



### Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 11,379  
 Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 158  
 Population Per Square Mile: 4.3  
 Area In Square Miles: 2,635.9

Ethnicity	County		State		Age	Females	Males	Total	County		State	
	Total	Percent	Total	Percent					Percent	Percent		
Anglo	2,511	22.1%	46.6%		00 - 04	464	475	939	8.3%	7.9%		
Hispanic	8,570	75.3%	37.5%		05 - 14	808	798	1,606	14.1%	14.2%		
Black	211	1.9%	11.6%		15 - 44	2,021	2,612	4,633	40.7%	44.7%		
Other	87	0.8%	4.3%		45 - 64	1,209	1,415	2,624	23.1%	23.3%		
Relative % distribution					65+	843	734	1,577	13.9%	9.9%		
Anglo	[Bar]			22.1%	Total	5,345	6,034	11,379	100.0%	100.0%		
Hispanic	[Bar]			75.3%	County	47.0%	53.0%					
Black	[Bar]			1.9%	State	49.9%	50.1%					
Other	[Bar]			0.8%								

### Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State		County	State
Average Monthly TANF Recipients (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families)	85	117,689	Average Monthly CHIP Enrollment (Children's Health Insurance Program)	201	389,062
Average Monthly SNAP Participants (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)	1,944	2,366,546			
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	3,923	4,508,948			
Medicaid Covered Births	172	224,937			
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	82.7%	55.3%			
Unemployment Rate	5.9%	4.9%			
Per Capita Personal Income	\$24,733	\$37,809			

  

	Number	County	State
Without Health Insurance			
0 - 64 Years	2,699	32.9%	25.7%
0 - 17 Years	542	20.6%	16.9%
Persons Living Below Poverty			
All Ages	2,723	27.5%	15.8%
0 - 17 Years	944	35.4%	22.5%

### Natality

	Births <sup>1</sup>	Percent	
		County	State
Total Live Births	217		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	21	9.7%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	124	57.1%	41.9%
Low Birth Weight <sup>1</sup>	22	10.1%	8.4%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester <sup>3</sup>	146	68.2%	58.4%
Fertility Rate <sup>1</sup>		107.4	76.8

### Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate <sup>2</sup>	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	2	17.6	6.2
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	5.8
Gonorrhea	7	61.5	129.8
Chlamydia	38	333.9	405.8
AIDS	1	8.8	11.9
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	0	---	8.4
Varicella (Chickenpox)	14	123.0	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	118	985.2	808.8	Accidents	1	---	41.4
Heart Disease	35	291.4	194.3	Motor Vehicle Accidents	0	---	15.3
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	5	---	49.4	Diabetes	7	---	25.4
All Cancer	24	196.1	172.4	Alzheimer's	3	---	28.7
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	3	---	47.0	Influenza and Pneumonia	10	---	18.3
Female Breast Cancer	2	---	22.3	Assault (Homicide)	2	---	5.9
Colon, Rectum and Anus	4	---	16.4	Suicide	2	---	11.0
Male Prostrate Cancer	0	---	20.8	Septicemia	3	---	14.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	4	---	45.8	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	6	---	11.7
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	3	---	17.9	Infant Deaths	1	---	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.