

Texas, 2007

Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Texas reported 1,160 cases in 2007.
- **RATES:** Texas ranked 10 among 50 states, DC, and 3 territories with 4.9 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 Texas, the rate among males was 7.4 per 100,000 population compared to the total male rate of 6.6 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 2.5 per 100,000 compared to the total female rate of 1.1 per 100,000.

Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity

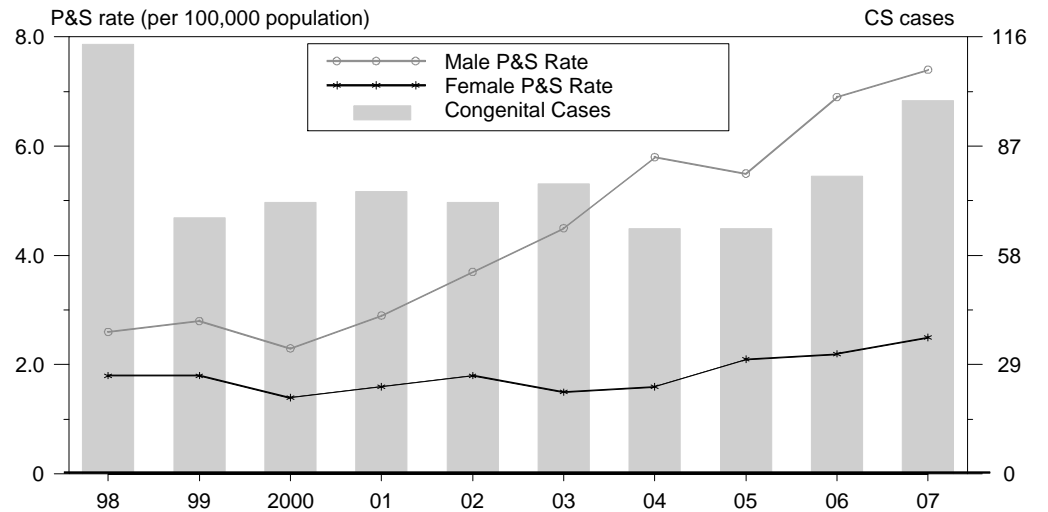
In Texas, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 2.4 among whites, 22.2 among blacks, 3.2 among Hispanics, 1.4 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 2.1 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.

- The rate among blacks was 9.3 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 1.3 times that of whites.

Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Texas reported 99 cases in 2007.
- **RATES:** Texas ranked 6 among 31 states, DC, and 2 territories reporting congenital syphilis cases with a rate of 26.0 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, Texas, 1998-2007



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

