

Table 7: Five Most Frequently Diagnosed Cancers By Age Group, Sex, and Race, 2002-2006

The cancers listed are the five most frequently diagnosed cancers for each age group. Different age groups are at higher risks for different types of cancer. As age increases, the risk of cancer increases.

<u>WHITE MALES</u>			<u>MINORITY MALES</u>		
Ages 0-19			Ages 0-19		
Type	Cases	Rate ¹	Type	Cases	Rate ¹
Leukemia	180	4.3	Leukemia	68	3.8
Brain/CNS	152	3.6	Brain/CNS	42	2.4
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	60	1.4	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	27	1.5
Testis	49	1.2	Soft Tissue	19	1.1
Hodgkins Disease	46	1.1	Hodgkins Disease	17	1.0
Ages 20-44			Ages 20-44		
Type	Cases	Rate ¹	Type	Cases	Rate ¹
Testis	706	12.0	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	173	8.9
Melanoma	648	11.0	Colon/Rectum	151	7.8
Colon/Rectum	419	7.1	Lung/Bronchus	122	6.3
Non-Hodgkins Lymphoma	330	5.6	Prostate	95	4.9
Lung/Bronchus	301	5.1	Testis	91	4.7
Ages 45-64			Ages 45-64		
Type	Cases	Rate ¹	Type	Cases	Rate ¹
Prostate	8,401	210.1	Prostate	3,610	342.0
Lung/Bronchus	4,834	120.9	Lung/Bronchus	1,617	153.2
Colon/Rectum	3,105	77.6	Colon/Rectum	979	92.8
Melanoma	1,628	40.7	Oral Cavity	525	49.7
Urinary Bladder	1,494	37.4	Kidney	467	44.2
Ages 65 and older			Ages 65 and older		
Type	Cases	Rate ¹	Type	Cases	Rate ¹
Prostate	12,973	729.1	Prostate	4,037	1,206.0
Lung/Bronchus	10,080	566.5	Lung/Bronchus	1,772	529.3
Colon/Rectum	4,925	276.8	Colon/Rectum	1,041	311.0
Urinary Bladder	3,943	221.6	Urinary Bladder	341	101.9
Melanoma	1,916	107.7	Pancreas	284	84.8

¹ Rates per 100,000 Population and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Census.

In situ cancers except those of the urinary bladder and female breast are excluded.

Incidence rates for 2006 used the bridged-race population estimates obtained from the National Center for Health Statistics (Vintage 2007, available online at www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/datadoc.htm#vintage2007).

Table 7 (continued) : Five Most Frequently Diagnosed Cancers By Age Group, Sex, and Race, 2002-2006

<u>WHITE FEMALES</u>			<u>MINORITY FEMALES</u>		
Ages 0-19			Ages 0-19		
Type	Cases	Rate¹	Type	Cases	Rate¹
Leukemia	158	4.0	Brain/CNS	37	2.1
Brain/CNS	132	3.4	Leukemia	36	2.1
Endocrine	84	2.1	Endocrine	23	1.3
Melanoma	45	1.1	Kidney	19	1.1
Hodgkins Disease	43	1.1	Bone and Joint	16	0.9
Ages 20-44			Ages 20-44		
Type	Cases	Rate¹	Type	Cases	Rate¹
Female Breast	3,130	56.2	Female Breast	1,241	57.8
Melanoma	1,021	18.3	Endocrine	273	12.7
Endocrine	1,004	18.0	Cervix Uteri	182	8.5
Cervix Uteri	544	9.8	Colon/Rectum	179	8.3
Colon/Rectum	385	6.9	Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	129	6.0
Ages 45-64			Ages 45-64		
Type	Cases	Rate¹	Type	Cases	Rate¹
Female Breast	12,953	310.4	Female Breast	3,599	286.6
Lung/Bronchus	3,660	87.7	Colon/Rectum	914	72.8
Colon/Rectum	2,240	53.7	Lung/Bronchus	850	67.7
Corpus Uteri	1,957	46.9	Corpus Uteri	420	33.4
Melanoma	1,156	27.7	Endocrine	259	20.6
Ages 65 and older			Ages 65 and older		
Type	Cases	Rate¹	Type	Cases	Rate¹
Female Breast	11,841	473.1	Female Breast	2,320	412.6
Lung/Bronchus	7,591	303.3	Colon/Rectum	1,303	231.8
Colon/Rectum	5,152	205.9	Lung/Bronchus	1,123	199.7
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma	1,904	76.1	Corpus Uteri	508	90.4
Corpus Uteri	1,732	69.2	Pancreas	392	69.7

¹ Rates per 100,000 Population and are age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Census.

* Cases less than 5 are suppressed.

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