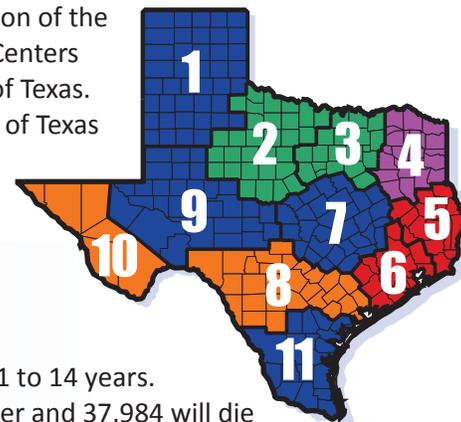


## 2010 Texas Selected Cancer Facts

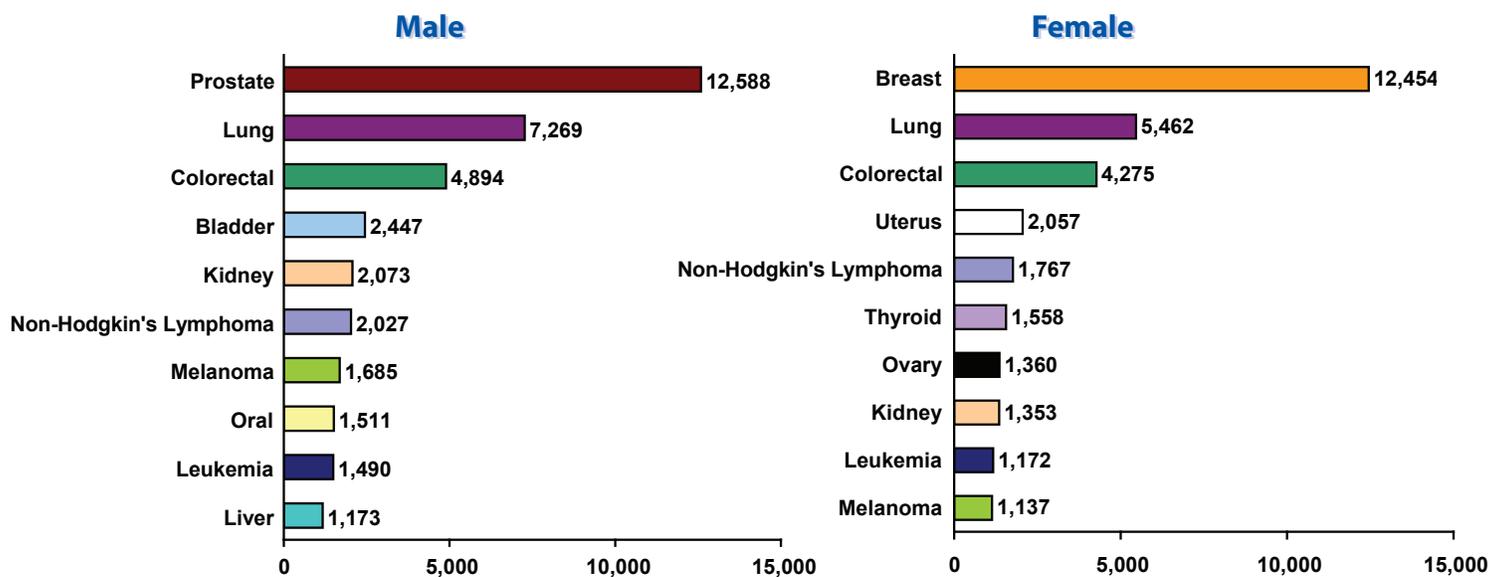
Selected Cancer Facts are provided by the Texas Cancer Registry (TCR), a collaboration of the Texas Department of State Health Services, National Program of Cancer Registries-Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas. The TCR is a statewide population-based registry that serves as the primary source of Texas cancer data. These data are used to measure the Texas cancer burden, progress in cancer prevention and control, and support a wide variety of cancer research.



### Cancer remains a significant public health issue in Texas:

- Cancer is the leading cause of death for Texans aged 85 years and younger.
- Cancer is the leading cause of death from disease among Texas children aged 1 to 14 years.
- In 2010, it is estimated that 104,141 Texans will be newly diagnosed with cancer and 37,984 will die of the disease.
- For 2007, it is estimated that there were 441,416 cancer survivors in Texas who were diagnosed between 1996 and 2006.
- The estimated cost of cancer in Texas for 2007 is \$21.9 billion.\*

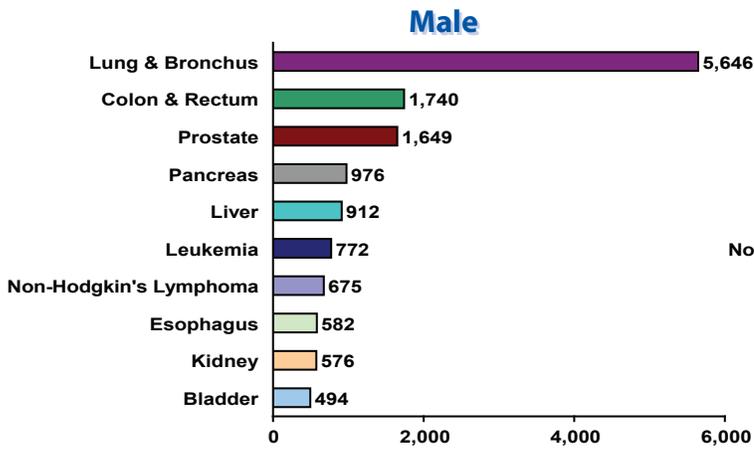
### Average Annual Number of New Cancer Cases, 10 Leading Sites, Texas, 2003–2007



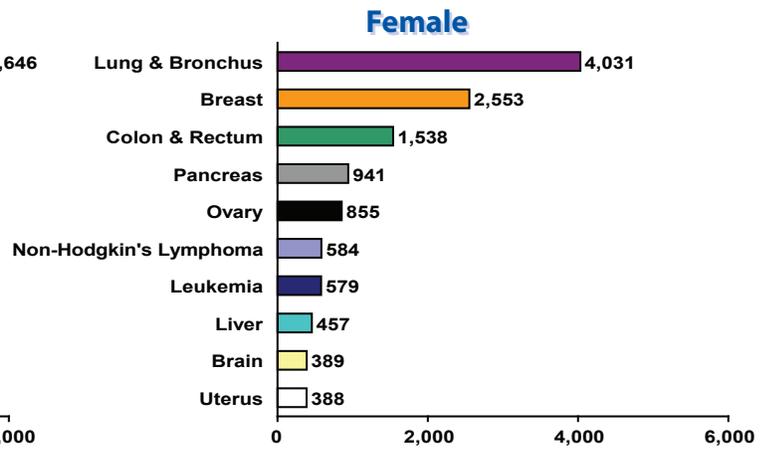
The average annual number of all cancer cases among males in 2003-2007 was 47,420.

The average annual number of all cancer cases among females in 2003-2007 was 42,711.

## Average Annual Number of Cancer Deaths, 10 Leading Sites, Texas, 2003–2007

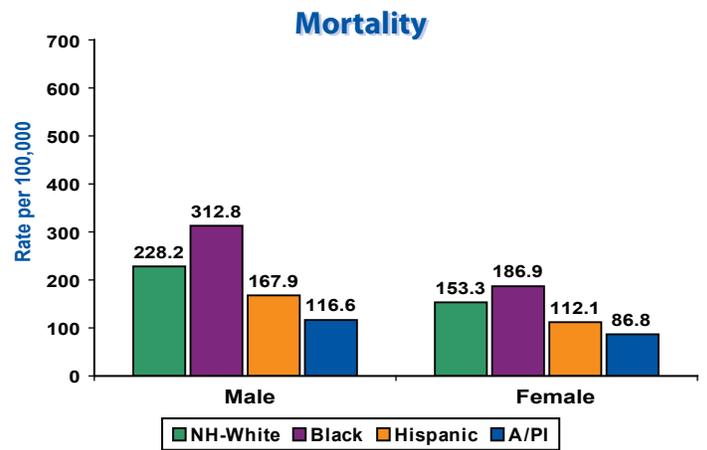
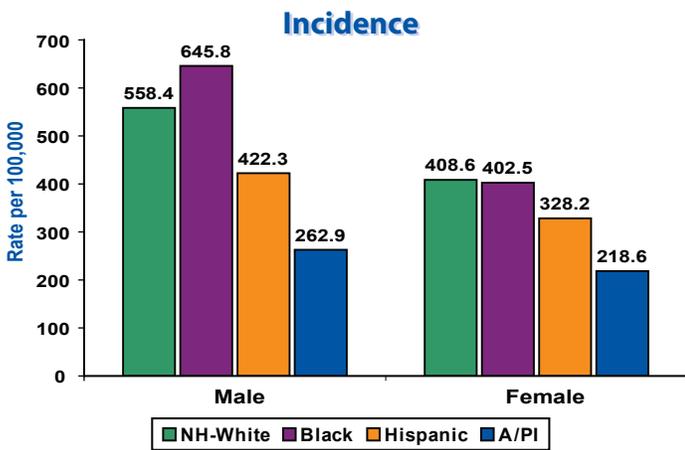


The average annual number of all cancer deaths among males in 2003-2007 was 18,264.

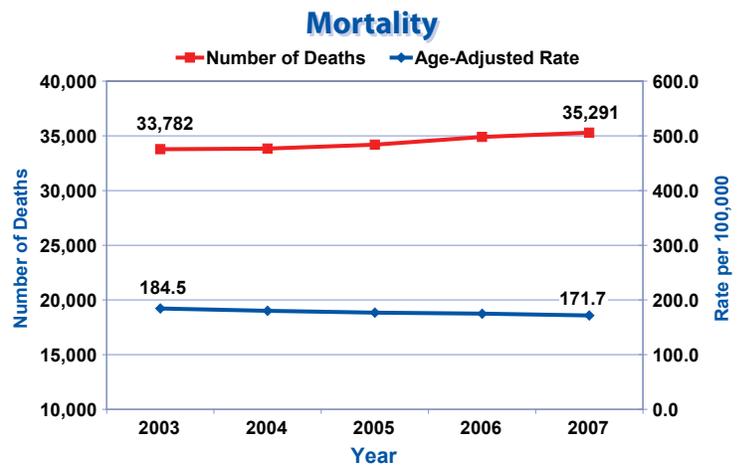
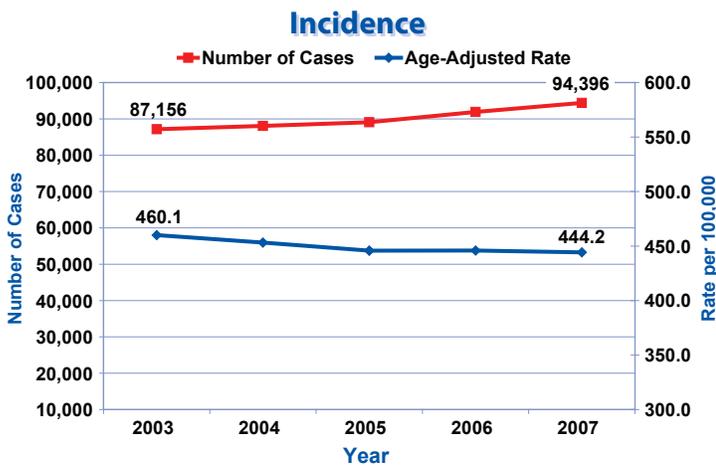


The average annual number of all cancer deaths among females in 2003-2007 was 16,138.

## Cancer Rates by Race, Ethnicity and Sex, Texas, 2003–2007



## Trends in Cancer Incidence and Mortality, Texas, 2003–2007



- Although rates of new cancer cases and deaths are declining, the numbers of new cases and deaths are increasing because our population is aging and growing.

This fact sheet was prepared by the Cancer Epidemiology and Surveillance Branch, Texas Department of State Health Services. Incidence data in this fact sheet based on 1995-2007 Incidence File, Sub 11-19-2009. Mortality data in this fact sheet based on 1990-2007 Mortality File, (Created 07/29/10). For questions regarding data presented in this fact sheet, contact the Cancer Epidemiology Group by calling 1-800-252-8059, or e-mail: [CancerData@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:CancerData@dshs.state.tx.us). More detailed information on specific cancers and risk factors are also available on our website. Visit us online: <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/tcr>.