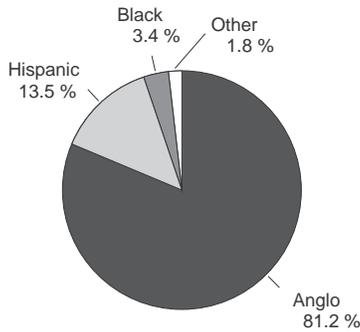


### Demography

Estimated Population: 61,786  
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 52

Population Per Square Mile: 479.7  
Area in Square Miles: 128.8



### POPULATION INFORMATION

Age	Females	Males	Total	County Percent	State Percent
00 - 04	2,013	2,105	4,118	6.7 %	8.0 %
05 - 14	4,711	5,236	9,947	16.1 %	14.7 %
15 - 44	12,834	13,322	26,156	42.3 %	45.1 %
45 - 64	7,975	8,273	16,248	26.3 %	22.4 %
65 +	2,958	2,359	5,317	8.6 %	9.8 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>30,491</b>	<b>31,295</b>	<b>61,786</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
County	49.3 %	50.7 %			
State	50.0 %	50.0 %			

### Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	107	205,820
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	2,227	2,513,734
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	5,193	3,973,500
Medicaid Covered Births	174	213,668
Medicaid Births as Percent Total Births	18.1 %	55.6 %
Unemployment Rate	4.7 %	5.4 %
Per Capita Personal Income	\$ 37,837	\$ 33,253

	County	State
Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	607	326,621
	Percent	
	County	State
Without Health Insurance		
0 - 64 Years	14,424	22.8 %
0 - 17 Years	3,467	18.6 %
Persons Living Below Poverty		
All ages	3,116	5.0 %
0 - 17 Years	1,200	7.2 %

### Nativity<sup>1</sup>

	Births	PERCENT	
		County	State
Total Live Births	979		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	14	1.4 %	4.9 %
Unmarried Mothers	194	19.8 %	37.8 %
Low Birth Weight	93	9.5 %	8.3 %
Prenatal Care in First Trimester <sup>2</sup>	697	71.8 %	63.7 %
Fertility Rate	County: 76.3	State: 76.7	

### Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	RATE <sup>3</sup>	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	1	1.6	6.7
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	3.8
Gonorrhea	13	21.0	113.8
Chlamydia	52	84.2	313.3
AIDS	2	3.2	13.2
Pertussis	6	9.7	9.7
Varicella (chickenpox)	15	24.3	36.4

### Mortality<sup>4</sup>

	Deaths	RATE <sup>5</sup>	
		County	State
Deaths From All Causes	343	741.9	829.0
Cardiovascular Disease	129	288.1	290.7
Heart Disease	101	223.4	219.3
Stroke	20	---	52.1
All Cancer	86	178.9	179.4
Respiratory / Lung Cancer	22	47.2	50.9
Female Breast Cancer	6	---	23.3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	20	---	44.1
Diabetes	3	---	29.7
Unintentional Injury (Accidents)	11	---	39.8
Motor Vehicle Injury	6	---	16.4
Homicide	1	---	6.4
Suicide	7	---	10.8
Alzheimer's	10	---	27.0
Influenza and Pneumonia	14	---	20.4
Infant Deaths	6	6.1	6.5
Fetal Deaths	5	5.1	5.5

<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Due to a revised birth certificate in 2005, onset of prenatal care is not comparable to values published in prior years.

<sup>3</sup> Disease rates are per 100,000 population. Use caution interpreting rates based on small numbers of cases.

<sup>4</sup> 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 "----".

<sup>5</sup> Current mortality rates by cause are not comparable with data reported prior to 1999.

Refer to the Data Sources Document for more detail.