



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 13,773 Population Per Square Mile: 13.1
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 148 Area In Square Miles: 1,050.2

Ethnicity	Total	County	State	Age	Females	Males	Total	County	State
		Percent	Percent					Percent	Percent
Anglo	10,295	74.7%	47.4%	00 - 04	404	423	827	6.0%	8.0%
Hispanic	835	6.1%	36.8%	05 - 14	848	841	1,689	12.3%	14.3%
Black	2,541	18.4%	11.6%	15 - 44	2,439	2,453	4,892	35.5%	44.8%
Other	102	0.7%	4.1%	45 - 64	1,838	1,812	3,650	26.5%	23.0%
				65+	1,519	1,196	2,715	19.7%	9.8%
				Total	7,048	6,725	13,773	100.0%	100.0%
Anglo				County	51.2%	48.8%			
Hispanic				State	49.9%	50.1%			
Black									
Other									

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State		County	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	65	135,947	Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	166	312,114
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	1,843	2,328,702			
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	3,126	4,438,080	Without Health Insurance		
Medicaid Covered Births	81	228,202	0 - 64 Years	2,208	21.2%
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	51.9%	56.2%	0 - 17 Years	335	12.5%
Unemployment Rate	5.0%	4.4%	Persons Living Below Poverty		
Per Capita Personal Income	\$24,629	\$37,083	All Ages	2,422	19.0%
			0 - 17 Years	819	30.1%

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	Births ¹	Percent	
		County	State
Total Live Births	166		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	7	4.2%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	78	47.0%	40.9%
Low Birth Weight ¹	22	13.3%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester ³	93	57.8%	62.1%
		Rate	
Fertility Rate ¹		68.1	78.3

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate ²	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	1	7.3	6.3
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	4.9
Gonorrhea	19	138.0	132.9
Chlamydia	48	348.5	354.7
AIDS	1	7.3	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	221	1,099.8	805.1	Accidents	11	---	42.2
Heart Disease	70	322.4	202.7	Motor Vehicle Accidents	7	---	15.8
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	17	---	49.8	Diabetes	14	---	25.5
All Cancer	52	266.4	173.7	Alzheimer's	7	---	26.6
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	15	---	48.2	Influenza and Pneumonia	4	---	17.1
Female Breast Cancer	5	---	23.0	Assault (Homicide)	0	---	6.1
Colon, Rectum and Anus	7	---	16.9	Suicide	3	---	10.5
Male Prostrate Cancer	2	---	21.9	Septicemia	2	---	14.5
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	16	---	42.5	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	2	---	11.5
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	0	---	17.0	Infant Deaths	6	---	6.2
				Fetal Deaths ¹	0	---	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.**