



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 3,327 Population Per Square Mile: 2.4
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 222 Area In Square Miles: 1,363.4

Ethnicity	Total	County	State	Age	Females	Males	Total	County	State
		Percent	Percent					Percent	Percent
Anglo	1,483	44.6%	48.2%	00 - 04	95	109	204	6.1%	8.0%
Hispanic	1,793	53.9%	36.1%	05 - 14	196	223	419	12.6%	14.5%
Black	41	1.2%	11.7%	15 - 44	522	556	1,078	32.4%	45.0%
Other	10	0.3%	4.0%	45 - 64	379	346	725	21.8%	22.8%
				65+	471	430	901	27.1%	9.8%
				Total	1,663	1,664	3,327	100.0%	100.0%
Anglo	[Bar chart showing 44.6% for County and 48.2% for State]			County	50.0%	50.0%			
Hispanic	[Bar chart showing 53.9% for County and 36.1% for State]			State	50.0%	50.0%			
Black	[Bar chart showing 1.2% for County and 11.7% for State]								
Other	[Bar chart showing 0.3% for County and 4.0% for State]								

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State		County	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	13	159,889	Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	47	304,217
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	405	2,548,310	Without Health Insurance		
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	772	4,313,318	0 - 64 Years	794	32.0%
Medicaid Covered Births	22	223,128	0 - 17 Years	168	22.8%
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	66.7%	56.6%	Persons Living Below Poverty		
Unemployment Rate	5.8%	4.9%	All Ages	725	21.9%
Per Capita Personal Income	\$21,732	\$35,162	0 - 17 Years	240	32.4%

Nativity

	Births ¹	Percent	
		County	State
Total Live Births	32		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	4	12.5%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	15	46.9%	39.6%
Low Birth Weight ¹	1	3.1%	8.5%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester ³	16	50.0%	60.5%
Fertility Rate ¹		61.3	77.6

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate ²	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	1	30.1	6.7
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	4.5
Gonorrhea	1	30.1	128.8
Chlamydia	4	120.2	320.4
AIDS	0	---	12.4
Pertussis	1	30.1	4.1
Varicella (Chickenpox)	2	60.1	50.1

Mortality⁵

	Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴			Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴	
		County	State			County	State
Deaths from All Causes	32	563.0	805.1	Accidents	4	---	40.7
Heart Disease	11	---	203.6	Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	---	16.2
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	0	---	50.2	Diabetes	1	---	26.5
All Cancer	8	---	176.7	Alzheimer's	0	---	27.6
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	1	---	49.5	Influenza and Pneumonia	2	---	18.0
Female Breast Cancer	0	---	22.8	Assault (Homicide)	0	---	6.0
Colorectal Cancer	0	---	17.1	Suicide	0	---	10.2
Male Prostrate Cancer	0	---	22.6	Septicemia	2	---	13.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	1	---	40.9	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	0	---	11.0
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	0	---	15.7	Infant Deaths	0	---	6.2
				Fetal Deaths ¹	0	---	5.5

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.**