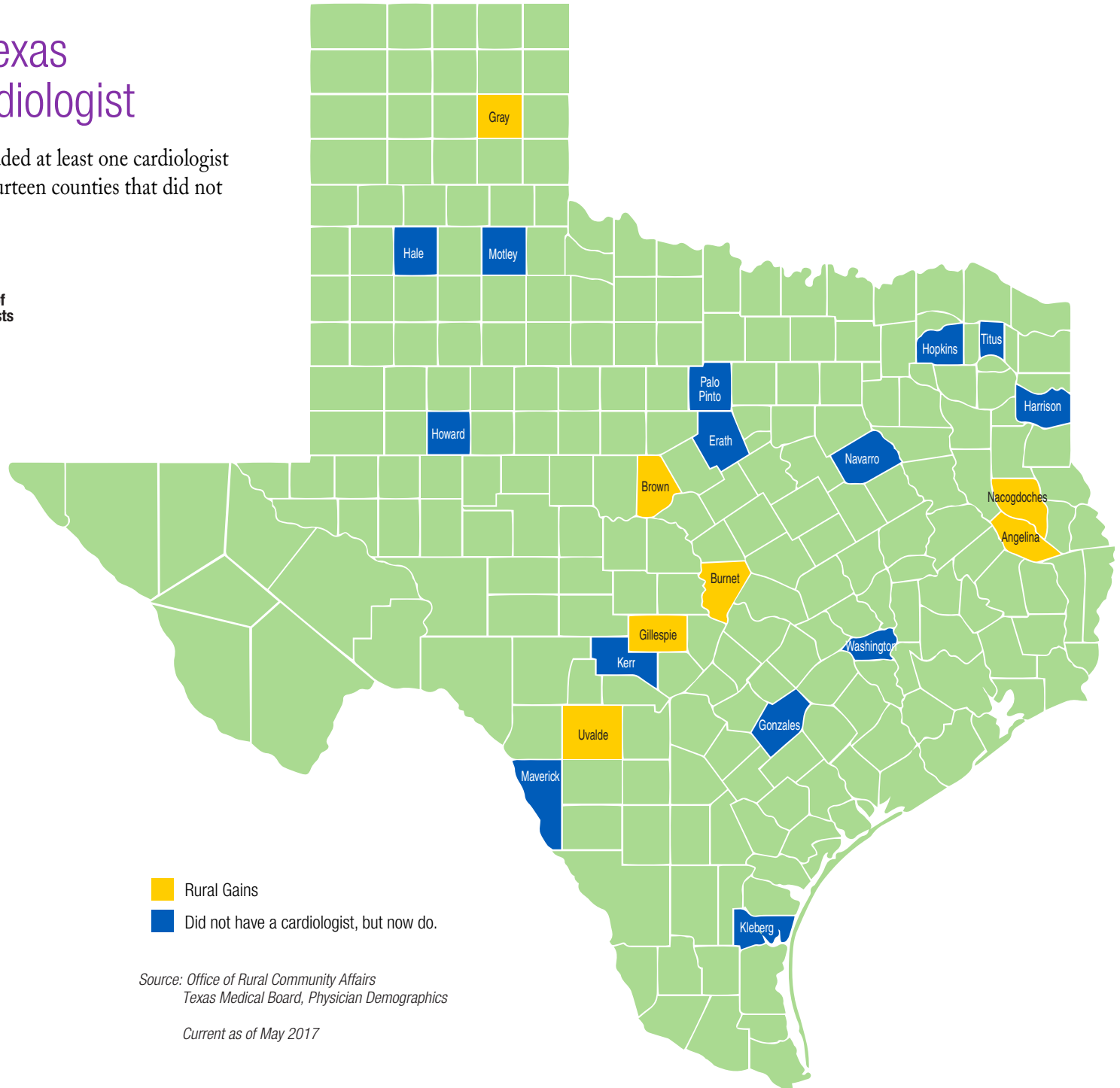


Twenty-one Rural Texas Counties Add a Cardiologist

Twenty-one rural Texas counties have added at least one cardiologist since the passage of reforms in 2003. Fourteen counties that did not have a single cardiologist now have one.

	County	Location	Number of Cardiologists
1.	Angelina	East Texas	6
2.	Burnet	Central Texas	5
3.	Kerr	Central Texas	3
4.	Brown	Central Texas	2
5.	Nacogdoches	East Texas	2
6.	Titus	East Texas	2
7.	Erath	North Texas	1
8.	Gillespie	South Central Texas	1
9.	Gonzales	South Central Texas	1
10.	Gray	Texas Panhandle	1
11.	Hale	Texas Panhandle	1
12.	Harrison	East Texas	1
13.	Hopkins	East Texas	1
14.	Howard	West Texas	1
15.	Kleberg	South Texas	1
16.	Maverick	South Texas	1
17.	Motley	Texas Panhandle	1
18.	Navarro	East Texas	1
19.	Palo Pinto	Northeast Texas	1
20.	Uvalde	South Texas	1
21.	Washington	East Texas	1



Source: Office of Rural Community Affairs
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