

# Florida, 2005

## Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Florida reported 724 cases in 2005.
- **RATES:** Florida ranked 8 among 50 states + DC + 3 territories: 4.2 cases per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. rate of 3.0 cases per 100,000 population.

## Male-female rates of primary and secondary syphilis

- In Florida, the rate among males was 7.3 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 5.1 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 1.1 per 100,000 compared to the U.S. female rate of 0.9 per 100,000.

## Racial disparities of primary and secondary syphilis

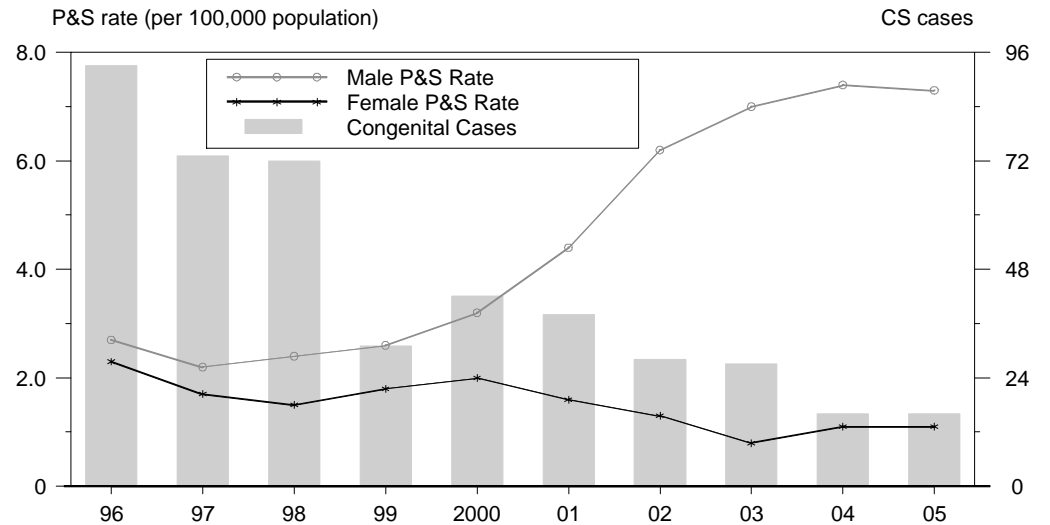
In Florida, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 2.9 among whites, 10.7 among blacks, 3.6 among Hispanics, 1.1 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 0.0 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.

- The rate among blacks was 3.7 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 1.2 times that of whites.

## Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Florida reported 16 cases in 2005.
- **RATES:** Florida ranked 15 among 28 states + 2 territories reporting at least one congenital syphilis case: 7.5 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the U.S. rate of 8.0 cases per 100,000.

## Syphilis: P&S Rates and Congenital Cases, Florida, 1996-2005



## Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Florida, 2005

