population and Demographics:**

2018 population:<sup>a</sup> 19,117

**Age:<sup>a</sup>**

Persons under 18 years: 24.7%  
Persons 18-64 years: 61.8%  
Persons 65 years and over: 13.5%

**Gender<sup>a</sup>**

Female: 50.2%  
Male: 49.8%

**Marital Status:<sup>c</sup>**

Married: 43.4%  
Separated: 1.5%  
Divorced: 9.0%  
Widowed: 6.8%

**Unemployed<sup>b</sup>**

Unemployed: 5.4%  
Not in labor force: 38.6%

**Race<sup>a</sup>**

White: 78.9%  
Black: 3.2%  
American Indian/Alaska Native: 2.2%  
Asian: 1.7%  
Other: 14.0%

**Hispanic/Latino:<sup>a</sup> 41.5%**

**Other Information<sup>a</sup>**

Language other than English spoken at home: 29.4%  
High school graduate or higher: 80.9%  
Bachelor's degree or higher: 25.1%  
Number of households: 6,993  
Persons per household: 2.57  
Per capita money income in the past 12 months: \$19,849  
Median household income: \$40,775  
Persons below poverty level: 25.6%  
Renter-occupied housing: 39.0%  
Uninsured adults: 13.6%

**Land Usage**

**Public Lands:** Grulla National Wildlife Refuge

**Crime Statistics<sup>b</sup>**

**Homicide Rate (per 100,000):**

County: No Data Available State: 7

**Violent Crime Rate (per 100,000):**

County: 522 State: 590

**Domestic Violence Incidents, Arrests, & Convictions<sup>d</sup>**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>Incidents</b>	64	93	51	*	71
<b>Arrests</b>	32	39	24	*	43
<b>Convictions</b>	30	16	18	20	15

\*No Law Enforcement Reporting

**Sources:**

<sup>a</sup> U.S. Census Bureau QuickFacts <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts>  
<sup>b</sup> 2018 County Health Rankings New Mexico Data: <http://www.countyhealthrankings.org/rankings/data/nm>  
<sup>c</sup> US Census 2018 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates: <http://factfinder.census.gov/>  
<sup>d</sup> Incidence and Nature of Domestic Violence In New Mexico XVII: 2018 data, Betty Caponera, July 2019

**Law Enforcement Agencies:**

Portales Police Department  
Roosevelt County Sheriff's Office  
New Mexico State Police

**Courts:**

9th Judicial District Court  
County Magistrate Court (Portales); County Probate Court (Portales); Municipal Courts (Elida , Portales)

**Medical and Victims' Service Providers**

**Hospitals:**

Roosevelt General Hospital(24 Hour ER, 20 Beds)

**Ratio population to mental health provider:<sup>b</sup> 389:1**

**Nearest Domestic Violence Shelter:<sup>d</sup>**

The Hartley House (Clovis, Curry Co), 20 Miles Away

**Nearest Batterer Intervention Program:<sup>d</sup>**

Hartley House (Clovis)  
Life Skills Learning Center (Clovis)

**Rape Crisis Services Provider:** Arise Sexual Assault Services at Roosevelt General Hospital (Portales)

**Nearest SANE Unit:**

Roosevelt General Hospital (Portales)

**Nearest Legal Aide Office:** NMLA (Clovis)

**Other Service Providers**

**Youth Services:<sup>f</sup>**

Roosevelt County CYFD  
Roosevelt County 4-H Program

**School Based Health Centers<sup>g</sup>:**

None

**Substance Abuse Support Groups:<sup>e,f</sup>**

Number of AA meetings per week: 1  
Number of NA meetings per week: 1

**Outpatient Substance Abuse Services:**

Mental Health Resources, Inc. (Portales)

**Veteran Services:<sup>f</sup>**

None; Nearest in Clovis VA Clinic VA office at Clovis Community college

**Homeless Shelters:**

None; Nearest at The Lighthouse Mission (Clovis)

**Elder Services:**

Community Services Center (Portales)  
Los Abuelitos De La Casa Senior Center (Portales)  
Portales Senior Citizens Center

<sup>e</sup> New Mexico AA Area 46 <https://nm-aa.org/meetings/?tsml-day=any>

<sup>f</sup> Rio Grande Region of NA <http://riograndena.org/>

<sup>g</sup> NM Alliance for School-Based Health Care <https://www.nmasbhc.org/>

<sup>h</sup> U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs <https://www.va.gov/directory/GUIDE/state.asp?STATE=NM&dnum=ALL>