

Comment 1. For geographic designation as Large metro area, metro area, micro area or rural area will a list be supplied with each county's designation or are carriers responsible for the population per square mile calculation? If carrier performs calculation, is the part of each county that is listed as 'water' excluded? Also, if carrier performs calculation will 2010 census be acceptable for population?

For example, Worcester County total land area is 23% water and a population in the 2010 census of 51,454.

Population per sq. mile = $51,454 / 584.86$ (total sq. miles) = 87.97 residents per sq. mile

Population per sq. mile = $51,454 / 474.86$ (land only) = 108.36 residents per sq. mile

With a population between 50 and 200,000 and res per sq. mile of 87.98 Worcester is a micro-jurisdiction using both land and water area.

If only land is used Worcester has a population between 50,000 and 200,000 and res per sq. mile of 108.36 which is a metro jurisdiction with different accessibility requirements

COUNTY	Land Area*	Water Area*	Total Area*
	(mi2)	(mi2)	(mi2)
Allegany	427.62	0.38	428.00
Anne Arundel	418.37	35.24	453.61
Baltimore City	80.34	11.67	92.01
Baltimore	597.60	34.99	632.59
Calvert	213.23	27.09	240.32
Caroline	320.79	3.60	324.39
Carroll	451.98	0.47	452.45
Cecil	359.55	21.20	380.75
Charles	451.58	35.20	486.78
Dorchester	593.22	67.75	660.97
Frederick	662.72	4.60	667.32
Garrett	656.83	7.58	664.41
Harford	447.64	16.50	464.14
Howard	251.00	2.51	253.51
Kent	278.34	25.30	303.64
Montgomery	495.44	10.14	505.58
Prince George's	487.01	12.20	499.21
Queen Anne's	371.86	29.20	401.06
St. Mary's	372.54	37.68	410.22
Somerset	338.41	35.85	374.26
Talbot	258.62	67.70	326.32
Washington	454.97	12.10	467.07
Wicomico	379.10	14.40	393.50
Worcester	474.86	110.00	584.86
SUBTOTAL	9843.62	623.35	10466.97

http://www.mgs.md.gov/geology/areas_and_lengths.html

Comment 2. If a physical therapy group contains one or more providers with occupational therapy credentials will this fulfill the occupational therapy requirement?

Comment 3. Will a more complete definition of 'Applied Behavioral Analysis' be provided?

Comment 4. Can a CRNP be counted as a Primary Care Physician?

Comment 5. What credentials are required to fulfill psychology requirement?
