



### Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 7,171,076  
 Number of counties: 49  
 Population Per Square Mile: 169.1  
 Area In Square Miles: 42,400.1

Ethnicity	Total	Region		Age	Females	Males	Total	Region	
		Percent	State					Percent	State
Anglo	3,959,294	55.2%	46.6%	00 - 04	272,923	283,636	556,559	7.8%	7.9%
Hispanic	1,917,845	26.7%	37.5%	05 - 14	508,836	529,833	1,038,669	14.5%	14.2%
Black	913,187	12.7%	11.6%	15 - 44	1,581,505	1,680,515	3,262,020	45.5%	44.7%
Other	380,750	5.3%	4.3%	45 - 64	845,068	835,837	1,680,905	23.4%	23.3%
Relative % distribution				65+	359,545	273,378	632,923	8.8%	9.9%
Anglo	55.2%			Total	3,567,877	3,603,199	7,171,076	100.0%	100.0%
Hispanic	26.7%			Region	49.8%	50.2%			
Black	12.7%			State	49.9%	50.1%			
Other	5.3%								

### Socioeconomic Indicators

	Region	State		Region	State
Average Monthly TANF Recipients (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families)	18,804	117,689	Average Monthly CHIP Enrollment (Children's Health Insurance Program)	103,636	389,062
Average Monthly SNAP Participants (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)	499,310	2,366,546			
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	1,063,081	4,508,948			
Medicaid Covered Births	57,070	224,937			
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	48.9%	55.3%			
Unemployment Rate	5.0%	4.9%			
Per Capita Personal Income	\$40,586	\$37,809			

### Natality

	Births <sup>1</sup>	Percent	
		Region	State
Total Live Births	115,759		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	5,024	4.3%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	47,068	40.7%	41.9%
Low Birth Weight <sup>1</sup>	9,366	8.1%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester <sup>3</sup>	63,484	55.9%	58.4%
Fertility Rate <sup>1</sup>		73.2	76.8

### Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate <sup>2</sup>	
		Region	State
Tuberculosis	404	5.8	6.2
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	331	4.6	5.8
Gonorrhea	9,825	137.0	129.8
Chlamydia	28,129	392.3	405.8
AIDS	863	12.3	11.9
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	1,116	15.6	8.4
Varicella (Chickenpox)	2,675	37.3	32.2

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

	Deaths <sup>1</sup>	Rate <sup>4</sup>			Deaths <sup>1</sup>	Rate <sup>4</sup>	
		Region	State			Region	State
Deaths from All Causes	45,614	828.5	808.8	Accidents	2,466	37.6	41.4
Heart Disease	10,835	202.4	194.3	Motor Vehicle Accidents	953	13.4	15.3
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	2,697	52.2	49.4	Diabetes	1,256	22.6	25.4
All Cancer	10,089	179.5	172.4	Alzheimer's	1,585	32.8	28.7
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	2,785	50.1	47.0	Influenza and Pneumonia	976	18.9	18.3
Female Breast Cancer	811	25.1	22.3	Assault (Homicide)	414	5.6	5.9
Colon, Rectum and Anus	953	17.0	16.4	Suicide	754	10.8	11.0
Male Prostrate Cancer	450	22.4	20.8	Septicemia	651	12.1	14.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	2,564	49.9	45.8	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	609	9.5	11.7
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	902	17.0	17.9	Infant Deaths	754	6.5	6.1
				Fetal Deaths <sup>1</sup>	652	5.6	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.**