



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 11,474 Population Per Square Mile: 4.4
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 158 Area In Square Miles: 2,635.9

Ethnicity	Total	County		State		Age	Females	Males	Total	County		State	
		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent					Percent	Percent		
Anglo	2,503	21.8%	45.8%	00 - 04	462	475	937	8.2%	7.9%				
Hispanic	8,675	75.6%	38.2%	05 - 14	820	802	1,622	14.1%	14.1%				
Black	219	1.9%	11.5%	15 - 44	2,027	2,618	4,645	40.5%	44.6%				
Other	77	0.7%	4.4%	45 - 64	1,230	1,414	2,644	23.0%	23.5%				
Relative % distribution				65+	862	764	1,626	14.2%	10.0%				
Anglo	[Bar chart: 21.8%]			Total	5,401	6,073	11,474	100.0%	100.0%				
Hispanic	[Bar chart: 75.6%]			County	47.1%	52.9%							
Black	[Bar chart: 1.9%]			State	49.8%	50.2%							
Other	[Bar chart: 0.7%]												

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State		County	State
Average Monthly TANF Recipients (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families)	105	104,696	Average Monthly CHIP Enrollment (Children's Health Insurance Program)	201	466,242
Average Monthly SNAP Participants (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)	2,123	2,819,469			
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	3,957	4,760,721			
Medicaid Covered Births	Not Available	Not Available			
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	Not Available	Not Available			
Unemployment Rate	11.8%	7.6%			
Per Capita Personal Income	\$26,779	\$38,609			

	Number	County	Percent	State
Without Health Insurance				
0 - 64 Years	3,263	35.6%	26.3%	
0 - 17 Years	626	21.4%	16.2%	
Persons Living Below Poverty				
All Ages	2,708	27.4%	17.1%	
0 - 17 Years	983	33.7%	24.3%	

Natality

	Births ¹	Percent	
		County	State
Total Live Births	185		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	23	12.4%	4.7%
Unmarried Mothers	107	57.8%	42.6%
Low Birth Weight ¹	19	10.3%	8.5%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester ³	120	65.2%	58.6%
Fertility Rate ¹		91.3	75.1

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate ²	
		County	State
Tuberculosis	1	8.9	5.9
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	6.6
Gonorrhea	11	95.9	116.1
Chlamydia	29	252.7	419.0
AIDS	4	35.5	9.2
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	3	26.1	13.5
Varicella (Chickenpox)	11	95.9	17.9

Mortality⁵

	Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴			Deaths ¹	Rate ⁴	
		County	State			County	State
Deaths from All Causes	108	899.0	781.2	Accidents	5	---	40.0
Heart Disease	27	217.0	186.7	Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	---	14.0
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	8	---	45.8	Diabetes	1	---	23.1
All Cancer	25	196.4	167.6	Alzheimer's	3	---	26.9
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	5	---	45.7	Influenza and Pneumonia	3	---	16.7
Female Breast Cancer	3	---	21.6	Assault (Homicide)	0	---	5.9
Colon, Rectum and Anus	1	---	15.9	Suicide	3	---	11.4
Male Prostrate Cancer	4	---	19.9	Septicemia	2	---	15.0
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	2	---	43.4	Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	4	---	11.6
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	5	---	18.2	Infant Deaths	4	---	6.0
				Fetal Deaths ¹	0	---	5.2

¹ 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.

² Disease rates are per 100,000 population. Use caution interpreting rates based on small numbers of cases.

³ Due to a revised birth certificate in 2005, onset of prenatal care is not comparable to values published in prior years.

⁴ 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 "---".

⁵ Current mortality rates by cause are not comparable with data reported prior to 1999.

Refer to the Data Sources Document for more detail.