# Collin<br/>County<br/>Benefits

2025 Presentation for FY2026 Budget



### FISCAL YEAR 2024 BENEFITS COSTS

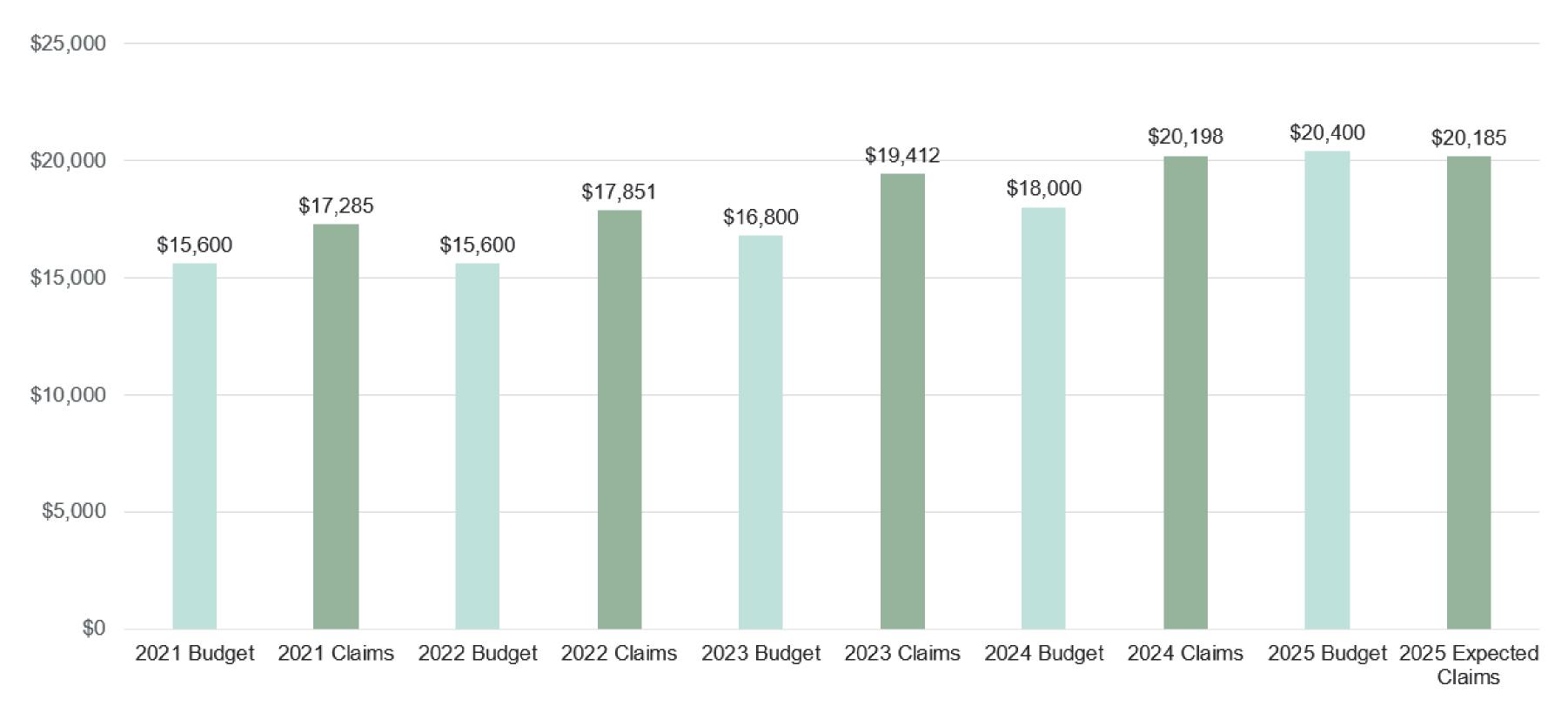
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Medical and Prescription	2023 Costs	2024 Costs
Total Claims Cost	\$33,918,562	\$39,899,701
Employees Pay	\$3,320,994 (10%)	\$3,421,537 (9%)
County Pays	\$30,597,568 (90%)	\$36,478,164 (91%)
Average # of Covered Subscribers	1,495	1,545

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Employee Pays	12%	10%	11%	10%	9%
Employer Pays	88%	90%	89%	90%	91%

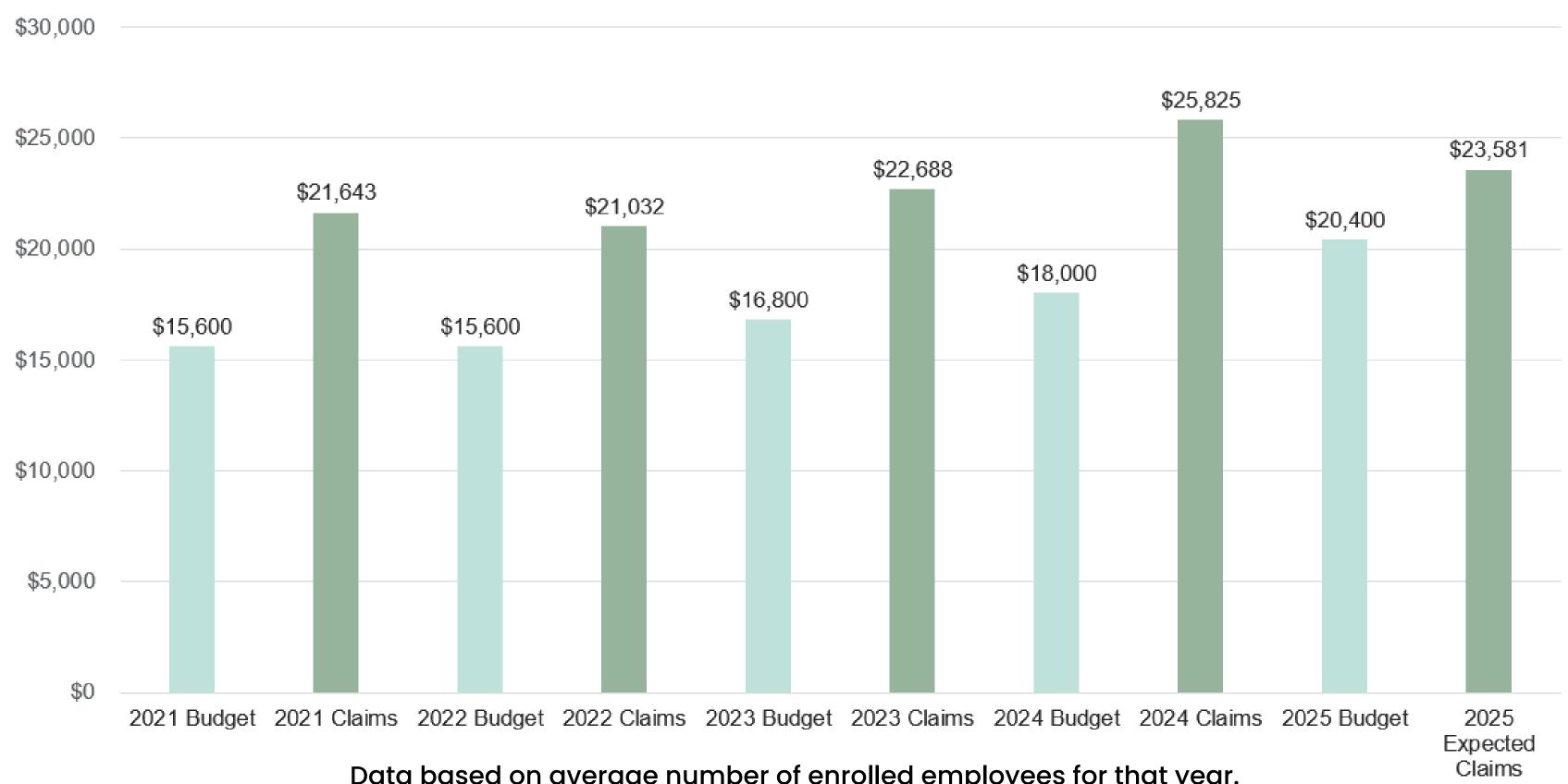
### FISCAL YEAR BUDGET VS. CLAIMS PER EMPLOYEE

(with stop loss reimbursements)



### FISCAL YEAR BUDGET VS. CLAIMS PER EMPLOYEE

(without stop loss reimbursements)



### 2024 CLAIMS INFORMATION

Average Insured Members: 3,700



3% increase

For every insured employee, we also cover an average of 1.37 dependents.

**Utilization of medical benefits:** 

98%

Excluding catastrophic cases, medical net payments increased from prior year.



4% Increase

- Catastrophic cases are those that exceed \$50,000.
- 51% of our claims cost was due to high cost claimants, which is 20% higher than the norm. These numbers include pharmacy spend.
- 127 claims were over \$50,000 in 2024.
  - 68 claims were between \$50,000 and \$99,999.
  - 41 claims were between \$100,000 and \$199,999.
  - 15 claims were over \$200,000.
  - 3 claims were over \$500,000

2024: 127 catastrophic cases.

CATASTROPHIC CASES DETAILS

52% were employees.



20% had a diagnosis of diabetes.



29% had no prior health indicators.

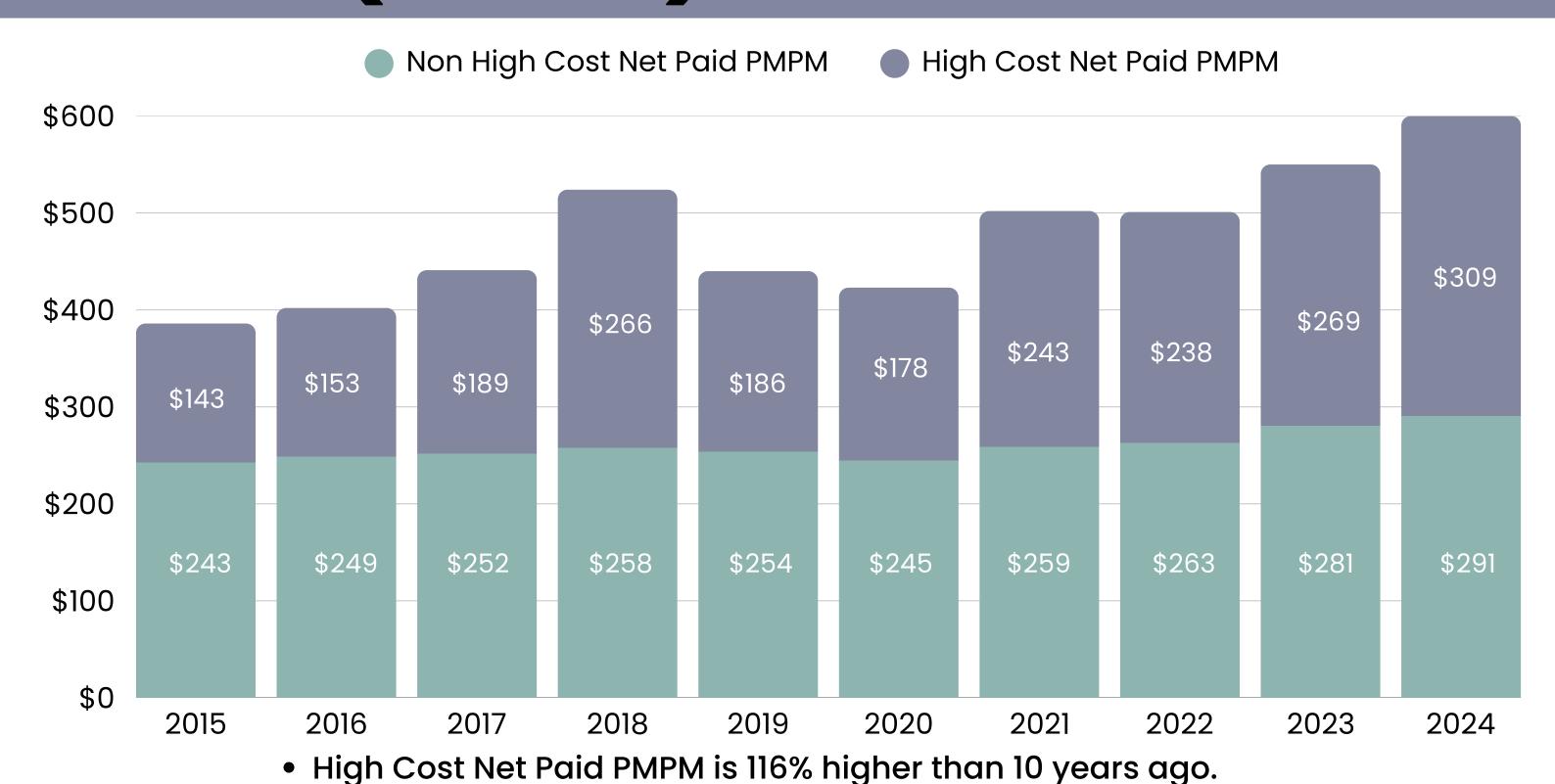


31% were ongoing catastrophic cases from 2023.



3% of members considered as catastrophic and drove 51% of total spend.

# MEDICAL NET PAID PER MEMBER PER MONTH (PMPM) HISTORICAL TREND



• Non-High Cost Net Paid PMPM is 20% higher than 10 years ago.

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## DIABETES

12%

Insured adults had a diabetes diagnosis.

27%

Pharmacy paid was for diabetes.

24%

Total plan spend for adults with diabetes.

93%

Members with diabetes have other comorbid conditions.

# TOP DIAGNOSIS CATEGORIES BY COST

Diagnosis	Claimants	Dollars	Cost/Claimant	Catastrophic Dollars %
Circulatory System	774	\$4,686,581	\$6,055	83% 1
Musculoskeletal System	986	\$3,801,995	\$3,856	59%
Other Conditions	2,799	\$2,454,600	\$877	20%
Neoplasm	383 1	\$2,004,412	\$5,233	78% 🕹
Nervous System	1,133 👃	\$1,897,577	\$1,675	51%

### TOP DIAGNOSIS CATEGORIES

#### Circulatory System

- Claimants increased 1%.
- Cost of claims increased 138%.
- Our number of claimants is 14% lower than our peers and our cost per claim is 149% higher.
- Cost of claims is 18% of total medical paid.

#### Musculoskeletal

- Claimants increased 3%.
- Cost of claims increased 17%.
- Our number of claimants is 12% lower than our peers and our cost per claim is 75% higher.
- Cost of claims is 14% of total medical paid.

### Other Conditions

- Claimants increased 5%.
- Cost of claims increased 11%.
- Our number of claimants is 9% higher than our peers and our cost per claim is 31% higher.
- Cost of claims is
   9% of total medical paid.

#### Neoplasms

- Claimants increased 0.3%.
- Cost of claims decreased 16%.
- Our number of claimants is 23% lower than our peers and our cost per claim is on average 19% lower.
- Cost of claims is 8% of total medical paid.

#### Nervous System

- Claimants decreased 4%.
- Cost of claims increased 14%.
- Our number of claimants is 2% higher than our peers and our cost per claim is 43% higher.
- Cost of claims is
   7% of total medical paid.

### Catastrophic cases including pharmacy (those over \$50,000) net paid PMPM increased 10%.

#### • 14 members • Claims totaled just under \$4 million Circulatory System • Made up 28% of the medical catastrophic claim cost • 23 members • Claims totaled just over \$2 million Musculoskeletal • Made up 16% of the medical catastrophic claim cost • 13 members • Claims totaled over \$1.5 million Neoplasms • Made up 11% of the medical catastrophic claim cost • 14 members • Claims totaled just under \$1 million **Nervous System** • Made up 7% of the medical catastrophic claim cost • 12 members • Claims totaled just over \$800,000 Digestive System • Made up 6% of the medical catastrophic claim cost

# CATASTROPHIC COST COST DRIVERS

Circulatory System was the highest cost driver and catastrophic spend increased 237% from last year.

- Those with more than \$50,000 in medical net payments represent 3% of claimants and 51% of medical costs.
- Net paid per ER visit increased 5% and is 32% higher than the norm.

# CALENDAR YEAR STOP LOSS

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Stop Loss Fee	\$3,507,705	\$4,324,936	\$5,438,263	\$6,080,041	\$6,932,985
Stop Loss Reimbursement	\$3,655,140	\$6,491,064	\$5,454,147	\$5,214,600	\$8,291,156
Carrier Impact	-4%	-50%	-0.3%	14%	-20%

### PHARMACY





Over the last five years:

Specialty drug payments:



Non-specialty drug payments:



Plan paid per prescription:



## PHARMACY

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Total Spend	\$7,869,091	\$8,222,934	\$8,424,919	\$10,348,864	\$10,477,068
Change in Total Spend	31%	5%	2%	23%	1%
Employee Pays	\$686,379 (9%)	\$632,799 (8%)	\$628,738 (7%)	\$759,538 (7%)	\$729,492 (7%)
Employer Pays	\$7,182,712 (91%)	\$7,590,135 (92%)	\$7,796,181 (93%)	\$9,589,326 (93%)	\$9,747,576 (93%)

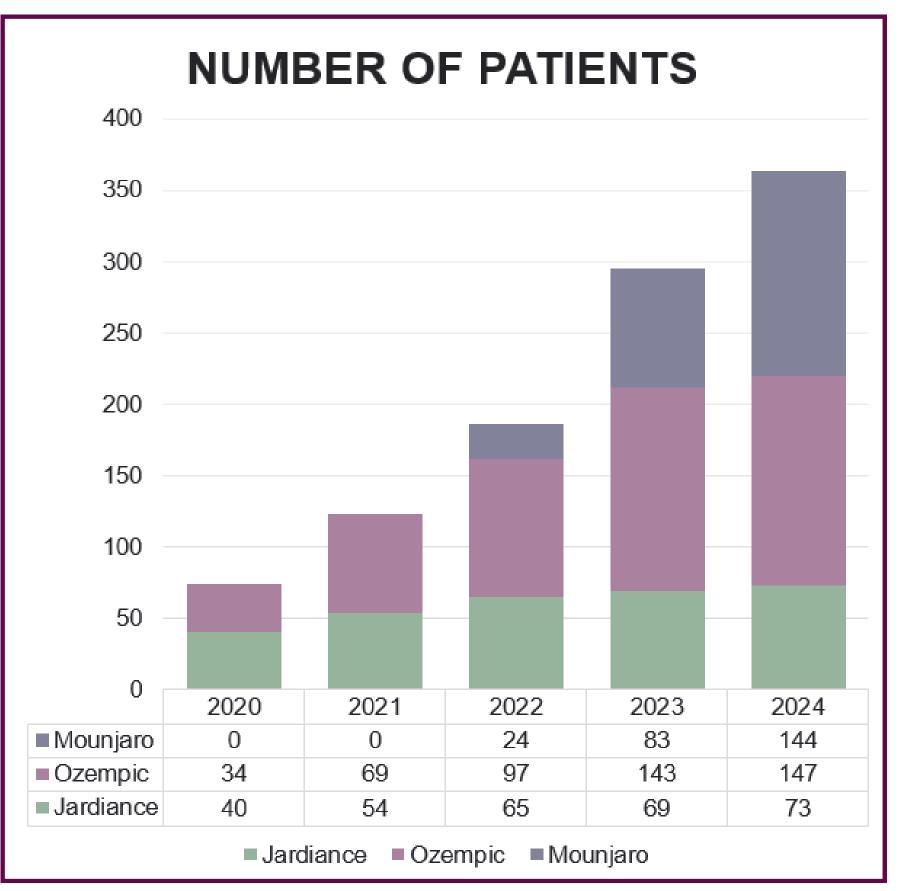
### TOP 15 PRESCRIPTIONS BY NET PAID

Name of Prescription	Used to Treat	Tier	Members Using Prescription	Number of Prescriptions	Annual Cost of Prescription	Cost Per Prescription	Average Cost per Member
MOUNJARO	Diabetes	2	144	843	\$973,438	\$1,155	\$6,760
OZEMPIC	Diabetes	2	147	773	\$868,817	\$1,124	\$5,910
SKYRIZI PEN*	Inflammatory Conditions	2	7	23	\$506,217	\$22,009	\$72,317
STELARA*	Inflammatory Conditions	2	3	16	\$457,757	\$28,610	\$152,586
ENBREL SURECLICK*	Inflammatory Conditoins	2	7	55	\$417,685	\$7,594	\$59,669
HUMIRA PEN*	Inflammatory Conditions	3	4	45	\$405,467	\$9,010	\$101,367
JARDIANCE	Diabetes	2	73	315	\$359,688	\$1,142	\$4,927
KESIMPTA*	Multiple Sclerosis	2	3	33	\$296,168	\$8,975	\$98,723
COSENTYX SENSOREADY PEN*	Inflammatory Conditions	3	3	27	\$227,115	\$8,412	\$75,705
DUPIXENT*	Inflammatory Conditions	2	7	60	\$223,407	\$3,723	\$31,915
VERZENIO*	Oncology	2	1	13	\$209,598	\$16,123	\$209,598
RINVOQ*	Inflammatory Conditions	2	4	27	\$188,686	\$6,988	\$47,172
OFEV*	Respiratory, Misc	3	1	12	\$162,343	\$13,529	\$162,343
COSENTYX UNOREADY	Inflammatory Conditions	3	2	11	\$129,110	\$11,737	\$64,555
OTEZLA*	Inflammatory Conditions	2	4	25	\$116,104	\$4,644	\$29,026

<sup>\*</sup>Specialty Medications

### GLP-1 PRESCRIPTIONS





# SPECIALTY PHARMACY



Specialty drugs are generally defined as having one or more of the following characteristics:

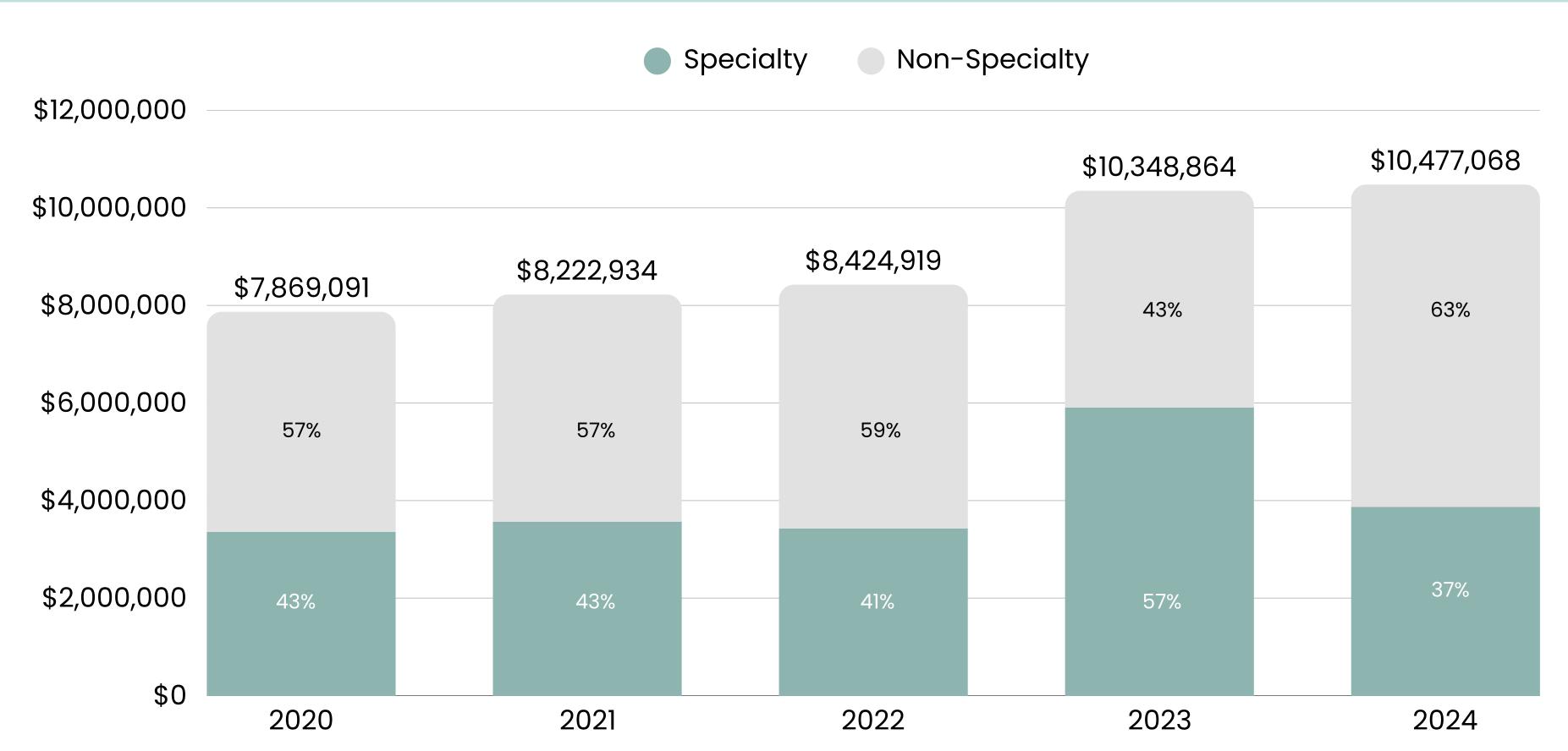
- Complex to manufacture, requiring special handling and administration.
- Costly both in total, and on a per patient basis (typically > \$600 per dose).
- Taken by a relatively small portion of the population who have rare and complex medical conditions.
- Requires ongoing clinical support.

The Mercer survey reported for 2024 that health benefit costs have been pushed up for years by high-cost specialty drugs, and more recently, by GLP-1 medications. In 2024, annual average specialty drug cost per employee increased by 8%.

Specialty drug costs for our plan decreased from \$1,213 to \$1,112 monthly for each member.

- Top 5 specialty conditions represent 44% of total plan paid and 2% of total prescriptions.
- Specialty plan paid per prescription is 8% higher than peer.

### TOTAL PHARMACY COST



### CARE OPTIONS

Collin County is self-insured. This means the County pays all medical claims itself rather than paying an insurance company to pay for claims.

Collin County's emergency room copay was previously calculated as a percentage. The \$750 flat copay reflects what that percentage typically would cost the employee. It gives a clear, upfront cost for emergency room visits.

If an employee is admitted to the hospital from their emergency room visit, the \$750 copay is waived.

#### Primary Care Physician



For routine checkups, ongoing care, and managing chronic conditions.

### Convenience Care Clinic



Open evenings and weekends with no appointment needed for minor medical issues.

#### Urgent Care Clinic



For non-life-threatening issues that need quick attention, like sprains or minor infections

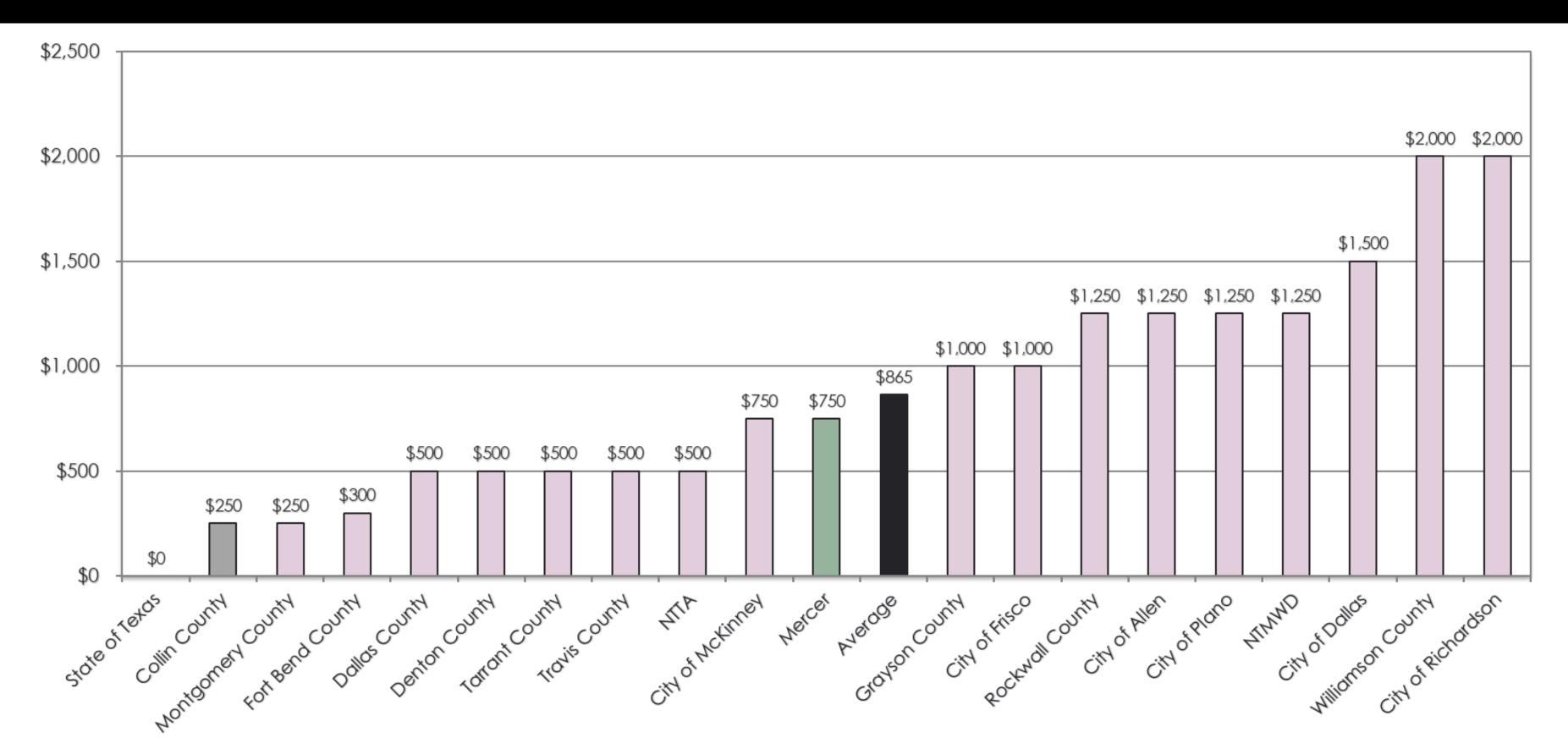
#### Emergency Room



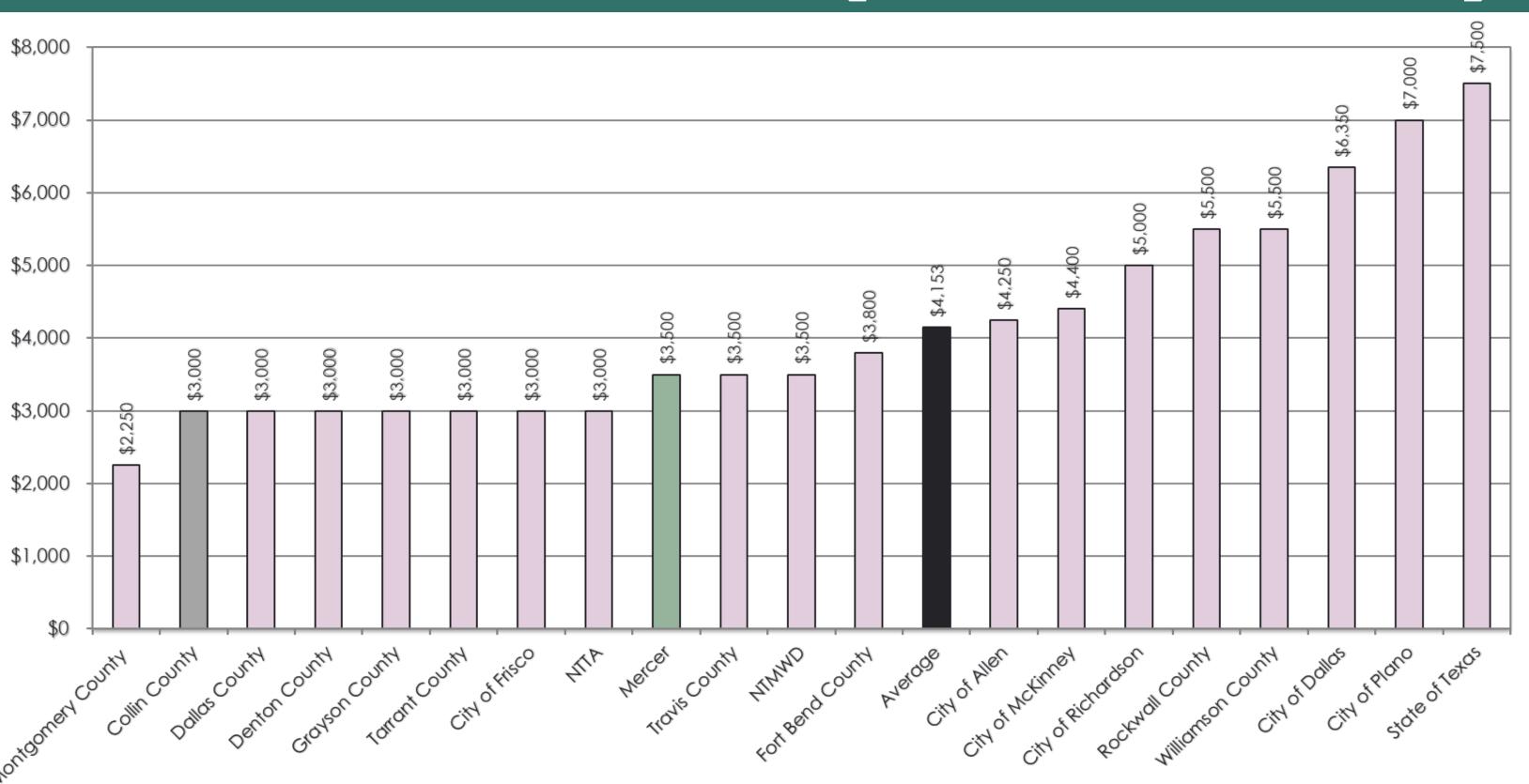
For serious or lifethreatening conditions that require immediate care like head injury, chest pain, or heavy bleeding.

# MEDICAL AND DENTAL BENEFIT COMPARISONS

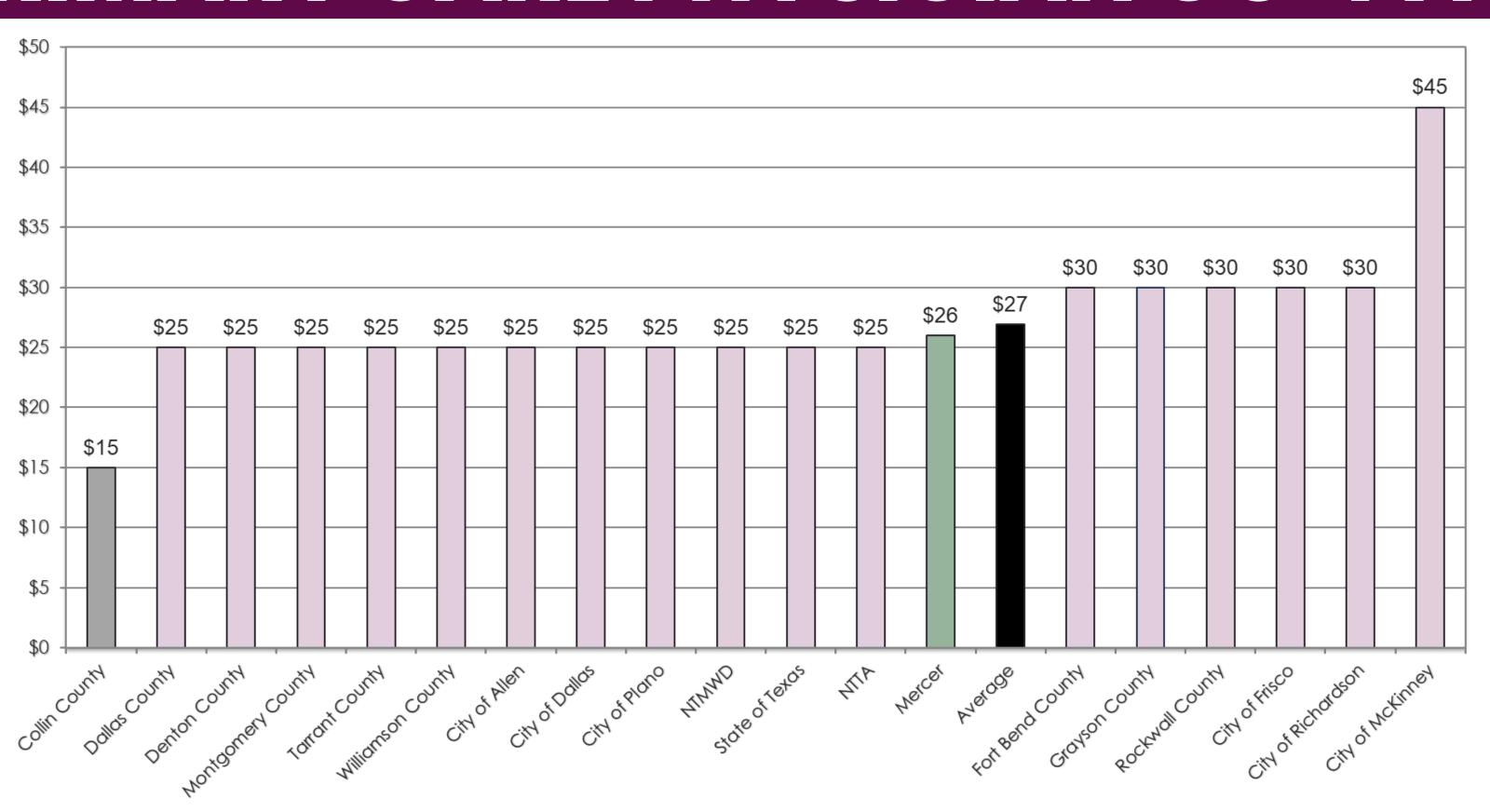
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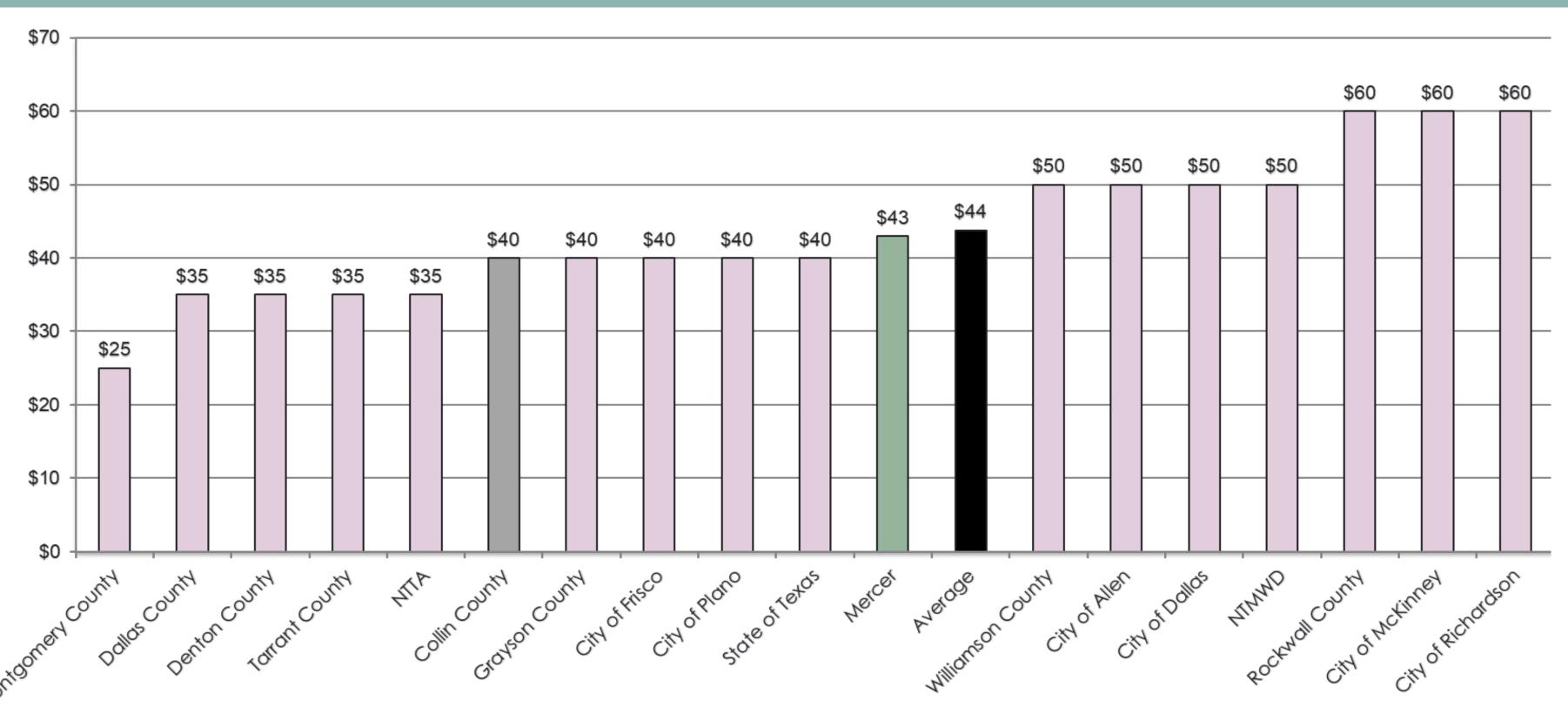
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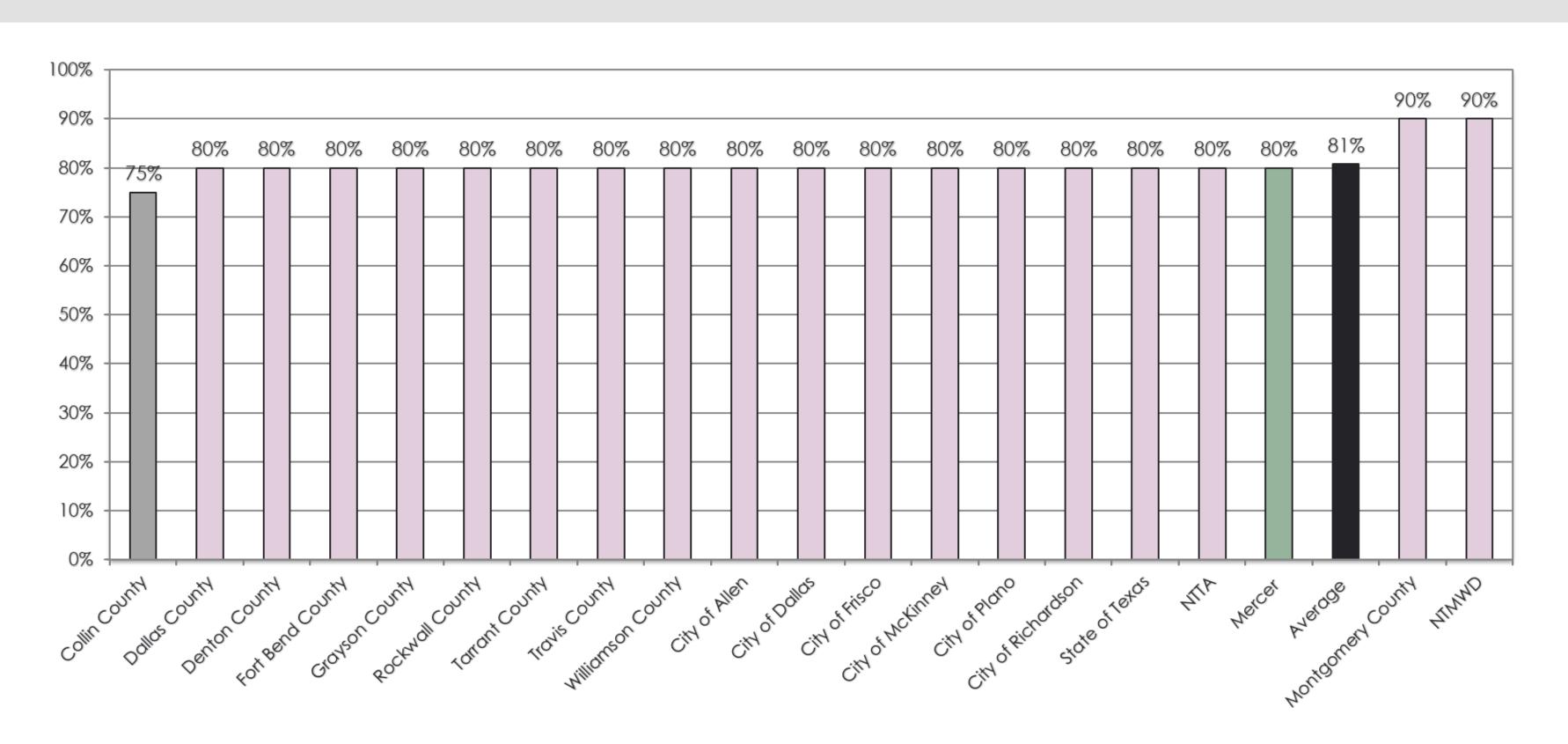
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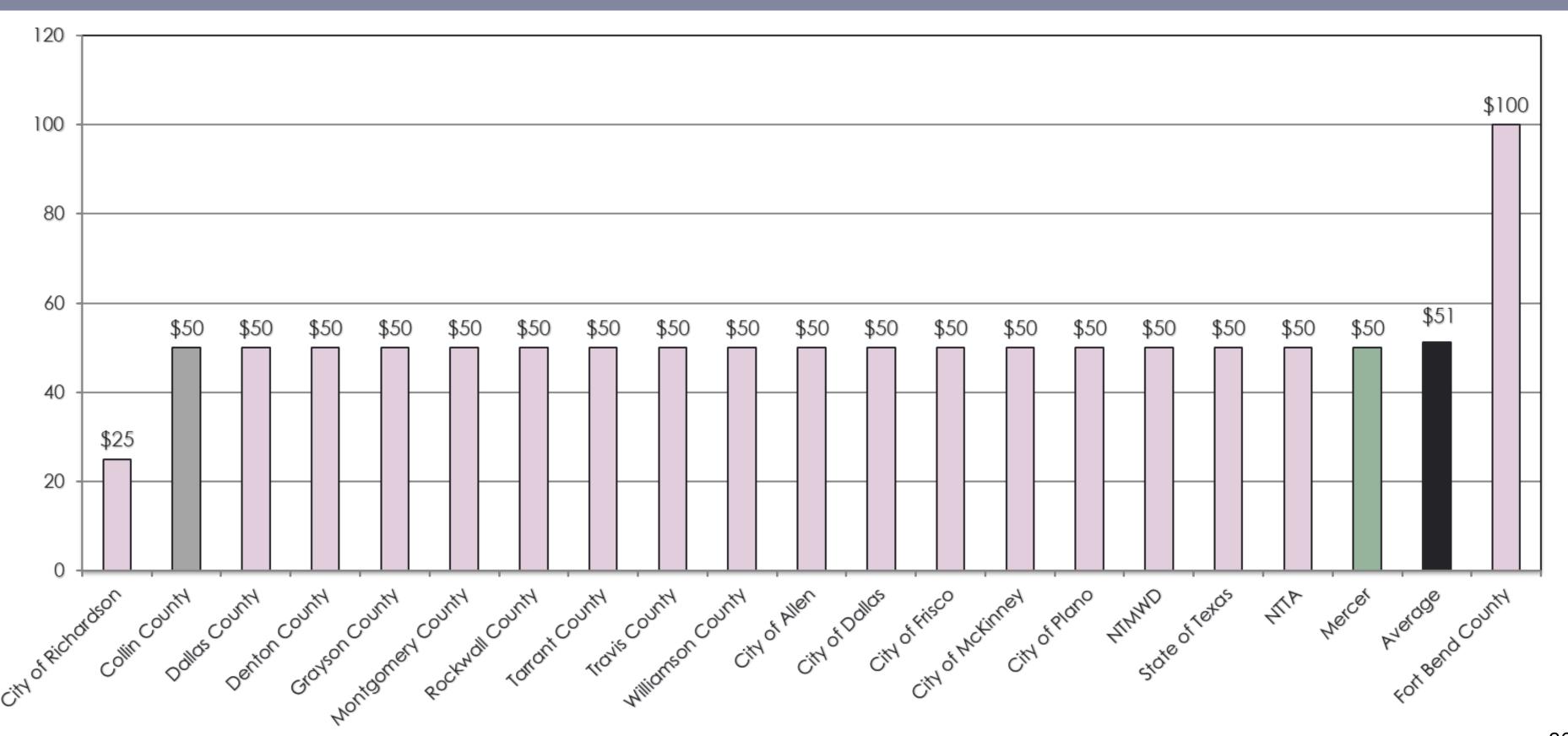
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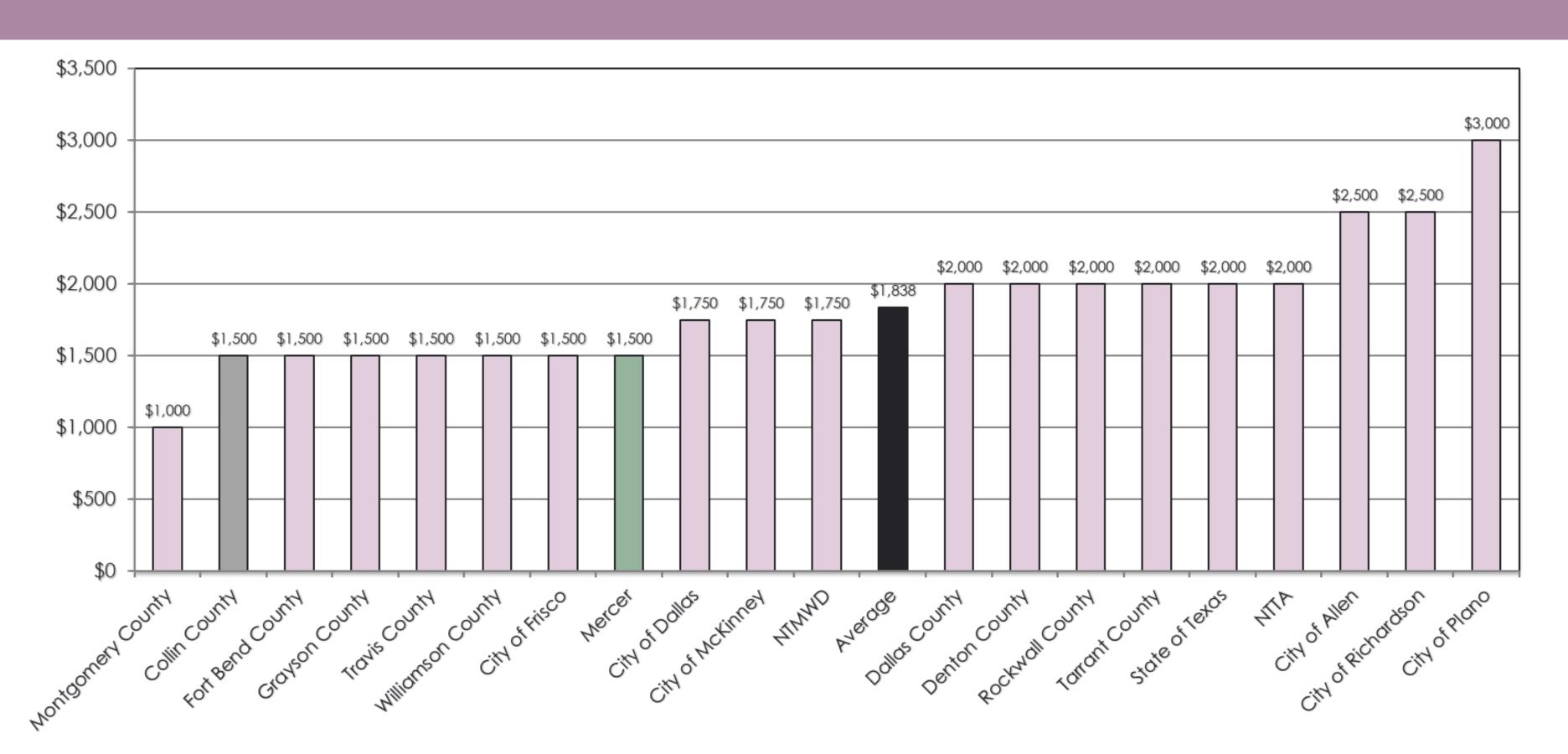
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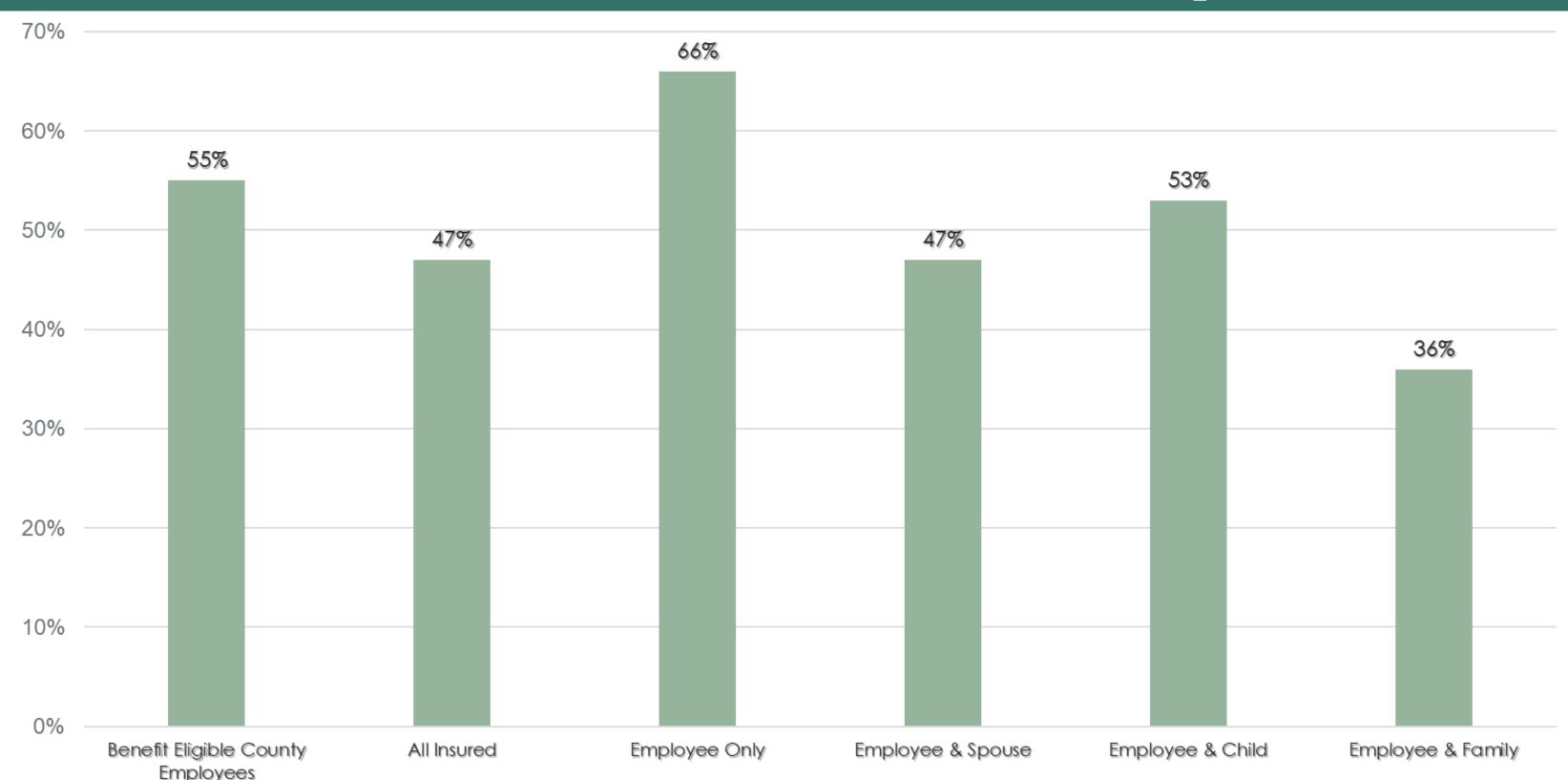


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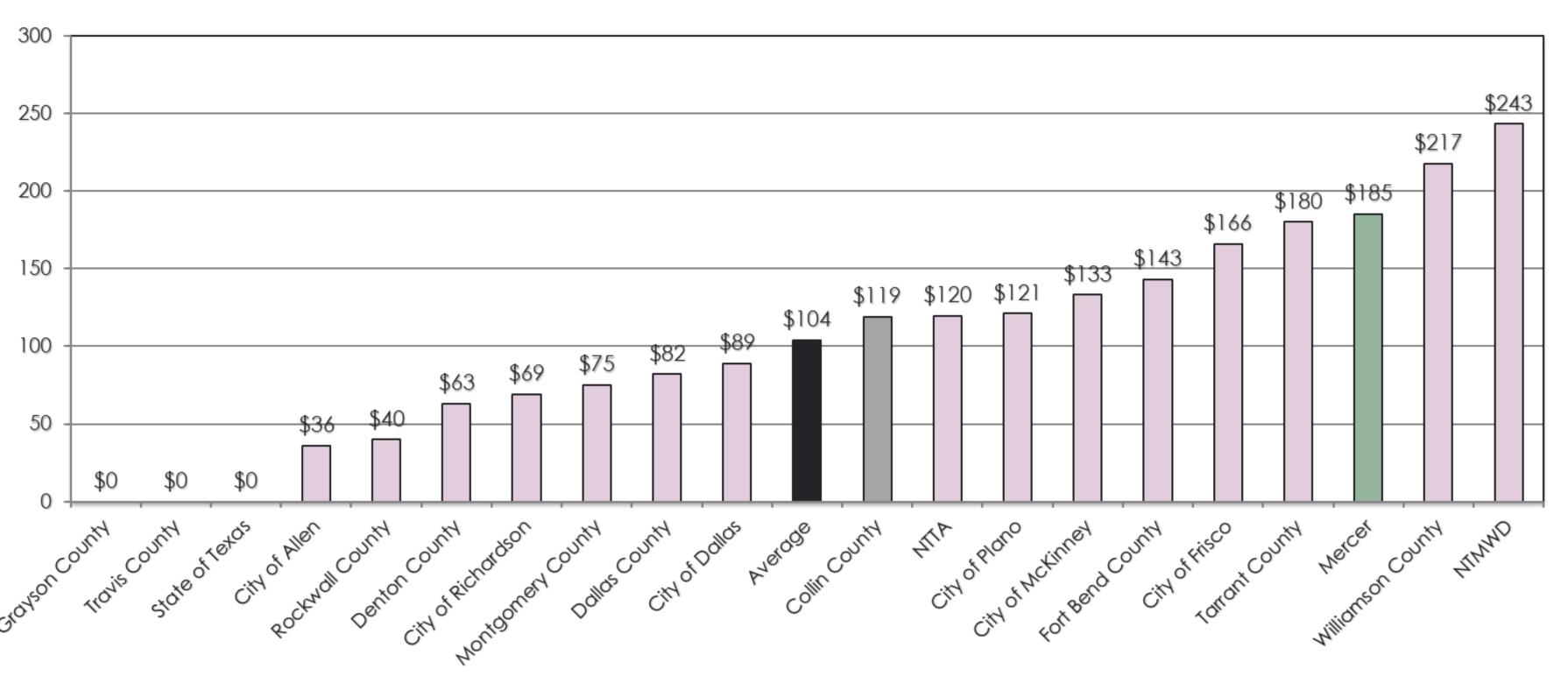


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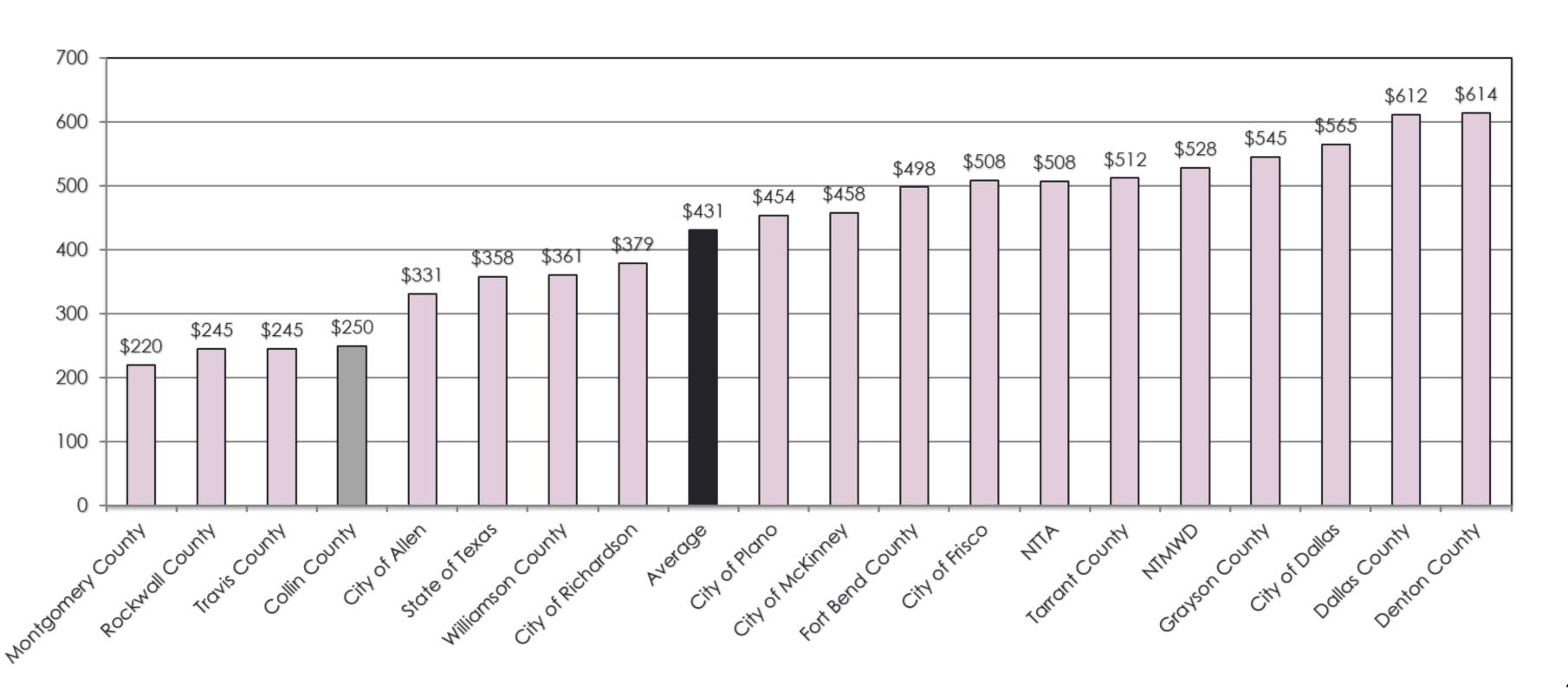
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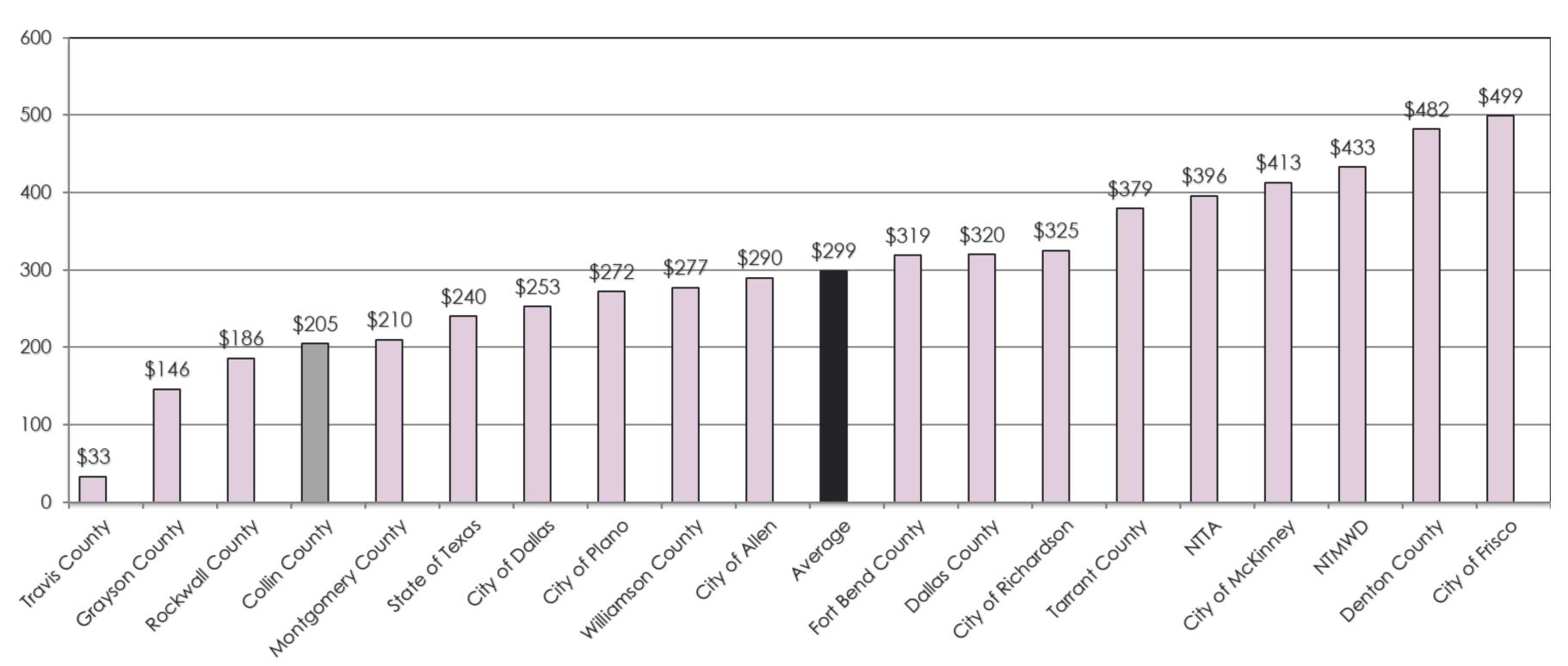
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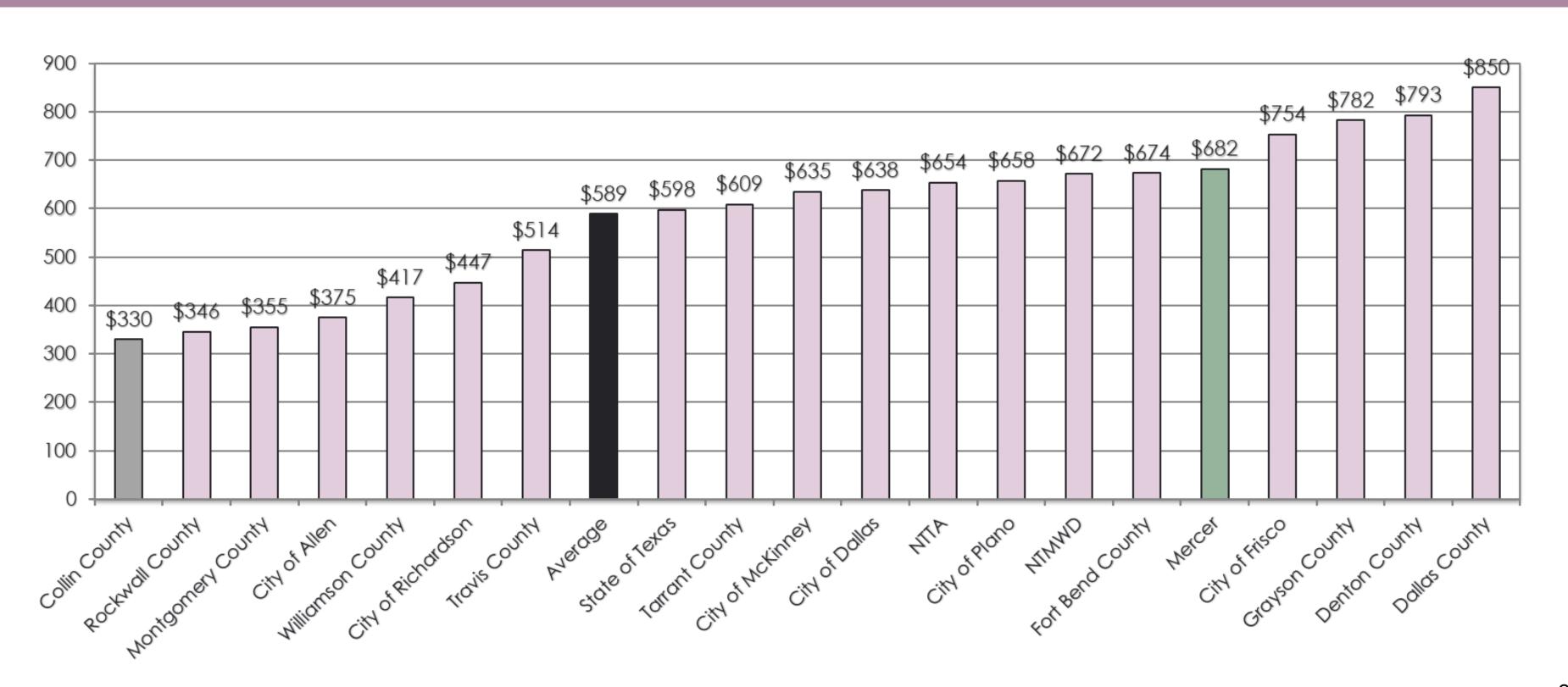
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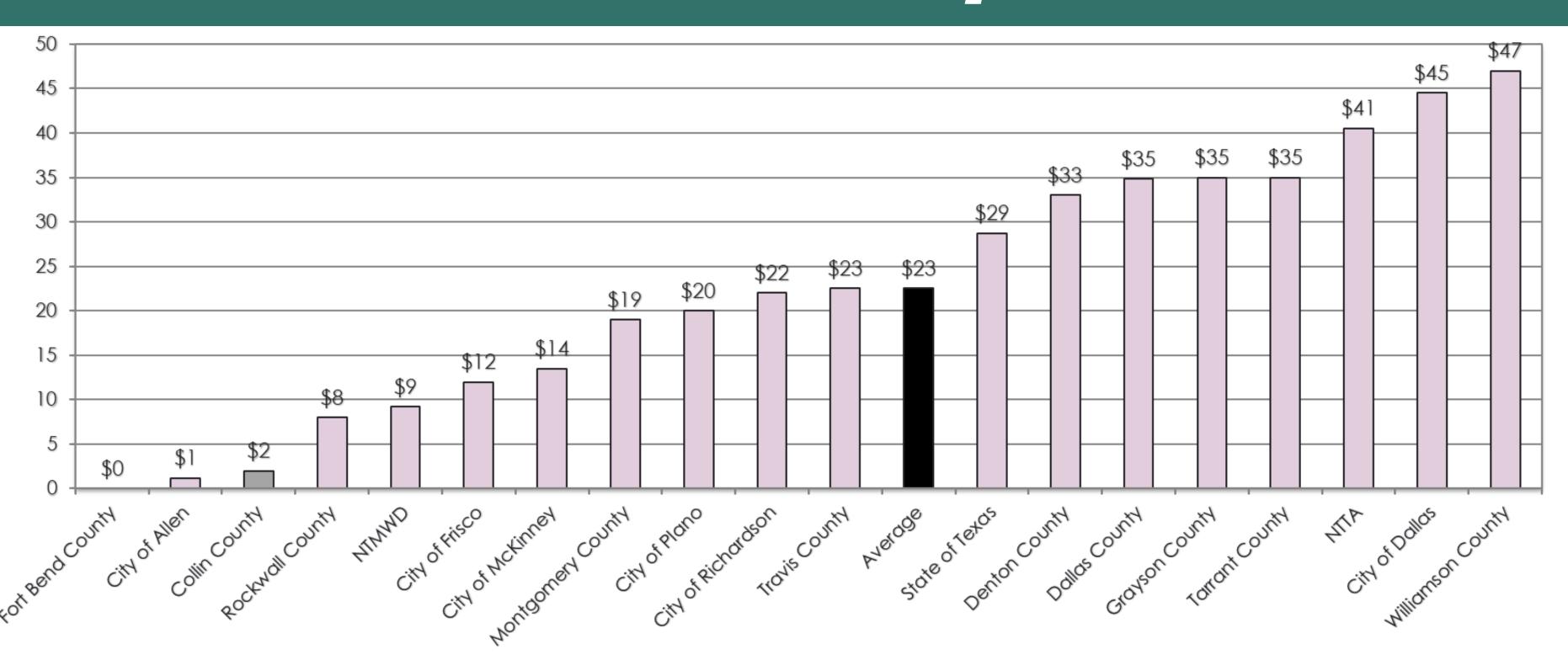
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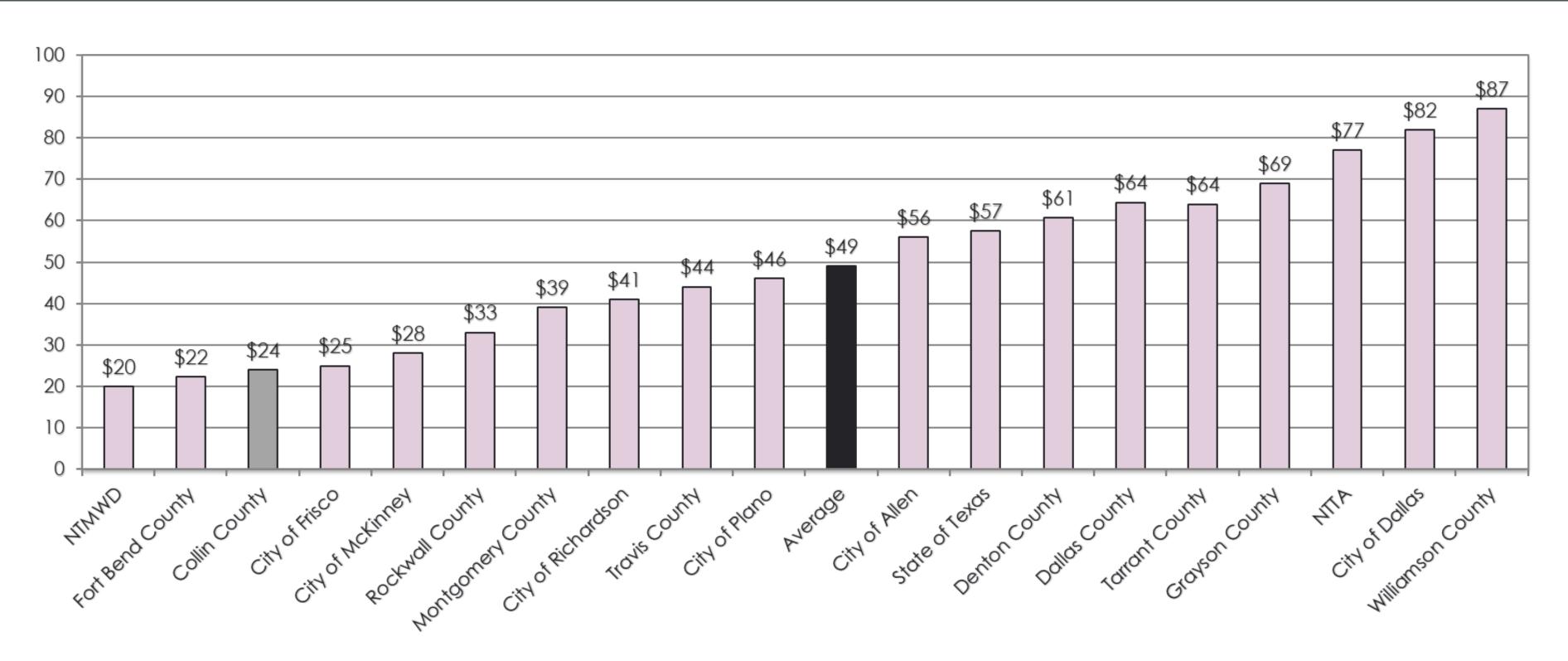
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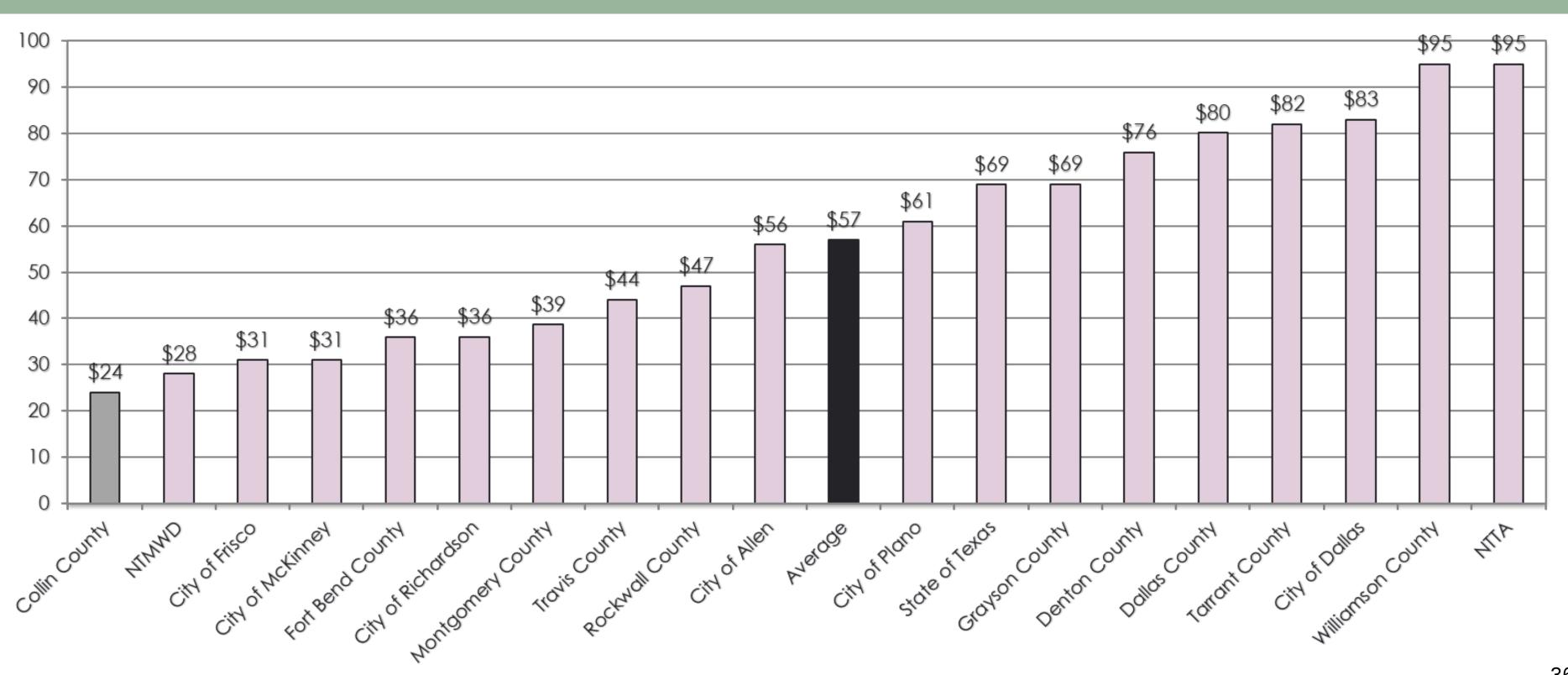
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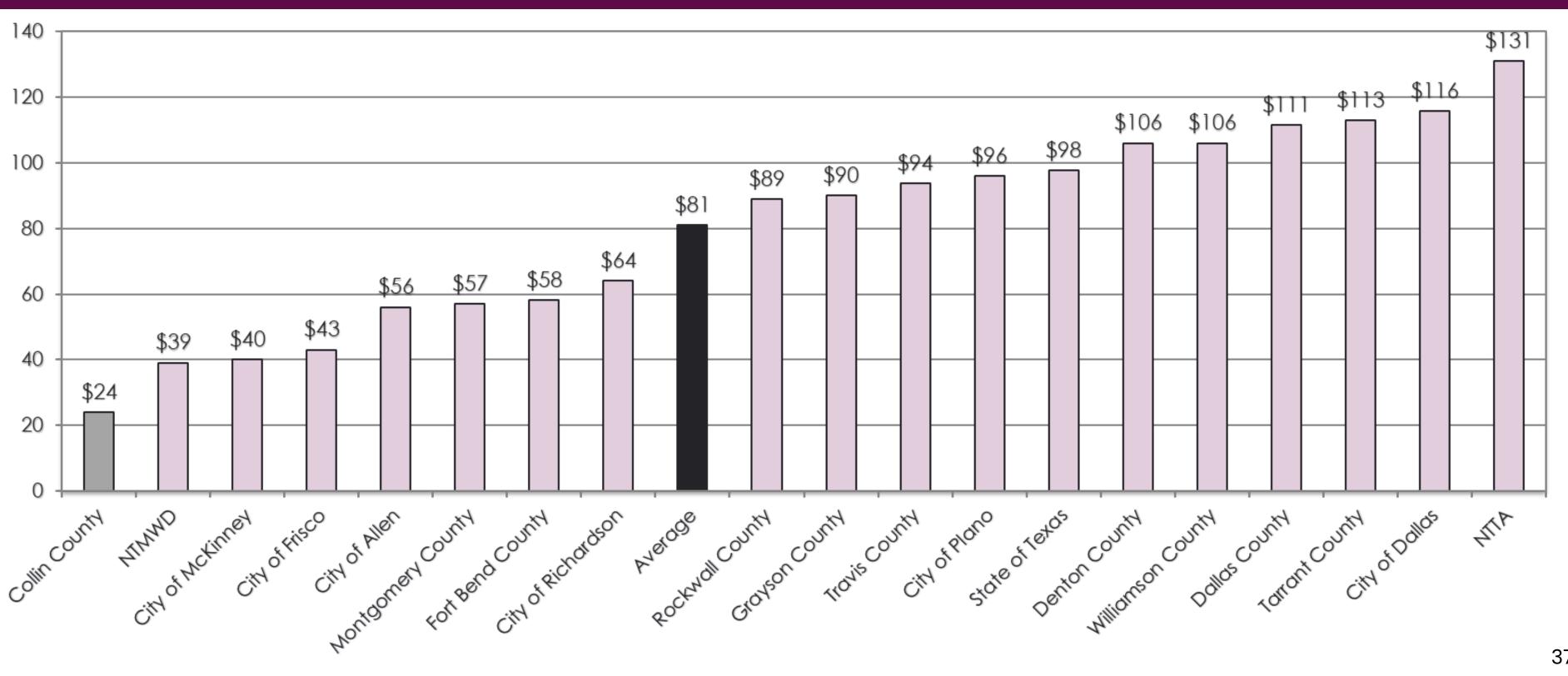
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### DENTAL PLANEMPLOYEE & FAMILY COVERAGE COST/MONTH



# MEDICAL PLAN PREMIUM AND ENROLLMENT INFORMATION

### 2024 ACTIVE FULL-TIME EMPLOYEE MONTHLY INSURANCE PLAN RATES AND ENROLLMENT\*

Medical Coverage Level	Advantage Premium Discount EE Cost	Advantage Standard Premium EE Cost	Advantage Premium Surcharge EE Cost	Advantage Plus Premium Discount EE Cost	Advantage Plus Standard Premium EE Cost	Advantage Plus Premium Surcharge EE Cost
EE Only	\$65 (138)	\$90 (113)	\$115 (93)	\$94 (196)	\$119 (32)	\$144 (78)
EE & Spouse	\$160 (34)	\$185 (12)	\$210 (20)	\$225 (88)	\$250 (7)	\$275 (35)
EE & Child(ren)	\$120 (59)	\$145 (23)	\$170 (39)	\$180 (103)	\$205 (7)	\$230 (29)
EE & Family	\$220 (93)	\$245 (22)	\$270 (34)	\$305 (210)	\$330 (22)	\$355 (88)
Total	324	170	186	597	68	230

<sup>\*</sup>As of December 2024

# ADVANTAGE PLAN PREMIUM HISTORY FOR FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES

Plan	Medical Coverage Level	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
	EE Only	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65	\$65
Advantage Premium	EE & Spouse	\$160	\$160	\$160	\$160	\$160	\$160	\$160	\$160	\$210
Discount (Wellness Completed)	EE & Child(ren)	\$120	\$120	\$120	\$120	\$120	\$120	\$120	\$120	\$155
	EE & Family	\$220	\$220	\$220	\$220	\$220	\$220	\$220	\$220	\$290
	EE Only	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90
Advantage Standard	EE & Spouse	\$185	\$185	\$185	\$185	\$185	\$185	\$185	\$185	\$235
Premium (New Hire)	EE & Child(ren)	\$145	\$145	\$145	\$145	\$145	\$145	\$145	\$145	\$180
	EE & Family	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$245	\$315
	EE Only	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$90	\$115	\$115	\$115
Advantage Premium Surcharge (Wellness Not Completed)	EE & Spouse	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$210	\$260
	EE & Child(ren)	\$170	\$170	\$170	\$170	\$170	\$170	\$170	\$170	\$205
	EE & Family	\$270	\$270	\$270	\$270	\$270	\$270	\$270	\$270	\$340

## ADVANTAGE PLUS PLAN PREMIUM HISTORY FOR FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES

Plan	Medical Coverage Level	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
	EE Only	\$94	\$94	\$94	\$94	\$94	\$94	\$94	\$94	\$94
Advantage Plus Premium	EE & Spouse	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$275
Discount (Wellness Completed)	EE & Child(ren)	\$180	\$180	\$180	\$180	\$180	\$180	\$180	\$180	\$215
	EE & Family	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$305	\$375
	EE Only	\$119	\$119	\$119	\$119	\$119	\$119	\$119	\$119	\$119
Advantage Plus Standard Premium	EE & Spouse	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$250	\$300
(New Hire)	EE & Child(ren)	\$205	\$205	\$205	\$205	\$205	\$205	\$205	\$205	\$240
	EE & Family	\$330	\$330	\$330	\$330	\$330	\$330	\$330	\$330	\$400
	EE Only	\$144	\$144	\$144	\$144	\$144	\$144	\$144	\$144	\$144
Advantage Plus Premium Surcharge (Wellness Not Completed)	EE & Spouse	\$275	\$275	\$275	\$275	\$275	\$275	\$275	\$275	\$325
	EE & Child(ren)	\$230	\$230	\$230	\$230	\$230	\$230	\$230	\$230	\$265
	EE & Family	\$355	\$355	\$355	\$355	\$355	\$355	\$355	\$355	\$425

#### EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTION PERCENTAGE SURVEY

#### <u>Percent Paid by Employee for</u> <u>Employee Coverage</u>

Collin County: 10%

County Average: 9%

City Average: 11%

Other Entity Average: 12%

#### Percent Paid by Employee for Employee and Child Coverage

Collin County: 9%

County Average: 16%

City Average: 22%

Other Entity Average: 22%

#### <u>Percent Paid by Employee for</u> <u>Employee and Spouse Coverage</u>

Collin County: 10%

County Average: 22%

City Average: 26%

Other Entity Average: 24%

### <u>Percent Paid by Employee for Employee and Family Coverage</u>

Collin County: 11%

County Average: 24%

City Average: 25%

Other Entity Average: 26%

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

## PLAN DEMOGRAPHICS\*

		Medical Plan	Medical Plan	Total
Total Enrolled		697	947	1,644
Condox	Male		463 (49%)	806 (49%)
Gender	Female	354 (51%)	484 (51%)	838 (51%)
Salany Lovol	Under \$70,000		409 (43%)	867 (53%)
Salary Level	Over \$70,000	239 (34%)	538 (57%)	777 (47%)
	30 and younger	214 (31%)	113 (12%)	327 (20%)
	31 – 40	176 (25%)	188 (20%)	364 (22%)
Age	41 - 50	162 (23%)	238 (25%)	400 (24%)
	51 - 60	116 (17%)	278 (29%)	394 (24%)
	61+	29 (4%)	130 (14%)	159 (10%)

Advantage

**Advantage Plus** 

**Total** 

<sup>\*</sup>As of December 2024

# RETIREE INSURANCE

 Employers are required to report employer contributions to retiree benefits on their Comprehensive Annual Financial Report as a liability due to GASB rules.

Monthly Premium	Employee Only	Employee/ Spouse	Employee/ Child(ren)	Employee/ Family
2024	\$1,527	\$3,053	\$2,802	\$3,687
2023	\$1,035	\$2,067	\$1,901	\$2,503
2022	\$1,029	\$2,055	\$1,890	\$2,489

Collin County charges the actuarial cost for all retirees that elected coverage after 5/31/2010.

Retiree insurance costs are based on retirees claim experience only.

1 new enrollment in retiree medical coverage in 2024.

A total of 1 retiree was enrolled in medical insurance as of 12/1/2024.

Retiree costs increased from 2023 to 2024 by an average of 48%.

### AFFORDABLE CARE ACT

Collin County's
Advantage plan meets
affordability and
coverage requirements;
must re-evaluate
annually.

A plan is considered affordable if the employee's required contribution for selfonly coverage does not exceed the affordability percentage index set by the IRS each year. Collin County's plans meet this requirement.

Minimum coverage requires a plan to cover 60% of health care costs.

The Advantage plan covers 81% of health care costs.

In-network deductibles, in-network co-pays, and prescription costs apply to annual out-of-pocket expense limits.

1094/1095 IRS Tax Forms
Subject to penalties of up to \$330 per return with a maximum penalty of \$3,987,000

#### <u>Additional Fees</u>

PCORI - \$3.22 per covered member fee for 2024. Payment was made in May 2025 for \$9,083.62.



Eligible employees can receive a \$200 wellness payment and \$25 monthly insurance discount if they complete all of the following requirements:





Annual Physical



Cholesterol Screening



Well Man/Woman Exam



Physician-Identified Body Mass Index (BMI)



UHC Online Health Assessment (Rally)

### WELLNESS



Our wellness program is currently ACA and HIPAA compliant as it is participatory, not contingent upon achieving a particular health status, and incentives are below the maximum allowable threshold.

Per UnitedHealthcare, Collin County's 2024 Wellness Utilization:

67%



### 2024 BMI STATISTICS\*

		Employee		Spouse		Total	
Category	BMI	Counts	% of Total Employees	Counts	% of Total Spouses	Counts	% of Total
Underweight	Below 18.5	6	0.5%	6	1%	12	0.8%
Normal	18.5 - 24.99	172	16%	82	17%	254	16%
Overweight	25.0 - 29.99	332	30%	170	35%	502	32%
Obese	30+	597	54%	228	47%	825	52%
Total		1,107		486		1,593	

<sup>\*</sup>Numbers are based on members who participated in the wellness discount program.

# COLLIN COUNTY, TEXAS AND U.S. BMI COMPARISON

Category	BMI	U.S. 2023	Texas 2023	Collin County 2024	Difference U.S.	Difference Texas
Underweight	Below 18.5	2%	2%	1%	-1%	-1%
Normal	18.5 - 24.99	30%	29%	16%	-14%	-13%
Overweight	25.0 - 29.99	34%	35%	32%	-2%	-3%
Obese	30+	34%	34%	52%	18%	18%