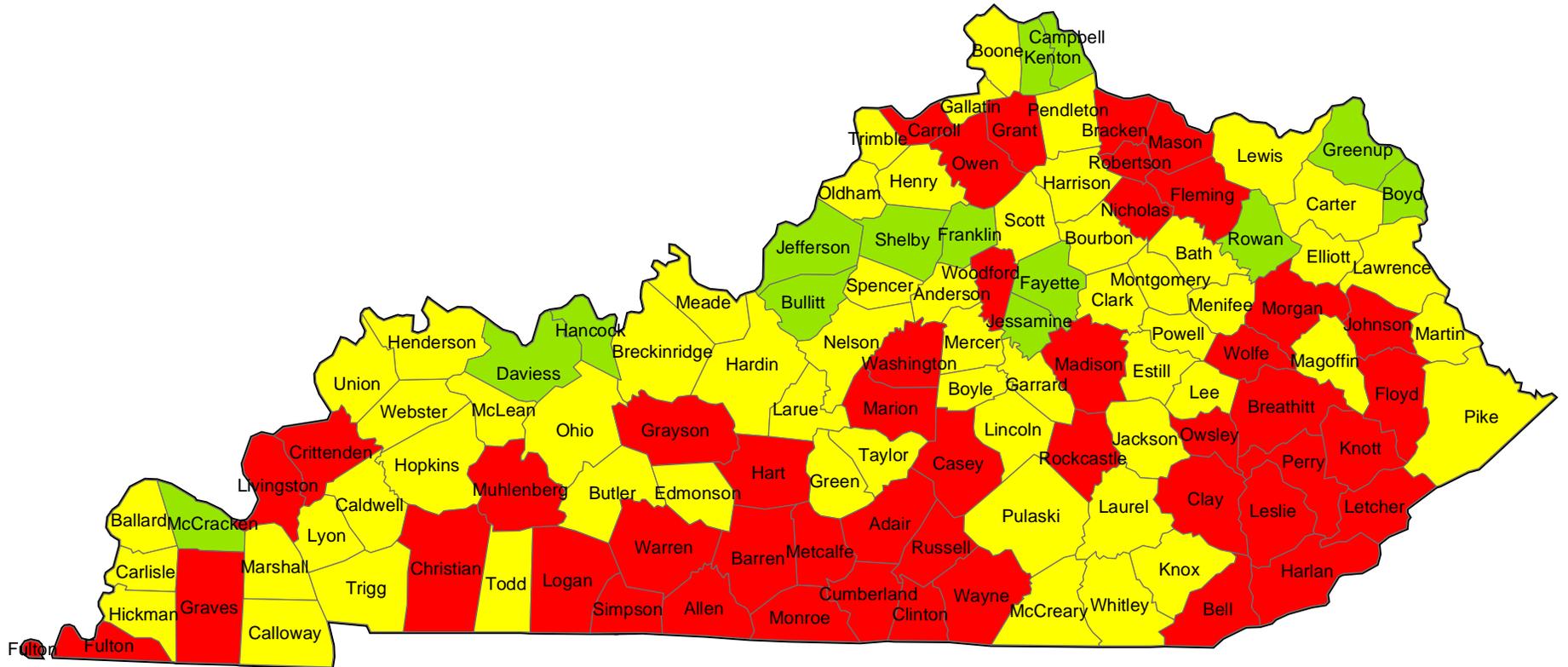


Dehydration Admission Rate (PQI 10)

Based on Kentucky Hospital Inpatient Discharge Claims
January 1, 2006 to December 31, 2006



National rate per 1,000 population* is 1.27**
State rate per 1,000 population* is 1.52

PQI 10 Risk Adjusted Rates (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>