

Most Populous Counties

Harris County is the third most populous county in the nation.

Population Estimates – U.S. Counties				
Rank	County	Residents July 1, 2016	Residents added 7/1/15 to 7/1/16	Percent Change
1	Los Angeles County, CA	10,137,951	25,660	0.25
2	Cook County, IL	5,203,499	(21,324)	(0.41)
3	Harris County, TX	4,589,928	56,587	1.25
4	Maricopa County, AZ	4,242,997	81,360	1.95
5	San Diego County, CA	3,317,749	27,504	0.84
6	Orange County, CA	3,172,532	15,959	0.51
7	Miami-Dade County, FL	2,712,945	20,352	0.76
8	Kings County, NY	2,629,150	4,209	0.16
9	Dallas County, TX	2,574,984	29,209	1.15
10	Riverside County, CA	2,387,741	34,849	1.48
11	Queens County, NY	2,333,054	5,826	0.25
12	Clark County, NV	2,155,664	46,375	2.20
13	King County, WA	2,149,970	35,714	1.69
14	San Bernardino County, CA	2,140,096	17,551	0.83
15	Tarrant County, TX	2,016,872	35,462	1.79
16	Bexar County, TX	1,928,680	33,198	1.75
17	Santa Clara County, CA	1,919,402	9,297	0.49
18	Broward County, FL	1,909,632	22,351	1.18
19	Wayne County, MI	1,749,366	(7,696)	(0.44)
20	Alameda County, CA	1,647,704	14,957	0.92
Source: U.S. Census Bureau				

- Between July 1, 2015 and July 1, 2016 (the period for which the U.S. Census Bureau released its most recent population estimates), Harris County added the second most residents of all counties in the nation.