



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 13,320 Population Per Square Mile: 8.9
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 151 Area In Square Miles: 1,500.6

Ethnicity	Total	County	State	Age	Females	Males	Total	County	State
		Percent	Percent					Percent	Percent
Anglo	6,887	51.7%	47.4%	00 - 04	551	583	1,134	8.5%	8.0%
Hispanic	6,006	45.1%	36.8%	05 - 14	906	977	1,883	14.1%	14.3%
Black	246	1.8%	11.6%	15 - 44	2,640	2,614	5,254	39.4%	44.8%
Other	181	1.4%	4.1%	45 - 64	1,629	1,617	3,246	24.4%	23.0%
				65+	1,000	803	1,803	13.5%	9.8%
				Total	6,726	6,594	13,320	100.0%	100.0%
Anglo	[Bar chart showing 51.7%]			County	50.5%	49.5%			
Hispanic	[Bar chart showing 45.1%]			State	49.9%	50.1%			
Black	[Bar chart showing 1.8%]								
Other	[Bar chart showing 1.4%]								

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State		County	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	60	135,947	Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	254	312,114
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	1,312	2,328,702	Without Health Insurance		
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	2,853	4,438,080	0 - 64 Years	3,305	27.6%
Medicaid Covered Births	132	228,202	0 - 17 Years	752	19.7%
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	49.8%	56.2%	Persons Living Below Poverty		
Unemployment Rate	3.3%	4.4%	All Ages	1,988	15.3%
Per Capita Personal Income	\$33,971	\$37,083	0 - 17 Years	756	20.9%

Natality

	Births ¹	Percent	
		County	State
Total Live Births	253		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	17	6.7%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	131	51.8%	40.9%
Low Birth Weight ¹	30	11.9%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester ³	181	73.3%	62.1%
Fertility Rate ¹		95.8	78.3

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate ²	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	0	---	6.3
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	4.9
Gonorrhea	9	67.6	132.9
Chlamydia	23	172.7	354.7
AIDS	0	---	12.0
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	0	---	4.4
Varicella (Chickenpox)	0	---	42.1

Mortality⁵

	Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴			Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴	
		County	State			County	State
Deaths from All Causes	125	918.4	805.1	Accidents	4	---	42.2
Heart Disease	32	238.7	202.7	Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	---	15.8
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	2	---	49.8	Diabetes	2	---	25.5
All Cancer	38	274.6	173.7	Alzheimer's	3	---	26.6
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	16	---	48.2	Influenza and Pneumonia	3	---	17.1
Female Breast Cancer	4	---	23.0	Assault (Homicide)	0	---	6.1
Colon, Rectum and Anus	4	---	16.9	Suicide	2	---	10.5
Male Prostrate Cancer	1	---	21.9	Septicemia	1	---	14.5
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	13	---	42.5	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	2	---	11.5
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	1	---	17.0	Infant Deaths	4	---	6.2
				Fetal Deaths ¹	1	---	5.4

¹ All births and deaths are by county of residence. Low birth weight represents live-born infants weighing less than 2,500 grams at birth.

Fetal deaths are those occurring after 20 weeks gestation and prior to birth. Fertility rates are per 1,000 women ages 15 - 44.

² Disease rates are per 100,000 population. Use caution interpreting rates based on small numbers of cases.

³ Due to a revised birth certificate in 2005, onset of prenatal care is not comparable to values published in prior years.

⁴ Infant death rates are per 1,000 live births. Fetal death rates are per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths. All other death rates were age adjusted to the 2000 standard per 100,000 population. No age-adjusted rates were calculated if based on 20 or fewer deaths. Infant and fetal death rates were not calculated if 20 or fewer births or births plus fetal deaths occurred. Missing rates are indicated by "---".

⁵ Current mortality rates by cause are not comparable with data reported prior to 1999. **Refer to the Data Sources Document for more detail.**