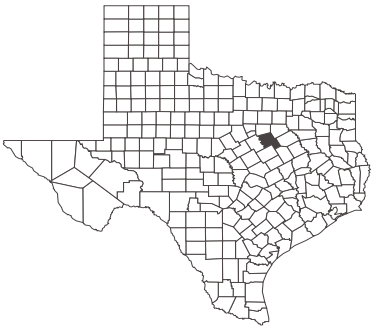
Selected Health Facts 2006

Hill County



Demography / Population

Estimated Population: 34,886
Population Rank Among Texas' 254 Counties: 82
Population Per Square Mile: 36.2
Area In Square Miles: 962.4

Ethnicity	Total	County Percent	State Percent
Anglo	26,146	74.9%	48.2%
Hispanic	5,932	17.0%	36.1%
Black	2,615	7.5%	11.7%
Other	193	0.6%	4.0%

Age	Females	Males	Total	County Percent	State Percent
00 - 04	1,184	1,248	2,432	7.0%	8.0%
05 - 14	2,335	2,460	4,795	13.7%	14.5%
15 - 44	6,249	6,529	12,778	36.6%	45.0%
45 - 64	4,428	4,519	8,947	25.6%	22.8%
65+	3,238	2,696	5,934	17.0%	9.8%
Total	17,434	17,452	34,886	100.0%	100.0%
County	50.0%	50.0%			
State	50.0%	50.0%			

Socioeconomic Indicators

	County	State
Average Monthly TANF (Temporary Assistance to Needy Families) Recipients	210	159,889
Average Monthly Food Stamp Participants	4,151	2,548,310
Unduplicated Count of Medicaid Clients	7,185	4,313,318
Medicaid Covered Births	298	223,128
Medicaid Births as % of Total Births	65.2%	56.6%
Unemployment Rate	5.6%	4.9%
Per Capita Personal Income	$24,500	$35,162

	County	State
Average Monthly Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) Enrollment	564	304,217

	Number	Percent County	Percent State
Without Health Insurance			
0 - 64 Years	8,475	28.8%	27.6%
0 - 17 Years	1,867	21.2%	20.3%
Persons Living Below Poverty			
All Ages	5,498	15.7%	16.9%
0 - 17 Years	2,211	25.7%	23.8%

Natality

	Births[1]	Percent County	Percent State
Total Live Births	472		
Adolescent Mothers (<18)	23	4.9%	4.9%
Unmarried Mothers	189	40.0%	39.6%
Low Birth Weight[1]	30	6.4%	8.5%
Prenatal Care in First Trimester[3]	280	54.6%	60.5%
		Rate	
Fertility Rate[1]		75.5	77.6

Communicable Diseases - Reported Cases

	Cases	Rate[2] County	Rate[2] State
Tuberculosis	0	---	6.7
Sexually Transmitted Diseases			
Primary and Secondary Syphilis	0	---	4.5
Gonorrhea	34	97.5	128.8
Chlamydia	70	200.7	320.4
AIDS	1	2.9	12.4
Pertussis	0	---	4.1
Varicella (Chickenpox)	5	14.3	50.1

Mortality[5]

	Deaths[1]	Rate[4] County	Rate[4] State
Deaths from All Causes	441	1,000.5	805.1
Heart Disease	114	253.5	203.6
Cerebrovascular Disease ((Stroke)	24	54.9	50.2
All Cancer	112	253.1	176.7
Respiratory/Lung Cancer	38	82.5	49.5
Female Breast Cancer	7	---	22.8
Colorectal Cancer	10	---	17.1
Male Prostrate Cancer	3	---	22.6
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	23	50.2	40.9
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis	2	---	15.7

	Deaths[1]	Rate[4] County	Rate[4] State
Accidents	17	---	40.7
Motor Vehicle Accidents	5	---	16.2
Diabetes	16	---	26.5
Alzheimer's	11	---	27.6
Influenza and Pneumonia	14	---	18.0
Assault (Homicide)	1	---	6.0
Suicide	5	---	10.2
Septicemia	6	---	13.8
Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	5	---	11.0
Infant Deaths	6	---	6.2
Fetal Deaths[1]	5	---	5.5

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.**