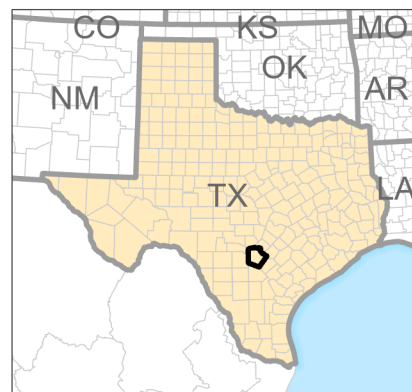# CDC/ATSDR Social Vulnerability Index 2020

BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS

Overall Social Vulnerability[1]

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Miles

Highest
(Top 4th)   Vulnerability
(SVI 2020)[2]   Lowest
(Bottom 4th)

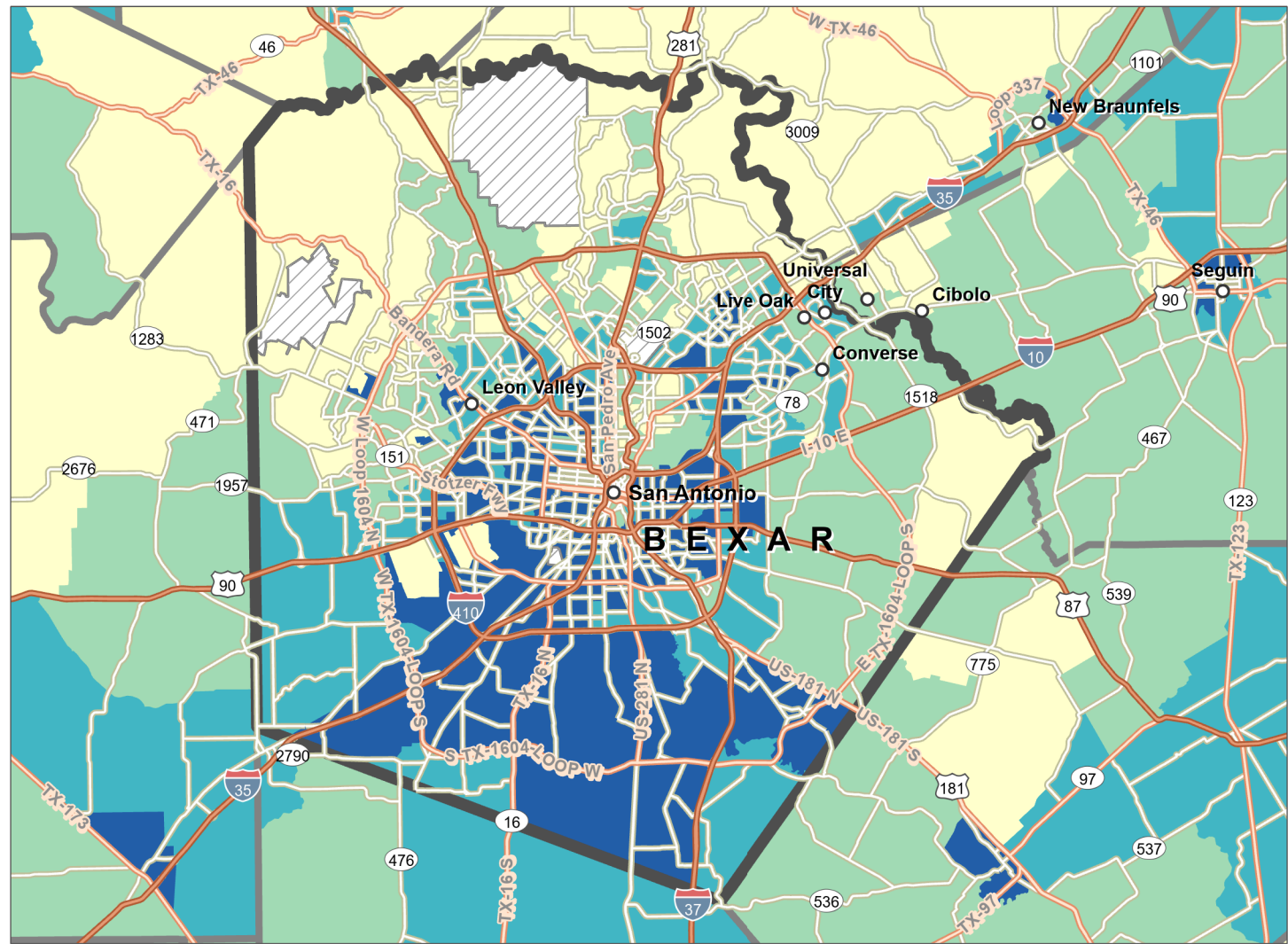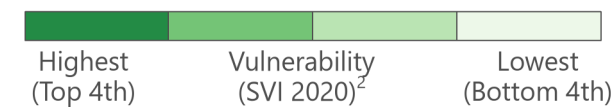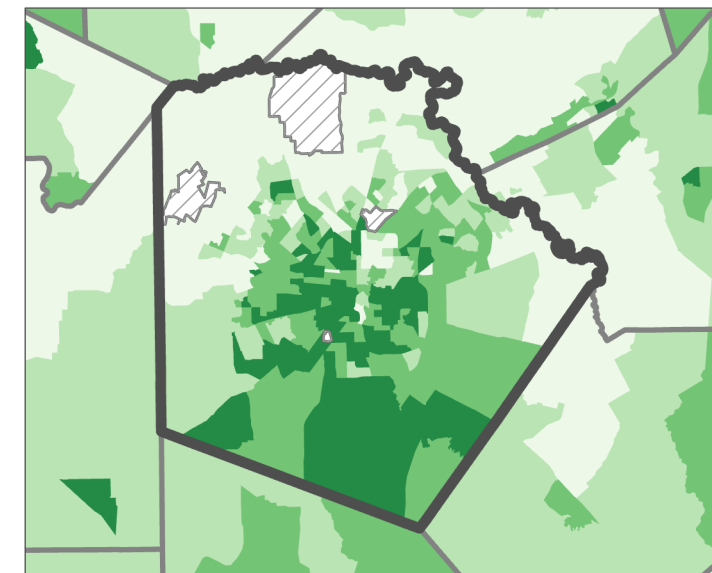**Social vulnerability** refers to a community's capacity to prepare for and respond to the stress of hazardous events ranging from natural disasters, such as tornadoes or disease outbreaks, to human-caused threats, such as toxic chemical spills. The **CDC/ATSDR Social Vulnerability Index (CDC/ATSDR SVI 2020)**[4] **County Map** depicts the social vulnerability of communities, at census tract level, within a specified county. CDC/ATSDR SVI 2020 groups **sixteen census-derived factors** into **four themes** that summarize the extent to which the area is socially vulnerable to disaster. The factors include economic data as well as data regarding education, family characteristics, housing, language ability, ethnicity, and vehicle access. Overall Social Vulnerability combines all the variables to provide a comprehensive assessment.
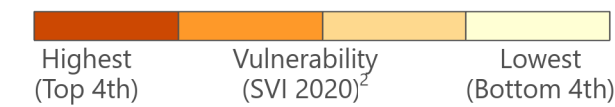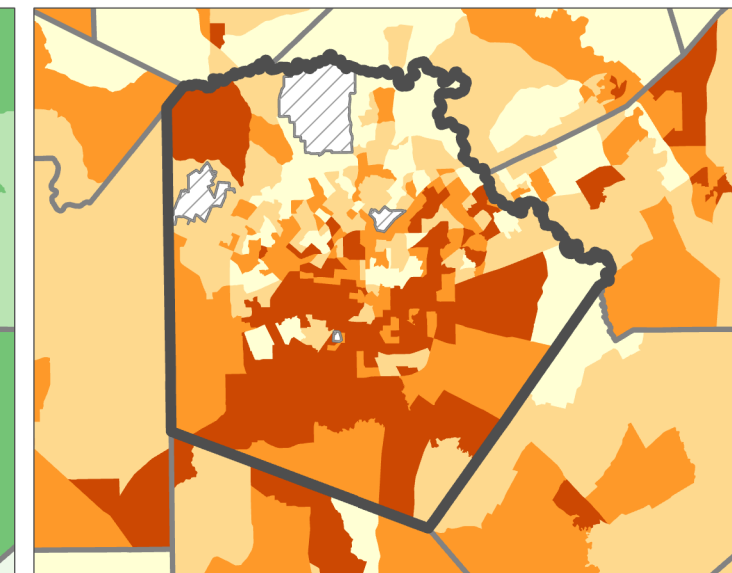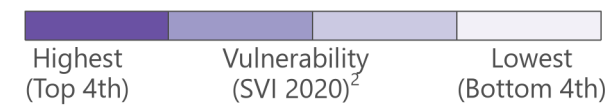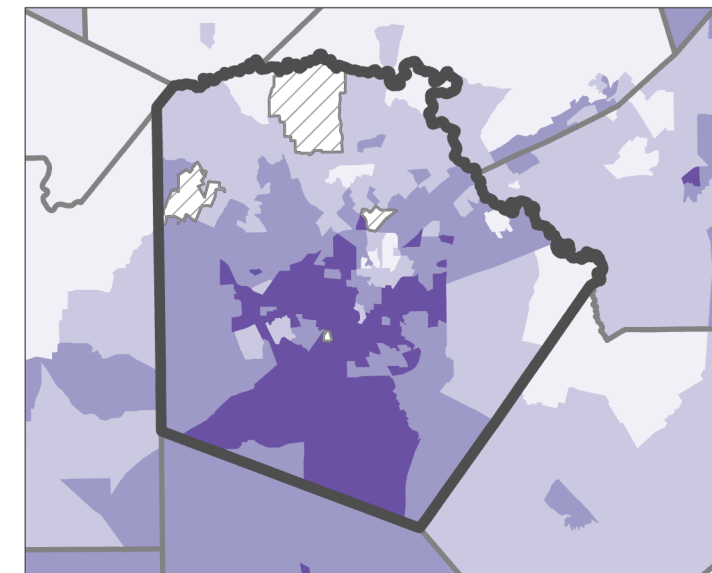

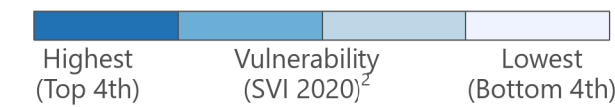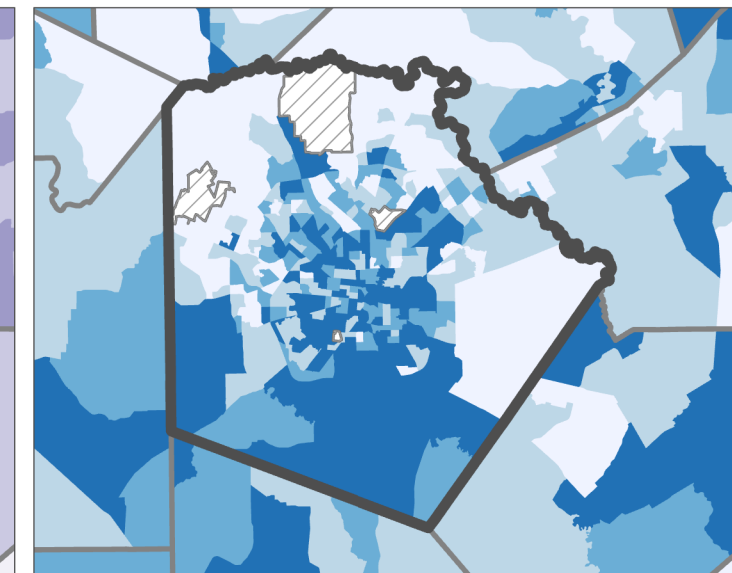CDC/ATSDR SVI 2020 – BEXAR COUNTY, TEXAS

CDC/ATSDR SVI Themes

Socioeconomic Status[5]

Highest
(Top 4th)   Vulnerability
(SVI 2020)[2]   Lowest
(Bottom 4th)

Household Characteristics[6]

Highest
(Top 4th)   Vulnerability
(SVI 2020)[2]   Lowest
(Bottom 4th)

Racial and Ethnic Minority Status[7]

Highest
(Top 4th)   Vulnerability
(SVI 2020)[2]   Lowest
(Bottom 4th)

Housing Type/Transportation[8]

Highest
(Top 4th)   Vulnerability
(SVI 2020)[2]   Lowest
(Bottom 4th)