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HIGHLIGHTS

- The ratio of the cancer age-adjusted incidence rate, 453.4, to the age-adjusted mortality rate, 204.6 (per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard population), was 2.16 during the 1997 to 2001 period, which means that for every 2.16 cancer cases there was one death due to Cancer in Nevada during this period.
- Nevadan females had a higher ratio than males when the cancer incidence and cancer mortality age-adjusted rates were compared. For every female death due to cancer there were 2.48 female cases while there were 2.22 male cases for every male Cancer death in Nevada from 1997 to 2001.
- The median age at diagnosis of cancer was 66 years of age for Nevada residents from 1997 to 2001. The median age at time of death due to cancer was 71 years. The median age at diagnosis for females was lower than the age for males, 65 and 67 years, respectively, while the median age at time of death was 71 years for females and 70 years for males.

INCIDENCE

- Nevada's lower cancer incidence rate (453.4) was statistically significant when compared to the 1996-2001 National rate of 470.3 (per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard population) from 1997 to 2001.
- There were 40,863 resident cancer cases reported in Nevada from 1997 to 2001. Statistical significance tests show that Washoe County had the highest age-adjusted incidence rate of cancer once regional comparisons were made, with a rate of 476.3 Clark County and All Other Counties, as a region, followed with rates of 456.9 and 415.8 (per 100,000 population – 2000 US Standard population), respectively. Washoe County's rate showed slight statistical significance over the 1995-1999 National rate of 470.3, while Clark County and All Other Counties were lower than the National rate.
- Whites, as a racial/ethnic group, accounted for 88.3% of all reported cancer cases in Nevada during the 1997 to 2001 period. Their statistically significant higher age-adjusted incidence rate of 490.1 was 153.8%, 140.7%, 94.1%, and 14.8 18.15% greater than the rates for Native Americans (194.6), Hispanics (226.3), Asians (240.9) and Blacks (458.2), respectively, during this period.
- Males had a statistically significant higher age-adjusted cancer incidence rate, 496.7 (489.6-503.9) over the female rate of 423.0 (417.1-429.0) during the 1997 to 2001 period. However, both had statistically significant lower rates when compared to their national counterparts who had rates of 554.3 (552.6-556.0) and 414.4 (413.1-415.7), respectively.

INPATIENT HOSPITAL DISCHARGES

- There were 33,235 hospital inpatient discharges for a primary diagnosis of cancer to Nevada Residents from 1997 to 2001. Clark County had the highest cancer age-adjusted inpatient discharge rate, 383.6 (378.6-388.7), once regional comparisons were made. Clark County's discharge rate showed statistical significance over the rates for Nevada overall, Washoe County, and All Other Counties who had rates of 364.8 (360.8-368.8) 357.9 (348.4-367.7), 293.7 (284.9-302.8), (per 100,000 – 2000 US standard population), respectively, during this period.
- Total billed charges for hospital inpatient discharges due to a primary diagnosis of cancer in Nevada totaled over 1.1 billion dollars from 1997 to 2001. Nevadans in the 1-4 year age group had the highest median total billed amount at \$36,331 during this period. The overall average billed charge per day for a hospital inpatient discharge due to Cancer was approximately \$4,420 in Nevada from 1996 to 2001.

MORTALITY

- There were 17,459 resident deaths due to Cancer in Nevada from 1997 to 2001, which was the second leading cause of death during this period. Males had a 54.3% higher mortality rate (242.9 [237.6-248.3]), than females (175.8 [172.0-179.8]) in Nevada during this period. This difference is statistically significant and age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. standard population.
- Racial/ethnic comparisons showed that Blacks and Whites, as racial/ethnic groups, had the highest statistically significant cancer age-adjusted mortality rates of 234.4 (218.5-251.4) and 216.0 (212.6-219.6), respectively, of all racial/ethnic groups. They were followed by Asians, Native Americans, and Hispanics who had age-adjusted mortality rates of 116.3 (101.8-133.4), 115.9 (93.1-143.3) and 99.2 (89.7-109.7), respectively from 1997 to 2001.

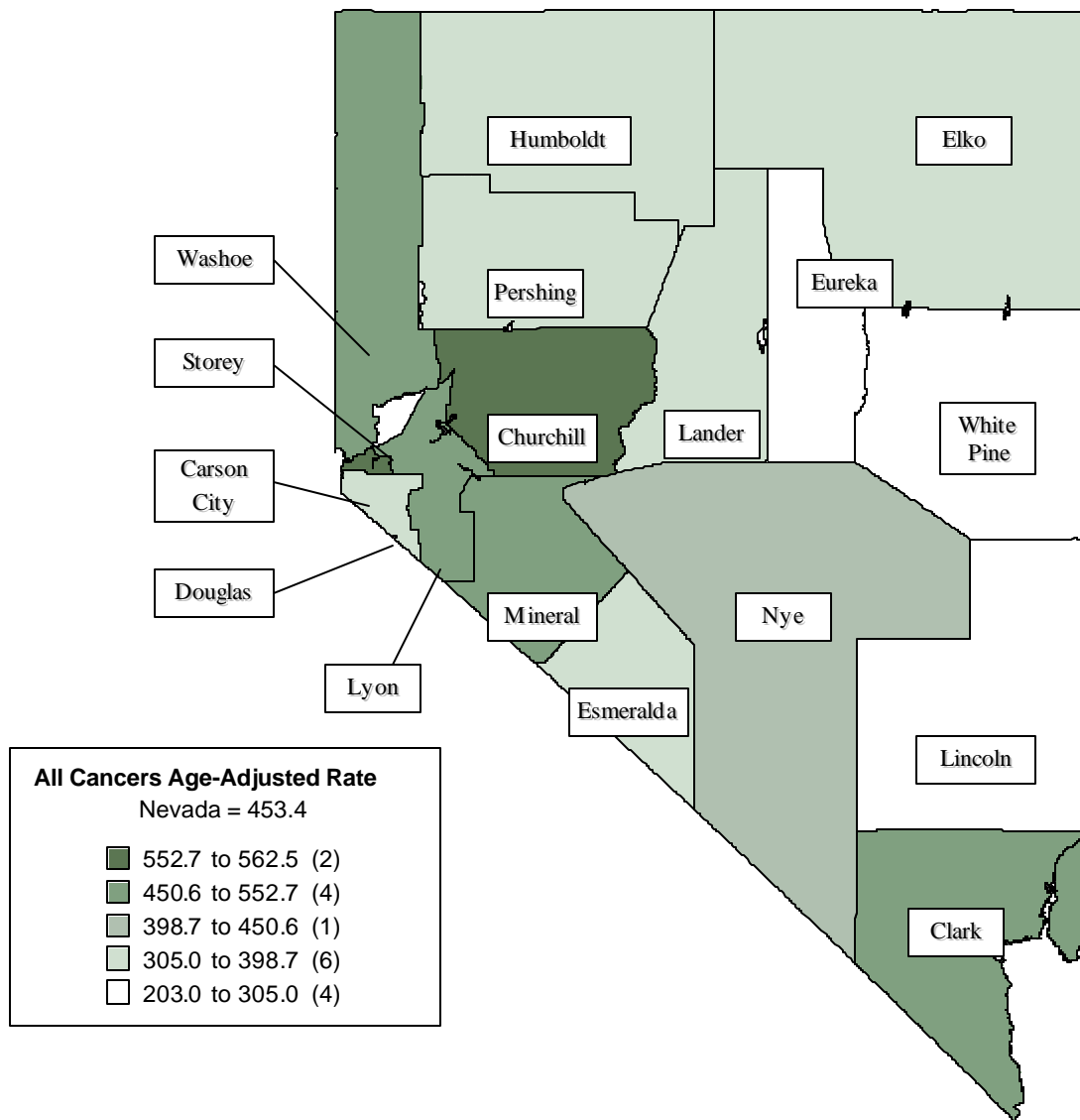
SURVIVAL RATE

- The one-year survival rate for all cancers in Nevada was 72.7% during the 1997 to 2001 period, while the five-year survival rate was 50.9% during this same time. The median survival rate in Nevada was >5 years.
- Females in Nevada had a higher one-year survival rate (75.3%) than males (70.2%) for all cancers during the 1997 to 2001 period. This trend was similar for the five-year survival rate and the median survival time with females and males at 54.5% and 47.2%, respectively, and > 5 years and 3.28 years, respectively.
- Hispanics, as a racial/ethnic group, had the highest One-Year Survival Rate for all cancers (75.9%) in the State, and were followed by Asians, Blacks, Whites, and Native Americans, with rates of 75.6%, 73.5%, 72.3%, and 61.7%, respectively, during the 1997 to 2001 period.

- Native Americans had both the lowest one-year survival and five-year survival rate for all cancers in Nevada at 61.7% and 46.6%, respectively during the 1997-2001 period.
- The five-year survival rate for those diagnosed at the in situ stage was 83.2% for Nevada from 1997 to 2001. The rate for those at the localized stage was 69.4%, while those recorded at the regional, distant and unstaged stages had rates of 51.9%, 26.6% and 29.8%, respectively.
- While the Median Survival time for those diagnosed at the in sit, localized, or regional stages was over five years for all types of cancer, those diagnosed at the distant and unstaged levels had median survival times of 1.20 and 1.47 years, respectively, for Nevada during the 1997 to 2001 period.

INCIDENCE

Figure 24. Age-Adjusted (2001) Incidence Rates for All Cancers, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001



Note: Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to 2000 US Standard population. Caution should be used when interpreting rates based upon small numbers. See Technical notes for more information.

Figure 25. All Cancers Age-Adjusted Incidence Rates by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

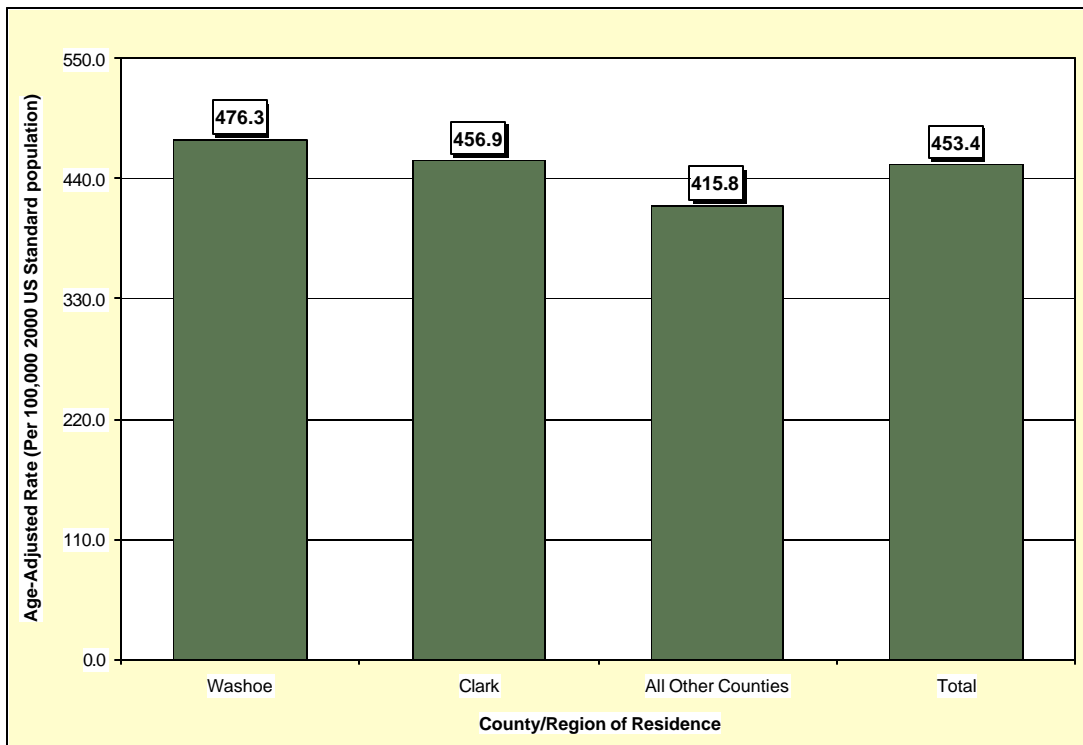


Figure 26. All Cancers Age-Adjusted Incidence Rates by Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

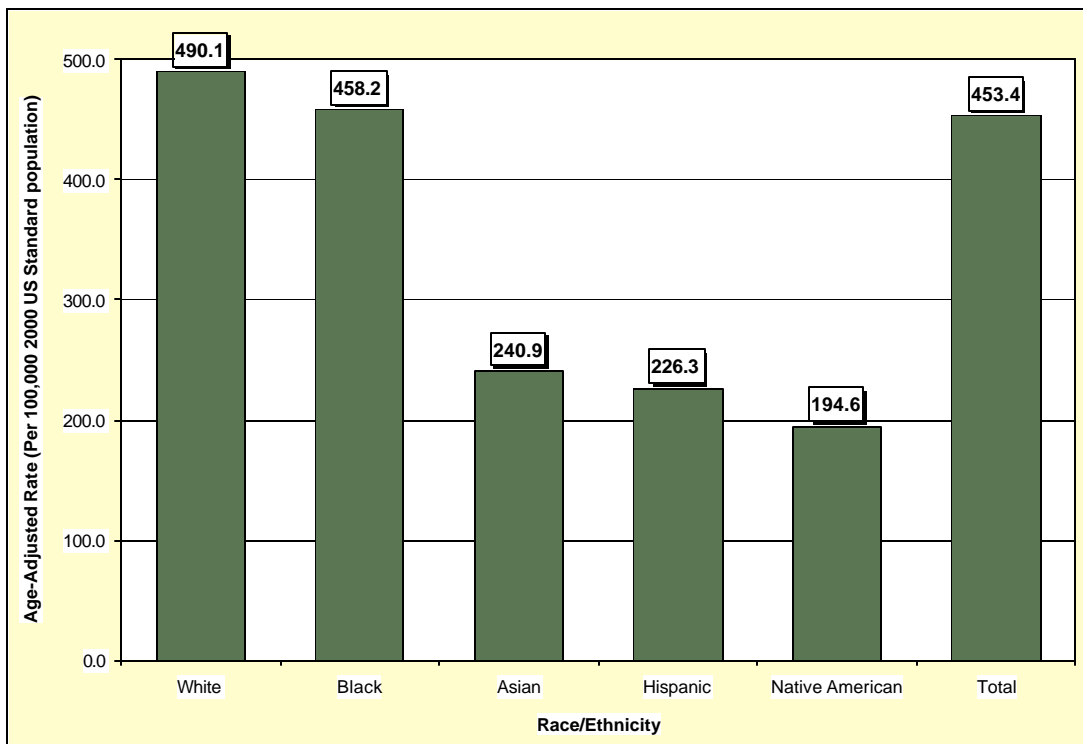


Table 21. All Cancers Cases by Gender, Race/Ethnicity and County/Region of Residence at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents (1997-2001) and SEER-11 (1997-2001)

Category	County/Region of Residence					SEER 11 (1997-2001)
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown	
Total						
Cases	40,863	27,522	7,239	6,080	22	816,901
Rate*	453.4	456.9	476.3	415.8	---	470.3
95% C.I.	(448.9-457.9)	(451.4-462.5)	(465.3-487.6)	(405.3-426.6)	---	(469.3-471.3)
Gender						
Male	21,042	14,080	3,624	3,327	11	416,773
Rate*	496.7	498.5	515.9	472.6	---	554.3
95% C.I.	(489.6-503.9)	(489.6-507.6)	(498.4-534.0)	(456.1-489.8)	---	(552.6-556.0)
Female	19,821	13,442	3,615	2,753	11	400,128
Rate*	423.0	428.8	450.6	369.3	---	414.4
95% C.I.	(417.1-429.0)	(421.5-436.2)	(436.0-465.6)	(355.5-383.4)	---	(413.1-415.7)
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0
Race/Ethnicity						
White	36,076	23,804	6,577	5,677	18	669,754
Rate*	490.1	505.1	499.8	427.8	---	479.6
95% C.I.	(485.0-495.3)	(498.5-511.7)	(487.7-512.2)	(416.5-439.3)	---	(478.5-480.8)
Black	1,988	1,637	228	122	1	75,672
Rate*	458.2	405.7	965.9	1,507.7	---	515.7
95% C.I.	(436.9-480.6)	(384.8-427.7)	(840.0-1,107.3)	(1,249.0-1,808.3)	---	(512.0-519.5)
Native American	185	72	50	62	1	3,867
Rate*	194.6	191.7	271.5	159.0	---	237.7
95% C.I.	(166.1-227.5)	(146.5-250.5)	(196.5-371.1)	(121.1-206.6)	---	(229.7-229.7)
Asian	878	670	160	47	1	59,304
Rate*	240.9	223.6	279.8	399.2	---	336.5
95% C.I.	(221.2-262.9)	(202.4-247.9)	(231.2-341.8)	(274.3-578.4)	---	(333.8-339.3)
Hispanic	1,491	1,114	217	159	1	62,567
Rate*	226.3	220.3	234.0	261.0	---	346.2
95% C.I.	(212.6-241.0)	(204.7-237.3)	(198.3-276.9)	(216.5-313.5)	---	(343.3-349.2)
Other/Unknown	245	225	7	13	0	8,304

* Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

Note: The “---” is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. Caution should be used when comparing rates for racial/ethnic groups to the National (SEER) rates. See Technical Notes for more information.

Table 22. All Cancers Cases by Age Group and County/Region of Residence at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents (1997-2001) and SEER-11 (1997-2001)

Category	County/Region of Residence					SEER 11 (1997-2001)
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown	
Total						
Cases	40,863	27,522	7,239	6,080	22	816,901
Rate*	419.6	413.1	431.3	435.1	---	441.1
95% C.I.	(415.6-423.7)	(408.2-418.0)	(421.3-441.2)	(424.1-446.0)	---	(440.2-442.1)
Age Group						
<1	31	20	5	6	0	632
Rate*	21.3	19.5	---	---	---	22.8
95% C.I.	(13.8-28.9)	(10.9-28.0)	---	---	---	(21.0-24.6)
1-4	103	77	11	15	0	2,214
Rate*	18.2	19.3	11.6	20.5	---	19.9
95% C.I.	(14.6-21.7)	(15.0-23.6)	(4.8-18.5)	(10.1-30.9)	---	(19.0-20.7)
5-14	158	98	34	25	1	3,418
Rate*	11.4	10.4	14.8	11.9	---	12.8
95% C.I.	(9.7-13.2)	(8.3-12.5)	(9.8-19.8)	(7.3-16.6)	---	(12.3-13.2)
15-24	287	191	51	43	2	6,889
Rate*	21.4	20.6	22.2	23.0	---	26.7
95% C.I.	(18.9-23.8)	(17.7-23.5)	(16.1-28.3)	(16.2-29.9)	---	(26.0-27.3)
25-34	863	621	142	98	2	19,627
Rate*	58.5	58.4	55.7	62.3	---	67.1
95% C.I.	(54.6-62.4)	(53.8-63.0)	(46.5-64.9)	(50.0-74.7)	---	(66.1-68.0)
35-44	2,262	1,527	456	277	2	51,196
Rate*	145.3	145.9	161.0	122.4	---	163.8
95% C.I.	(139.3-151.3)	(138.6-153.2)	(146.2-175.7)	(107.9-136.8)	---	(162.4-165.3)
45-54	5,302	3,571	990	739	2	108,163
Rate*	413.0	421.8	418.7	368.0	---	472.6
95% C.I.	(401.9-424.1)	(408.0-435.7)	(392.6-444.8)	(341.5-394.6)	---	(469.8-475.4)
55-64	9,176	6,297	1,547	1,328	4	160,682
Rate*	1,001.6	1,013.1	1,030.5	919.1	---	1,147.6
95% C.I.	(981.1-1,022.1)	(988.1-1,038.2)	(979.2-1,081.9)	(869.7-968.5)	---	(1,142.0-1,153.2)
65-74	12,497	8,385	2,171	1,938	3	220,368
Rate*	1,945.9	1,938.7	2,117.7	1,807.8	---	1,910.1
95% C.I.	(1,911.7-1,980.0)	(1,897.2-1,980.1)	(2,028.6-2,206.8)	(1,727.3-1,888.3)	---	(1,902.1-1,918.1)
75-84	8,237	5,506	1,433	1,292	6	184,028
Rate*	2,344.8	2,357.5	2,478.0	2,156.8	---	2,531.8
95% C.I.	(2,294.2-2,395.5)	(2,295.3-2,419.8)	(2,349.7-2,606.3)	(2,039.2-2,274.4)	---	(2,520.3-2,543.4)
85+	1,905	1,215	376	314	0	59,684
Rate*	2,498.8	2,601.9	2,424.4	2,237.9	---	2,406.5
95% C.I.	(2,386.6-2,611.0)	(2,455.6-2,748.2)	(2,179.3-2,669.4)	(1,990.3-2,485.4)	---	(2,387.2-2,425.8)
Unknown	42	14	23	5	0	0

*Rates are per 100,000 age-specific population.

Note: The “---” is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten and SEER numbers less than five. See Technical Notes for more information.

Table 23. All Cancers Cases by County of Residence at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

County of Residence at Diagnosis	1997-2001 Incidence				
	Cases	Rate*		Age-Adjusted Rate**	
		Rate	95% C.I.	Rate	95% C.I.
Carson City	1,585	636.3	(605.0-667.6)	552.7	(525.7-581.0)
Churchill	647	536.4	(495.1-577.8)	562.5	(519.7-608.3)
Clark	27,522	413.1	(408.2-418.0)	456.9	(451.4-462.5)
Douglas	885	431.8	(403.3-460.2)	365.9	(341.2-392.2)
Elko	397	171.6	(154.7-188.4)	305.0	(272.6-340.8)
Esmeralda	22	415.9	(242.1-589.7)	354.3	(213.8-587.8)
Eureka	20	234.2	(131.6-336.9)	228.1	(137.9-385.2)
Humboldt	214	254.9	(220.8-289.1)	339.9	(293.7-392.5)
Lander	80	255.9	(199.8-312.0)	353.4	(275.6-449.0)
Lincoln	67	330.8	(251.6-410.0)	265.6	(205.1-345.0)
Lyon	910	535.0	(500.3-569.8)	466.6	(436.3-498.8)
Mineral	157	594.9	(501.9-688.0)	450.6	(381.3-532.5)
Nye	864	549.7	(513.0-586.4)	398.8	(371.0-428.7)
Pershing	85	298.8	(235.3-362.3)	343.8	(273.9-427.8)
Storey	46	255.8	(181.9-329.7)	223.2	(156.0-329.1)
Washoe	7,239	431.3	(421.3-441.2)	476.3	(465.3-487.6)
White Pine	101	240.4	(193.5-287.3)	203.1	(165.2-248.8)
Unknown	22	---	---	---	---
Total	40,863	419.6	(415.6-423.7)	453.4	(448.9-457.9)

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Table 24. All Cancers Cases by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Race/Ethnicity		Gender			
		Male	Female	Other/Unknown	Total
White	Incidence	18,597	17,479	0	36,076
	Rate*	527.7	465.1	---	490.1
	95% C.I.	(519.7-535.7)	(458.2-472.1)	---	(485.0-495.3)
Black	Incidence	1,047	941	0	1,988
	Rate*	519.6	406.3	---	458.2
	95% C.I.	(484.7-557.7)	(379.6-434.6)	---	(436.9-480.6)
Native American	Incidence	98	87	0	185
	Rate*	235.1	167.1	---	194.6
	95% C.I.	(186.1-298.2)	(132.5-208.9)	---	(166.1-227.5)
Asian	Incidence	389	489	0	878
	Rate*	264.8	222.9	---	240.9
	95% C.I.	(232.7-302.6)	(198.7-251.2)	---	(221.2-262.9)
Hispanic	Incidence	795	696	0	1,491
	Rate*	282.0	187.8	---	226.3
	95% C.I.	(256.9-310.0)	(171.9-205.2)	---	(212.6-241.0)
Other/Unknown		116	129	0	245
Total	Incidence	21,042	19,821	0	40,863
	Rate*	496.7	423.0	---	453.4
	95% C.I.	(489.6-503.9)	(417.1-429.0)	---	(448.9-457.9)

Note: The "----" is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. *Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to the 2001 US Standard population.

Table 25. All Cancers Cases by Age Group and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Age Group	Gender			
	Male	Female	Other/ Unknown	Total
<1	20	11	0	31
Rate*	26.9	15.5	---	21.3
95% C.I.	(15.1-38.8)	(6.3-24.6)	---	(13.8-28.9)
1-4	59	44	0	103
Rate*	20.4	15.8	---	18.2
95% C.I.	(15.2-25.6)	(11.2-20.5)	---	(14.6-21.7)
5-14	90	68	0	158
Rate*	12.7	10.2	---	11.4
95% C.I.	(10.0-15.3)	(7.7-12.6)	---	(9.7-13.2)
15-24	145	142	0	287
Rate*	20.8	21.9	---	21.4
95% C.I.	(17.4-24.2)	(18.3-25.6)	---	(18.9-23.8)
25-34	327	536	0	863
Rate*	42.6	75.8	---	58.5
95% C.I.	(38.0-47.2)	(69.4-82.2)	---	(54.6-62.4)
35-44	733	1,529	0	2,262
Rate*	91.0	203.6	---	145.3
95% C.I.	(84.4-97.6)	(193.4-213.8)	---	(139.3-151.3)
45-54	2,230	3,072	0	5,302
Rate*	343.0	484.8	---	413.0
95% C.I.	(328.8-357.3)	(467.6-501.9)	---	(401.9-424.1)
55-64	4,967	4,209	0	9,176
Rate*	1,091.7	912.7	---	1,001.6
95% C.I.	(1,061.3-1,122.1)	(885.1-940.2)	---	(981.1-1,022.1)
65-74	7,239	5,258	0	12,497
Rate*	2,283.9	1,616.4	---	1,945.9
95% C.I.	(2,231.3-2,336.5)	(1,572.7-1,660.1)	---	(1,911.7-1,980.0)
75-84	4,341	3,896	0	8,237
Rate*	2,738.3	2,021.2	---	2,344.8
95% C.I.	(2,656.9-2,819.8)	(1,957.8-2,084.7)	---	(2,294.2-2,395.5)
85+	864	1,041	0	1,905
Rate*	3,491.4	2,021.8	---	2,498.8
95% C.I.	(3,258.5-3,724.2)	(1,898.9-2,144.6)	---	(2,386.6-2,611.0)
Unknown	27	15	0	42
Total	21,042	19,821	0	40,863
Rate*	425.1	414.0	---	419.6
95% C.I.	(419.3-430.8)	(408.2-419.8)	---	(415.6-423.7)

Rates are per 100,000 age-specific population.

Note: The "----" is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten.

Table 26. All Cancers Cases by Age Group and Stage, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Age Group		Stage					Total
		In situ	Localized	Regional	Distant	Unstaged	
<1	Number	0	8	1	12	10	31
	Percent	---	25.8%	3.2%	38.7%	32.3%	100.0%
1-4	Number	0	23	2	62	16	103
	Percent	---	22.3%	1.9%	60.2%	15.5%	100.0%
5-14	Number	0	44	11	71	32	158
	Percent	---	27.8%	7.0%	44.9%	20.3%	100.0%
15-24	Number	2	128	43	75	39	287
	Percent	0.7%	44.6%	15.0%	26.1%	13.6%	100.0%
25-34	Number	15	423	165	132	128	863
	Percent	1.7%	49.0%	19.1%	15.3%	14.8%	100.0%
35-44	Number	99	1,024	495	343	301	2,262
	Percent	4.4%	45.3%	21.9%	15.2%	13.3%	100.0%
45-54	Number	343	2,110	1,052	928	869	5,302
	Percent	6.5%	39.8%	19.8%	17.5%	16.4%	100.0%
55-64	Number	354	3,544	1,836	1,764	1,678	9,176
	Percent	3.9%	38.6%	20.0%	19.2%	18.3%	100.0%
65-74	Number	441	4,845	2,222	2,377	2,612	12,497
	Percent	3.5%	38.8%	17.8%	19.0%	20.9%	100.0%
75-84	Number	261	2,816	1,301	1,588	2,271	8,237
	Percent	3.2%	34.2%	15.8%	19.3%	27.6%	100.0%
85+	Number	44	522	281	325	733	1,905
	Percent	2.3%	27.4%	14.8%	17.1%	38.5%	100.0%
Unknown	Number	1	16	11	11	3	42
	Percent	2.4%	38.1%	26.2%	26.2%	7.1%	100.0%
Total	Number	1,560	15,503	7,420	7,688	8,692	40,863
	Percent	3.8%	37.9%	18.2%	18.8%	21.3%	100.0%

Table 27. Cancer Incidence by Stage and Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Stage		Race/Ethnicity						Total
		White	Black	Native American	Asian	Hispanic	Other/Unknown	
In situ	Number	1,391	55	4	37	57	16	1,560
	Percent	3.9%	2.8%	2.2%	4.2%	3.8%	6.5%	3.8%
Localized	Number	13,756	704	57	296	573	117	15,503
	Percent	38.1%	35.4%	30.8%	33.7%	38.4%	47.8%	37.9%
Regional	Number	6,519	393	34	193	234	47	7,420
	Percent	18.1%	19.8%	18.4%	22.0%	15.7%	19.2%	18.2%
Distant	Number	6,736	395	41	180	315	21	7,688
	Percent	18.7%	19.9%	22.2%	20.5%	21.1%	8.6%	18.8%
Unstaged	Number	7,674	441	49	172	312	44	8,692
	Percent	21.3%	22.2%	26.5%	19.6%	20.9%	18.0%	21.3%
Total	Number	36,076	1,988	185	878	1,491	245	40,863
	Percent	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

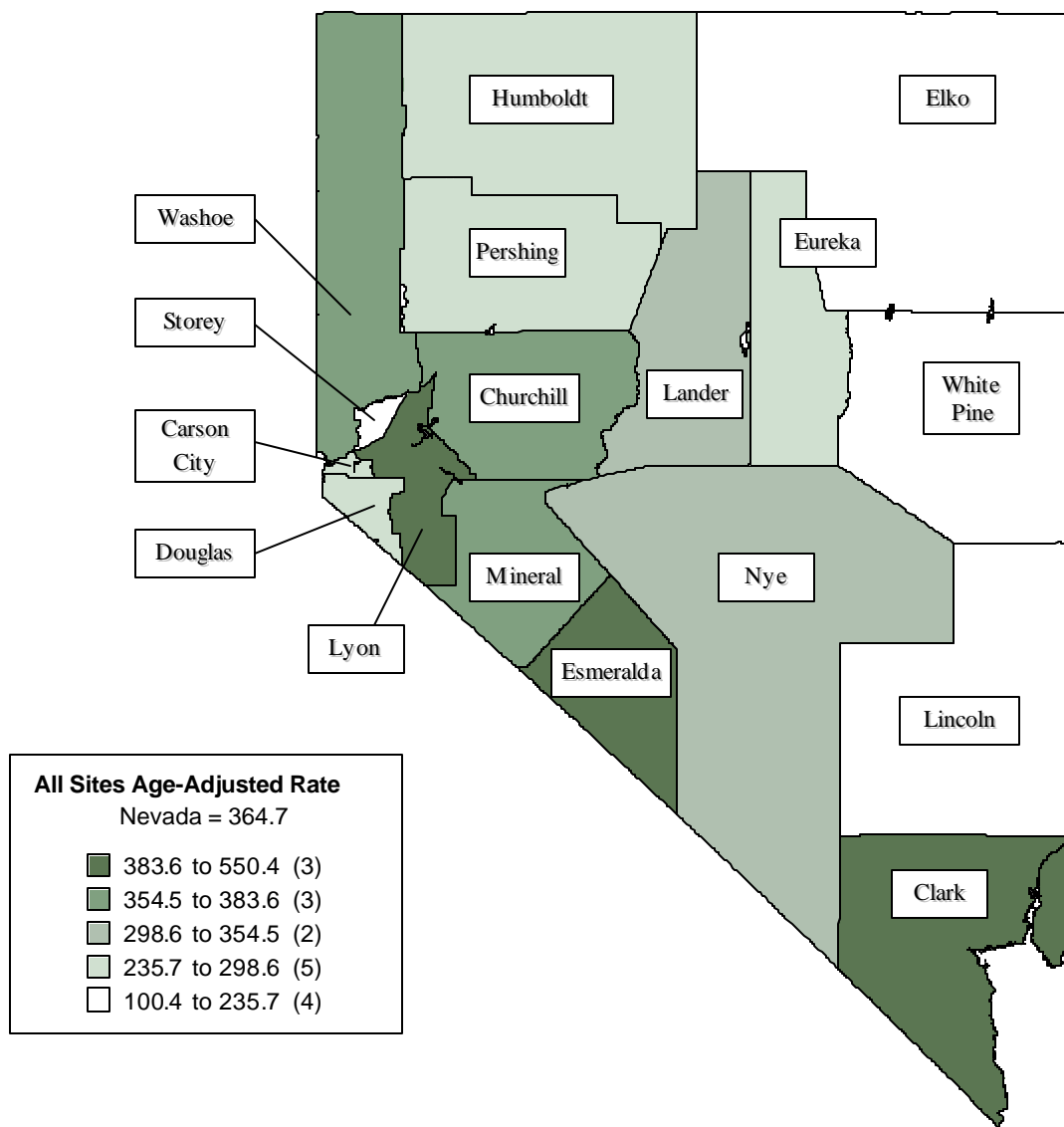
Table 28. Median Age at Diagnosis of All Cancers by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Race/Ethnicity	Gender					
	Male		Female		Total	
	Incidence	Median Age	Incidence	Median Age	Incidence	Median Age
White	18,572	68.0	17,467	66.0	36,039	67.0
Black	1,046	65.0	938	63.0	1,984	64.0
Native American	98	65.5	87	63.0	185	65.0
Asian	389	65.0	489	59.0	878	62.0
Hispanic	794	63.0	696	57.0	1,490	61.0
Other/Unknown	116	64.0	129	60.0	245	62.0
Total	21,015	67.0	19,806	65.0	40,821	66.0

Note: Those cases of other/unknown gender and/or unknown ages are not included in this table. The median age was not calculated for those numbers less than five.

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Figure 27. All Cancers Age-Adjusted (2001) Inpatient Discharge Rates, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001



Note: Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to 2000 US Standard population. Caution should be used when interpreting rates based upon small numbers and comparing inpatient hospital discharge rates to other data sources, because it is occurrence based data. See Technical notes for more information.

Figure 28. All Cancers Age-Adjusted Inpatient Discharge Rates by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

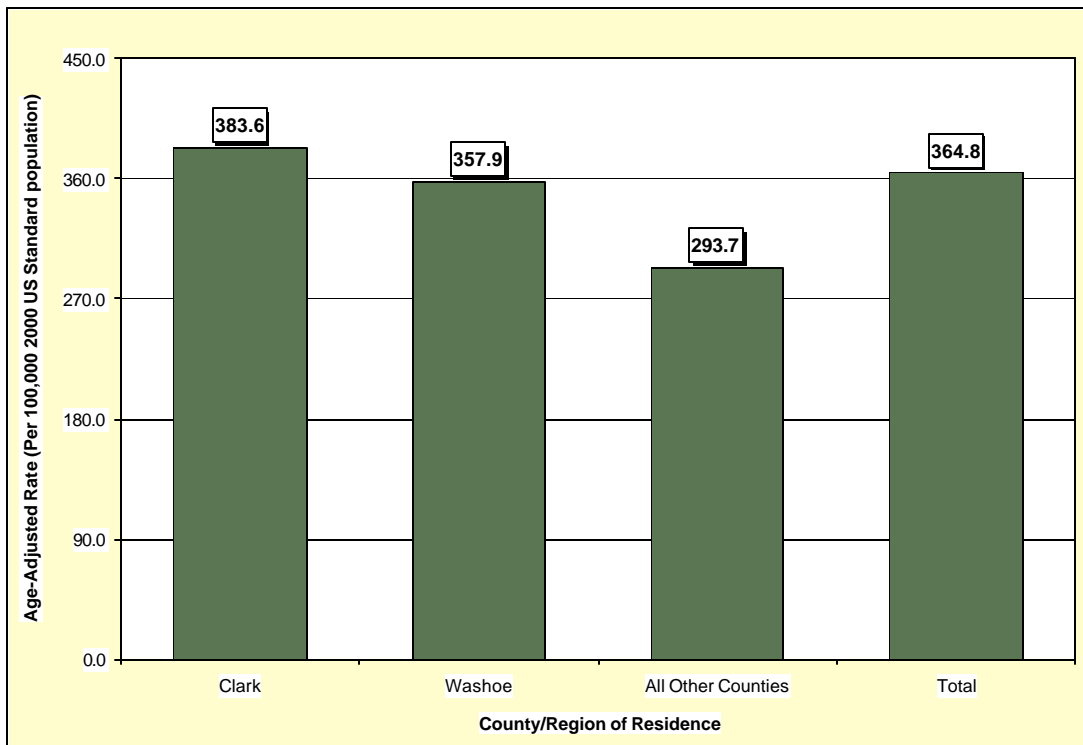


Figure 29. Median Charges for All Cancer Inpatient Discharges by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

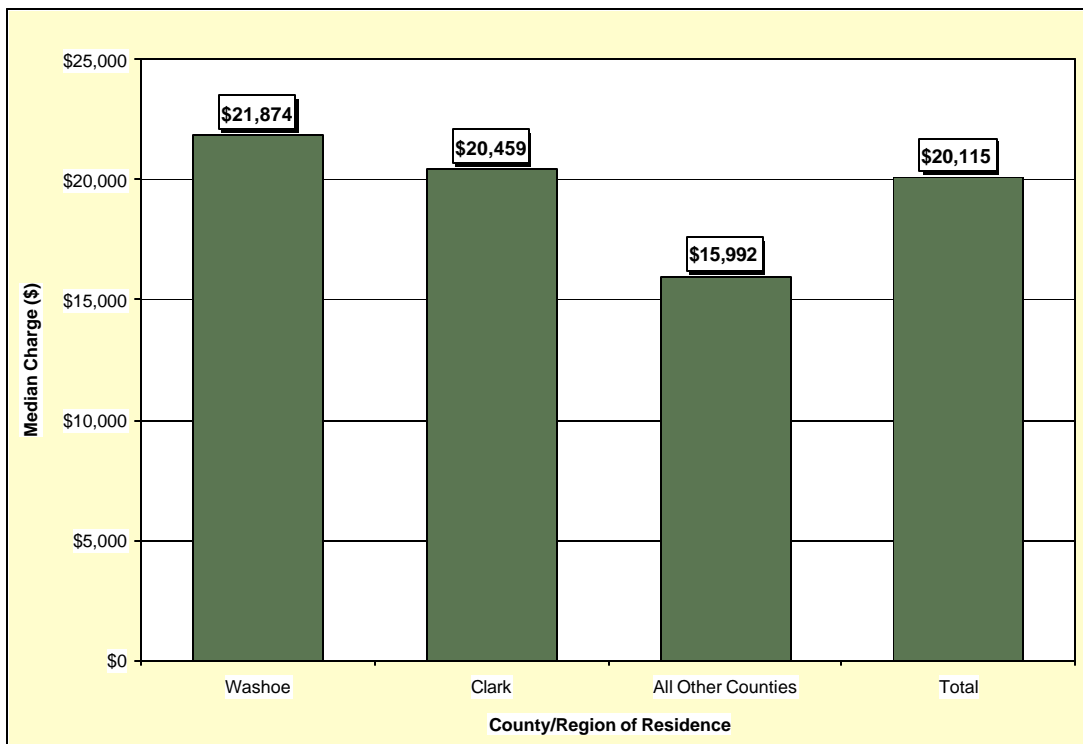


Figure 30. Average Length of Stay for All Cancer Inpatient Discharges by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

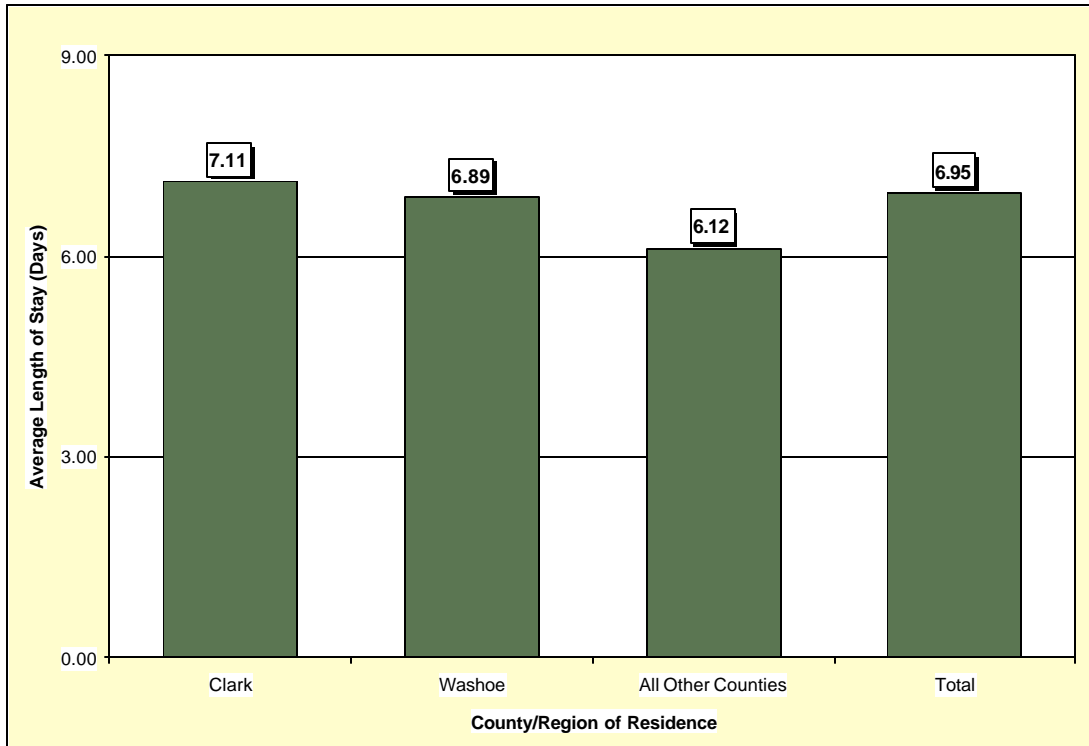


Table 29. All Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Gender, Charges, Length of Stay, and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Category	County/Region of Residence				
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown
Total					
Discharges	33,235	23,445	5,453	4,325	12
Rate*	364.8	383.6	357.9	293.7	---
95% C.I.	(360.8-368.8)	(378.6-388.7)	(348.4-367.7)	(284.9-302.8)	---
Gender					
Male	16,125	11,406	2,451	2,260	8
Rate*	372.8	395.3	343.5	314.0	---
95% C.I.	(366.7-379.0)	(387.6-403.3)	(329.4-358.3)	(300.7-327.9)	---
Female	17,110	12,039	3,002	2,065	4
Rate*	363.4	380.8	374.8	276.7	---
95% C.I.	(357.9-368.9)	(373.9-387.7)	(361.4-388.5)	(264.8-289.0)	---
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0	0
Inpatient Discharge Charges (\$)					
Total Charges	\$1,013,692,130	\$158,970,196	\$158,970,196	\$107,192,310	\$981,706
Average Charges	\$30,501	\$31,843	\$29,153	\$24,784	\$81,809
Median Charges	\$20,115	\$20,459	\$21,874	\$15,992	\$27,389
Discharge Length of Stay (LOS) (Days)					
Total LOS	230,939	166,768	37,545	26,467	159
Average LOS	6.9	7.1	6.9	6.1	13.3
Median LOS	5.0	5.0	5.0	4.0	7.0

* Rates are per 100,000 population and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

Note: The "----" is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. Caution should be used when comparing inpatient hospital discharge data to other data sources, since it is occurrence-based data. Please see Technical Notes for more information.

Table 30. Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Age Group and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Category	County/Region of Residence				
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown
Total					
Discharges	33,235	23,445	5,453	4,325	12
Rate*	341.3	351.9	324.9	309.5	---
95% C.I.	(337.6-345.0)	(347.4-356.4)	(316.2-333.5)	(300.3-318.7)	---
Age Group					
<1	29	25	0	4	0
Rate*	20.0	24.3	---	---	---
95% C.I.	(12.7-27.2)	(14.8-33.9)	---	---	---
1-4	146	128	4	14	0
Rate*	25.7	32.0	---	14.8	---
95% C.I.	(21.6-29.9)	(26.5-37.6)	---	(7.0-22.6)	---
5-14	275	244	18	13	0
Rate*	19.9	25.9	7.8	5.7	---
95% C.I.	(17.6-22.3)	(22.7-29.2)	(4.2-11.5)	(2.6-8.7)	---
15-24	291	221	42	28	0
Rate*	21.7	23.8	18.3	12.2	---
95% C.I.	(19.2-24.1)	(20.7-27.0)	(12.8-23.8)	(7.7-16.7)	---
25-34	803	629	107	67	0
Rate*	54.4	59.2	42.0	26.3	---
95% C.I.	(50.7-58.2)	(54.6-63.8)	(34.0-49.9)	(20.0-32.6)	---
35-44	2,054	1,504	339	210	1
Rate*	132.0	143.7	119.7	74.1	---
95% C.I.	(126.3-137.7)	(136.4-151.0)	(106.9-132.4)	(64.1-84.1)	---
45-54	4,463	3,214	735	513	1
Rate*	347.6	379.7	310.8	216.9	---
95% C.I.	(337.4-357.8)	(366.5-392.8)	(288.4-333.3)	(198.2-235.7)	---
55-64	7,852	5,621	1,230	997	4
Rate*	857.1	904.4	819.3	664.1	---
95% C.I.	(838.1-876.0)	(880.7-928.0)	(773.6-865.1)	(622.9-705.4)	---
65-74	9,814	6,736	1,633	1,441	4
Rate*	1,528.1	1,557.4	1,592.9	1,405.6	---
95% C.I.	(1,497.9-1,558.3)	(1,520.2-1,594.6)	(1,515.7-1,670.2)	(1,333.0-1,478.2)	---
75-84	6,197	4,286	1,078	831	2
Rate*	1,764.1	1,835.2	1,864.1	1,437.0	---
95% C.I.	(1,720.2-1,808.0)	(1,780.2-1,890.1)	(1,752.8-1,975.4)	(1,339.3-1,534.7)	---
85+	1,311	837	267	207	0
Rate*	1,719.6	1,792.4	1,721.6	1,334.7	---
95% C.I.	(1,626.6-1,812.7)	(1,671.0-1,913.9)	(1,515.1-1,928.1)	(1,152.9-1,516.5)	---
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0

* Rates are per 100,000 age-specific population.

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Table 31. All Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Age Group and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Age Group	Gender		
	Male	Female	Total
<1	13	16	29
Rate*	17.5	22.5	20.0
95% C.I.	(8.0-27.0)	(11.5-33.6)	(12.7-27.2)
1-4	85	61	146
Rate*	29.3	22.0	25.7
95% C.I.	(23.1-35.6)	(16.5-27.5)	(21.6-29.9)
5-14	135	140	275
Rate*	19.0	20.9	19.9
95% C.I.	(15.8-22.2)	(17.5-24.4)	(17.6-22.3)
15-24	135	156	291
Rate*	19.4	24.1	21.7
95% C.I.	(16.1-22.6)	(20.3-27.9)	(19.2-24.1)
25-34	261	542	803
Rate*	34.0	76.6	54.4
95% C.I.	(29.9-38.1)	(70.2-83.1)	(50.7-58.2)
35-44	637	1,417	2,054
Rate*	79.1	188.7	132.0
95% C.I.	(72.9-85.2)	(178.9-198.5)	(126.3-137.7)
45-54	1,886	2,577	4,463
Rate*	290.1	406.7	347.6
95% C.I.	(277.0-303.2)	(391.0-422.4)	(337.4-357.8)
55-64	4,180	3,672	7,852
Rate*	918.7	796.2	857.1
95% C.I.	(890.9-946.6)	(770.5-822.0)	(838.1-876.0)
65-74	5,280	4,534	9,814
Rate*	1,665.9	1,393.9	1,528.1
95% C.I.	(1,620.9-1,710.8)	(1,353.3-1,434.4)	(1,497.9-1,558.3)
75-84	2,950	3,247	6,197
Rate*	1,860.9	1,684.5	1,764.1
95% C.I.	(1,793.7-1,928.0)	(1,626.6-1,742.5)	(1,720.2-1,808.0)
85+	563	748	1,311
Rate*	2,275.0	1,452.7	1,719.6
95% C.I.	(2,087.1-2,463.0)	(1,348.6-1,556.8)	(1,626.6-1,812.7)
Unknown	0	0	0
Total	16,125	17,110	33,235
Rate*	325.7	357.4	341.3
95% C.I.	(320.7-330.8)	(352.0-362.7)	(337.6-345.0)

* Rates are per 100,000 age-specific population.

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Table 32. All Cancer Inpatient Discharges by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

County of Residence	1997-2001 Inpatient Hospital Discharges				
	Number	Rate*		Age-Adjusted Rate**	
		Rate	95% C.I.	Rate	95% C.I.
Carson City	732	293.9	(272.6-315.2)	254.0	(235.8-273.3)
Churchill	423	350.7	(317.3-384.1)	366.2	(331.9-403.5)
Clark	23,445	351.9	(347.4-356.4)	383.6	(378.6-388.7)
Douglas	575	280.5	(257.6-303.5)	235.7	(216.1-257.1)
Elko	252	108.9	(95.5-122.4)	198.9	(172.6-228.6)
Esmeralda	36	680.6	(458.3-902.9)	550.4	(378.3-809.3)
Eureka	19	222.5	(122.5-322.6)	247.1	(146.5-416.6)
Humboldt	191	227.5	(195.2-259.8)	298.6	(255.8-347.7)
Lander	79	252.7	(197.0-308.4)	348.1	(271.1-442.8)
Lincoln	48	237.0	(169.9-304.0)	197.8	(144.9-270.3)
Lyon	933	548.6	(513.4-583.8)	482.3	(451.3-515.2)
Mineral	123	466.1	(383.7-548.5)	354.5	(293.2-428.6)
Nye	731	465.1	(431.4-498.8)	338.4	(312.8-366.1)
Pershing	66	232.0	(176.0-288.0)	261.9	(201.9-336.0)
Storey	18	100.1	(53.9-146.3)	100.5	(53.3-192.1)
Washoe	5,453	324.9	(316.2-333.5)	357.9	(348.4-367.7)
White Pine	99	235.6	(189.2-282.1)	199.0	(161.4-244.3)
Unknown	12	---	---	---	---
Total	33,235	341.3	(337.6-345.0)	364.8	(360.8-368.8)

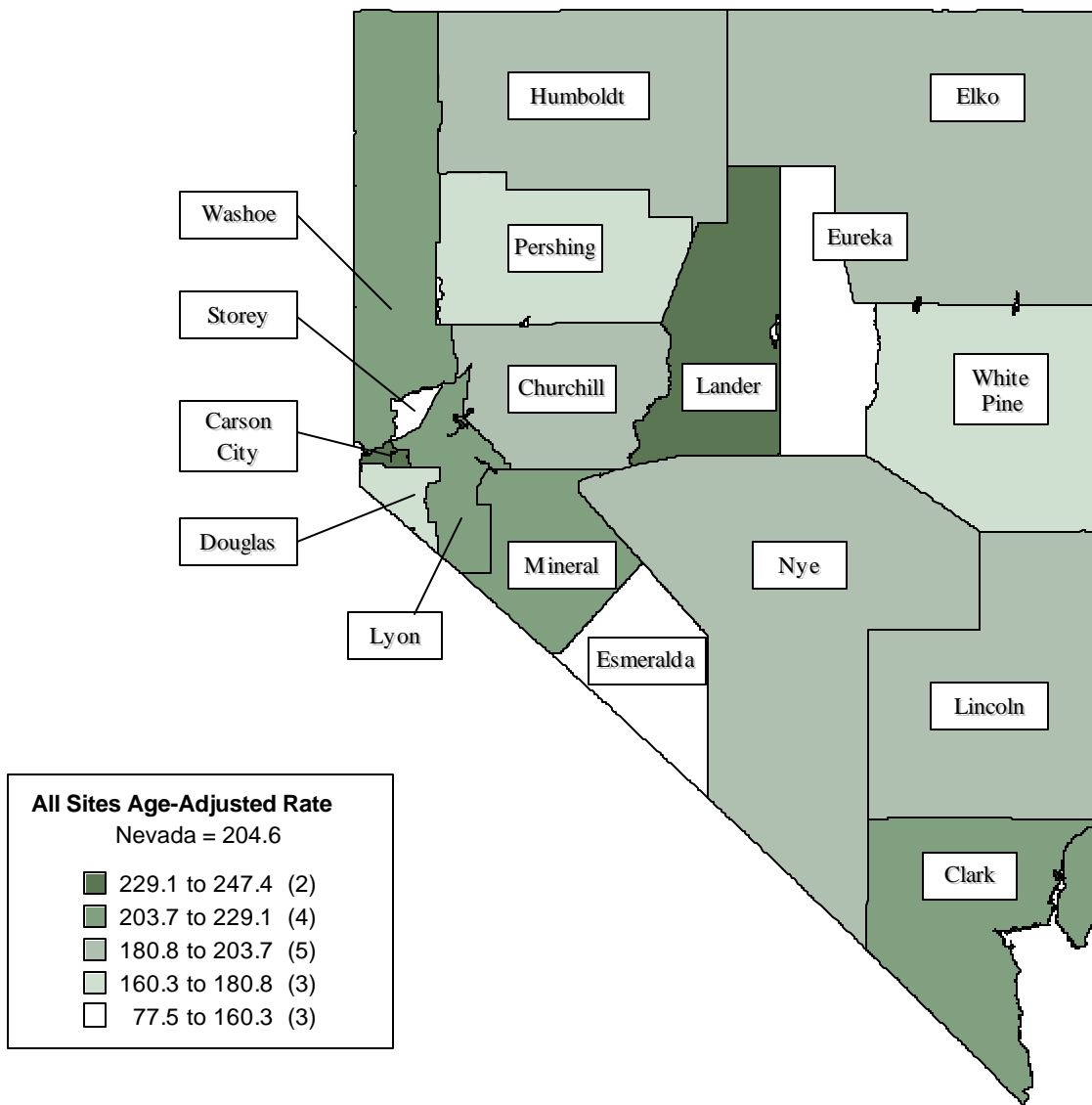
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Table 33. All Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Age Group, Charges and Length of Stay, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Age Group	Discharges	Charges (\$)			Length of Stay (Days)		
		Total	Average	Median	Total	Average	Median
<1	29	1,310,808	45,200	27,798	310	10.7	7.0
1-4	146	8,468,166	58,001	36,331	1,910	13.1	8.0
5-14	275	12,487,109	45,408	26,233	2,337	8.5	5.0
15-24	291	12,797,626	43,978	23,263	2,443	8.4	4.0
25-34	803	25,114,033	31,275	16,863	4,984	6.2	3.0
35-44	2,054	55,359,959	26,952	17,031	12,074	5.9	4.0
45-54	4,463	130,343,963	29,205	19,924	28,969	6.5	4.0
55-64	7,852	252,357,910	32,139	20,877	55,710	7.1	5.0
65-74	9,814	297,081,590	30,271	20,744	67,271	6.9	5.0
75-84	6,197	185,090,653	29,868	19,851	45,491	7.3	6.0
85+	1,311	33,280,313	25,385	17,148	9,440	7.2	6.0
Unknown	0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total	33,235	4,294,945	32,109	28,726	146	32,109.0	7.0

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Figure 31. Cancer Age-Adjusted (2001) Mortality Rates, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001



Note: Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to 2000 US Standard population. Caution should be used when interpreting rates based upon small numbers. See Technical notes for more information.

Figure 32. Cancer Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

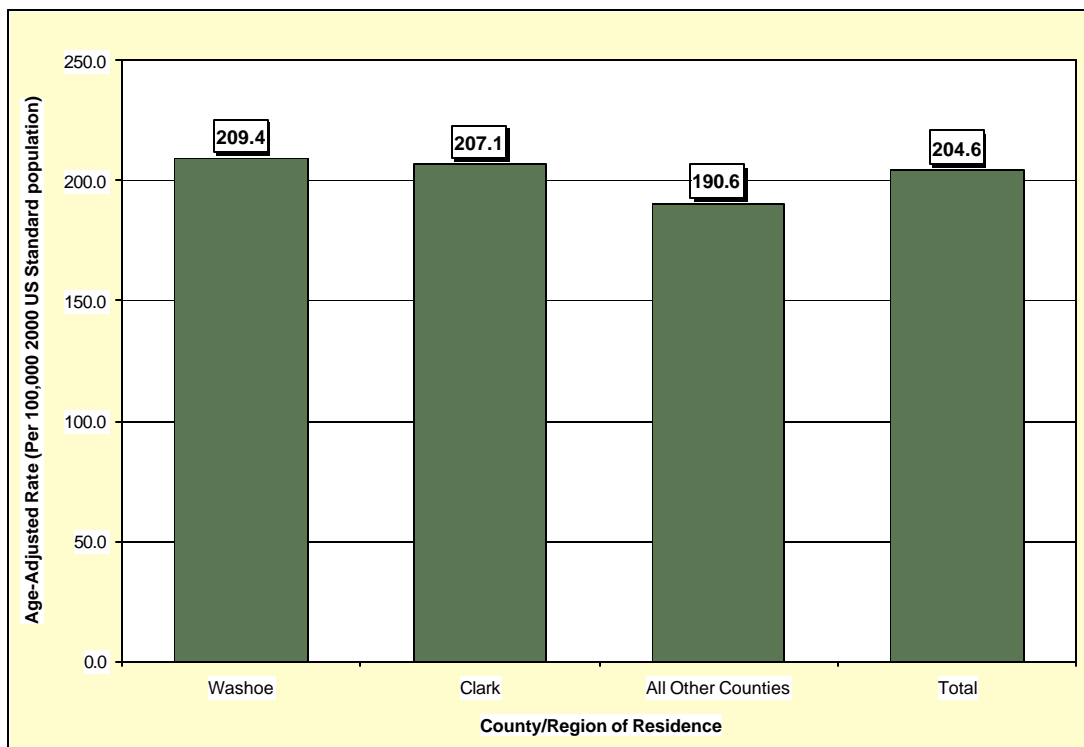


Figure 33. Cancer Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates by Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

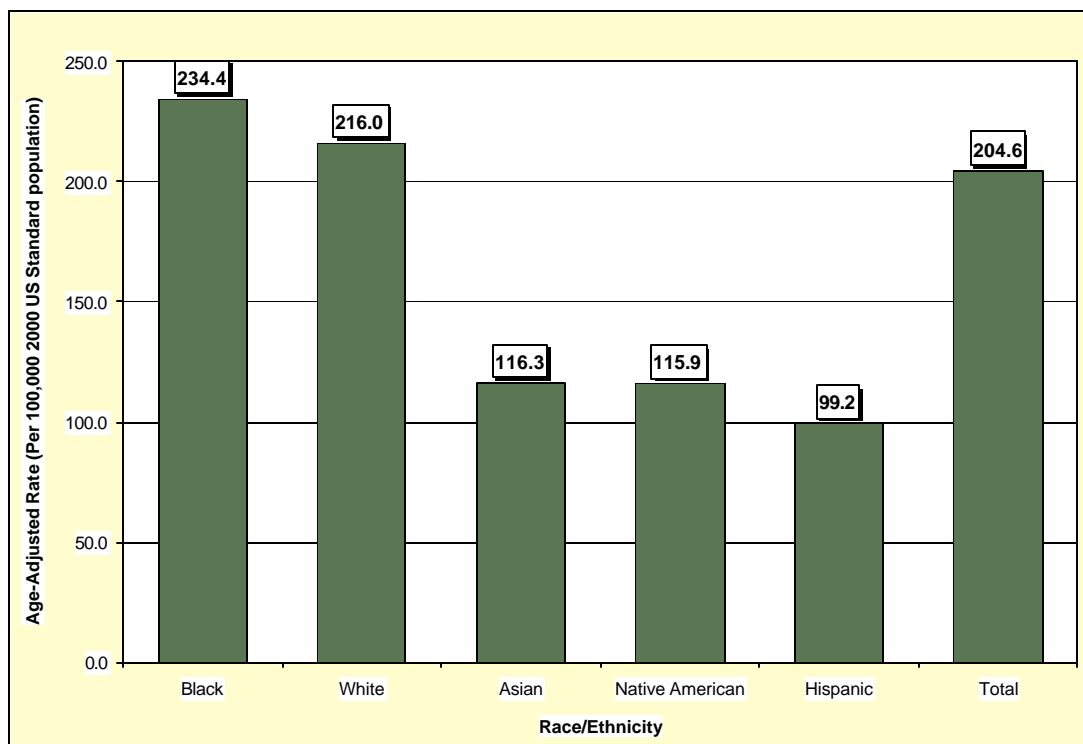


Table 34. All Cancers Mortality by Gender, Race/Ethnicity and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Category	County/Region of Residence			
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties
Total				
Mortality	17,459	11,761	3,005	2,693
Rate*	204.6	207.1	209.4	190.6
95% C.I.	(201.5-207.8)	(203.2-211.0)	(201.8-217.2)	(183.3-198.1)
Gender				
Male	9,476	6,383	1,571	1,522
Rate*	242.9	246.2	246.1	228.3
95% C.I.	(237.6-248.3)	(239.5-253.1)	(233.3-259.5)	(216.4-240.9)
Female	7,983	5,378	1,434	1,171
Rate*	175.8	178.0	183.9	158.9
95% C.I.	(172.0-179.8)	(173.2-182.9)	(174.4-193.7)	(149.8-168.3)
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0
Race/Ethnicity				
White	15,447	10,113	2,770	2,564
Rate*	216.0	221.0	218.6	197.2
95% C.I.	(212.6-219.6)	(216.6-225.5)	(210.4-227.0)	(189.5-205.2)
Black	937	876	51	10
Rate*	234.4	237.7	230.9	130.6
95% C.I.	(218.5-251.4)	(220.9-255.8)	(170.0-308.2)	(62.2-246.2)
Native American	100	30	28	42
Rate*	115.9	82.5	171.7	115.6
95% C.I.	(93.1-143.3)	(53.8-125.6)	(110.4-259.5)	(82.5-159.0)
Asian	385	315	57	13
Rate*	116.3	116.5	120.6	111.8
95% C.I.	(101.8-133.4)	(100.0-136.3)	(86.1-170.2)	(53.3-230.3)
Hispanic	573	416	95	62
Rate*	99.2	93.9	114.4	114.4
95% C.I.	(89.7-109.7)	(83.3-105.9)	(89.2-147.3)	(84.4-153.1)
Other/Unknown	17	11	4	2

Note: The "----" is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. *Rates are per 100,000 population and are age-adjusted to the 2001 US Standard population.

Table 35. All Cancers Mortality by Age Group and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Category	County/Region of Residence			
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties
Total				
Mortality	17,459	11,761	3,005	2,693
Rate*	179.3	176.5	179.0	192.7
95% C.I.	(176.6-181.9)	(173.3-179.7)	(172.6-185.4)	(185.4-200.0)
Age Group				
<1	4	3	0	1
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
1-4	14	9	2	3
Rate*	2.5	---	---	---
95% C.I.	(1.2-3.8)	---	---	---
5-14	31	19	9	3
Rate*	2.2	2.0	---	---
95% C.I.	(1.5-3.0)	(1.1-2.9)	---	---
15-24	40	27	6	7
Rate*	3.0	2.9	---	---
95% C.I.	(2.1-3.9)	(1.8-4.0)	---	---
25-34	110	88	13	9
Rate*	7.5	8.3	5.1	---
95% C.I.	(6.1-8.9)	(6.5-10.0)	(2.3-7.9)	---
35-44	498	357	86	55
Rate*	32.0	34.1	30.4	24.3
95% C.I.	(29.2-34.8)	(30.6-37.6)	(23.9-36.8)	(17.9-30.7)
45-54	1,543	1,101	247	195
Rate*	120.2	130.1	104.5	97.1
95% C.I.	(114.2-126.2)	(122.4-137.7)	(91.4-117.5)	(83.5-110.7)
55-64	3,345	2,276	549	520
Rate*	365.1	366.2	365.7	359.9
95% C.I.	(352.7-377.5)	(351.1-381.2)	(335.1-396.3)	(328.9-390.8)
65-74	5,512	3,690	952	870
Rate*	858.2	853.1	928.6	811.5
95% C.I.	(835.6-880.9)	(825.6-880.7)	(869.6-987.6)	(757.6-865.5)
75-84	4,836	3,245	832	759
Rate*	1,376.7	1,389.4	1,438.7	1,267.0
95% C.I.	(1,337.9-1,415.5)	(1,341.6-1,437.2)	(1,340.9-1,536.5)	(1,176.9-1,357.2)
85+	1,524	945	308	271
Rate*	1,999.0	2,023.7	1,985.9	1,931.4
95% C.I.	(1,898.7-2,099.4)	(1,894.7-2,152.7)	(1,764.1-2,207.7)	(1,701.4-2,161.4)
Unknown	2	1	1	0

Note: The “---“ is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. * Rates are per 100,000 age-specific population.

Table 36. Cancer Mortality by County of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

County of Residence	1997-2001 Mortality				
	Cases	Rate*		Age-Adjusted Rate**	
		Rate	95% C.I.	Rate	95% C.I.
Carson City	667	267.8	(247.4-288.1)	229.2	(212.0-247.5)
Churchill	203	168.3	(145.2-191.5)	180.8	(156.6-208.2)
Clark	11,761	176.5	(173.3-179.7)	207.1	(203.2-211.0)
Douglas	374	182.5	(164.0-201.0)	160.9	(144.2-179.4)
Elko	214	92.5	(80.1-104.9)	187.1	(160.6-217.1)
Esmeralda	9	---	---	---	---
Eureka	7	---	---	---	---
Humboldt	110	131.0	(106.5-155.5)	195.3	(159.0-238.5)
Lander	51	163.1	(118.4-207.9)	247.4	(180.6-332.9)
Lincoln	48	237.0	(169.9-304.0)	192.4	(141.1-263.0)
Lyon	383	225.2	(202.6-247.7)	203.8	(183.4-226.1)
Mineral	74	280.4	(216.5-344.3)	215.6	(168.4-275.9)
Nye	405	257.7	(232.6-282.8)	190.1	(170.7-211.7)
Pershing	38	133.6	(91.1-176.1)	161.0	(113.4-223.4)
Storey	28	155.7	(98.0-213.4)	139.6	(85.9-234.8)
Washoe	3,005	179.0	(172.6-185.4)	209.4	(201.8-217.2)
White Pine	82	195.2	(152.9-237.4)	160.3	(127.3-201.1)
Unknown	0	---	---	---	---
Total	17,459	179.3	(176.6-181.9)	204.6	(201.5-207.8)

Note: The “---” is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. *Rates are per 100,000 population. **Rates are per 100,000 population and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

Table 37. Cancer Mortality by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Race/Ethnicity	Gender		
	Male	Female	Total
White Mortality	8,400	7,047	15,447
Rate*	254.1	187.2	216.0
95% C.I.	(248.3-260.1)	(182.9-191.7)	(212.6-219.6)
Black Mortality	500	437	937
Rate*	280.8	200.1	234.4
95% C.I.	(252.8-312.3)	(181.0-221.0)	(218.5-251.4)
Native American Mortality	57	43	100
Rate*	158.9	90.3	115.9
95% C.I.	(114.7-218.8)	(64.6-123.5)	(93.1-143.3)
Asian Mortality	186	199	385
Rate*	130.3	105.8	116.3
95% C.I.	(108.1-158.4)	(87.1-129.2)	(101.8-133.4)
Hispanic Mortality	324	249	573
Rate*	128.0	78.3	99.2
95% C.I.	(110.5-148.5)	(67.6-90.7)	(89.7-109.7)
Other/Unknown	9	8	17
Total Mortality	9,476	7,983	17,459
Rate*	242.9	175.8	204.6
95% C.I.	(237.6-248.3)	(172.0-179.8)	(201.5-207.8)

Note: The “---” is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. *Rates are per 100,000 population and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

Table 38. Cancer Mortality by Age Group and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Age Group	Gender		
	Male	Female	Total
<1	3	1	4
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
1-4	7	7	14
Rate*	---	---	2.5
95% C.I.	---	---	(1.2-3.8)
5-14	13	18	31
Rate*	1.8	2.7	2.2
95% C.I.	(0.8-2.8)	(1.4-3.9)	(1.5-3.0)
15-24	22	18	40
Rate*	3.2	2.8	3.0
95% C.I.	(1.8-4.5)	(1.5-4.1)	(2.1-3.9)
25-34	51	59	110
Rate*	6.6	8.3	7.5
95% C.I.	(4.8-8.5)	(6.2-10.5)	(6.1-8.9)
35-44	222	276	498
Rate*	27.6	36.8	32.0
95% C.I.	(23.9-31.2)	(32.4-41.1)	(29.2-34.8)
45-54	733	810	1,543
Rate*	112.8	127.8	120.2
95% C.I.	(104.6-120.9)	(119.0-136.6)	(114.2-126.2)
55-64	1,906	1,439	3,345
Rate*	418.9	312.0	365.1
95% C.I.	(400.1-437.7)	(295.9-328.2)	(352.7-377.5)
65-74	3,194	2,318	5,512
Rate*	1,007.7	712.6	858.2
95% C.I.	(972.8-1,042.7)	(683.6-741.6)	(835.6-880.9)
75-84	2,618	2,218	4,836
Rate*	1,651.4	1,150.7	1,376.7
95% C.I.	(1,588.2-1,714.7)	(1,102.8-1,198.6)	(1,337.9-1,415.5)
85+	705	819	1,524
Rate*	2,848.8	1,590.6	1,999.0
95% C.I.	(2,638.6-3,059.1)	(1,481.7-1,699.5)	(1,898.7-2,099.4)
Unknown	2	0	2
Total	9,476	7,983	17,459
Rate*	191.4	166.7	179.3
95% C.I.	(187.6-195.3)	(163.1-170.4)	(176.6-181.9)

Note: The "----" is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. * Rates are per 100,000 age-specific population.

Table 39. Median Age at Death from All Cancers by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Race/Ethnicity	Gender					
	Male		Female		Total	
	Deaths	Median Age	Deaths	Median Age	Deaths	Median Age
White	8,399	71.0	7,047	71.0	15,446	71.0
Black	499	67.0	437	67.0	936	67.0
Native American	57	68.0	43	68.0	100	68.0
Asian	186	66.0	199	64.0	385	65.0
Hispanic	324	65.0	249	64.0	573	65.0
Other/Unknown	9	61.0	8	69.5	17	64.0
Total	9,474	70.0	7,983	71.0	17,457	71.0

Note: Those deaths of other/unknown gender and/or unknown ages are not included in this table. The median age was not calculated for those numbers less than five.

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Figure 34. Survival Rates for All Cancers by Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

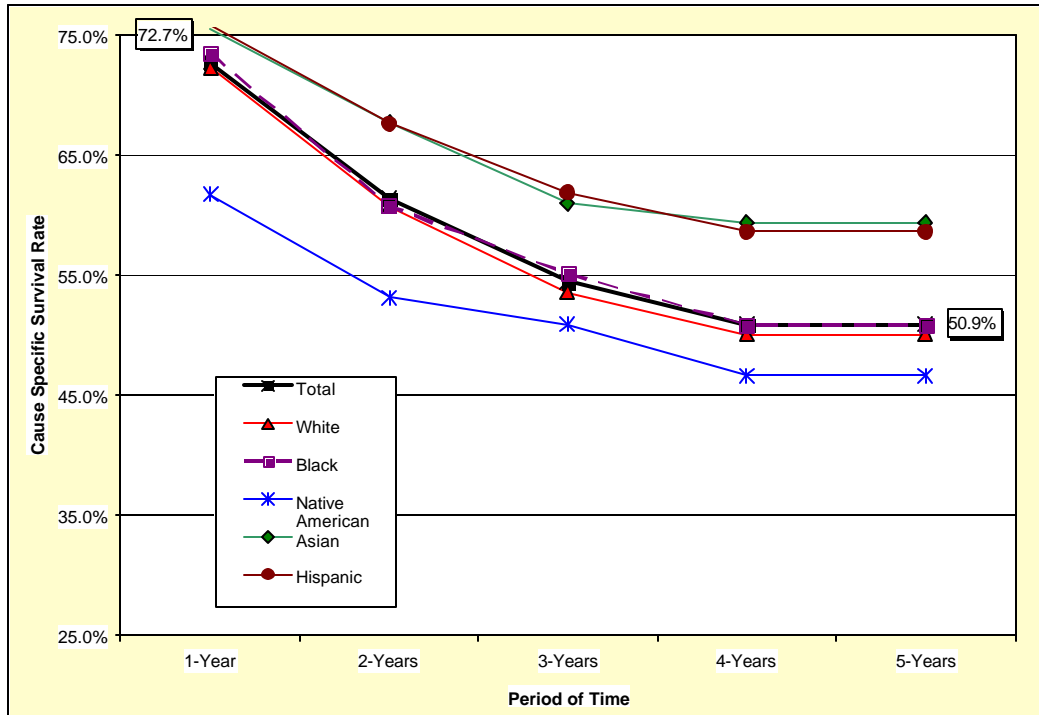


Figure 35. Survival Rates for All Cancers by Stage of Cancer at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

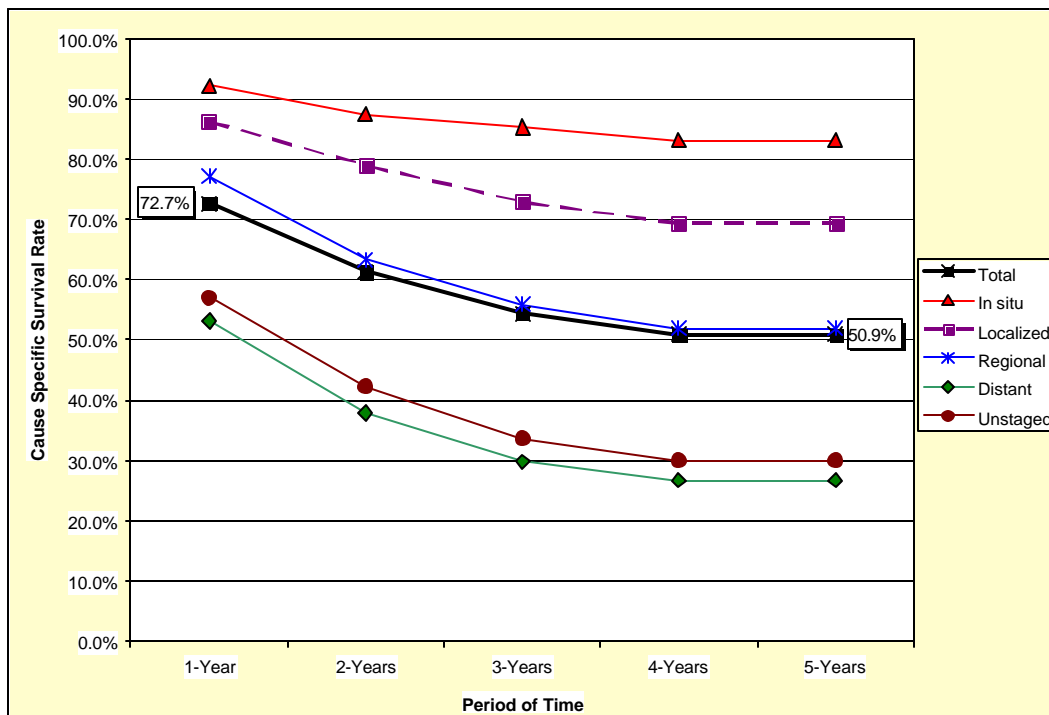


Table 40. Cause-Specific Survival Rates for All Cancers by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Race/ Ethnicity and Gender	Number of Cases	Cause Specific Survival Rate					Median Survival Time (years)
		One Year	Two Years	Three Years	Four Years	Five Years	
Total	31,479	72.7%	61.3%	54.4%	50.9%	50.9%	>5 years
Male	16,164	70.2%	57.8%	51.1%	47.2%	47.2%	3.28
Female	15,315	75.3%	65.0%	57.8%	54.5%	54.5%	>5 years
Race/Ethnicity							
White	27,619	72.3%	60.7%	53.6%	50.0%	50.0%	4.00
Male	14,199	70.0%	57.4%	50.5%	46.5%	46.5%	3.13
Female	13,420	74.7%	64.1%	56.7%	53.5%	53.5%	>5 years
Black	1,562	73.5%	60.7%	55.1%	50.8%	50.8%	>5 years
Male	830	70.3%	56.9%	49.5%	45.2%	45.2%	2.93
Female	732	77.2%	64.9%	60.4%	56.0%	56.0%	>5 years
Native American	128	61.7%	53.1%	50.8%	46.6%	46.6%	3.20
Male	65	56.9%	48.1%	48.1%	38.5%	38.5%	1.78
Female	63	66.4%	57.7%	53.9%	53.9%	53.9%	>5 years
Asian	728	75.6%	67.7%	61.0%	59.4%	59.4%	>5 years
Male	308	68.4%	57.3%	49.9%	49.9%	49.9%	2.99
Female	420	80.9%	75.0%	68.7%	66.1%	66.1%	>5 years
Hispanic	1,207	75.9%	67.6%	61.9%	58.6%	58.6%	>5 years
Male	649	71.5%	62.2%	60.5%	56.7%	56.7%	>5 years
Female	558	81.0%	73.7%	64.2%	61.3%	61.3%	>5 years

Notes: 1) The “---” indicates that survival rate could not be calculated due to small cell size. Caution should be used when interpreting survival rates based upon categories with a small number of cases. 2) Those cases where the gender and/or race/ethnicity were other/unknown, are not shown separately, but are included in the category totals. 3) These rates may not be directly comparable to National rates because of different methodologies. Caution should be used when trying to compare rates for Nevada and the Nation. For more information on the calculation of survival rates, please refer to Technical Notes section.

Table 41. Cause-Specific Survival Rates for All Cancers by Stage of Cancer at Diagnosis and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1997-2001

Survival Rate of Stage at Diagnosis		Gender		
		Total	Male	Female
Total	Cases	31,479	16,164	15,315
	One Year	72.7%	70.2%	75.3%
	5 Years	50.9%	47.2%	54.5%
	Median Survival	>5 years	3.28	>5 years
Stage at Diagnosis				
In situ	Cases	1,273	358	915
	One Year	92.3%	94.9%	91.2%
	5 Years	83.2%	76.2%	85.7%
	Median Survival	>5 years	>5 years	>5 years
Localized	Cases	12,673	6,710	5,963
	One Year	86.3%	85.5%	87.2%
	5 Years	69.4%	67.8%	70.9%
	Median Survival	>5 years	>5 years	>5 years
Regional	Cases	5,881	2,627	3,254
	One Year	77.2%	73.0%	80.6%
	5 Years	51.9%	44.8%	57.7%
	Median Survival	>5 years	2.89	>5 years
Distant	Cases	5,776	3,129	2,647
	One Year	53.1%	50.0%	56.9%
	5 Years	26.6%	24.7%	28.9%
	Median Survival	1.20	1.00	1.47
Unstaged	Cases	5,876	3,340	2,536
	One Year	57.0%	56.9%	57.1%
	5 Years	29.8%	29.7%	29.9%
	Median Survival	1.47	1.48	1.46

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