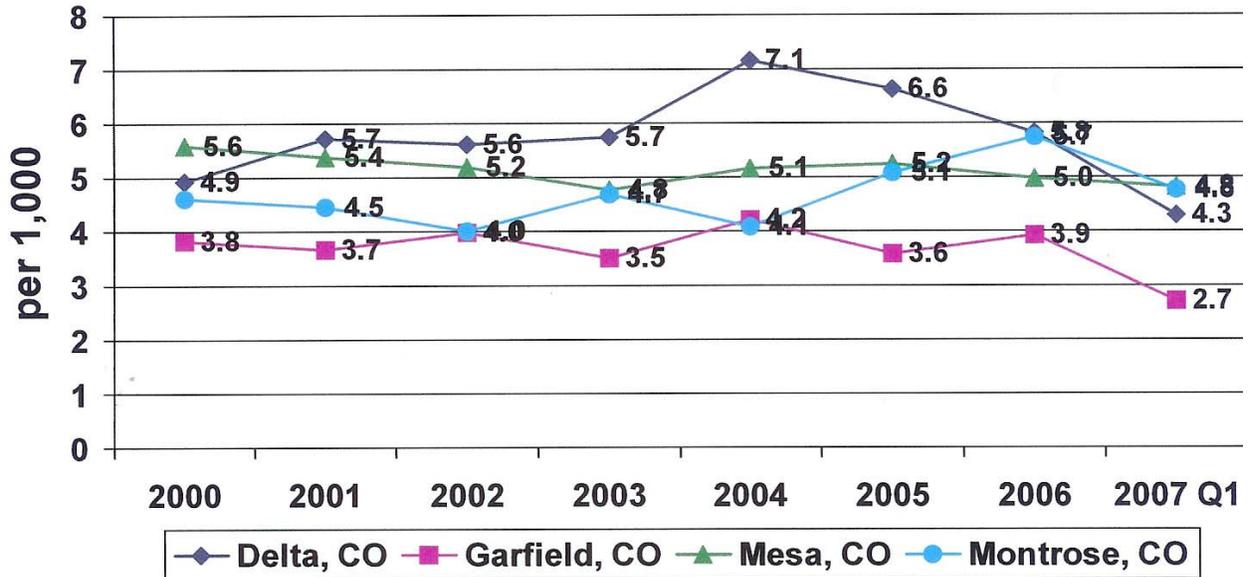


Figure 81. Nervous System Disorders Hospitalizations by County of Residence



• **Nutritional, Metabolic and Thyroid Disorders**

Montrose County has the lowest rates until 2005; rates increased between 2004 and 2005, then leveled off. Garfield County's rates showed a downward trend between 2002 and 2003, a spike in 2005, and decreases again in 2006. Garfield County's diabetes rates are the lowest among the counties for both children and adults. This category includes diabetes (ages 0-35 and >35); endocrine, nutritional and metabolic disorders, nutritional and miscellaneous metabolic disorders (ages 0-17 and >17), and obesity procedures.

Figure 82. Nutritional, Metabolic and Thyroid Disorders Hospitalizations by

