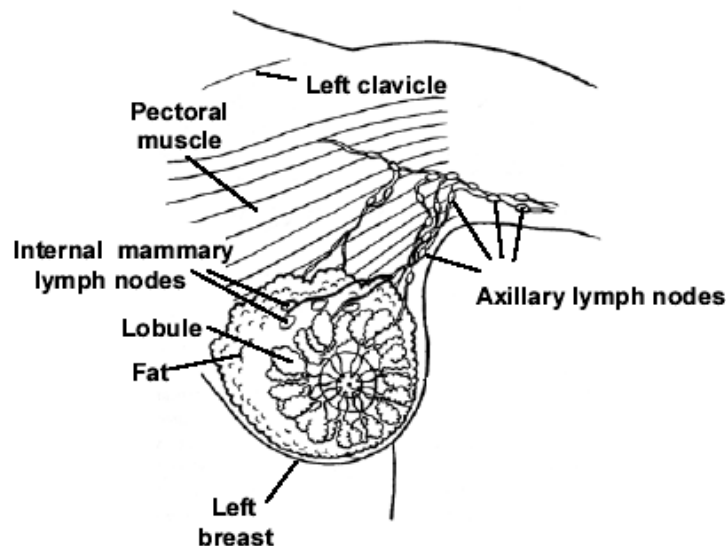


# **BREAST CANCER**

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### GENERAL PROFILE<sup>4</sup>

Figure 49. Anatomy of the Breast<sup>5</sup>



**General Anatomy:** Each breast has 15 to 20 sections called lobes. Within each lobe are many smaller lobules, which end in dozens of tiny bulbs that can produce milk. The lobes, lobules, and bulbs are all linked by thin tubes called ducts. These ducts lead to the nipple in the center of a dark area of skin called the areola. Fat surrounds the lobules and ducts. Each breast also contains blood vessels and lymph vessels. The lymph vessels carry colorless fluid called lymph, and lead to small bean-shaped organs called lymph nodes. Clusters of lymph nodes are found near the breast in the axilla (under the arm), above the collarbone, and in the chest. Lymph nodes are also found in many other parts of the body.

**Risk Factors:** Personal, and/or family, history of Breast Cancer, atypical hyperplasia, lobular carcinoma in situ, prolonged levels of estrogen, later childbearing, breast density, radiation therapy, and alcohol use are all important risk factors.

**Signs and Symptoms:** Common signs and symptoms include: A lump or thickening in or near the breast or in the underarm area, change in the size or shape of the breast, nipple discharge or tenderness, nipple inverted into breast, ridges or pitting of the breast, and a change in the way the skin of the breast, areola, or nipple looks or feels (for example, warm, swollen, red, or scaly).

**Diagnosing the Cancer:** The most common ways of diagnosing Breast Cancer are: clinical breast exam, mammography, ultrasonography, fine-needle aspiration, and needle or surgical biopsy.

**Treatment:** Treatment options include: surgery (Lumpectomy, Segmental Mastectomy, Simple Mastectomy, and Radical Mastectomy), radiation therapy, chemotherapy, hormonal therapy, and biological therapy.

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- The ratio of the age-adjusted incidence rate, 124.3, to the age-adjusted mortality rate, 26.1 (per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard female population), for Female Breast Cancer was 4.76 during the 1996 to 2000 period, which means that for every 4.76 Female Breast Cancer cases there was one female death due to Breast Cancer in Nevada during this period.
- The median age at diagnosis of Breast Cancer for Nevada females was 61 years of age from 1996 to 2000. The median age at time of death due to Breast Cancer for females was 67 years.

## **CANCER SCREENING**

- From 1996 to 2000, 93.9% of the 5,593 Nevadan females who responded had ever had a mammogram and/or a clinical breast exam to try and detect early signs of Breast Cancer.
- The percentage of women who stated their education level at less than high school, 89.8% (87.1%-92.5%), or high school, 91.3% (90.0%-92.6%), had a statistically significant lower rate of ever having had a mammogram and/or clinical breast exam than those who stated their education level at some post high school, 96.0% (95.1%-96.9%), or college graduate, 96.7% (95.7%-97.7%), during the 1996 to 2000 period.
- Those women whose age was 18 to 24 years, 80.7% (77.3%-84.1%), had the lowest statistically significant percentage of ever having a mammogram and/or a clinical breast exam of any age group surveyed from 1996 to 2000. However, those women 25 to 34 years of age also had a statistically significant lower percentage, 92.2% (90.6%-93.8%), than all other age groups surveyed.

## **INCIDENCE**

- There were 5,582 cases of Female Breast Cancer reported in Nevada from 1996 to 2000. Regional comparisons showed that Washoe County's age-adjusted incidence rate, 148.1 (139.6-156.9), was statistically higher than the rate for Clark County, 119.6 (115.7-123.7), and the All Other Counties region, 117.8 (110.0-126.1), during this period. However, Nevada and all three regions had lower statistically significant rates than the National rate, 161.3 (160.4-162.1 - per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard female population) during this period.
- Asian females were considerably lower than the statewide median age at time of diagnosis for Breast Cancer (61 years) with a median age of 52 years, the lowest of any racial/ethnic group. The racial/ethnic group with the highest median age at diagnosis was White females with a median age of 62 years for the 1996 to 2000 period.
- White females accounted for 88.9% of all reported Female Breast Cancer cases in Nevada from 1996 to 2000. They had a statistically significant higher rate, 137.7 (133.9-

141.6), than Black females, 96.0 (83.5-110.3), Asian females, 52.5 (42.6-67.6), Hispanic females, 42.8 (35.8-51.3), and Native American females, 38.8 (23.6-61.7), per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard population, during this period.

### **INPATIENT HOSPITAL DISCHARGES**

- There were 2,524 female hospital inpatient discharges with a primary diagnosis of Breast Cancer from 1996 to 2000. Washoe County had the highest age-adjusted inpatient discharge rate, 62.4, for Female Breast Cancer, and was followed by Clark County and the All Other Counties region with rates of 55.9 and 50.8 (per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard female population), respectively.
- Total billed charges for hospital inpatient discharges from Breast Cancer in Nevada totaled nearly 35 million dollars from 1996 to 2000. Washoe County had the highest median total charge (\$12,108) and average length of stay (2.8 days) during this time; once regional comparisons were made.
- The overall average billed charge per day for a Breast Cancer inpatient hospital discharge in Nevada was over \$5,600 from 1996 to 2000.

### **MORTALITY**

- There were 1,128 female deaths in Nevada due to Breast Cancer from 1996 to 2000. While Washoe County had a higher age-adjusted mortality rate for Female Breast Cancer (28.8) than Clark County (26.4) and All Other Counties (21.7), statistical analysis does not indicate a statistical difference between the three regions or the statewide rate of 26.1 (per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard female population) for this period.
- Racial/ethnic comparisons showed that Black and White females had higher age-adjusted mortality rates, 32.8 and 27.8, respectively, when compared to Asians and Hispanics who had rates of 13.0 and 11.8 (per 100,000 – 2000 US Standard female population), respectively, from 1996 to 2000.

### **SURVIVAL RATE**

- Hispanic females in Nevada had the highest one-year survival rate (96.7%) of any racial/ethnic group for Female Breast Cancer during the 1996 to 2000 period. They were followed by Asian, White and Black females with rates of 95.7%, 94.4% and 86.4%, respectively. However, Asian females had the highest five-year survival rate (87.8%) for Female Breast Cancer during this time, while White, Hispanic and Black females followed with rates of 73.9%, 62.8% and 47.4%, respectively.
- The five-year survival rate for females diagnosed with Breast Cancer at the in situ stage was 96.7% for Nevada from 1996 to 2000. The rate for those at the localized stage was 86.4%, while those recorded at the regional, distant and unstaged stages had rates of 68.1%, 6.0% and 21.6%, respectively.

**SCREENING (BRFSS)****Table 63. Female Breast Cancer Screening by County/Region of Residence, Education, Age Group, and Income, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Responses	Answers						Total
	Yes			No			
	Number	Percent*	95% C.I.	Number	Percent*	95% C.I.	
<b>Total</b>							
<b>Responses</b>	5,248	93.9%	(93.3%-94.5%)	345	6.1%	(5.5%-6.7%)	5,593
<b>County/Region of Residence</b>							
Clark County	1,687	94.2%	(93.1%-95.3%)	110	5.8%	(4.7%-6.9%)	1,797
Washoe County	1,745	94.6%	(93.6%-95.6%)	105	5.4%	(4.4%-6.4%)	1,850
All Other Counties	1,816	92.0%	(90.8%-93.2%)	130	8.0%	(6.8%-9.2%)	1,946
<b>Education</b>							
Less than High School	443	89.8%	(87.1%-92.5%)	56	10.2%	(7.5%-12.9%)	499
High School	1,668	91.3%	(90.0%-92.6%)	146	8.7%	(7.4%-10.0%)	1,814
Some Post High School	1,862	96.0%	(95.1%-96.9%)	104	4.0%	(3.1%-4.9%)	1,966
College Graduate	1,264	96.7%	(95.7%-97.7%)	38	3.3%	(2.3%-4.3%)	1,302
<b>Age Group</b>							
18-24 years old	398	80.7%	(77.3%-84.1%)	110	19.3%	(15.9%-22.7%)	508
25-34 years old	973	92.2%	(90.6%-93.8%)	66	7.8%	(6.2%-9.4%)	1,039
35-44 years old	1,248	95.5%	(94.4%-96.6%)	59	4.5%	(3.4%-5.6%)	1,307
45-54 years old	1,031	97.8%	(96.9%-98.7%)	23	2.2%	(1.3%-3.1%)	1,054
55-64 years old	671	96.9%	(95.6%-98.2%)	21	3.1%	(1.8%-4.4%)	692
65+ years old	904	95.5%	(94.2%-96.8%)	63	4.5%	(3.2%-5.8%)	967
<b>Income</b>							
Less than \$15,000	582	91.1%	(88.9%-93.3%)	69	8.9%	(6.7%-11.1%)	651
\$15,000 - \$24,999	467	90.0%	(87.4%-92.6%)	59	10.0%	(7.4%-12.6%)	526
\$25,000 - \$34,999	812	93.6%	(92.0%-95.2%)	52	6.4%	(4.8%-8.0%)	864
\$35,000 - \$49,999	1,024	95.0%	(93.7%-96.3%)	40	5.0%	(3.7%-6.3%)	1,064
\$50,000 or More	1,533	96.5%	(95.6%-97.4%)	36	3.5%	(2.6%-4.4%)	1,569

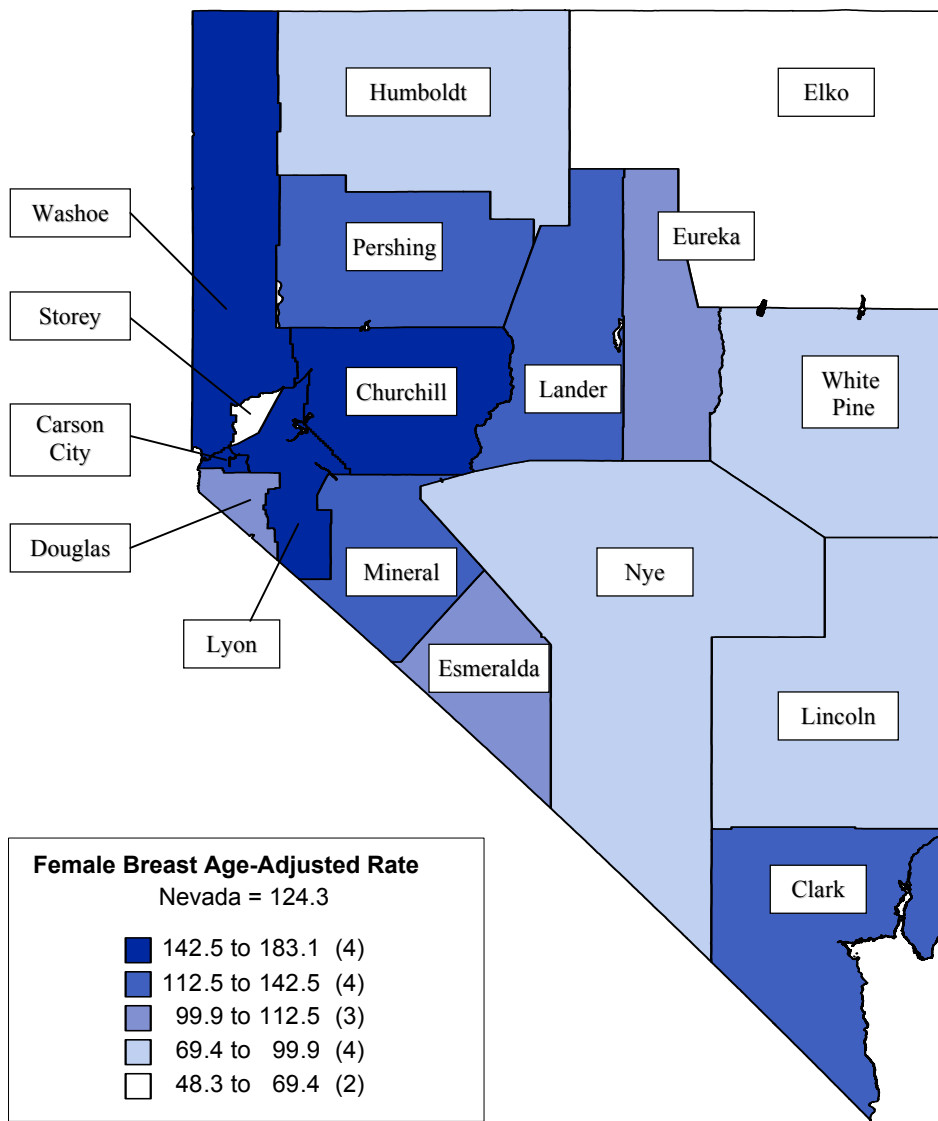
\*Denominator is persons age 18-64 and excludes missing, don't know, and refused responses.

Note: This table includes those respondents who answered "Yes" or "No" to either of the following questions:

- 1) A mammogram is an x-ray of each breast to look for breast cancer. Have you ever had a mammogram?
- 2) A clinical breast exam is when a doctor, nurse, or other health professional feels the breast for lumps. Have you ever had a clinical breast exam?

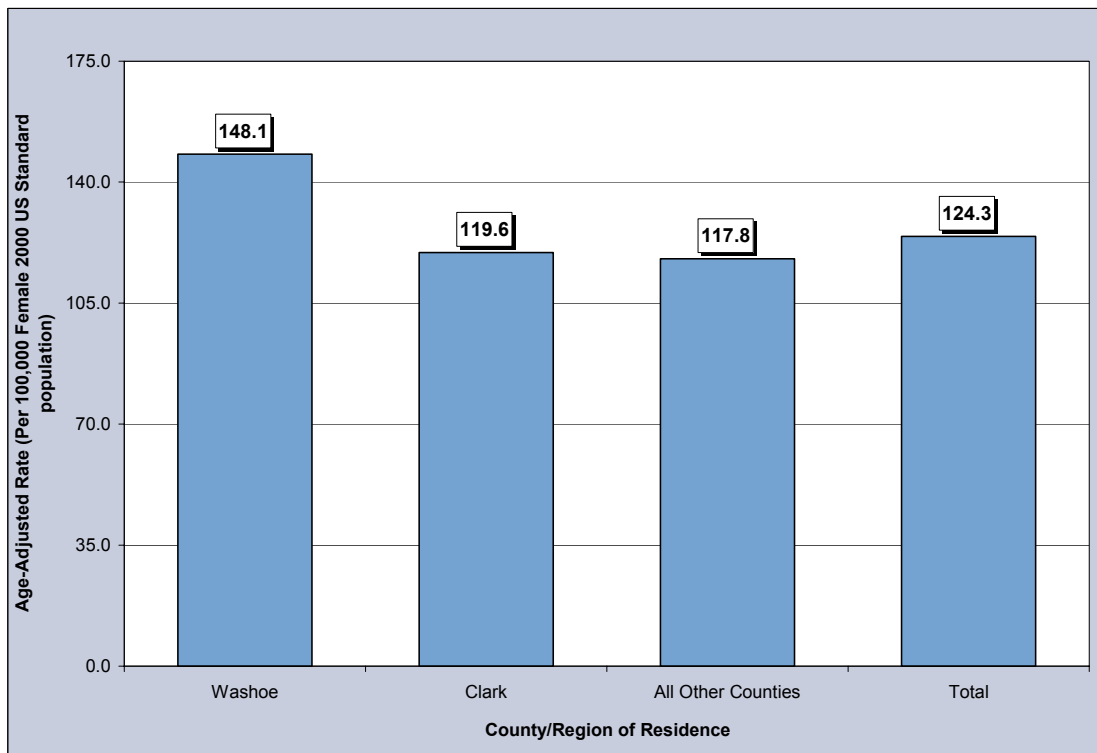
## INCIDENCE

**Figure 50. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted (2000) Incidence Rates, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

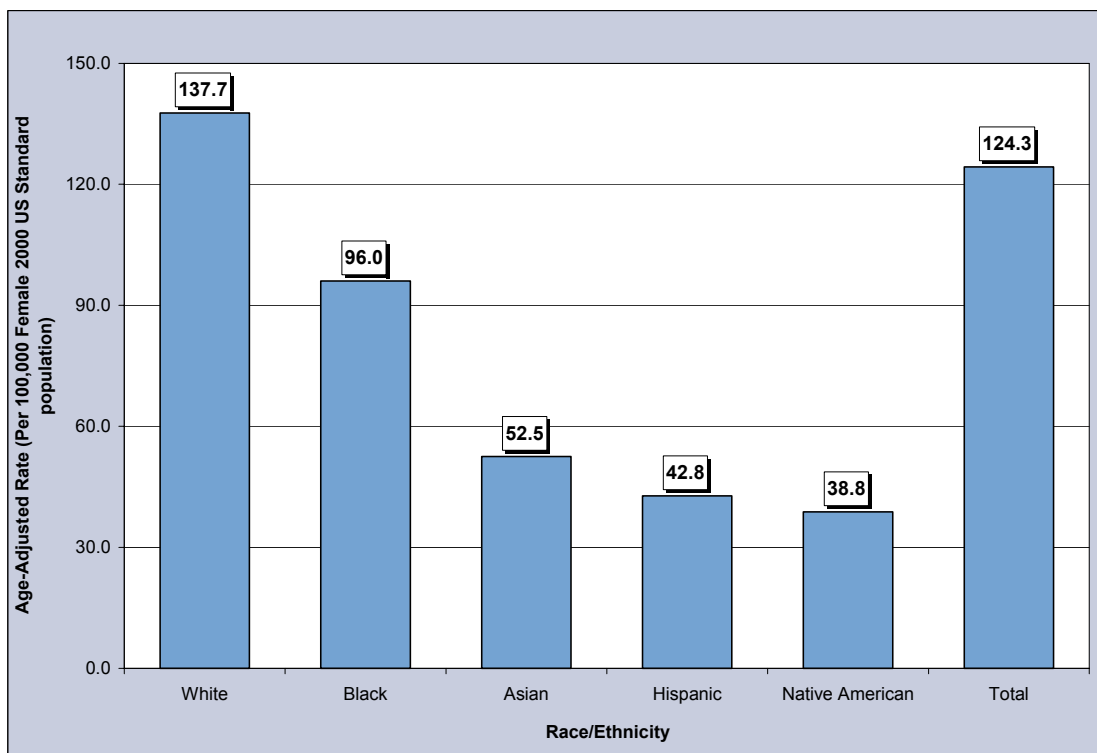


Note: Rates are per 100,000 female population and age-adjusted to 2000 US Standard population. Caution should be used when interpreting rates based upon small numbers. See Technical notes for more information.

**Figure 51. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted Incidence Rates by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Figure 52. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted Incidence Rates by Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Table 64. Breast Cancer Cases by Gender, Race/Ethnicity and County/Region of Residence at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents (1996-2000) and SEER-11 (1995-1999)**

Category	County/Region of Residence					SEER 11 (1995-1999)
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown	
<b>Total</b>						
Cases	5,643	3,605	1,170	867	1	148,611
Rate*	64.8	62.4	78.0	60.9	---	87.9
95% C.I.	(63.1-66.6)	(60.3-64.5)	(73.5-82.7)	(56.8-65.2)	---	(87.5-88.4)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	59	33	12	14	0	923
Rate*	1.5	1.3	1.8	2.0	---	---
95% C.I.	(1.1-2.0)	(0.9-2.0)	(0.9-3.6)	(1.1-3.7)	---	---
Female	5,582	3,572	1,156	853	1	147,688
Rate*	124.3	119.6	148.1	117.8	---	161.3
95% C.I.	(121.0-127.6)	(115.7-123.7)	(139.6-156.9)	(110.0-126.1)	---	(160.4-162.1)
Other/Unknown	2	0	2	0	0	0
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White	4,962	3,054	1,084	823	1	122,654
Rate*	137.7	134.3	161.2	126.0	---	166.8
95% C.I.	(133.9-141.6)	(129.5-139.2)	(151.8-171.2)	(117.5-135.1)	---	(165.9-167.8)
Black	229	212	13	4	0	12,369
Rate*	96.0	95.8	106.6	---	---	145.9
95% C.I.	(83.5-110.3)	(82.7-110.8)	(56.2-188.2)	---	---	(143.4-148.6)
Native American	21	4	7	10	0	324
Rate*	38.8	---	---	46.4	---	46.7
95% C.I.	(23.6-61.7)	---	---	(22.0-88.7)	---	(41.6-52.3)
Asian	131	102	25	4	0	11,003
Rate*	52.5	52.0	61.7	---	---	120.4
95% C.I.	(42.6-67.6)	(40.8-70.0)	(38.4-128.1)	---	---	(118.1-122.7)
Hispanic	164	127	26	11	0	9,833
Rate*	42.8	41.7	53.7	38.1	---	95.2
95% C.I.	(35.8-51.3)	(34.0-51.5)	(32.2-91.2)	(17.9-75.9)	---	(93.3-97.1)
Other/Unknown	75	73	1	1	0	1,338

\* Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population. Rates for race/ethnicity groups are per 100,000 female population and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

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



**Table 65. Female Breast Cancer Cases by Age Group and County/Region of Residence at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents (1996-2000) and SEER-11 (1995-1999)**

Category	County/Region of Residence					
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown	SEER 11 (1995-1999)
<b>Total</b>						
<b>Cases</b>	5,582	3,572	1,156	853	1	147,688
<b>Rate*</b>	122.1	115.5	143.2	126.7	---	157.0
<b>95% C.I.</b>	(118.9-125.3)	(111.7-119.3)	(135.0-151.5)	(118.2-135.2)	---	(156.2-157.8)
<b>Age Group</b>						
<1	0	0	0	0	0	---
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---	---
1-4	0	0	0	0	0	---
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---	---
5-14	0	0	0	0	0	---
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---	---
15-24	3	3	0	0	0	109
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---	0.9
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---	(0.7-1.0)
25-34	97	67	16	14	0	2,761
Rate*	14.1	13.7	13.2	18.0	---	19.0
95% C.I.	(11.3-16.9)	(10.5-17.0)	(6.7-19.6)	(8.6-27.4)	---	(18.3-19.7)
35-44	591	392	132	67	0	16,467
Rate*	81.9	82.7	97.0	59.9	---	104.9
95% C.I.	(75.3-88.5)	(74.5-90.9)	(80.4-113.5)	(45.5-74.2)	---	(103.3-106.5)
45-54	1,225	793	264	168	0	33,764
Rate*	205.3	201.8	240.7	178.6	---	290.6
95% C.I.	(193.8-216.8)	(187.7-215.8)	(211.7-269.8)	(151.6-205.6)	---	(287.5-293.7)
55-64	1,298	845	248	205	0	30,854
Rate*	300.4	286.3	356.1	304.4	---	423.6
95% C.I.	(284.0-316.7)	(267.0-305.6)	(311.8-400.4)	(262.7-346.1)	---	(418.9-428.3)
65-74	1,372	868	275	228	1	33,105
Rate*	436.7	413.6	528.6	436.2	---	518.7
95% C.I.	(413.6-459.8)	(386.1-441.1)	(466.1-591.1)	(379.6-492.8)	---	(513.1-524.3)
75-84	795	481	173	141	0	24,254
Rate*	441.0	406.7	549.9	461.6	---	555.0
95% C.I.	(410.3-471.6)	(370.3-443.0)	(468.0-631.9)	(385.4-537.8)	---	(548.0-561.9)
85+	200	122	48	30	0	7,294
Rate*	418.6	416.0	479.3	355.7	---	419.5
95% C.I.	(360.6-476.6)	(342.2-489.8)	(343.7-614.9)	(228.4-483.0)	---	(409.8-429.1)
Unknown	1	1	0	0	0	0

\*Rates are per 100,000 age-specific female 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 66. Female Breast Cancer Cases by County of Residence at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000 (Revised)**

County of Residence at Diagnosis	1996-2000 Incidence				
	Cases	Rate*		Age-Adjusted Rate**	
		Rate	95% C.I.	Rate	95% C.I.
Carson City	276	221.3	(195.2-247.4)	183.1	(161.9-206.6)
Churchill	82	139.5	(109.3-169.7)	142.5	(113.3-177.3)
Clark	3,572	115.5	(111.7-119.3)	119.6	(115.7-123.7)
Douglas	123	124.2	(102.2-146.1)	99.9	(82.8-120.7)
Elko	41	37.5	(26.0-49.0)	52.0	(36.6-72.9)
Esmeralda	3	---	---	---	---
Eureka	4	---	---	---	---
Humboldt	28	69.9	(44.0-95.8)	83.5	(54.6-123.5)
Lander	13	83.5	(38.1-128.9)	112.5	(58.4-200.5)
Lincoln	8	---	---	---	---
Lyon	132	165.5	(137.3-193.8)	142.6	(119.1-170.0)
Mineral	20	146.9	(82.5-211.3)	124.0	(74.9-199.5)
Nye	83	115.5	(90.7-140.4)	81.1	(64.0-103.2)
Pershing	15	108.6	(53.6-163.6)	122.3	(68.3-203.3)
Storey	6	---	---	---	---
Washoe	1,156	143.2	(135.0-151.5)	148.1	(139.6-156.9)
White Pine	19	87.8	(48.3-127.2)	76.7	(45.8-124.7)
Unknown	1	---	---	---	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,582</b>	<b>122.1</b>	<b>(118.9-125.3)</b>	<b>124.3</b>	<b>(121.0-127.6)</b>

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

**Table 67. Breast Cancer Cases by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Race/Ethnicity	Gender				
	Male	Female	Other/Unknown	Total	
White	Incidence	51	4,962	2	5,015
	Rate*	1.5	137.7	---	71.0
	95% C.I.	(1.1-2.1)	(133.9-141.6)	---	(69.0-73.0)
Black	Incidence	6	229	0	235
	Rate*	---	96.0	---	53.0
	95% C.I.	---	(83.5-110.3)	---	(45.9-61.4)
Native American	Incidence	0	21	0	21
	Rate*	---	38.8	---	21.0
	95% C.I.	---	(23.6-61.7)	---	(12.6-34.5)
Asian	Incidence	1	131	0	132
	Rate*	---	52.5	---	30.5
	95% C.I.	---	(42.6-67.6)	---	(24.8-39.0)
Hispanic	Incidence	1	164	0	165
	Rate*	---	42.8	---	22.2
	95% C.I.	---	(35.8-51.3)	---	(18.4-27.1)
Other/Unknown	0	75	0	75	
Total	Incidence	59	5,582	2	5,643
	Rate*	1.5	124.3	---	64.8
	95% C.I.	(1.1-2.0)	(121.0-127.6)	---	(63.1-66.6)

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

**Table 68. Breast Cancer Cases by Age Group and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Age Group	Gender			
	Male	Female	Other/ Unknown	Total
<1	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
1-4	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
5-14	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
15-24	0	3	0	3
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
25-34	1	97	0	98
Rate*	---	14.1	---	6.8
95% C.I.	---	(11.3-16.9)	---	(5.5-8.2)
35-44	3	591	0	594
Rate*	---	81.9	---	39.8
95% C.I.	---	(75.3-88.5)	---	(36.6-43.0)
45-54	7	1,225	1	1,233
Rate*	---	205.3	---	102.0
95% C.I.	---	(193.8-216.8)	---	(96.3-107.7)
55-64	15	1,298	0	1,313
Rate*	3.5	300.4	---	152.5
95% C.I.	(1.7-5.3)	(284.0-316.7)	---	(144.3-160.8)
65-74	14	1,372	1	1,387
Rate*	4.6	436.7	---	223.7
95% C.I.	(2.2-7.0)	(413.6-459.8)	---	(212.0-235.5)
75-84	17	795	0	812
Rate*	11.5	441.0	---	247.7
95% C.I.	(6.0-17.0)	(410.3-471.6)	---	(230.7-264.8)
85+	2	200	0	202
Rate*	---	418.6	---	286.7
95% C.I.	---	(360.6-476.6)	---	(247.2-326.3)
Unknown	0	1	0	1
Total	59	5,582	2	5,643
Rate*	1.2	122.1	---	60.7
95% C.I.	(0.9-1.6)	(118.9-125.3)	---	(59.1-62.2)

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

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

**Table 69. Breast Cancer Cases by Age Group and Stage, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Age Group		Stage					Total
		In situ	Localized	Regional	Distant	Unstaged	
<1	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Percent	---	---	---	---	---	---
1-4	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Percent	---	---	---	---	---	---
5-14	Number	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Percent	---	---	---	---	---	---
15-24	Number	0	1	1	0	1	3
	Percent	---	33.3%	33.3%	---	33.3%	100.0%
25-34	Number	9	39	36	5	9	98
	Percent	9.2%	39.8%	36.7%	5.1%	9.2%	100.0%
35-44	Number	72	256	201	37	28	594
	Percent	12.1%	43.1%	33.8%	6.2%	4.7%	100.0%
45-54	Number	208	566	316	50	93	1,233
	Percent	16.9%	45.9%	25.6%	4.1%	7.5%	100.0%
55-64	Number	179	642	349	60	83	1,313
	Percent	13.6%	48.9%	26.6%	4.6%	6.3%	100.0%
65-74	Number	191	705	288	71	132	1,387
	Percent	13.8%	50.8%	20.8%	5.1%	9.5%	100.0%
75-84	Number	75	459	154	51	73	812
	Percent	9.2%	56.5%	19.0%	6.3%	9.0%	100.0%
85+	Number	9	87	34	11	61	202
	Percent	4.5%	43.1%	16.8%	5.4%	30.2%	100.0%
Unknown	Number	0	0	1	0	0	1
	Percent	---	---	100.0%	---	---	100.0%
Total	Number	743	2,755	1,380	285	480	5,643
	Percent	13.2%	48.8%	24.5%	5.1%	8.5%	100.0%

**Table 70. Breast Cancer Cases by Stage and Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Stage		Race/Ethnicity						Total
		White	Black	Native American	Asian	Hispanic	Other/Unknown	
In situ	Number	658	24	3	21	16	21	743
	Percent	13.1%	10.2%	14.3%	15.9%	9.7%	28.0%	13.2%
Localized	Number	2,467	98	9	67	75	39	2,755
	Percent	49.2%	41.7%	42.9%	50.8%	45.5%	52.0%	48.8%
Regional	Number	1,215	62	5	33	54	11	1,380
	Percent	24.2%	26.4%	23.8%	25.0%	32.7%	14.7%	24.5%
Distant	Number	245	25	2	3	8	2	285
	Percent	4.9%	10.6%	9.5%	2.3%	4.8%	2.7%	5.1%
Unstaged	Number	430	26	2	8	12	2	480
	Percent	8.6%	11.1%	9.5%	6.1%	7.3%	2.7%	8.5%
Total	Number	5,015	235	21	132	165	75	5,643
	Percent	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

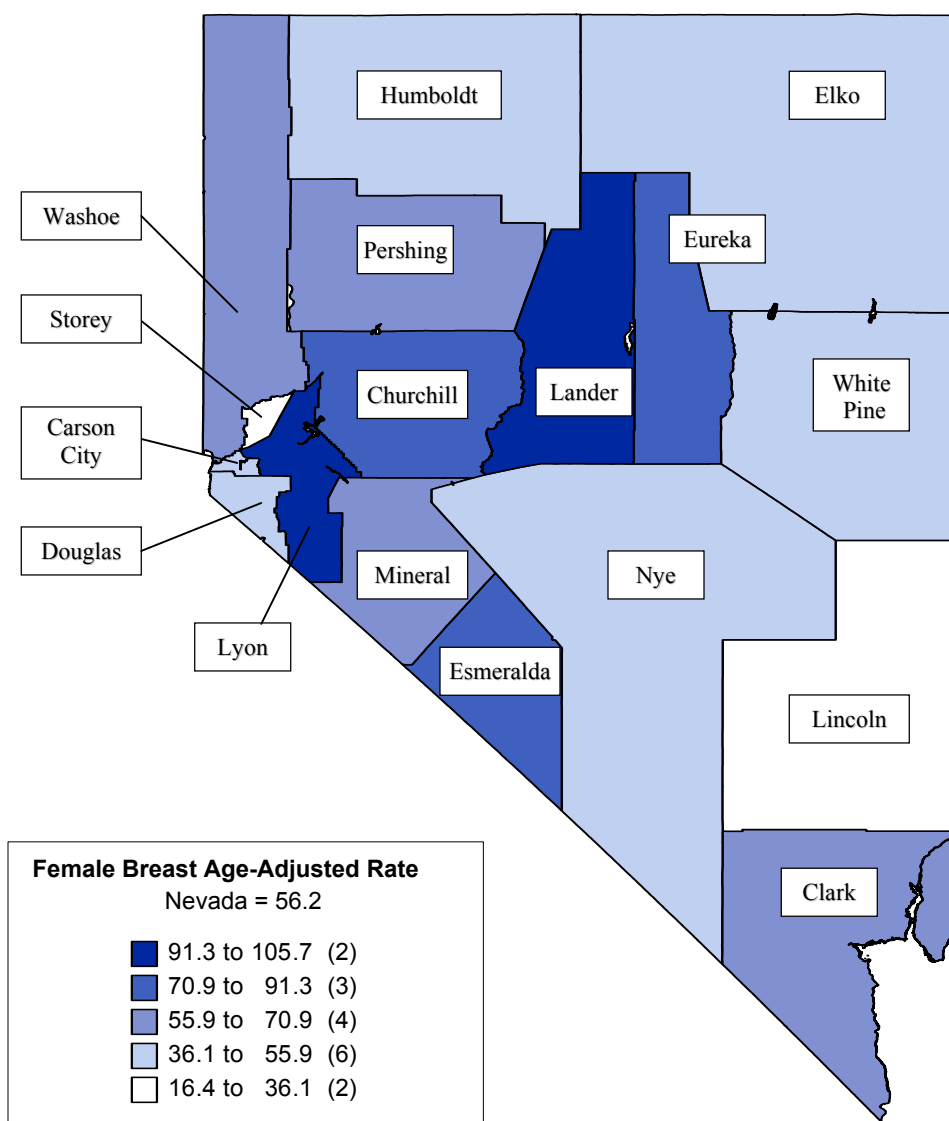
**Table 71. Median Age at Diagnosis of Breast Cancer by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Race/Ethnicity	Gender					
	Male		Female		Total	
	Incidence	Median Age	Incidence	Median Age	Incidence	Median Age
White	51	67.0	4,961	62.0	5,012	62.0
Black	6	70.0	229	55.0	235	56.0
Native American	0	---	21	60.0	21	60.0
Asian	1	---	131	52.0	132	52.0
Hispanic	1	---	164	53.0	165	53.0
Other/Unknown	0	---	75	56.0	75	56.0
Total	59	66.0	5,581	61.0	5,640	61.0

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.

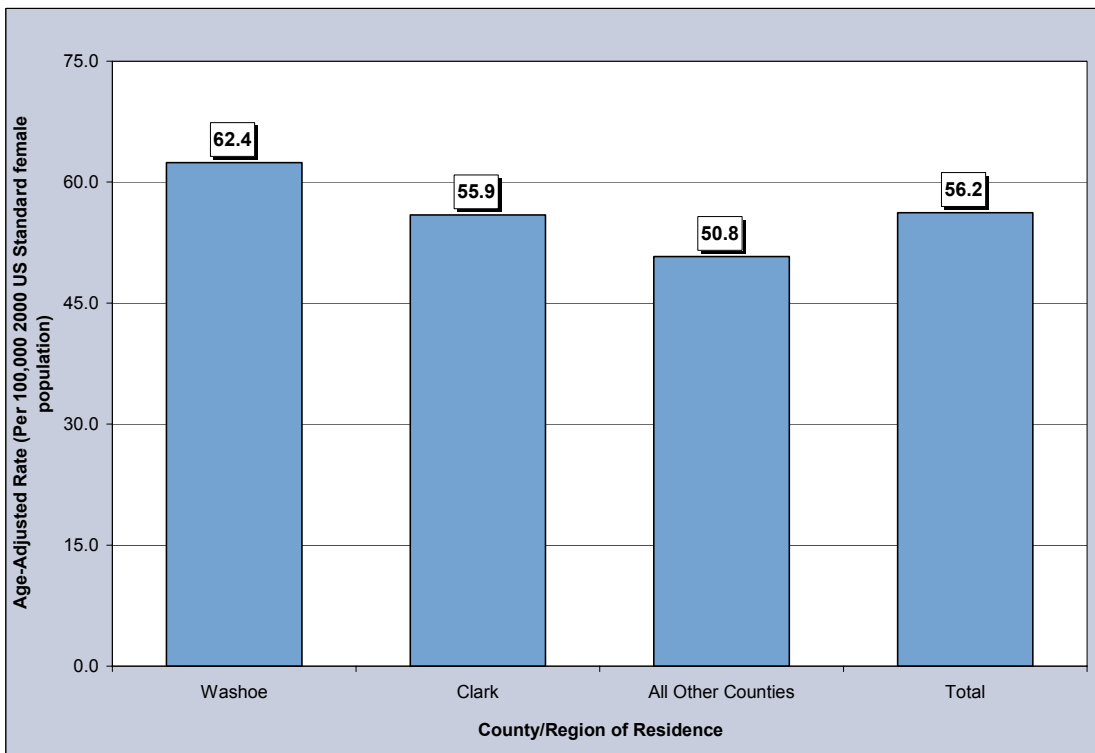
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**Figure 53. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted (2000) Inpatient Discharge Rates, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

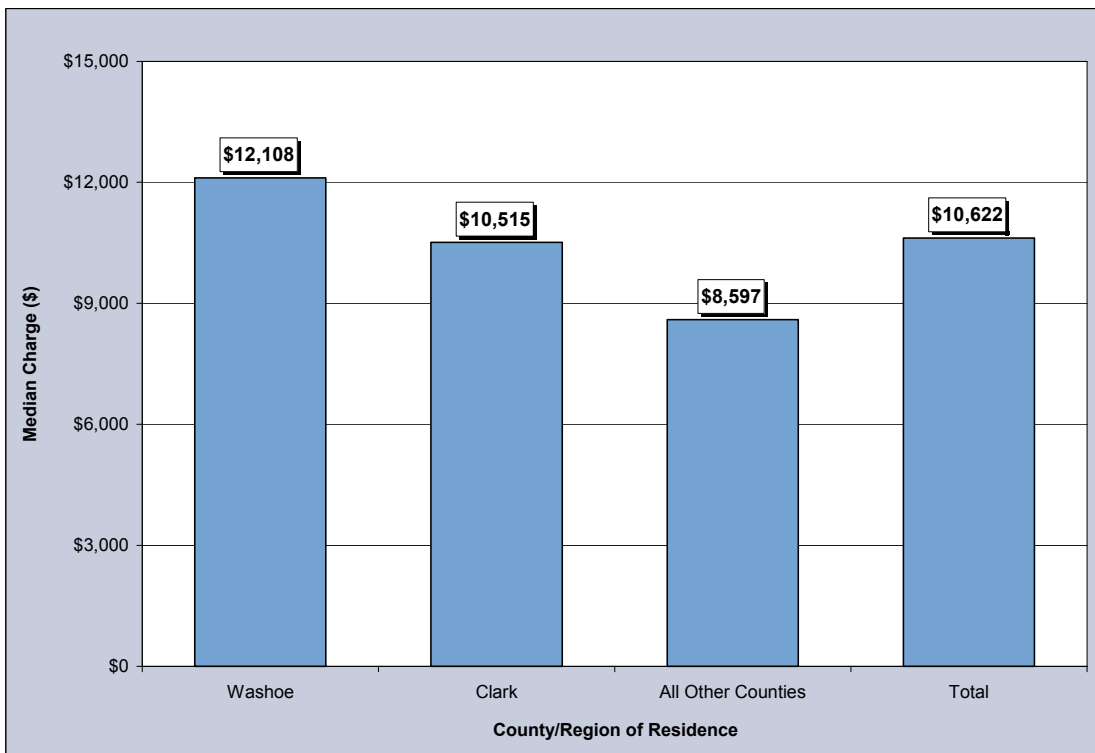


Note: Rates are per 100,000 female population and age-adjusted to 2000 US Standard population. Caution should be used when interpreting rates based upon small numbers and comparing inpatient hospital discharge rates to other data sources, because it is occurrence based data. See Technical notes for more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

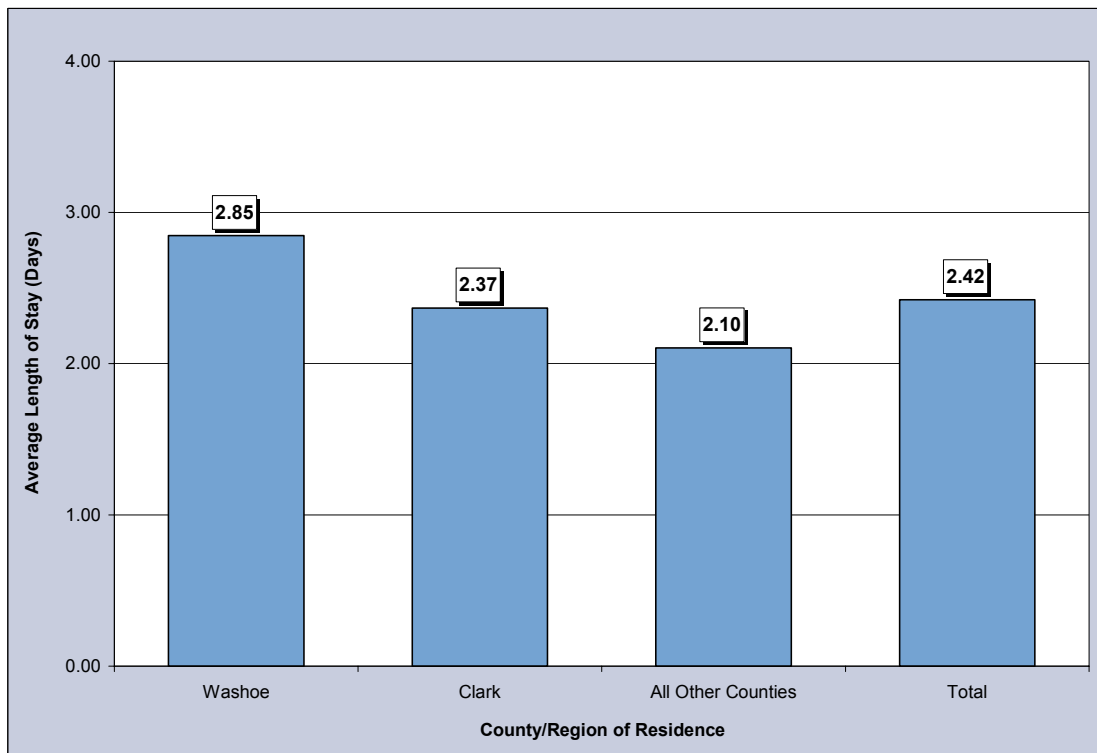
**Figure 54. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted Inpatient Discharge Rates by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Figure 55. Median Charges for Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Figure 56. Average Length of Stay for Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**





**Table 72. Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Gender, Charges, Length of Stay, and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Category	County/Region of Residence				
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown
<b>Total</b>					
Discharges	2,542	1,679	493	368	2
Rate*	29.2	29.1	32.6	26.1	---
95% C.I.	(28.1-30.4)	(27.7-30.6)	(29.8-35.7)	(23.5-29.0)	---
<b>Gender</b>					
Male	18	11	4	3	0
Rate*	0.5	0.5	---	---	---
95% C.I.	(0.3-0.9)	(0.2-1.0)	---	---	---
Female	2,524	1,668	489	365	2
Rate*	56.2	55.9	62.4	50.8	---
95% C.I.	(54.0-58.5)	(53.2-58.7)	(57.0-68.3)	(45.7-56.3)	---
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Inpatient Discharge Charges (\$)</b>					
Total Charges	\$34,663,372	\$22,210,278	\$8,194,104	\$4,236,598	\$22,392
Average Charges	\$13,636	\$13,228	\$16,621	\$11,512	\$11,196
Median Charges	\$10,622	\$10,515	\$12,108	\$8,597	\$11,196
<b>Discharge Length of Stay (LOS) (Days)</b>					
Total LOS	6,155	3,975	1,403	774	---
Average LOS	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.1	---
Median LOS	1.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	---

\* Rates are per 100,000 female 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 73. Female Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Age Group and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Category	County/Region of Residence				
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties	Unknown
<b>Total</b>					
<b>Cases</b>	2,524	1,668	489	365	2
<b>Rate*</b>	55.2	53.9	60.6	54.2	---
<b>95% C.I.</b>	(53.0-57.3)	(51.3-56.5)	(55.2-66.0)	(48.7-59.8)	---
<b>Age Group</b>					
<1	0	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---
1-4	0	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---
5-14	0	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---
15-24	1	0	0	1	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---	---
25-34	56	38	11	7	0
Rate*	8.2	7.8	9.0	---	---
95% C.I.	(6.0-10.3)	(5.3-10.3)	(3.7-14.4)	---	---
35-44	290	192	62	36	0
Rate*	40.2	40.5	45.5	32.2	---
95% C.I.	(35.5-44.8)	(34.8-46.2)	(34.2-56.9)	(21.7-42.7)	---
45-54	511	348	94	69	0
Rate*	85.6	88.6	85.7	73.4	---
95% C.I.	(78.2-93.1)	(79.3-97.9)	(68.4-103.0)	(56.1-90.7)	---
55-64	578	393	113	70	2
Rate*	133.8	133.2	162.2	103.9	---
95% C.I.	(122.9-144.7)	(120.0-146.3)	(132.3-192.2)	(79.6-128.3)	---
65-74	615	394	121	100	0
Rate*	195.8	187.7	232.6	191.3	---
95% C.I.	(180.3-211.2)	(169.2-206.3)	(191.1-274.0)	(153.8-228.8)	---
75-84	387	248	71	68	0
Rate*	214.7	209.7	225.7	222.6	---
95% C.I.	(193.3-236.0)	(183.6-235.8)	(173.2-278.2)	(169.7-275.6)	---
85+	85	55	16	14	0
Rate*	177.9	187.5	159.8	166.0	---
95% C.I.	(140.1-215.7)	(138.0-237.1)	(81.5-238.0)	(79.0-253.0)	---
Unknown	1	0	1	0	0

\* Rates are per 100,000 female age-specific 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 74. Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Age Group and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Age Group	Gender		
	Male	Female	Total
<1	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
1-4	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
5-14	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
15-24	0	1	1
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
25-34	1	56	57
Rate*	---	8.2	4.0
95% C.I.	---	(6.0-10.3)	(2.9-5.0)
35-44	1	290	291
Rate*	---	40.2	19.5
95% C.I.	---	(35.5-44.8)	(17.2-21.7)
45-54	1	511	512
Rate*	---	85.6	42.3
95% C.I.	---	(78.2-93.1)	(38.7-46.0)
55-64	4	578	582
Rate*	---	133.8	67.6
95% C.I.	---	(122.9-144.7)	(62.1-73.1)
65-74	3	615	618
Rate*	---	195.8	99.7
95% C.I.	---	(180.3-211.2)	(91.8-107.6)
75-84	7	387	394
Rate*	---	214.7	120.2
95% C.I.	---	(193.3-236.0)	(108.3-132.1)
85+	1	85	86
Rate*	---	177.9	122.1
95% C.I.	---	(140.1-215.7)	(96.3-147.9)
Unknown	0	1	1
Total	18	2,524	2,542
Rate*	0.4	55.2	27.3
95% C.I.	(0.2-0.6)	(53.0-57.3)	(26.3-28.4)

\* Rates are per 100,000 female age-specific 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 75. Female Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

County of Residence	1996-2000 Inpatient Hospital Admissions				
	Cases	Rate*		Age-Adjusted Rate**	
		Rate	95% C.I.	Rate	95% C.I.
Carson City	56	44.9	(33.1-56.7)	37.3	(28.1-49.0)
Churchill	41	69.7	(48.4-91.1)	70.9	(50.9-96.6)
Clark	1,668	53.9	(51.3-56.5)	55.9	(53.2-58.7)
Douglas	44	44.4	(31.3-57.5)	36.1	(26.1-50.2)
Elko	32	29.3	(19.1-39.4)	42.9	(28.8-62.8)
Esmeralda	2	---	---	---	---
Eureka	3	---	---	---	---
Humboldt	13	32.5	(14.8-50.1)	40.5	(21.1-71.8)
Lander	12	77.1	(33.5-120.7)	105.7	(53.2-192.5)
Lincoln	3	---	---	---	---
Lyon	82	102.8	(80.6-125.1)	91.4	(72.5-114.2)
Mineral	9	---	---	---	---
Nye	46	64.0	(45.5-82.5)	47.9	(34.7-66.1)
Pershing	8	---	---	---	---
Storey	2	---	---	---	---
Washoe	489	60.6	(55.2-66.0)	62.4	(57.0-68.3)
White Pine	12	55.4	(24.1-86.8)	44.0	(22.6-82.6)
Unknown	2	---	---	---	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,524</b>	<b>55.2</b>	<b>(53.0-57.3)</b>	<b>56.2</b>	<b>(54.0-58.5)</b>

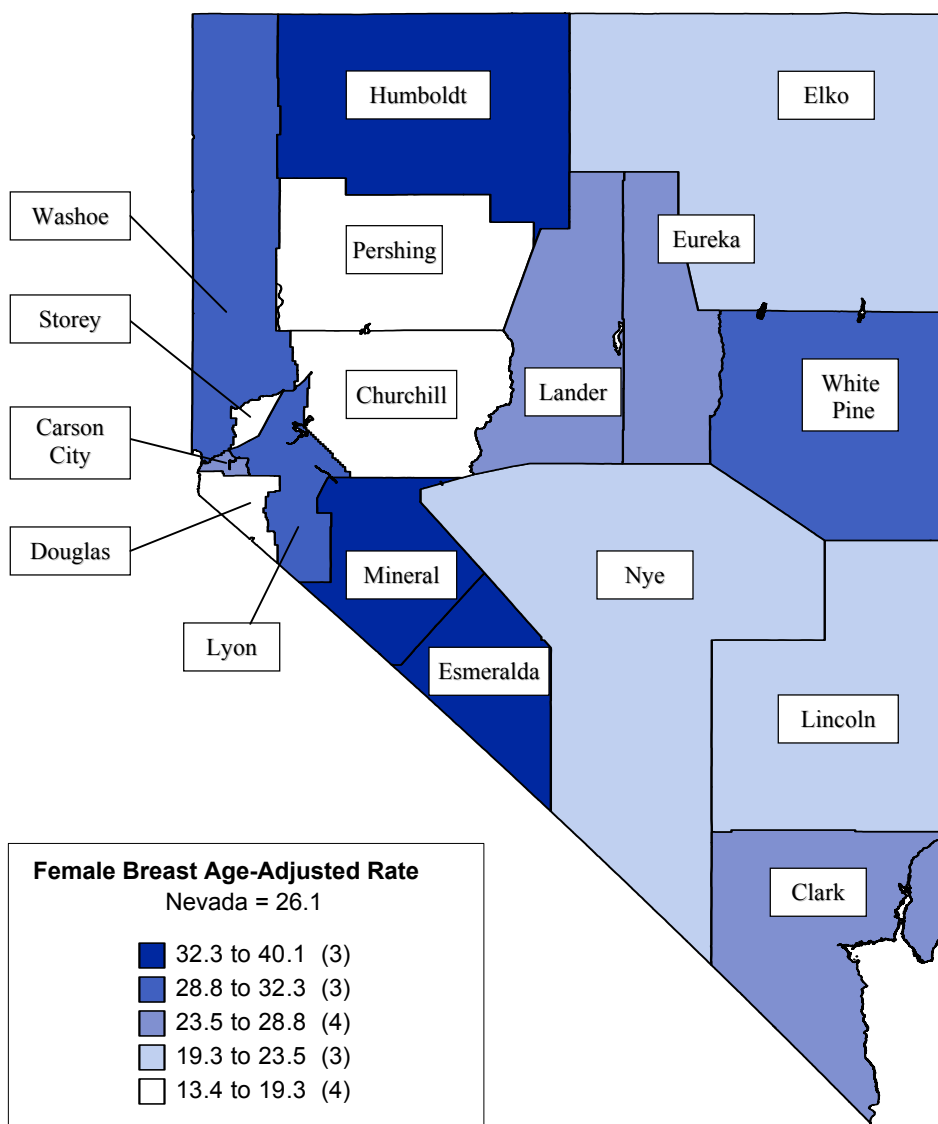
Note: The “---“ is used for rates calculated on numbers less than ten. \*Rates are per 100,000 female population. \*\*Rates are per 100,000 female population and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

**Table 76. Breast Cancer Inpatient Discharges by Age Group, Charges and Length of Stay, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Age Group	Discharges	Charges (\$)			Length of Stay (Days)		
		Total	Average	Median	Total	Average	Median
<1	0	---	---	---	---	---	---
1-4	0	---	---	---	---	---	---
5-14	0	---	---	---	---	---	---
15-24	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
25-34	57	872,333	15,304	12,555	142	2.5	2.0
35-44	291	5,221,101	17,942	11,916	841	2.9	2.0
45-54	512	7,750,123	15,137	12,046	1,228	2.4	2.0
55-64	582	7,839,350	13,470	10,669	1,353	2.3	1.0
65-74	618	7,165,575	11,595	9,898	1,240	2.0	1.0
75-84	394	4,612,504	11,707	9,479	1,023	2.6	2.0
85+	86	1,079,458	12,552	9,977	307	3.6	2.0
Unknown	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,542</b>	<b>34,663,372</b>	<b>13,636</b>	<b>10,622</b>	<b>6,155</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>1.0</b>

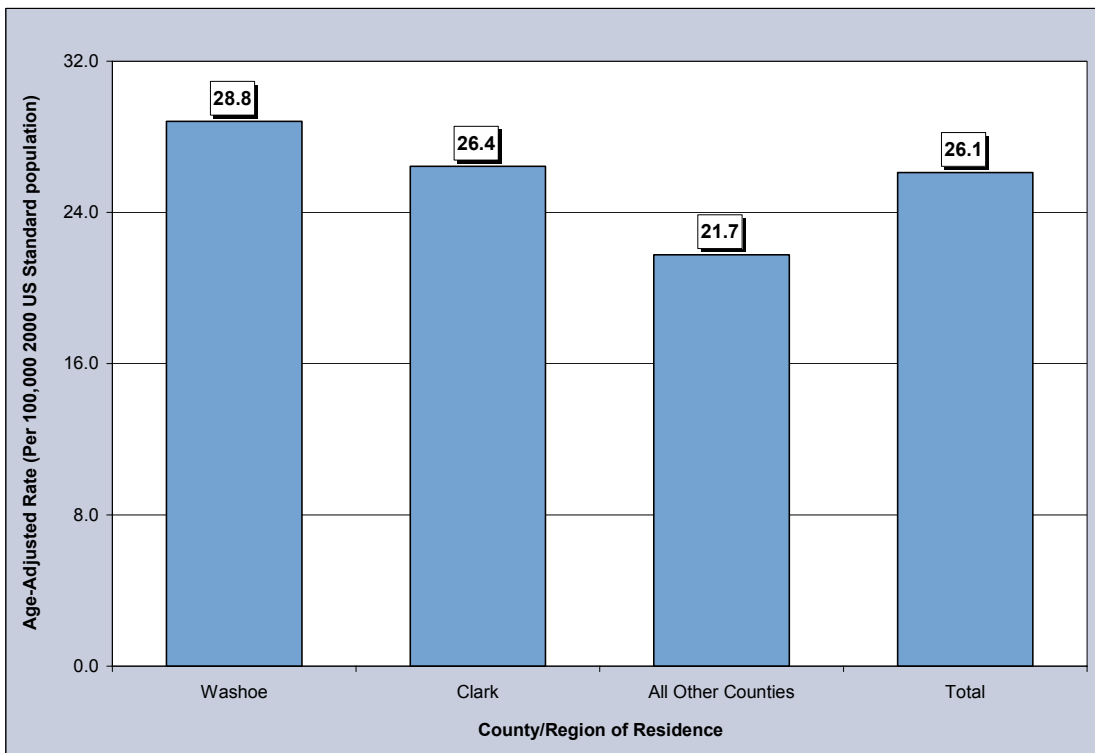
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**Figure 57. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted (2000) Mortality Rates, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

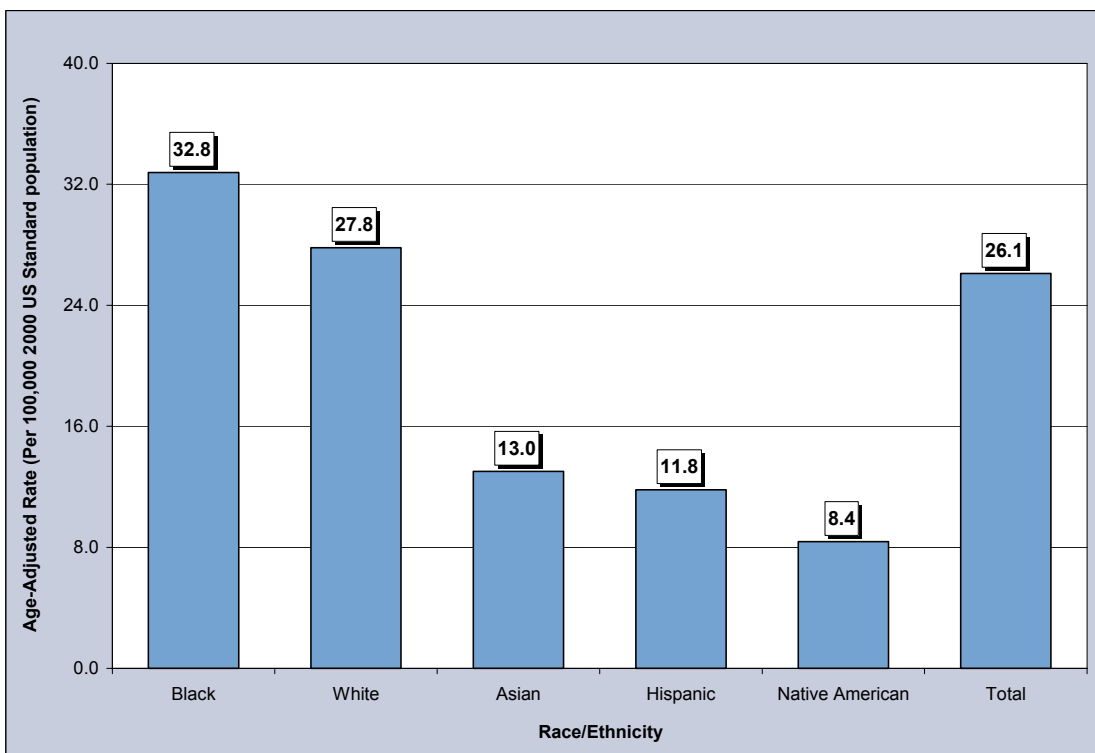


Note: Rates are per 100,000 female population and age-adjusted to 2000 US Standard population. Caution should be used when interpreting rates based upon small numbers. See Technical notes for more information.

**Figure 58. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates by County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Figure 59. Female Breast Cancer Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates by Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Table 77. Breast Cancer Mortality by Gender, Race/Ethnicity and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Category	County/Region of Residence			
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties
<b>Total</b>				
Cases	1,139	767	219	153
Rate*	14.1	14.3	15.8	11.6
95% C.I.	(13.3-15.0)	(13.3-15.4)	(13.7-18.1)	(9.8-13.7)
<b>Gender</b>				
Male	11	8	1	2
Rate*	0.3	---	---	---
95% C.I.	(0.1-0.6)	---	---	---
Female	1,128	759	218	151
Rate*	26.1	26.4	28.8	21.7
95% C.I.	(24.6-27.7)	(24.6-28.4)	(25.1-32.9)	(18.4-25.6)
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>				
White	987	632	206	149
Rate*	27.8	27.9	31.1	23.7
95% C.I.	(26.1-29.6)	(25.8-30.2)	(27.0-35.7)	(20.0-28.0)
Black	69	65	3	1
Rate*	32.8	33.5	---	---
95% C.I.	(25.2-42.4)	(25.5-43.8)	---	---
Native American	5	3	1	1
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
Asian	26	24	2	0
Rate*	13.0	14.7	---	---
95% C.I.	(7.0-25.7)	(7.6-30.3)	---	---
Hispanic	41	35	6	0
Rate*	11.8	13.3	---	---
95% C.I.	(8.1-17.3)	(8.8-20.3)	---	---
Other/Unknown	0	0	0	0

\* Rates are per 100,000 population and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population. Rates for race/ethnicity groups are per 100,000 female population and age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population.

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

**Table 78. Female Breast Cancer Mortality by Age Group and County/Region of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Category	County/Region of Residence			
	Nevada Total	Clark	Washoe	All Other Counties
<b>Total</b>				
<b>Cases</b>	1,128	759	218	151
<b>Rate*</b>	24.7	24.5	27.0	22.4
<b>95% C.I.</b>	(23.2-26.1)	(22.8-26.3)	(23.4-30.6)	(18.9-26.0)
<b>Age Group</b>				
<1	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
1-4	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
5-14	0	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
15-24	2	1	0	1
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
25-34	8	7	0	1
Rate*	---	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---	---
35-44	89	57	22	10
Rate*	12.3	12.0	16.2	8.9
95% C.I.	(9.8-14.9)	(8.9-15.1)	(9.4-22.9)	(3.4-14.5)
45-54	173	106	36	31
Rate*	29.0	27.0	32.8	33.0
95% C.I.	(24.7-33.3)	(21.8-32.1)	(22.1-43.6)	(21.4-44.6)
55-64	236	162	41	33
Rate*	54.6	54.9	58.9	49.0
95% C.I.	(47.6-61.6)	(46.4-63.3)	(40.8-76.9)	(32.3-65.7)
65-74	276	209	42	25
Rate*	87.8	99.6	80.7	47.8
95% C.I.	(77.5-98.2)	(86.1-113.1)	(56.3-105.1)	(29.1-66.6)
75-84	230	149	51	30
Rate*	127.6	126.0	162.1	98.2
95% C.I.	(111.1-144.1)	(105.7-146.2)	(117.6-206.6)	(63.1-133.4)
85+	114	68	26	20
Rate*	238.6	231.9	259.6	237.2
95% C.I.	(194.8-282.4)	(176.7-287.0)	(159.8-359.4)	(133.2-341.1)
Unknown	0	0	0	0

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

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



**Table 79. Female Breast Cancer Mortality by County of Residence, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

County of Residence	1996-2000 Mortality				
	Deaths	Rate*		Age-Adjusted Rate**	
		Rate	95% C.I.	Rate	95% C.I.
Carson City	35	28.1	(18.8-37.4)	23.5	(16.3-33.2)
Churchill	8	---	---	---	---
Clark	759	24.5	(22.8-26.3)	26.4	(24.6-28.4)
Douglas	16	16.2	(8.2-24.1)	13.4	(7.7-23.6)
Elko	14	12.8	(6.1-19.5)	19.3	(10.1-34.7)
Esmeralda	1	---	---	---	---
Eureka	1	---	---	---	---
Humboldt	11	27.5	(11.2-43.7)	32.7	(16.1-61.0)
Lander	3	---	---	---	---
Lincoln	2	---	---	---	---
Lyon	25	31.3	(19.1-43.6)	28.8	(18.5-43.3)
Mineral	5	---	---	---	---
Nye	19	26.4	(14.6-38.3)	20.1	(11.7-34.1)
Pershing	2	---	---	---	---
Storey	1	---	---	---	---
Washoe	218	27.0	(23.4-30.6)	28.8	(25.1-32.9)
White Pine	8	---	---	---	---
Unknown	0	---	---	---	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,128</b>	<b>24.7</b>	<b>(23.2-26.1)</b>	<b>26.1</b>	<b>(24.6-27.7)</b>

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

**Table 80. Breast Cancer Mortality by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Race/Ethnicity	Gender			
	Male	Female	Total	
White	Mortality	9	987	996
	Rate*	---	27.8	14.9
	95% C.I.	---	(26.1-29.6)	(14.0-15.9)
Black	Mortality	1	69	70
	Rate*	---	32.8	18.3
	95% C.I.	---	(25.2-42.4)	(13.9-24.0)
Native American	Mortality	1	5	6
	Rate*	---	---	---
	95% C.I.	---	---	---
Asian	Mortality	0	26	26
	Rate*	---	13.0	7.4
	95% C.I.	---	(7.0-25.7)	(4.1-14.5)
Hispanic	Mortality	0	41	41
	Rate*	---	11.8	6.2
	95% C.I.	---	(8.1-17.3)	(4.2-9.4)
Other/Unknown	Mortality	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	Mortality	11	1,128	1,139
	Rate*	0.3	26.1	14.1
	95% C.I.	(0.1-0.6)	(24.6-27.7)	(13.3-15.0)

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 81. Breast Cancer Mortality by Age Group and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Age Group	Gender		
	Male	Female	Total
<1	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
1-4	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
5-14	0	0	0
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
15-24	0	2	2
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
25-34	0	8	8
Rate*	---	---	---
95% C.I.	---	---	---
35-44	1	89	90
Rate*	---	12.3	6.0
95% C.I.	---	(9.8-14.9)	(4.8-7.3)
45-54	1	173	174
Rate*	---	29.0	14.4
95% C.I.	---	(24.7-33.3)	(12.3-16.5)
55-64	5	236	241
Rate*	---	54.6	28.0
95% C.I.	---	(47.6-61.6)	(24.5-31.5)
65-74	1	276	277
Rate*	---	87.8	44.7
95% C.I.	---	(77.5-98.2)	(39.4-49.9)
75-84	3	230	233
Rate*	---	127.6	71.1
95% C.I.	---	(111.1-144.1)	(62.0-80.2)
85+	0	114	114
Rate*	---	238.6	161.8
95% C.I.	---	(194.8-282.4)	(132.1-191.5)
Unknown	0	0	0
Total	11	1,128	1,139
Rate*	0.2	24.7	12.2
95% C.I.	(0.1-0.4)	(23.2-26.1)	(11.5-13.0)

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

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

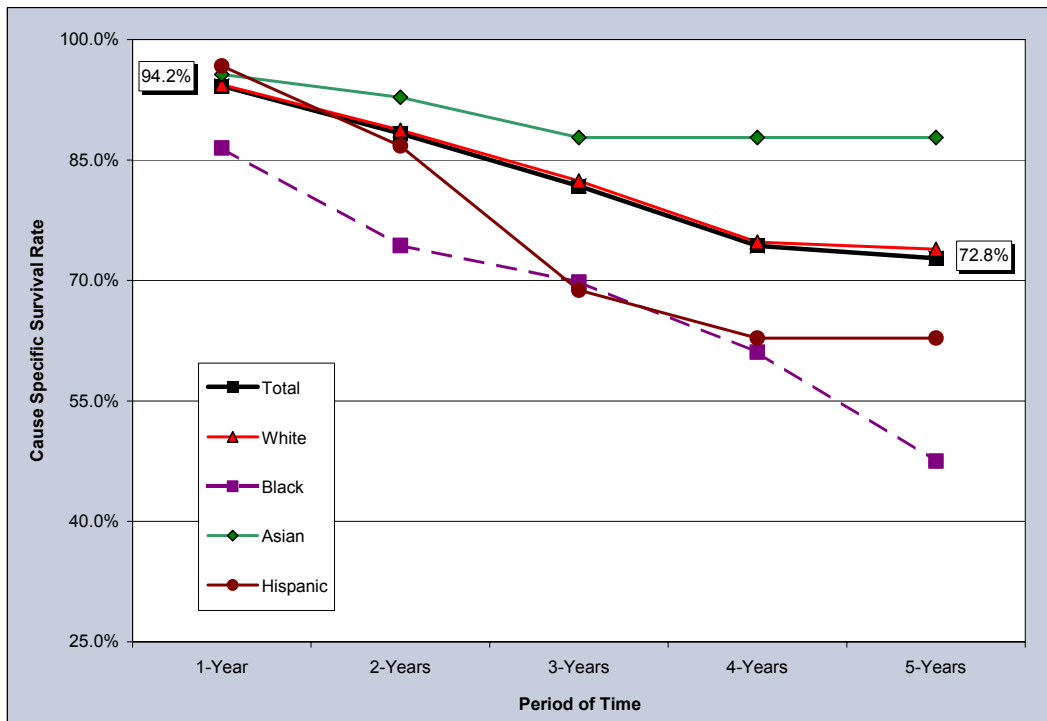
**Table 82. Median Age at Death from Breast Cancer by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Race/Ethnicity	Gender					
	Male		Female		Total	
	Deaths	Median Age	Deaths	Median Age	Deaths	Median Age
White	9	64.0	987	68.0	996	68.0
Black	1	---	69	63.0	70	62.5
Native American	1	---	5	57.0	6	58.0
Asian	0	---	26	54.5	26	54.5
Hispanic	0	---	41	59.0	41	59.0
Other/Unknown	0	---	0	---	0	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>61.0</b>	<b>1,128</b>	<b>67.0</b>	<b>1,139</b>	<b>67.0</b>

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.

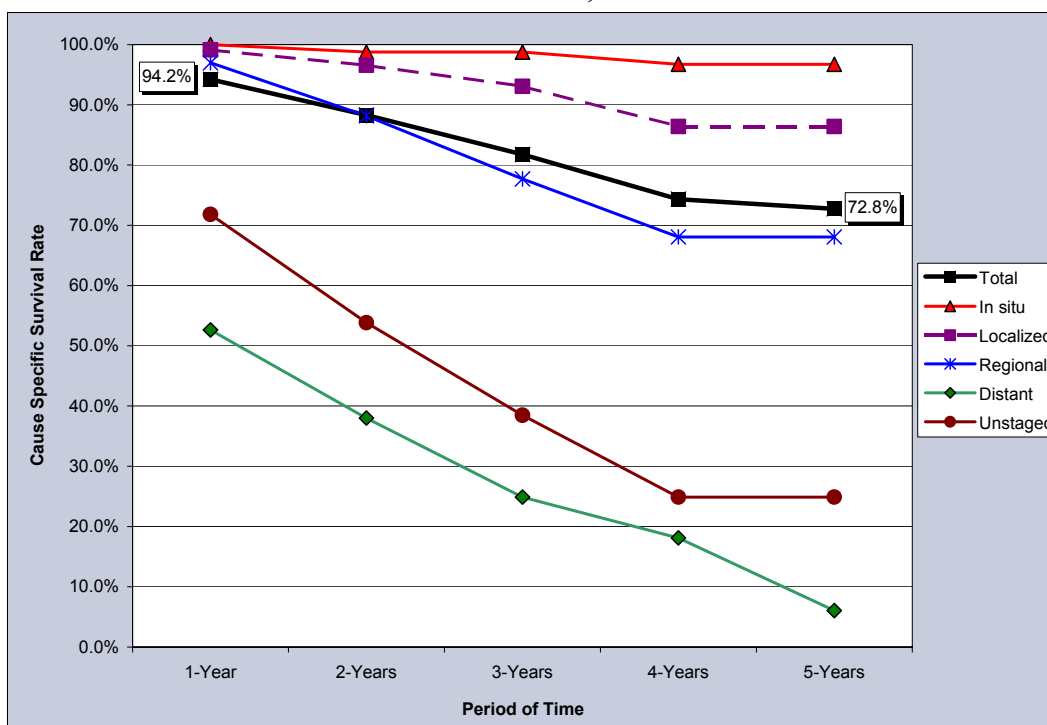
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**Figure 60. Survival Rates for Breast Cancer by Race/Ethnicity, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



Notes: The survival rate for those racial/ethnic groups not included in this chart could not be calculated due to small cell size.

**Figure 61. Survival Rates for Breast Cancer by Stage of Cancer at Diagnosis, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**



**Table 83. Cause-Specific Survival Rates for Breast Cancer by Race/Ethnicity and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

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	3,910	94.2%	88.3%	81.8%	74.3%	72.8%	>5 years
Male	41	---	---	---	---	---	---
Female	3,868	94.2%	88.4%	81.8%	74.3%	72.8%	>5 years
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>							
White	3,462	94.4%	88.7%	82.4%	74.8%	73.9%	>5 years
Male	38	---	---	---	---	---	---
Female	3,423	94.4%	88.9%	82.5%	74.8%	73.9%	>5 years
Black	170	86.5%	74.4%	69.8%	61.1%	47.5%	4.82
Male	2	---	---	---	---	---	---
Female	168	86.4%	74.3%	69.7%	61.0%	47.4%	4.81
Native American	11	---	---	---	---	---	---
Male	0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Female	11	---	---	---	---	---	---
Asian	96	95.7%	92.8%	87.8%	87.8%	87.8%	>5 years
Male	1	---	---	---	---	---	---
Female	95	95.7%	92.8%	87.8%	87.8%	87.8%	>5 years
Hispanic	124	96.7%	86.8%	68.8%	62.8%	62.8%	>5 years
Male	0	---	---	---	---	---	---
Female	124	96.7%	86.8%	68.8%	62.8%	62.8%	>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 84. Cause-Specific Survival Rates for Breast Cancer by Stage of Cancer at Diagnosis and Gender, Nevada Residents, 1996-2000**

Survival Rate of Stage at Diagnosis		Gender		
		Total	Male	Female
Total	Cases	3,910	41	3,868
	One Year	94.2%	96.4%	94.2%
	5 Years	72.8%	71.3%	72.8%
	Median Survival	>5 years	>5 years	>5 years
<b>Stage at Diagnosis</b>				
In situ	Cases	581	4	577
	One Year	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
	5 Years	96.7%	0.0%	96.7%
	Median Survival	>5 years	0.00	>5 years
Localized	Cases	1,962	24	1,937
	One Year	99.1%	100.0%	99.1%
	5 Years	86.4%	0.0%	86.4%
	Median Survival	>5 years	0.00	>5 years
Regional	Cases	964	7	957
	One Year	97.0%	80.0%	97.1%
	5 Years	68.1%	0.0%	68.1%
	Median Survival	>5 years	0.00	>5 years
Distant	Cases	208	2	206
	One Year	52.6%	100.0%	52.4%
	5 Years	6.0%	0.0%	6.0%
	Median Survival	1.18	0.00	1.16
Unstaged	Cases	195	4	191
	One Year	71.8%	100.0%	71.0%
	5 Years	24.9%	50.0%	21.6%
	Median Survival	2.25	2.00	2.28

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) 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.