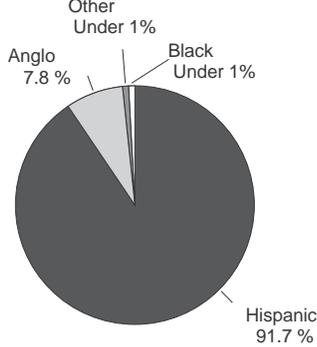


### Demography

Estimated Population: 7,627  
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 184

Population Per Square Mile: 8.1  
Area in Square Miles: 943.3



### POPULATION INFORMATION

Age	Females	Males	Total	County Percent	State Percent
00 - 04	316	331	647	8.5 %	8.0 %
05 - 14	592	626	1,218	16.0 %	14.7 %
15 - 44	1,449	1,442	2,891	37.9 %	45.1 %
45 - 64	883	861	1,744	22.9 %	22.4 %
65 +	647	480	1,127	14.8 %	9.8 %
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,887</b>	<b>3,740</b>	<b>7,627</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>
County	51.0 %	49.0 %			
State	50.0 %	50.0 %			

### Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	193	205,820
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	2,841	2,513,734
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	3,686	3,973,500
Medicaid Covered Births	125	213,668
Medicaid Births as Percent Total Births	96.9 %	55.6 %
Unemployment Rate	6.7 %	5.4 %
Per Capita Personal Income	\$ 18,535	\$ 33,253

	County	State
Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	120	326,621
	Percent	
	County	State
Without Health Insurance		
0 - 64 Years	1,518	23.5 %
0 - 17 Years	340	15.6 %
Persons Living Below Poverty		
All ages	2,707	35.6 %
0 - 17 Years	1,120	49.3 %

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

	Births	PERCENT	
		County	State
Total Live Births	147		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	17	11.6 %	4.9 %
Unmarried Mothers	95	64.6 %	37.8 %
Low Birth Weight	13	8.8 %	8.3 %
Prenatal Care in First Trimester <sup>2</sup>	58	39.7 %	63.7 %

Fertility Rate County: 101.4 State: 76.7

### Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	RATE <sup>3</sup>	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	0	---	6.7
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	3.8
Gonorrhea	0	---	113.8
Chlamydia	39	511.3	313.3
AIDS	1	13.1	13.2
Pertussis	0	---	9.7
Varicella (chickenpox)	2	26.2	36.4

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

	Deaths	RATE <sup>5</sup>	
		County	State
Deaths From All Causes	64	749.5	829.0
Cardiovascular Disease	32	374.9	290.7
Heart Disease	29	340.8	219.3
Stroke	2	---	52.1
All Cancer	9	---	179.4
Respiratory / Lung Cancer	3	---	50.9
Female Breast Cancer	0	---	23.3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	0	---	44.1
Diabetes	5	---	29.7
Unintentional Injury (Accidents)	2	---	39.8
Motor Vehicle Injury	0	---	16.4
Homicide	0	---	6.4
Suicide	1	---	10.8
Alzheimer's	0	---	27.0
Influenza and Pneumonia	1	---	20.4
Infant Deaths	0	0.0	6.5
Fetal Deaths	1	6.8	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.