

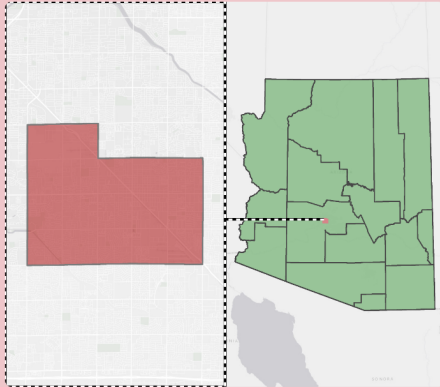
# Glendale Central, Maricopa County

## Heart Disease<sup>†</sup>

The environment is one of **several factors** that can lead to an increased risk for heart disease. High levels of air pollution and extreme hot and cold temperatures have been linked to increases in heart disease and deaths from heart attacks. A heart attack happens when a part of the heart muscle dies or gets damaged because of reduced blood supply.

In 2017, there were

- 155 hospitalizations for heart attack in Glendale Central.
- 6,470 hospitalizations for heart attack in Maricopa.



Glendale Central 38.6

Maricopa 26.2

Age-adjusted rate of hospitalization for heart attack, ages 35 and over, per 10,000 population

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<sup>†</sup> 2017 data from the Arizona Environmental Public Health Tracking Network

