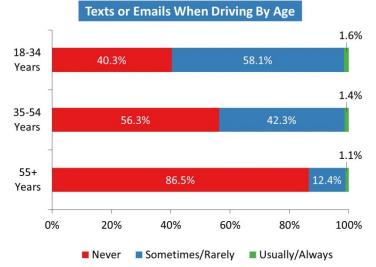
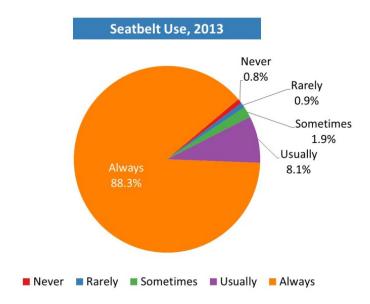
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Driving Behaviors

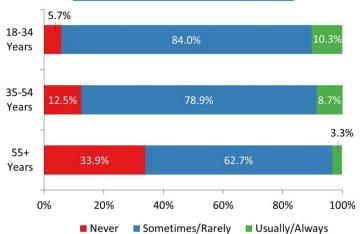
Key Findings

- Among Weld County drivers, 88.3% said they always used a seatbelt when driving.
- Seat belt use varied by income: 92% of residents making over \$76,000 per year reported they always used a seatbelt, whereas only 83% of residents making \$15,000 or less per year reported always using a seatbelt (chart not shown).
- Countywide, 84% of residents said they talked on the phone while driving; however, 94.3% of 18 – 34 year old residents said they talked on the phone and drove (at least sometimes).
- Only 66.0% of residents 55 years or older talked on the phone while driving.
- Countywide, 39% of Weld County residents said they texted or emailed while driving whereas 59.7% of 18 – 34 year old residents said they texted or emailed while driving (at least sometimes).
- Only 13.5% of residents 55 years or older texted









Questions?

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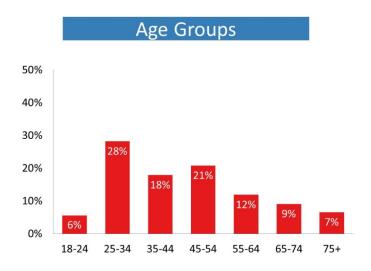




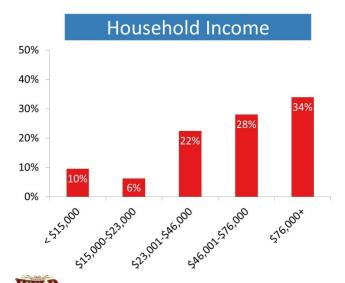
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About the Survey

Description of Responders



Race/Ethnicity 2% Other/Multiple 1% - Am. Indian/Alaska Native 2% - Asian value 2% - Hispanic/ Latino



The Survey Explained

- In order to periodically assess the health status of county residents, between October 15, 2013 and February 14, 2014, Weld County Department of Public Health & Environment contacted 7,502 households by mail requesting an adult to complete the 65-item survey or complete it online.
- Question topics included health, health care access and insurance, health conditions and lifestyle habits, preventive screenings, environmental issues, community concerns and needs, demographics, and the 2013 Flood Disaster.
- Households were selected randomly by first dividing the mailing list into **four regions (see map below)** and two household types (single-family vs. multifamily). The list was certified by the post office but did not contain residents' names.
- After multiple contacts, 2,082 community residents returned usable surveys for a 28 percent response rate. The results are representative of the population within a ±5.0 percent margin of error.
- To see the actual survey go to: www.weldhealth.org

