



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 4,949,174
 Number of counties: 30
 Population Per Square Mile: 208.2
 Area In Square Miles: 23,774.4

Ethnicity	Total	Region		State		Age	Females	Males	Total	Region		State	
		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent					Percent	Percent		
Anglo	3,287,314	66.4%	66.4%	46.6%	46.6%	00 - 04	164,516	171,288	335,804	6.8%	6.8%	7.9%	7.9%
Hispanic	1,009,204	20.4%	20.4%	37.5%	37.5%	05 - 14	349,666	367,933	717,599	14.5%	14.5%	14.2%	14.2%
Black	410,444	8.3%	8.3%	11.6%	11.6%	15 - 44	1,064,628	1,095,312	2,159,940	43.6%	43.6%	44.7%	44.7%
Other	242,212	4.9%	4.9%	4.3%	4.3%	45 - 64	653,501	653,088	1,306,589	26.4%	26.4%	23.3%	23.3%
Relative % distribution						65+	235,355	193,887	429,242	8.7%	8.7%	9.9%	9.9%
Anglo				66.4%	66.4%	Total	2,467,666	2,481,508	4,949,174	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Hispanic				20.4%	20.4%	Region	49.9%	50.1%					
Black				8.3%	8.3%	State	49.9%	50.1%					
Other				4.9%	4.9%								

Socioeconomic Indicators

	Region	State		Region	State
Average Monthly TANF Recipients (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families)	6,923	117,689	Average Monthly CHIP Enrollment (Children's Health Insurance Program)	55,469	389,062
Average Monthly SNAP Participants (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)	250,474	2,366,546			
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	529,848	4,508,948	Without Health Insurance		
Medicaid Covered Births	25,714	224,937	0 - 64 Years	900,785	20.3%
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	35.6%	55.3%	0 - 17 Years	182,726	13.8%
Unemployment Rate	4.7%	4.9%	Persons Living Below Poverty		
Per Capita Personal Income	\$39,260	\$37,809	All Ages	436,294	9.0%
			0 - 17 Years	154,556	11.7%

Natality

	Births ¹	Percent	
		Region	State
Total Live Births	72,307		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	2,311	3.2%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	21,621	29.9%	41.9%
Low Birth Weight ¹	5,565	7.7%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester ³	44,553	63.7%	58.4%
Fertility Rate ¹		67.9	76.8

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate ²	
		Region	State
Tuberculosis	173	3.6	6.2
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	115	2.3	5.8
Gonorrhea	2,788	56.3	129.8
Chlamydia	11,467	231.7	405.8
AIDS	335	7.0	11.9
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	733	14.8	8.4
Varicella (Chickenpox)	1,978	40.0	32.2

Mortality⁵

	Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴		Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴	
		Region	State		Region	State
Deaths from All Causes	28,358	785.6	808.8	Accidents	1,792	40.2
Heart Disease	6,537	188.8	194.3	Motor Vehicle Accidents	704	14.3
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	1,560	47.3	49.4	Diabetes	741	20.0
All Cancer	6,591	171.3	172.4	Alzheimer's	971	32.7
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	1,822	47.8	47.0	Influenza and Pneumonia	624	19.2
Female Breast Cancer	481	21.7	22.3	Assault (Homicide)	171	3.4
Colon, Rectum and Anus	633	16.4	16.4	Suicide	528	10.7
Male Prostrate Cancer	298	22.3	20.8	Septicemia	421	12.1
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	1,610	47.9	45.8	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	399	8.5
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	548	16.0	17.9	Infant Deaths	366	5.1
				Fetal Deaths ¹	377	5.2

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.