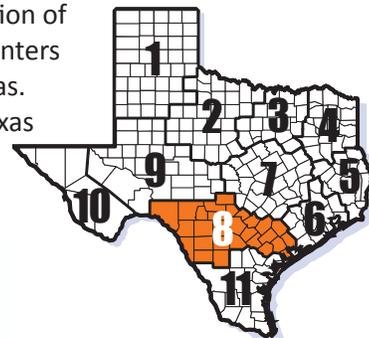


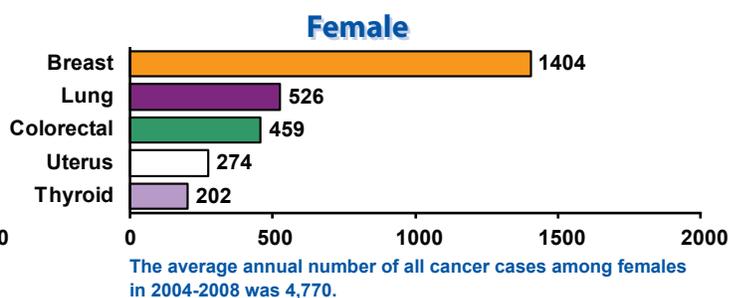
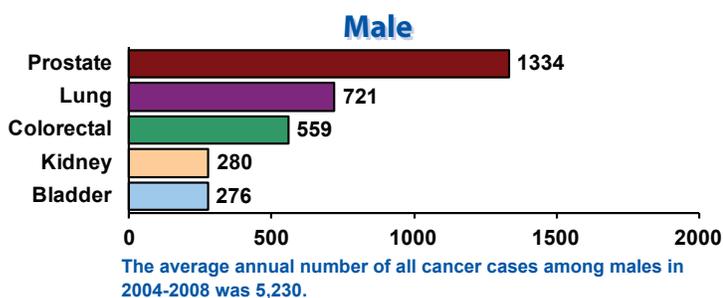
2011 Texas Selected Cancer Facts **Health Service Region (HSR) 8**

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In 2011, it is estimated that there will be 11,386 new cancer cases and 4,157 cancer deaths in HSR 8.

Average Annual Number of New Cancer Cases, 5 Leading Sites, HSR 8, 2004–2008



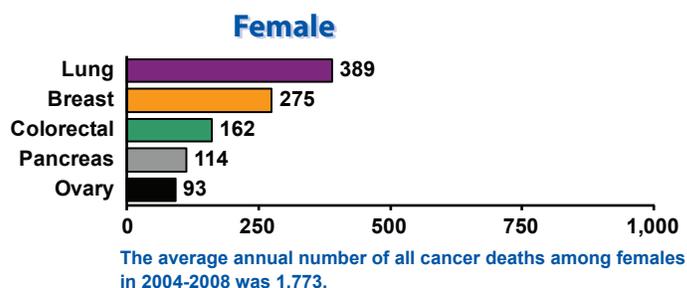
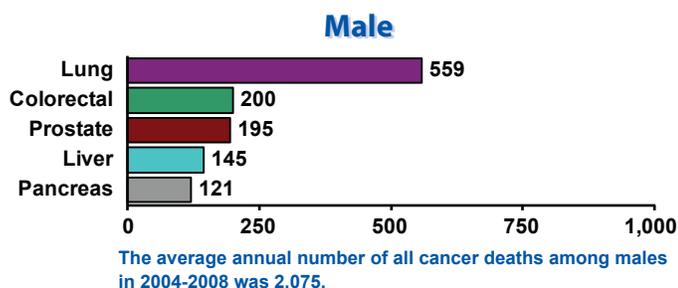
Comparison of Incidence Rates Between HSR 8 and Texas, 5 Leading Sites, 2004–2008

Males	Rate per 100,000	
	Region	State
Prostate	127.2*	142.1
Lung	72.7*	82.5
Colorectal	54.7	54.4
Kidney	26.7*	22.4
Bladder	28.3	29.3
All Sites	507.8*	528.5

Females	Rate per 100,000	
	Region	State
Breast	111.8	113.2
Lung	41.1*	50.0
Colorectal	35.4*	37.9
Uterus	21.9*	18.8
Thyroid	16.7*	14.8
All Sites	376.8*	387.7

*Indicates that the difference between the regional and state rates is statistically significant.

Average Annual Number of Cancer Deaths, 5 Leading Sites, HSR 8, 2004–2008



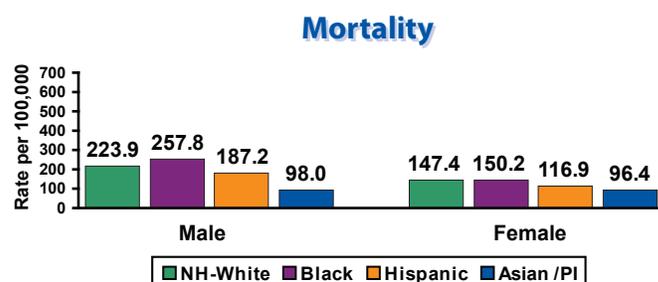
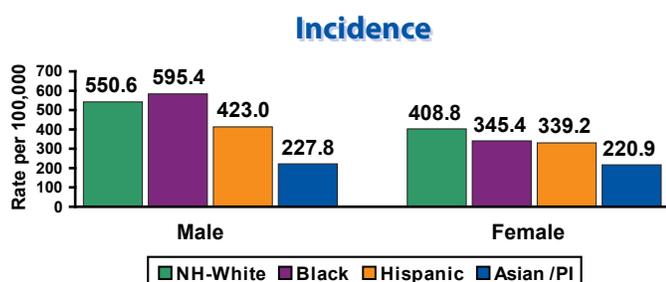
Comparison of Mortality Rates Between HSR 8 and Texas, 5 Leading Sites, 2004–2008

Males	Rate per 100,000	
	Region	State
Lung	57.0*	65.6
Colorectal	20.2	20.7
Prostate	22.2	22.6
Liver	14.0*	10.6
Pancreas	12.1	11.8
All Sites	211.6*	217.7

Females	Rate per 100,000	
	Region	State
Lung	30.1*	36.8
Breast	21.3	22.6
Colorectal	12.1*	13.4
Pancreas	8.6	8.6
Ovary	7.2	7.7
All Sites	135.9*	145.1

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Cancer Rates by Race, Ethnicity and Sex, HSR 8, 2004–2008



Leading Childhood and Adolescent Cancers in HSR 8, 1999–2008

Childhood (Ages 0-14 Years)

	N	% of Total
All Cancers Combined	861	100.0%
Leukemia (ICCC* Group I)	328	38.1%
Brain/Central Nervous System (III)	164	19.0%
Lymphoma (II)	97	11.3%
All Other Groups	272	31.6%

Adolescent (Ages 15-19 Years)

	N	% of Total
All Cancers Combined	399	100.0%
Lymphoma (ICCC* Group II)	83	20.8%
Carcinomas and Melanomas (XI)	76	19.0%
Germ Cell (X)	72	18.0%
All Other Groups	168	42.1%

*ICCC = International Classification of Childhood Cancer

Incidence data in this fact sheet based on 1995-2008 Incidence File, Sub 11-24-2010.

Mortality data in this fact sheet based on 1990-2008 Mortality File, (Created 03/31/11.) Center for Health Statistics.