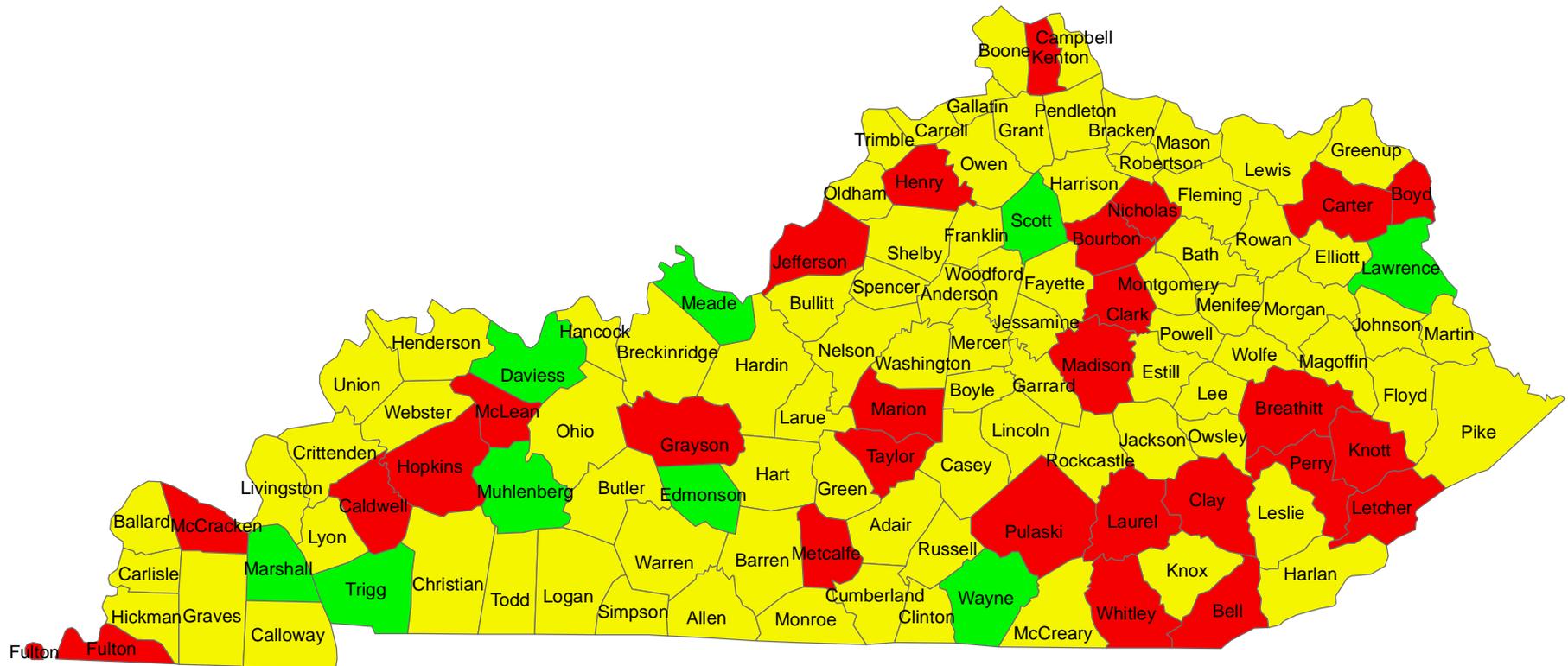


Diabetes Short-term Complications Admission Rate (PQI 1)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is .55**
State rate per 1,000 population* is .64

PQI 1 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

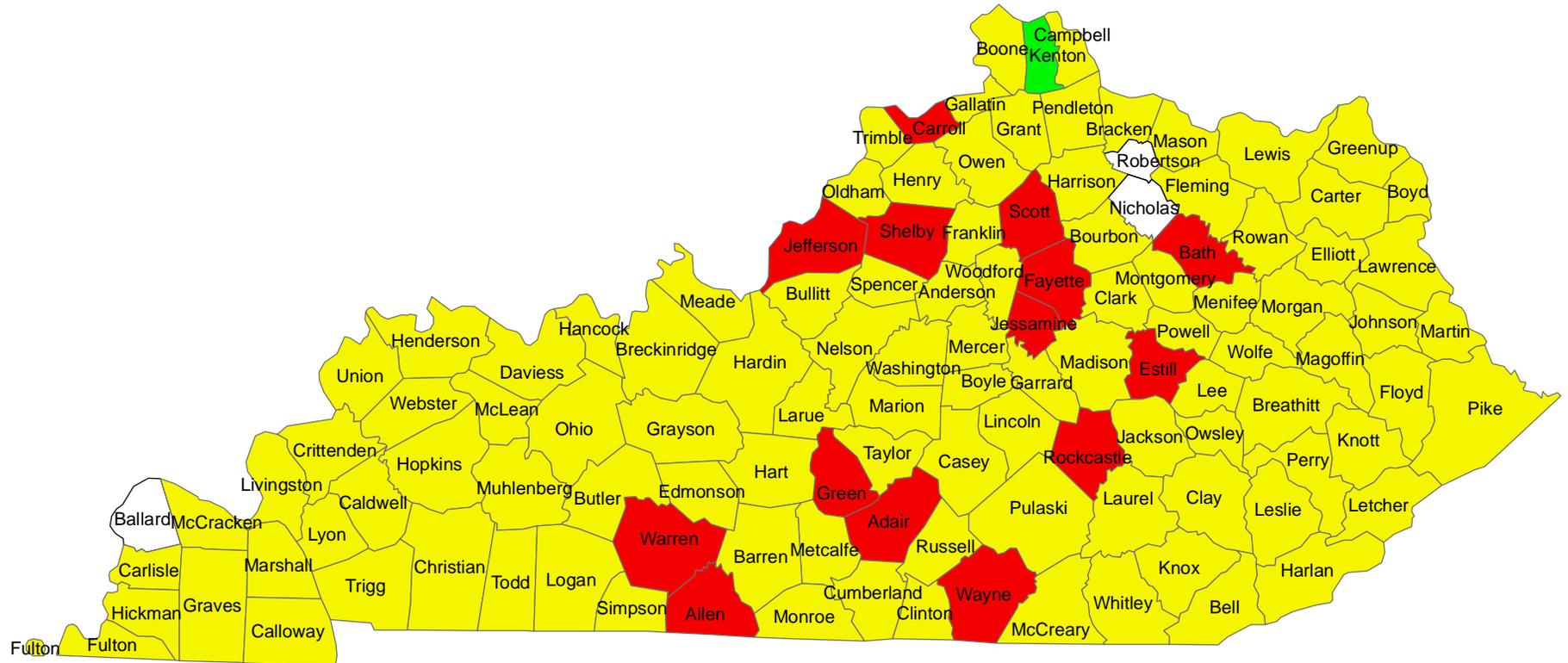
- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*Population age 18 years or older

**Source: Nationwide Inpatient Sample, 2004, AHRQ Web Site: <http://www.qualityindicators.ahrq.gov>

Perforated Appendix Admission Rate (PQI 2)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 discharges* is 301.70**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 348.47

PQI 2 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

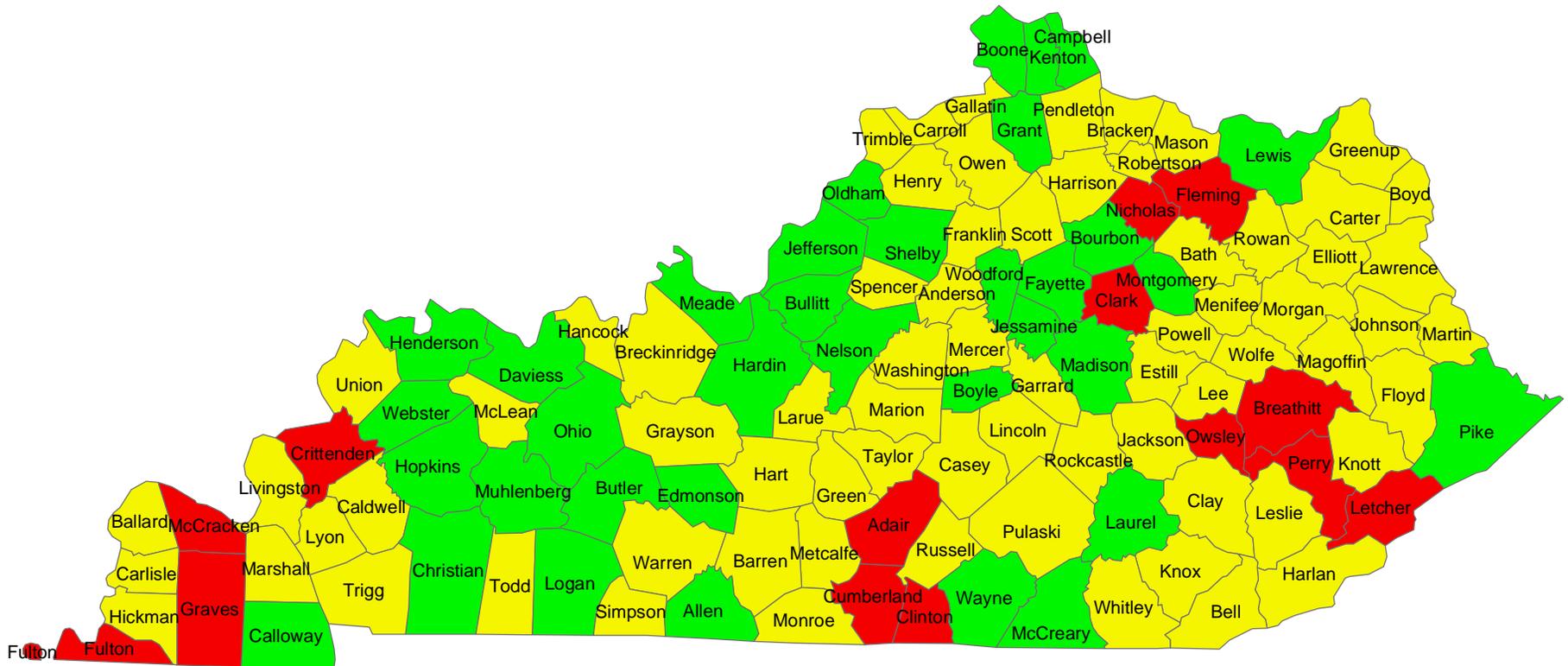
- No discharges in County
- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*All non-maternal discharges age 18 years and older

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Diabetes Long-term Complications Admission Rate (PQI 3)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 1.27**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 1.05

PQI 3 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

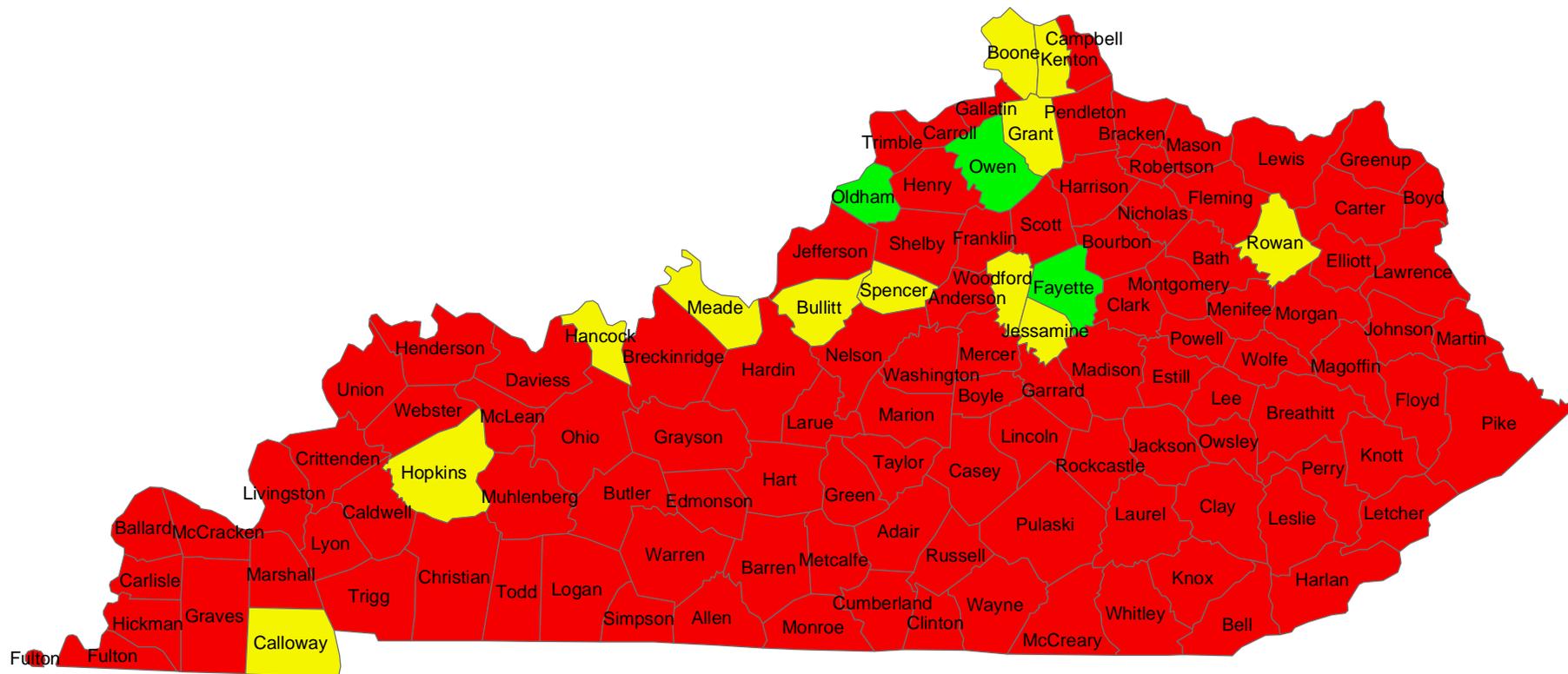
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Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Admission Rate (PQI 5)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 2.30**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 4.56

PQI 5 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

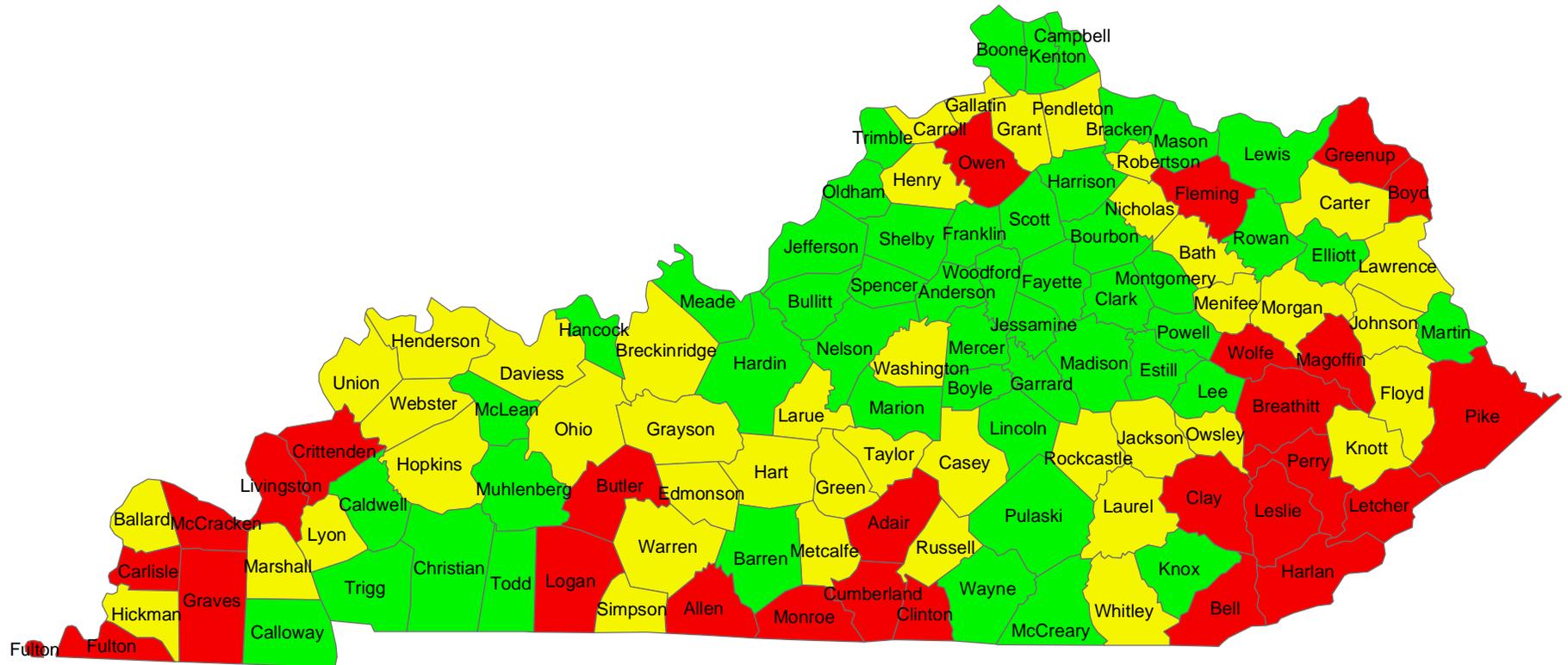
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Congestive Heart Failure Admission Rate (PQI 8)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 4.89**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 4.40

PQI 8 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

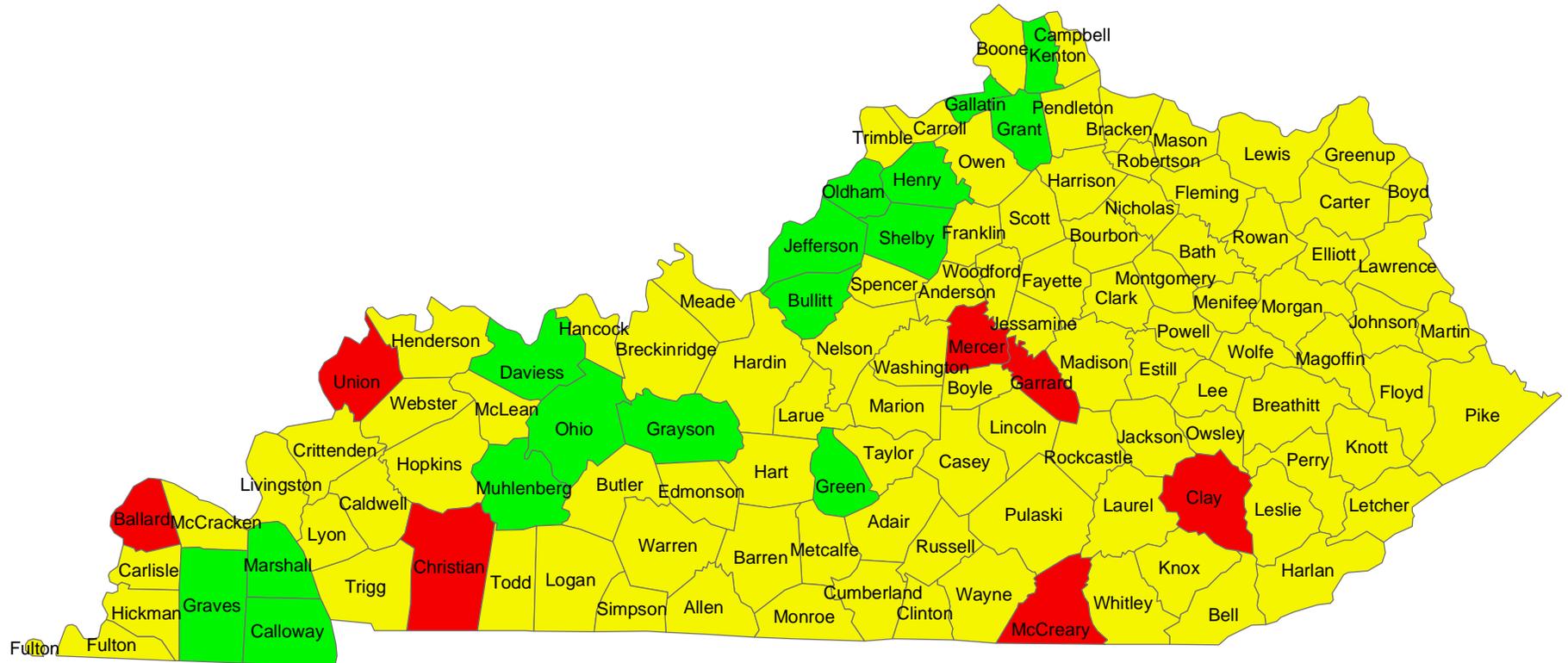
*Population age 18 years or older

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Low Birth Weight (PQI 9)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 newborns/neonates* is 62.6**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 54.05

PQI 9 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

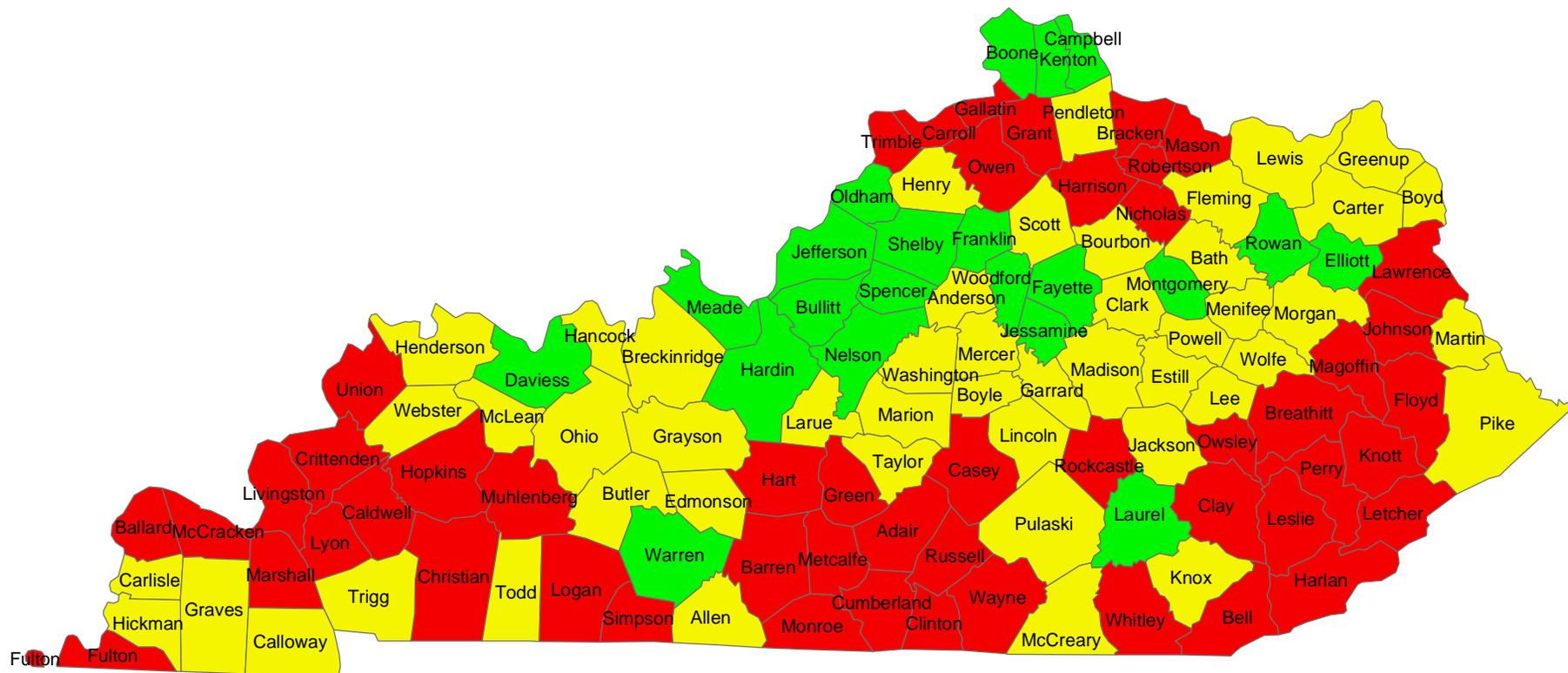
- Below National Average
- Comparable to National Average
- Above National Average

*newborn/neonate is defined as age at admission is 0 days and age at discharge is 28 days or less

**Source: Nationwide Inpatient Sample, 2004, AHRQ Web Site: <http://www.qualityindicators.ahrq.gov>

Dehydration Admission Rate (PQI 10)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 1.27**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 1.48

PQI 10 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

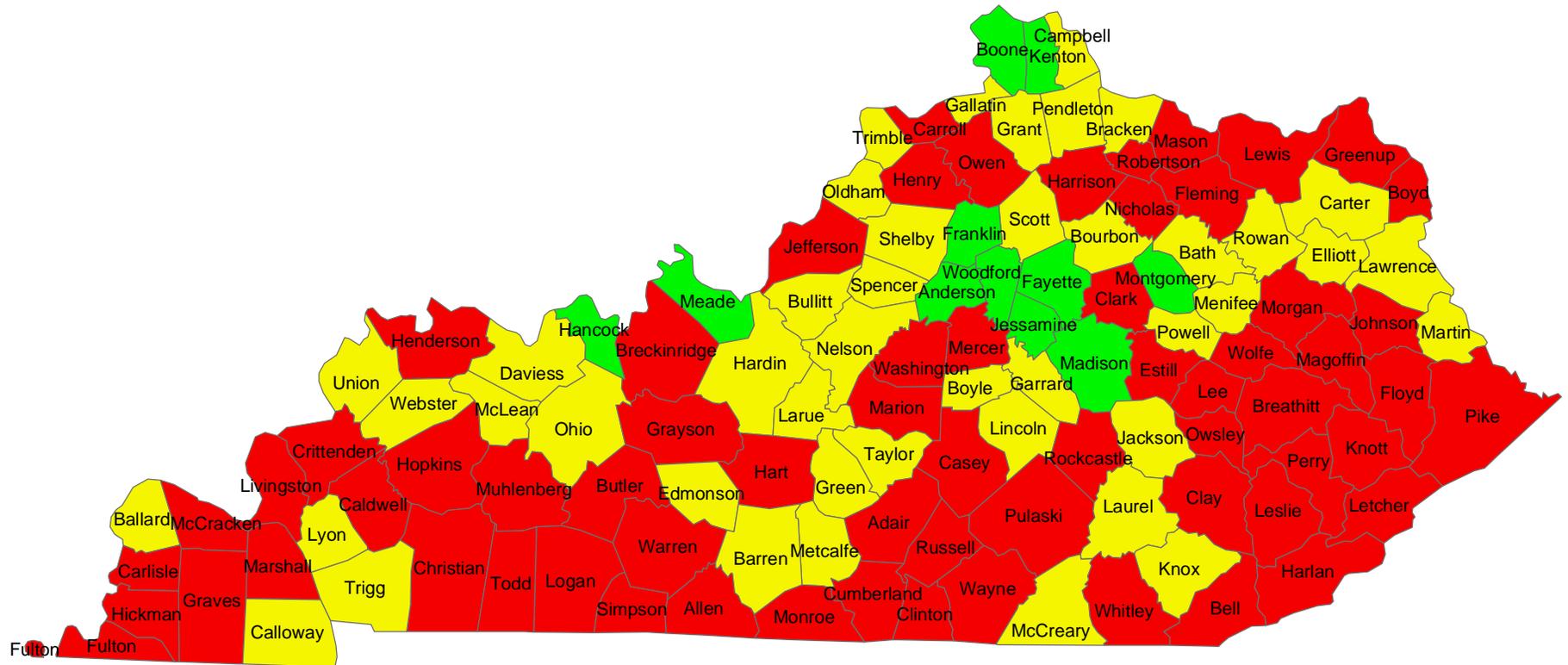
- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*Population age 18 years or older

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Urinary Tract Infection Admission Rate (PQI 12)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 1.77**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 2.46

PQI 12 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*Population age 18 years or older

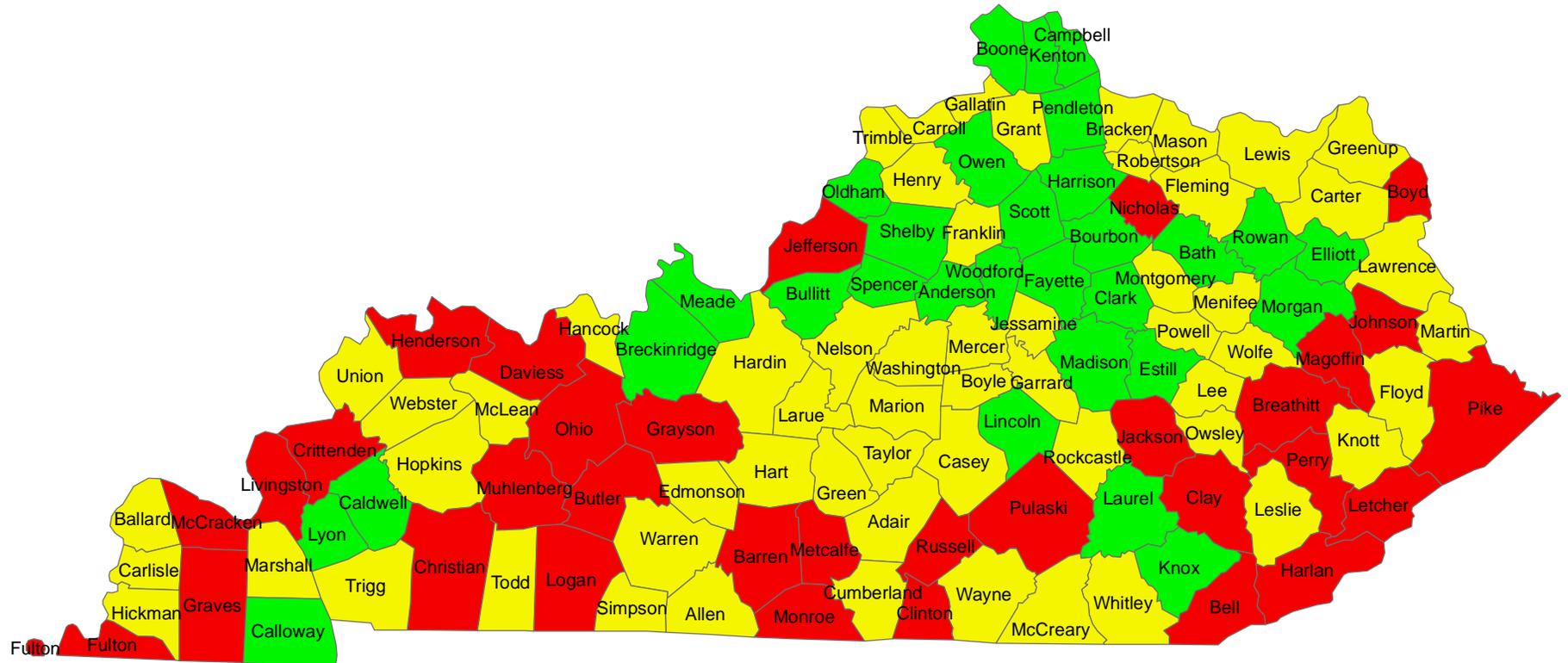
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Adult Asthma Admission Rate (PQI 15)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 1.21**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 1.40

PQI 15 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

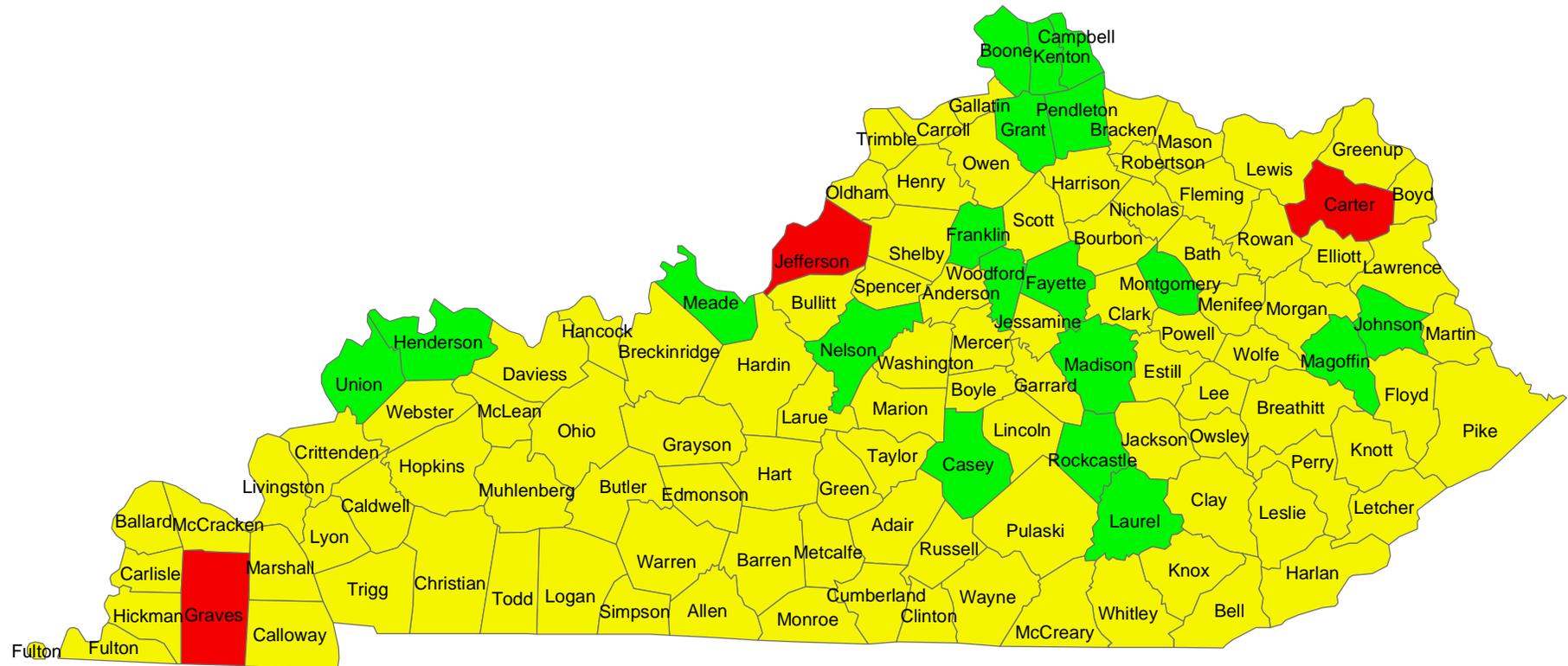
*Population age 18 years or older

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Rate of Lower-extremity Amputation Among Patients with Diabetes (PQI 16)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is .39 **
State rate per 1,000 population* is .31

PQI 16 Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

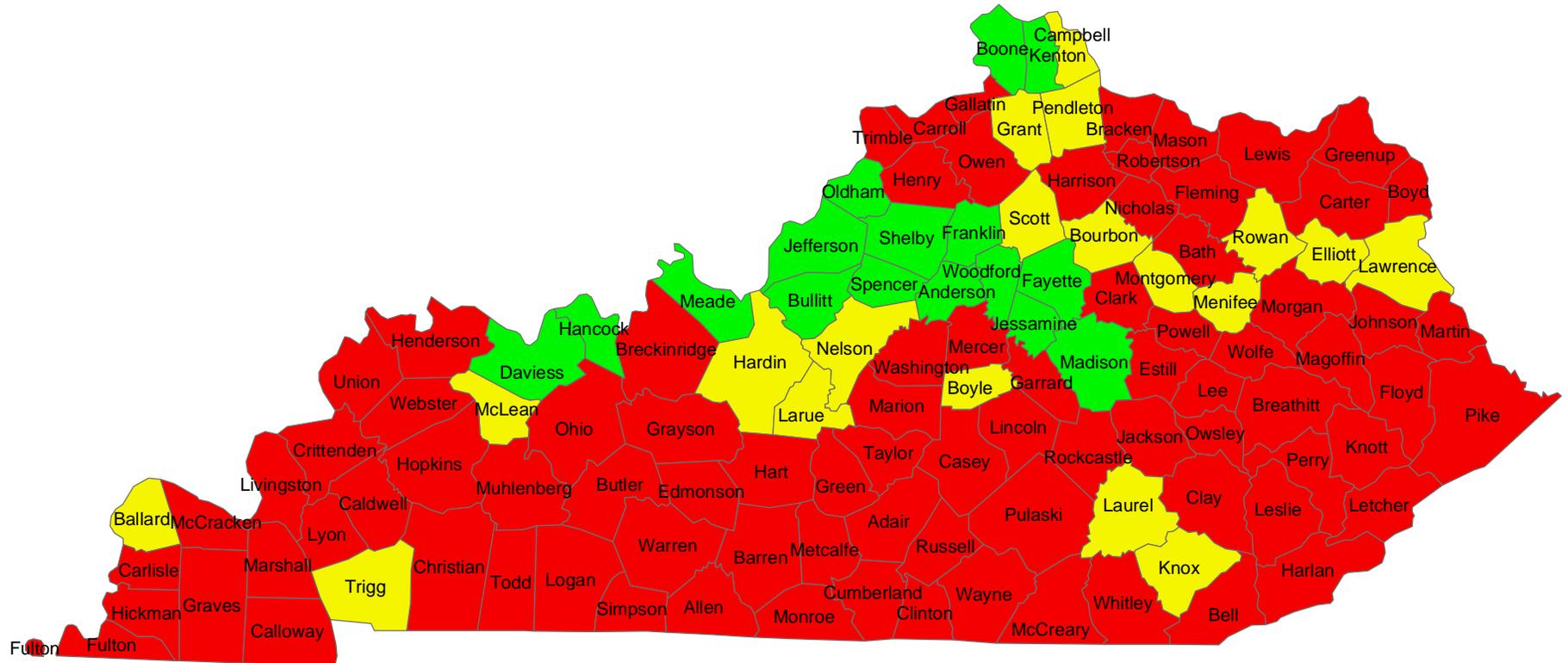
*Population age 18 years or older

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Acute

(Includes Dehydration, Bacterial Pneumonia, and Urinary Tract Infection)
 Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
 January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 7.23**
 State rate per 1,000 population* is 9.33

Acute Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*Population age 18 years or older

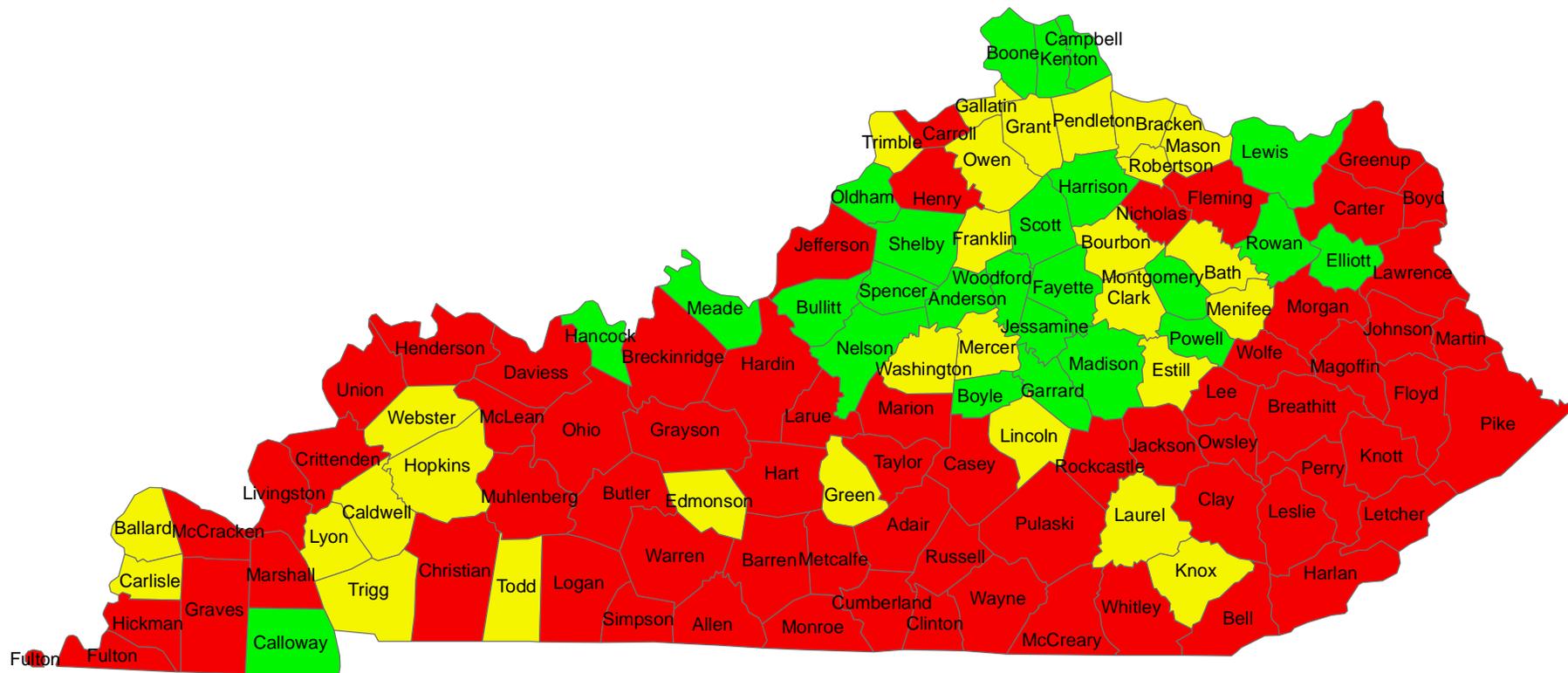
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Chronic

(Includes Diabetes Short-term Complications, Diabetes Long-term Complications, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, Hypertension, Congestive Heart Failure, Angina, Uncontrolled Diabetes, Adult Asthma, and Lower-extremity Amputation Among Patients with Diabetes)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 11.56**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 13.41

Chronic Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

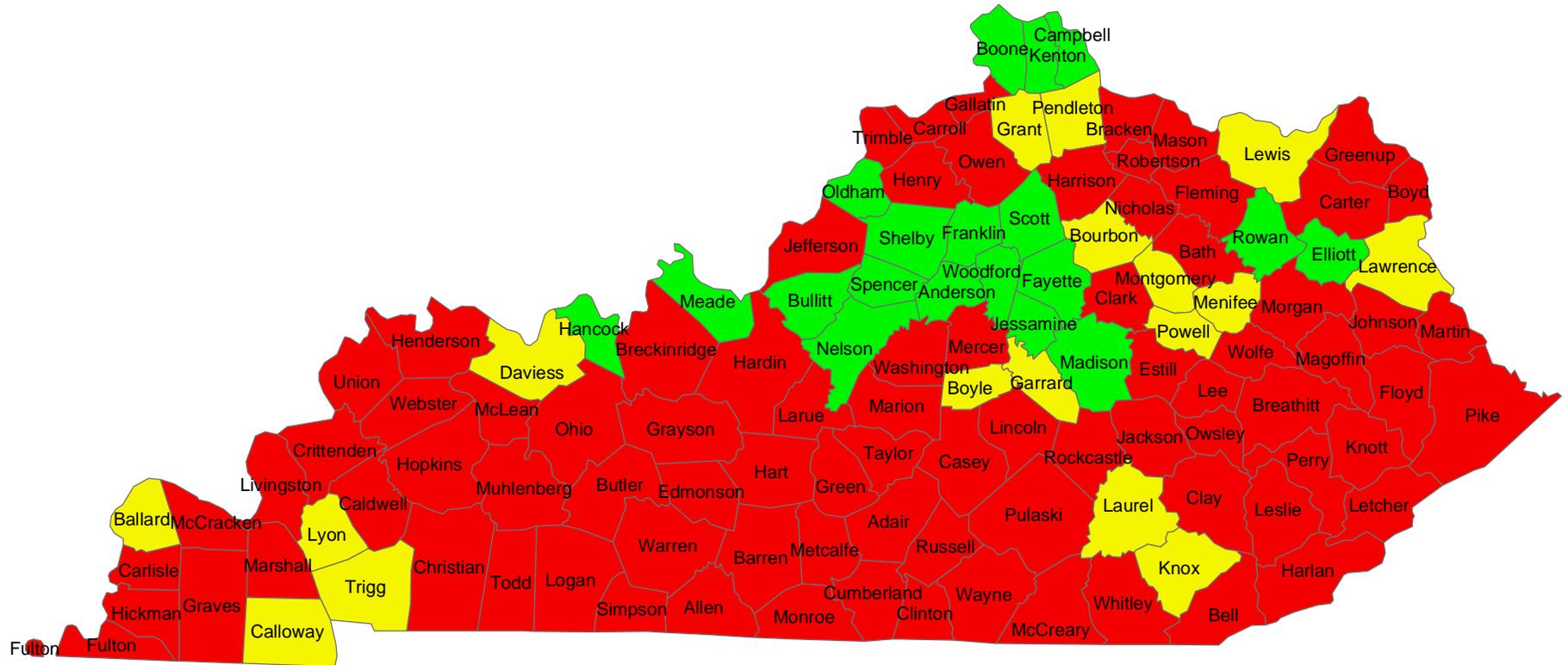
- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*Population age 18 years or older

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Overall

(Includes all PQIs except Low Birth Weight and Perforated Appendix)
 Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
 January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008



National rate per 1,000 population* is 18.79**
 State rate per 1,000 population* is 22.75

Overall Risk Adjusted Rate (Considering Margin of Error)

- Below National Rate
- Comparable to National Rate
- Above National Rate

*Population age 18 years or older

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