



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 7,038,029 Population Per Square Mile: 166.0
 Number of counties: 49 Area In Square Miles: 42,400.1

Ethnicity	Total	Region		Age	Females	Males	Total	Region	
		Percent	State					Percent	Percent
Anglo	3,954,852	56.2%	47.4%	00 - 04	270,394	281,001	551,395	7.8%	8.0%
Hispanic	1,821,848	25.9%	36.8%	05 - 14	501,762	522,589	1,024,351	14.6%	14.3%
Black	898,829	12.8%	11.6%	15 - 44	1,560,593	1,655,673	3,216,266	45.7%	44.8%
Other	362,500	5.2%	4.1%	45 - 64	820,678	809,233	1,629,911	23.2%	23.0%
				65+	351,851	264,255	616,106	8.8%	9.8%
				Total	3,505,278	3,532,751	7,038,029	100.0%	100.0%
Anglo	[Bar chart showing 56.2%]			Region	49.8%	50.2%			
Hispanic	[Bar chart showing 25.9%]			State	49.9%	50.1%			
Black	[Bar chart showing 12.8%]								
Other	[Bar chart showing 5.2%]								

Socioeconomic Indicators

	Region	State		Region	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	23,948	135,947	Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	79,707	312,114
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	470,352	2,328,702	Without Health Insurance		
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	1,038,192	4,438,080	0 - 64 Years	1,659,146	25.7%
Medicaid Covered Births	58,888	228,202	0 - 17 Years	402,202	20.3%
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	50.4%	56.2%	Persons Living Below Poverty		
Unemployment Rate	4.3%	4.4%	All Ages	892,535	13.0%
Per Capita Personal Income	\$40,161	\$37,083	0 - 17 Years	354,373	18.7%

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	Births ¹	Percent	
		Region	State
Total Live Births	117,153		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	5,012	4.3%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	46,737	39.9%	40.9%
Low Birth Weight ¹	9,410	8.0%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester ³	65,601	59.5%	62.1%
Fertility Rate ¹		75.1	78.3

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate ²	
		Region	State
Tuberculosis	404	5.8	6.3
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	270	3.8	4.9
Gonorrhea	10,784	153.2	132.9
Chlamydia	24,130	342.9	354.7
AIDS	863	12.3	12.0
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	391	5.6	4.4
Varicella (Chickenpox)	2,660	37.8	42.1

Mortality⁵

	Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴			Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴	
		Region	State			Region	State
Deaths from All Causes	44,339	821.6	805.1	Accidents	2,365	36.7	42.2
Heart Disease	10,817	207.1	202.7	Motor Vehicle Accidents	946	13.7	15.8
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	2,749	54.4	49.8	Diabetes	1,279	23.3	25.5
All Cancer	9,812	179.0	173.7	Alzheimer's	1,515	31.7	26.6
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	2,810	52.4	48.2	Influenza and Pneumonia	927	18.3	17.1
Female Breast Cancer	731	22.8	23.0	Assault (Homicide)	430	5.9	6.1
Colon, Rectum and Anus	954	17.4	16.9	Suicide	711	10.3	10.5
Male Prostrate Cancer	430	22.6	21.9	Septicemia	667	12.6	14.5
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	2,413	47.5	42.5	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	567	9.0	11.5
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	870	16.8	17.0	Infant Deaths	794	6.8	6.2
				Fetal Deaths ¹	681	5.8	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.**