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COLORADO (CO)

Population: 5,695,564 (USA Rank: 21)

Per Capita Income: \$38,057 (USA Rank: 10)

U.S.Governments: <https://www.usa.gov/elected-officials>

(Federal, State & local - most recent elected officials)

Colorado: <https://www.colorado.gov>

Governor's office: 303-866-2471

<https://dashboard.colorado.gov>

Secretary of State: 303-894-2200 www.coloradosos.gov

Office of Community Engagement: 720-508-6000 - Email: oce@coag.gov

Tourism: Colorado Tourism Office: 973-270-7804 - andrew.grossmann@state.co.us

Major Cities: Denver, Colorado Springs, Aurora, Fort Collins, Lakewood, Thornton

Multicultural Council of America

non-profit umbrella organization, promoting world cultures, education & healthcare

<https://www.multiculturalcouncil.org>

Email: info@multiculturalcouncil.org

WE are a non-profit membership organization, helping you connect with people and organizations within **Colorado** and beyond, for better communication, exchanging ideas, learning & helping communities locally, nationally and globally thru Multicultural Council Chapters.

We encourage you to please become a [member](#), join one of our committees, **be a [volunteer or mentor](#), [donate your time & money and share your ideas to help the communities](#)**. Membership is open to individuals, organizations, corporations and governments.

Please [advertise](#) your organization, services or products in this website to reach out to local, regional and global multicultural communities.

Tourism Promotion has become our special project during these uncertain times. Tourism is the world's largest industry. Prior to the pandemic, according to the National Travel and Tourism Week (NTTW) the travel industry was a powerful economic engine, supporting jobs and driving local economies in every pocket of America. The industry had experienced 107 straight months of growth, generated \$2.6 trillion in economic output, supported 17 million American jobs and delivered a \$51 billion trade surplus to the U.S.

Like other states, Colorado also suffered significantly. Travel spending declined 36.3% from \$24.2 billion in 2019 to \$15.4 billion in 2020. Nearly 38,200 jobs were lost (20.3%) and Tax receipts were down 30 per cent compared to 2019.

While Tourism bounced back strongly in 2022, driven by pent-up demand and the lifting of travel restrictions, the international travel remains 54.6% below pre-pandemic. The recovery is fragile with new uncertainties from the economic slowdown & geopolitical instability.

The Multicultural Communities within Colorado and throughout the world have always been instrumental in increasing Tourism Revenues for Colorado, for employment and our economic growth. Let's work together to help each other.

Population by Race: Source: Census Bureau – American Community Survey (<https://census.gov/acs>) & *Pew Research*

| | Colorado | | | | | U. S.A. | Change 2010-21 | % increase |
|---|--|-------|--|--|--|-------------|----------------|------------|
| 1 | White | 84.1% | | | | 192,750,000 | -4,060,000 | (<0%) |
| 2 | Black or African American | 4.2% | | | | 39,270,000 | 1,580,000 | 7% |
| 3 | Hispanic or Latino | 21.7% | | | | 62,530,000 | 12,050,000 | 52% |
| 4 | Asian | 3.2% | | | | 18,890,000 | 4,420,000 | 19% |
| 5 | American Indian and Alaska Native | 1.0% | | | | - | - | - |
| 6 | Two or more Races | 4.0% | | | | 14,300,000 | 8,330,000 | 36% |
| 7 | Pacific Islanders | 0.1% | | | | - | - | - |
| 8 | Coloradans Speaking A Foreign Language at Home | 16.7% | | | | - | - | - |

How Much Do You Need To Earn, to Live Well in Colorado:

Family Budget Calculator, developed by the Economic Policy Institute (www.epi.org/resources/budget) allows you to calculate the average amount of money you need for Housing, Food, Childcare, Transportation, Healthcare, Taxes, etc. in the area where you live or wish to live.

Colorado Information, Contacts & Resources

- **History & Culture:** https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/History_of_Colorado
- **History & Culture:** <https://www.britannica.com/place/Colorado-state>
- **Demographics:** <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/CO>
- **Discrimination** (*Violation of Your Civil Rights based on race, color, national origin, disability, sex, religion, familial status, etc.*): 833-591-0291 or Toll-Free: 1-855-856-1247 <https://civilrights.justice.gov>
- **Health:** <https://cdphe.colorado.gov/health>
- **Health: National Association of Free & Charitable Clinics:** 703-647-7427 - <https://nafclinics.org>
info@nafclinics.org
- **Drug Information** (*Interactions, side-effects, etc.*): Call your local pharmacist or FDA at 1-855-543-3784 and 1-301-796-3400 or write to druginfo@fda.hhs.gov
- **Immigration & Citizenship:** www.uscis.gov/citizenship Email: Office.of.Citizenship@uscis.dhs.gov
- **IRS-Taxpayer Advocate Service:** 877-777-4778 www.taxpayeradvocate.irs.gov
- **Fraud, Scams & Bad Business Practices:** 1-877-382-4357 <https://reportfraud.ftc.gov>
- **The Innocence Project helping wrongfully convicted Americans:**
<http://www.innocenceproject.org> - Email: info@innocenceproject.org
- **Need Urgent Legal Help?** Legal Services Corporation: 202-295-1500 (www.lsc.gov- info@lsc.gov)
or American Bar Association: Toll Free: 800-285-2221 www.americanbar.org

Colorado Crisis Hotlines:

211 - 2-1-1 is a confidential and multilingual service connecting people to vital resources across the state. No matter where you live in Colorado, you can find information about resources in your local community. The 2-1-1 Colorado database holds information for more than 8,000 services across the state of Colorado. These services are supported by more than 2,800 agencies.

Colorado Crisis Services: 1-844-493-8255 Text "TALK" to 38255 <https://coloradocrisisservices.org>

The crisis system in Colorado: <https://cdhs.colorado.gov/behavioral-health/crisis> Tel: 720.618.8210

Domestic Violence: <https://cdhs.colorado.gov/.../domestic-violence-program> (*search for a local contact*)

Child Abuse: Tel: 844-CO-4-Kids - <https://cdhs.colorado.gov/colorado-child-abuse-and-neglect-hotline>

National Crisis Resources: 24-hour nationwide – Services may be available in many languages

Addiction Hotline: 800-784-2433

Child Abuse: 1-800-4-A-Child or 1-800-422-4453 (*National Child Abuse Hotline*) www.childhelp.org

Domestic Violence: 1-800-799-7233 (*National Domestic Violence Hotline*)

StrongHearts Native Helpline: Call/Chat: 1-844-7NATIVE (762-8483) www.strongheartshelpline.org

Shelters: <https://www.domesticshelters.org>

Online Chat (7am-2am CST) <https://www.thehotline.org> - All calls are toll-free & confidential

Human Trafficking Hotline: 1-888-373-7888 (Text # 233733)

National Center for Missing & Exploited Children: 1-800-THE-LOST or 1-800-843-5678

National Indigenous Women's Resource Center – 855-649-7299 – www.niwrc.org - info@niwrc.org

National Problem Gambling Helpline: 1-800-522-4700-Text: 1-800-522-4700-Chat: www.ncpgambling.org/chat

Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-TALK (1-800-273-8255) **Soon to be 9-8-8**

Poison Control Center For Emergencies: 1-800-222-1222

Covenant House Nineline: 1-800-RUNAWAY (1-800-786-2929) <https://teenlineonline.org>

Girls & Boys Town National Hotline: Phone, Chat, Text, and Email - 1-800-448-3000

National Youth Crisis Hotline: 1-800-442-HOPE (1-800-442-4673)

Samariteens: 1-800-252-TEENS (1-800-252-8336) - 3:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

Youth Crisis Hotline: 1-800-HIT-HOME (1-800-448-4663)

Youth America Hotline (YAH!): 1-877-YOUTHLINE (1-877-968-8454)

The Trevor Lifeline: 1-866-488-7386

** The Trevor Lifeline is a service of The Trevor Project, a non-profit endeavor devoted to promoting tolerance and understanding for LGBTQ youth.*

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