

Arkansas, 2007

Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Arkansas reported 122 cases in 2007.
- **RATES:** Arkansas ranked 15 among 50 states, DC, and 3 territories with 4.3 cases per 100,000 population compared to the total rate of 3.8 cases per 100,000 population.

Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by sex

- In Arkansas, the rate among males was 5.2 per 100,000 population compared to the total male rate of 6.6 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 3.5 per 100,000 compared to the total female rate of 1.1 per 100,000.

Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity

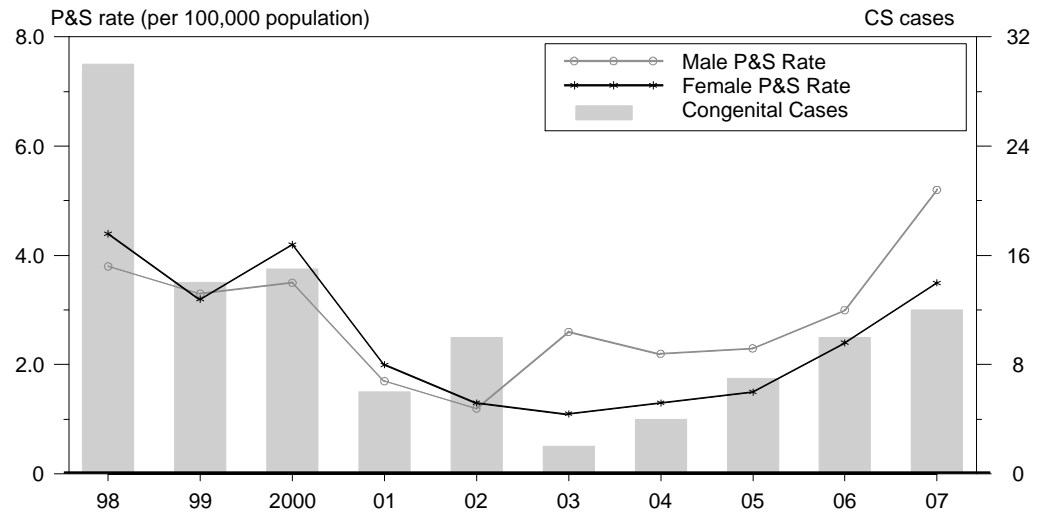
In Arkansas, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 1.8 among whites, 18.2 among blacks, 1.4 among Hispanics, 3.0 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 0.0 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.

- The rate among blacks was 10.1 times that of whites.
- The rate among Asian/Pacific Islanders was 1.7 times that of whites.

Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Arkansas reported 12 cases in 2007.
- **RATES:** Arkansas ranked 4 among 31 states, DC, and 2 territories reporting congenital syphilis cases with a rate of 31.1 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the total rate of 10.5 cases per 100,000.

Syphilis: P&S Rates and Congenital Cases, Arkansas, 1998-2007



Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Arkansas, 2007

