

**2020 NORTH CAROLINA CANCER MORTALITY BY RACE
PER 100,000 POPULATION
AGE-ADJUSTED TO THE 2000 U.S. STANDARD POPULATION**

Site	All Whites		All Minorities		Total	
	Deaths	Rate	Deaths	Rate	Deaths	Rate
Oral Cavity	323	3.0	86	2.7	409	3.0
Esophagus	371	3.5	83	2.6	454	3.3
Stomach	206	2.0	147	5.2	353	2.7
Colon/Rectum	1,193	11.7	393	13.4	1,586	12.1
Liver	702	6.4	251	8.0	953	6.8
Gallbladder	55	0.5	28	1.0	83	0.6
Pancreas	1,127	10.5	391	13.1	1,518	11.0
Larynx	125	1.1	40	1.2	165	1.2
Lung/Bronchus	4,018	36.7	1,001	33.4	5,019	36
Bone	44	0.5	14	**	58	0.5
Soft Tissue	115	1.2	50	1.7	165	1.3
Melanoma (Skin)	257	2.5	9	**	266	2.0
Female Breast	994	17.5	401	23.9	1,395	19.3
Cervix Uteri	70	1.4	54	3.2	124	1.9
Corpus Uteri	239	4.0	169	9.7	408	5.2
Ovary	297	5.1	86	5.2	383	5.2
Prostate	762	17.4	323	31.5	1,085	20
Testes	9	**	3	**	12	**
Bladder	437	4.2	83	3.1	520	4.0
Kidney	367	3.5	102	3.6	469	3.5
Endocrine	54	0.6	30	1.0	84	0.7
Multiple Myeloma	245	2.3	151	5.4	396	3.0
Leukemia	587	5.7	126	4.4	713	5.5
Brain & Other CNS	420	4.2	97	3.2	517	4.0
Hodgkins Disease	19	0.2	4	**	23	0.2
Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma	519	4.9	109	3.8	628	4.7
Other Cancers	1,735	16.4	497	17.3	2,232	16.7
All Cancers	15,290	144.1	4,728	161.4	20,018	148.4

Produced by the NC Central Cancer Registry, 02/2022.

**Cancer mortality rates based on any cancer deaths less than 16 are suppressed as they are not stable.

Cases may not sum to totals due to unknown or other values.

Rates are calculated using the bridged-race population estimates obtained from the National Center for Health Statistics available online at www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race/data_documentation.htm#vintage2020.