

Minnesota, 2005

Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Minnesota reported 70 cases in 2005.
- **RATES:** Minnesota ranked 29 among 50 states + DC + 3 territories: 1.4 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 Minnesota, the rate among males was 2.7 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 5.1 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 0.1 per 100,000 compared to the U.S. female rate of 0.9 per 100,000.

Racial disparities of primary and secondary syphilis

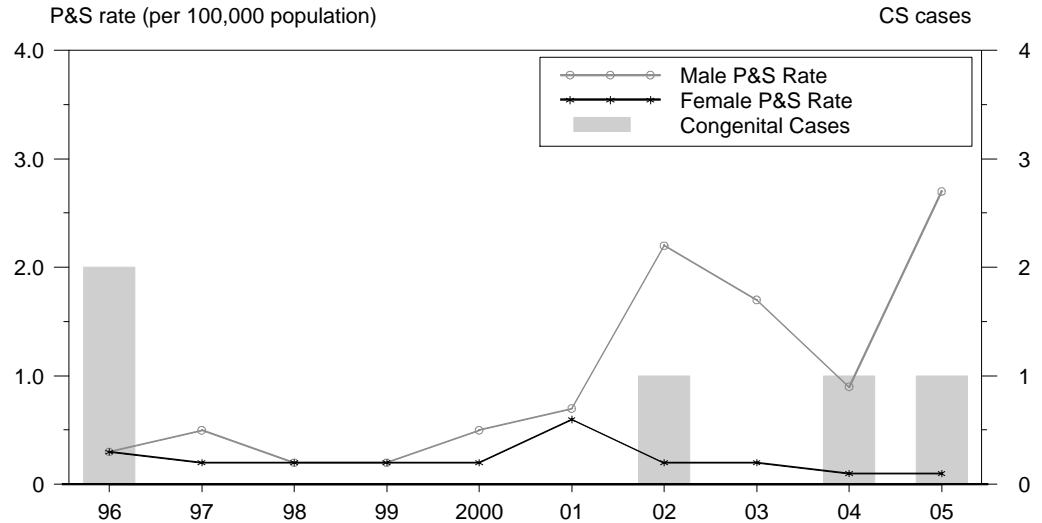
In Minnesota, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 1.2 among whites, 3.6 among blacks, 2.8 among Hispanics, 0.6 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 1.6 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.

- The rate among blacks was 3 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 2.3 times that of whites.
- The rate among American Indians/Alaska Natives was 1.3 times that of whites.

Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Minnesota reported 1 case in 2005.
- **RATES:** Minnesota ranked 27 among 28 states + 2 territories reporting at least one congenital syphilis case: 1.4 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, Minnesota, 1996-2005



Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Minnesota, 2005

