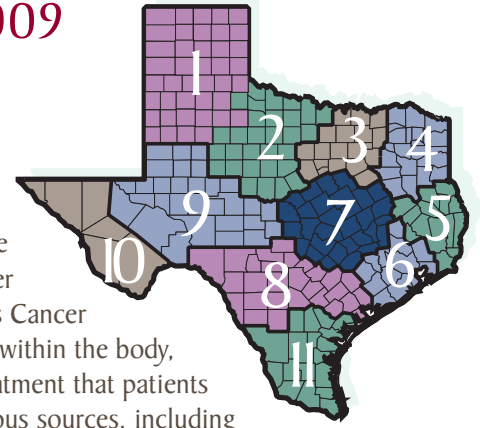


# Selected Cancer Facts 2009 Texas

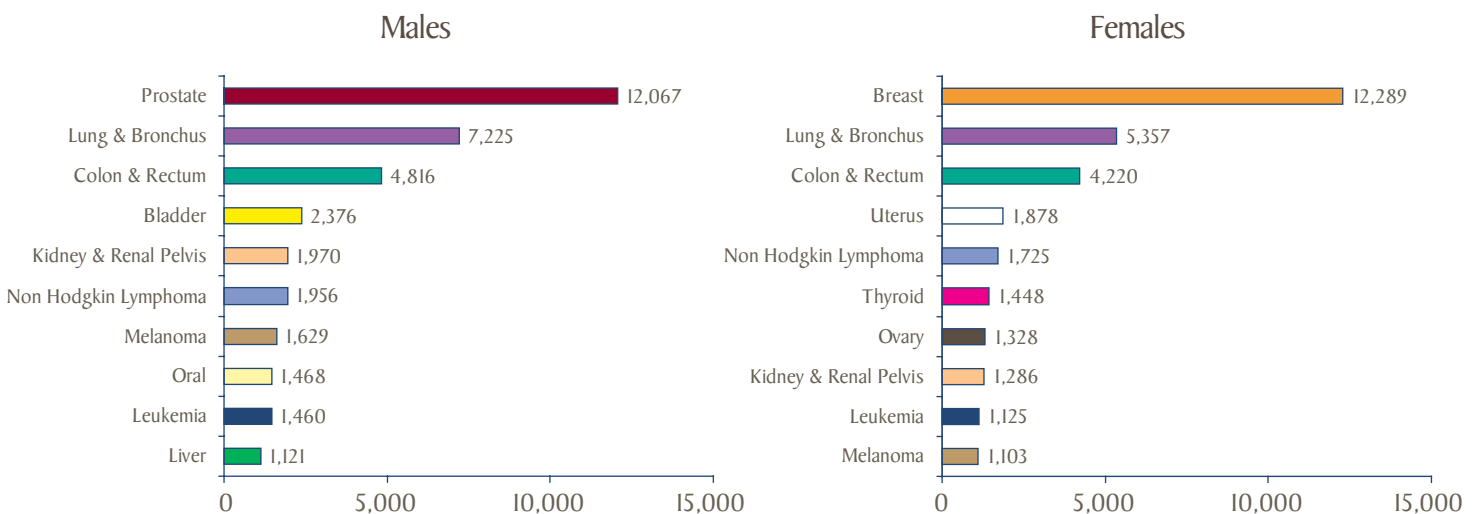


Selected Cancer Facts is provided by the Texas Cancer Registry (TCR), to briefly describe the impact of cancer on Texas residents. The TCR is a statewide population-based cancer registry that serves as the foundation for Texas comprehensive cancer control. The Texas Cancer Registry collects information, such as the types of cancers that occur and their locations within the body, the extent of cancer at the time of diagnosis (disease stage), the kinds of first course treatment that patients receive, length of survival, and patient characteristics. These data are reported from various sources, including hospitals, cancer treatment centers, ambulatory surgery centers, pathology laboratories, and physician's offices.

For additional information, visit our website at [www.dshs.state.tx.us/tcr](http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/tcr), or contact us at [CancerData@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:CancerData@dshs.state.tx.us).

- Cancer is the second leading cause of death in Texas. First among persons aged 75 years and younger.
- In 2009, it is estimated that there will be 97,847 new cancer cases and 37,285 cancer deaths in Texas.
- Although cancer incidence and mortality rates are decreasing, the actual number of new cancer cases and deaths are increasing as our population grows (see trend figure on back).
- The estimated cost of cancer in Texas for 2007 is \$21.9 billion.\*
- For 2006, it is estimated that there were 428,684 persons living with cancer in Texas that were diagnosed between 1996 and 2005.

## Average Annual Number of New Cancer Cases, Leading 10 Sites, Texas, 2002–2006

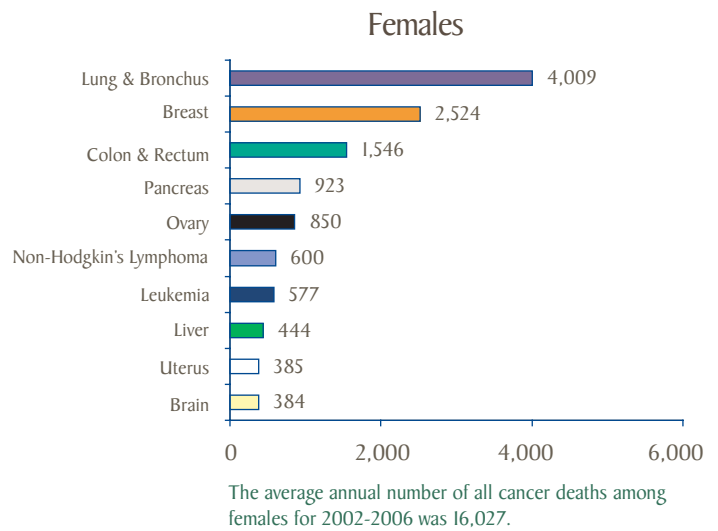
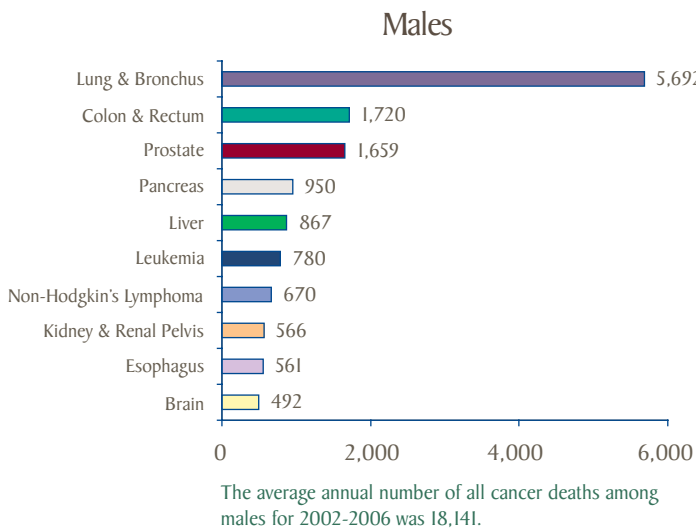


The average annual number of all cancer cases among males in 2002-2006 was 45,950.

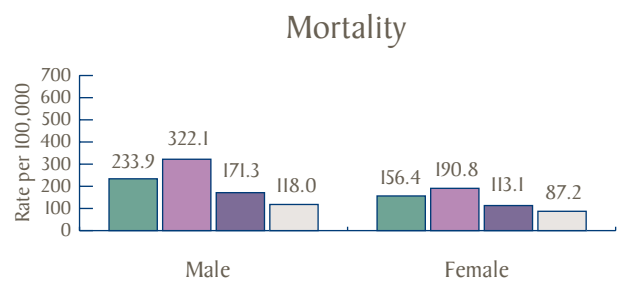
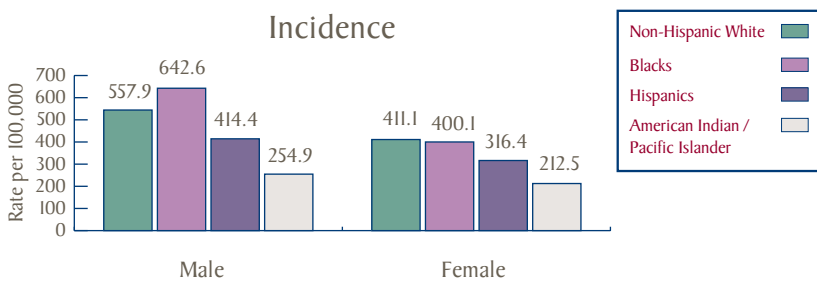
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# Selected Cancer Facts 2009 - Texas (continued)

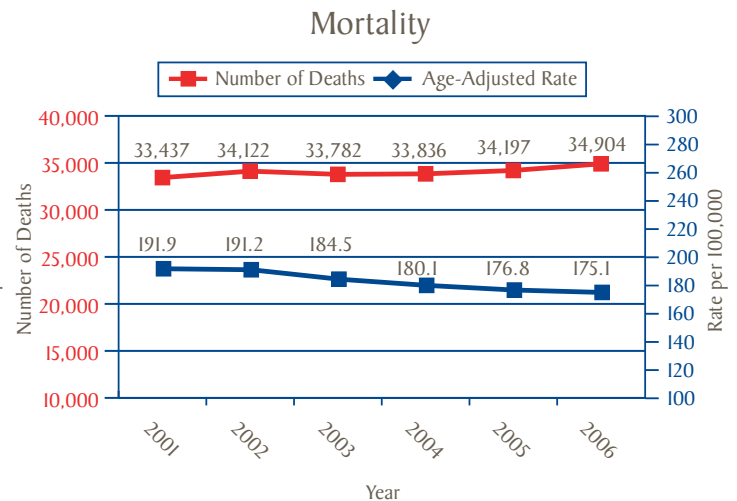
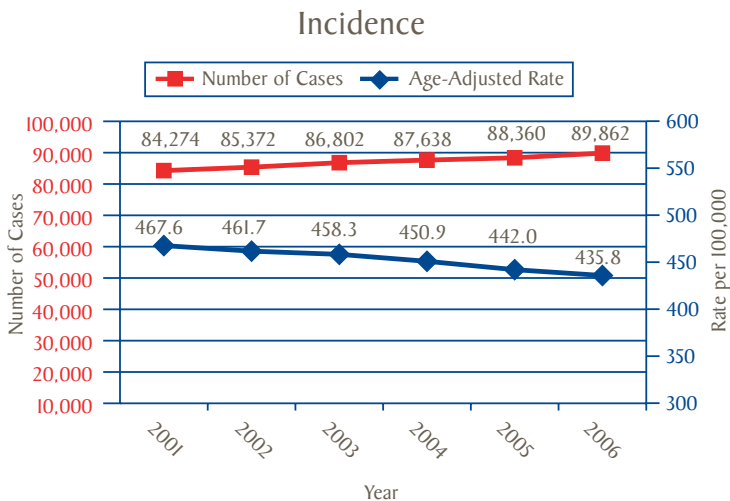
## Average Annual Number of Cancer Deaths, Leading 10 Sites, Texas, 2002 - 2006



## Cancer Rates by Race, Ethnicity and Sex, Texas, 2002 - 2006



## Trends in Cancer Incidence and Mortality, Texas, 2001-2006



Incidence data based on 1995-2006 Incidence File, Sub II-26-2008.  
Mortality data based on 1990-2006 Mortality File, (Created 03/31/09). Center for Health Statistics.

More detailed information on specific cancers and risk factors are also available on our website.  
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