



## The Palmdale Area

- **Encompasses:** 106.1 square miles
- **Residents:** 153,240<sup>1</sup>
- **Surrounding cities:** Desert View Highlands, Vincent, Acton, Quartz Hill, Lancaster, and Littlerock.<sup>2</sup>
- **Public schools:** Anaverde Hills, Antelope Valley Learning Academy, Barrel Springs Elementary, Buena Vista Elementary, Cactus Middle, Chaparral Elementary, Cimarron Elementary, Cottonwood Elementary, Desert Rose Elementary, Desert Sands Charter, Desert Willow Intermediate, Esperanza Elementary, Golden Poppy Elementary, Guidance Charter, Highland High, Hillview Middle, Joshua Hills Elementary, Juniper Intermediate, Los Amigos, Manzanita Elementary, Mesquite Elementary, Ocotillo Elementary, Palmdale High, Palmdale Learning Plaza, Palm Tree Elementary, Phoenix High Community Day, Quail Valley Elementary, Rancho Vista Elementary, R. Rex Parris High, Shadow Hills Intermediate, Summerwind Elementary, Tumbleweed Elementary, William J. (Pete) Knight High, Yellen Learning Center, and Yucca Elementary.<sup>2</sup>
- **Parks:** 60th St East & Avenue S8, 70th st East & North of Avenue R, A.C. Warnack Nature, Arnie Quinones, American Indian Little League Site, Anaverde Hills, Arnie Quinones, Avenue S & Dorer Street, Big Rock Creek Wildlife Sanctuary, Demonstration Garden, Dessert Sands, Domenic Massari, Dr. Robert C. St. Clair Parkway, Foothill, Joe Davies Heritage Airpark, Joshua Hills, Legacy Commons, Manzanita Heights, Marie Kerr, William J. McAdam, Melville J. Courson, Palmdale Oasis, Palmdale, Palmdale Youth Pony League Fields, Palmenthol History, Pelona Vista, Poncitlan Square, Rancho Vista Neighborhood, Sam Yellen, and Tejon.<sup>3</sup>

### 2020 Trauma Center Injuries per 100,000 residents<sup>7</sup> Rate

Palmdale	32.0
Los Angeles County	41.2

### 2021 Violent Crime Rates per 100,000 residents Rate

Palmdale <sup>5</sup>	1,837
Los Angeles Sheriff's Department Overall <sup>6</sup>	2,273

2020 Demographics <sup>1</sup>	Palmdale	LA County
<b>Age</b>		
Children (0-14)	25%	18%
Youth (15-24)	16%	13%
Adults (25-64)	50%	55%
Seniors (65+)	10%	14%
<b>Gender</b>		
Male	49%	49%
Female	51%	51%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>		
Black	12%	8%
Latinx	62%	48%
Asian	4%	15%
White	20%	26%
Other	3%	3%
<b>Socio-Demographics</b>		
Households speak limited English	9%	12%
Families In Poverty	13%	11%
Unemployed (16+ years)	7%	7%
Have high school diploma (25+ years)	76%	80%
Uninsured	8%	9%

2020 Health Data <sup>4</sup>	Palmdale	LA County
Asthma (18+ years)	18%	15%
Asthma (1-17 years)	16%	13%
Diabetes (18+ years)	13%	12%
Heart Disease (18+ years)	7%	7%
Need Mental Health Help (18+ years)	18%	21%
Fair/Poor Health (18-64 years)	17%	13%
Fair/Poor Health (65+ years)	30%	26%

2021 Violent Crimes	Palmdale <sup>5</sup>	LA County <sup>8</sup>
Aggravated Assaults	436	37,776
Robbery	144	15,642
Homicide	8	841
Forcible Rape	42	3,918

<sup>1</sup> 2020 American Community Survey 5-year estimates for the city of Palmdale; <sup>2</sup> Los Angeles Times, Mapping LA; <sup>3</sup> Countywide Parks and Open Space ArcGIS layer; <sup>4</sup> 2020 health data from Ask CHIS Neighborhood edition for city of Palmdale; <sup>5</sup> 2021 data on part 1 crimes for LASD reporting districts 2600-2603, 2606-2614, 2616-2621, 2623-2625, 2627, 2628, 2633; rate calculated with population data from 2020 American Community Survey 5-year estimates; <sup>6</sup> 2021 data on part 1 crimes for LASD, rate calculated with population data from LASD; <sup>7</sup> Trauma Center data, Los Angeles County EMS Agency, rate calculated with population data from 2020 American Community Survey 5-year estimates. <sup>8</sup> 2021 Department of Justice (DOJ) data portal Crimes and Clearances summary file.