



### Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 6,951      Population Per Square Mile: 8.3  
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 189      Area In Square Miles: 841.1

Ethnicity	County		State		Age	Females	Males	Total	County		State	
	Total	Percent	Total	Percent					Percent	Percent		
Anglo	3,401	48.9%	46.6%		00 - 04	268	284	552	7.9%	7.9%		
Hispanic	3,390	48.8%	37.5%		05 - 14	471	476	947	13.6%	14.2%		
Black	126	1.8%	11.6%		15 - 44	1,308	1,362	2,670	38.4%	44.7%		
Other	34	0.5%	4.3%		45 - 64	867	869	1,736	25.0%	23.3%		
Relative % distribution					65+	584	462	1,046	15.0%	9.9%		
Anglo	[Bar chart showing 48.9%]			48.9%	Total	3,498	3,453	6,951	100.0%	100.0%		
Hispanic	[Bar chart showing 48.8%]			48.8%	County	50.3%	49.7%					
Black	[Bar chart showing 1.8%]			1.8%	State	49.9%	50.1%					
Other	[Bar chart showing 0.5%]			0.5%								

### Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State		County	State
Average Monthly TANF Recipients (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families)	25	117,689	Average Monthly CHIP Enrollment (Children's Health Insurance Program)	138	389,062
Average Monthly SNAP Participants (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)	645	2,366,546			
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	1,573	4,508,948			
Medicaid Covered Births	82	224,937			
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	57.7%	55.3%			
Unemployment Rate	3.8%	4.9%			
Per Capita Personal Income	\$35,710	\$37,809			

  

	Number	County	Percent	State
Without Health Insurance				
0 - 64 Years	1,808	31.4%	25.7%	
0 - 17 Years	451	24.8%	16.9%	
Persons Living Below Poverty				
All Ages	948	14.5%	15.8%	
0 - 17 Years	357	19.7%	22.5%	

### Natality

	Births <sup>1</sup>	Percent	
		County	State
Total Live Births	133		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	7	5.3%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	53	39.8%	41.9%
Low Birth Weight <sup>1</sup>	16	12.0%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester <sup>3</sup>	99	76.7%	58.4%
Fertility Rate <sup>1</sup>		101.7	76.8

### Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate <sup>2</sup>	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	0	---	6.2
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	5.8
Gonorrhea	0	---	129.8
Chlamydia	23	330.9	405.8
AIDS	1	14.4	11.9
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	0	---	8.4
Varicella (Chickenpox)	24	345.3	32.2

### Mortality<sup>5</sup>

	Deaths <sup>1</sup>	Rate <sup>4</sup>			Deaths <sup>1</sup>	Rate <sup>4</sup>	
		County	State			County	State
Deaths from All Causes	66	825.6	808.8	Accidents	2	---	41.4
Heart Disease	18	---	194.3	Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	---	15.3
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	4	---	49.4	Diabetes	4	---	25.4
All Cancer	8	---	172.4	Alzheimer's	5	---	28.7
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	1	---	47.0	Influenza and Pneumonia	2	---	18.3
Female Breast Cancer	0	---	22.3	Assault (Homicide)	0	---	5.9
Colon, Rectum and Anus	1	---	16.4	Suicide	0	---	11.0
Male Prostrate Cancer	1	---	20.8	Septicemia	1	---	14.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	6	---	45.8	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	1	---	11.7
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	0	---	17.9	Infant Deaths	2	---	6.1
				Fetal Deaths <sup>1</sup>	0	---	5.6

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

<sup>3</sup> Due to a revised birth certificate in 2005, onset of prenatal care is not comparable to values published in prior years.

<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.