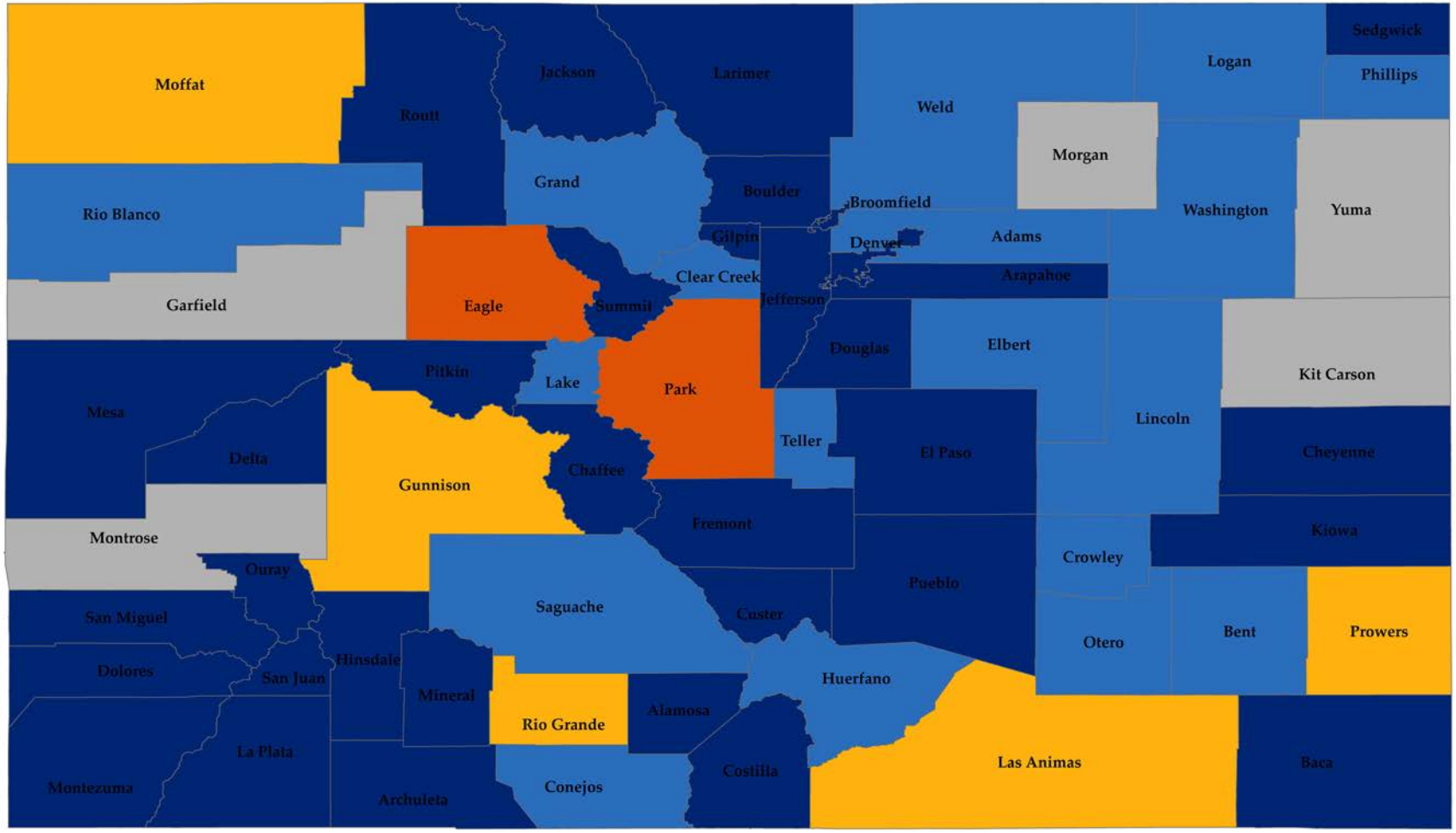
Colorado: Access to a Mental Health Provider, 2014

Patients per Provider



Patients per Mental Health Provider

- >16,001
- 12,001-16,000
- 8,001-12,000
- 4,001-8,000
- <4,000

Colorado average: 1637

Mental disorders are among the most common causes of disability. The resulting disease burden of mental illness is among the highest of all diseases. According to the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), in any given year, an estimated 13 million American adults (approximately 1 in 17) have a seriously debilitating mental illness. Mental health disorders are the leading cause of disability in the United States and Canada, accounting for 25 percent of all years of life lost to disability and premature mortality. Therefore, the improvement of mental health through prevention and by ensuring access to appropriate, quality mental health services, has become a national initiative through Healthy People 2020. *https://www.healthypeople.gov/2020*

Data Source Information, Map:
CMS, National Provider Identification, current as of March 2015.

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