

# Pennsylvania, 2006

## Primary and secondary syphilis

- CASES: Pennsylvania reported 264 cases in 2006.
- RATES: Pennsylvania ranked 23 among 50 states, DC, and 3 territories with 2.1 cases per 100,000 population compared to the total rate of 3.3 cases per 100,000 population.

## Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by sex

- In Pennsylvania, the rate among males was 3.8 per 100,000 population compared to the total male rate of 5.7 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 0.5 per 100,000 compared to the total female rate of 1.0 per 100,000.

## Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity

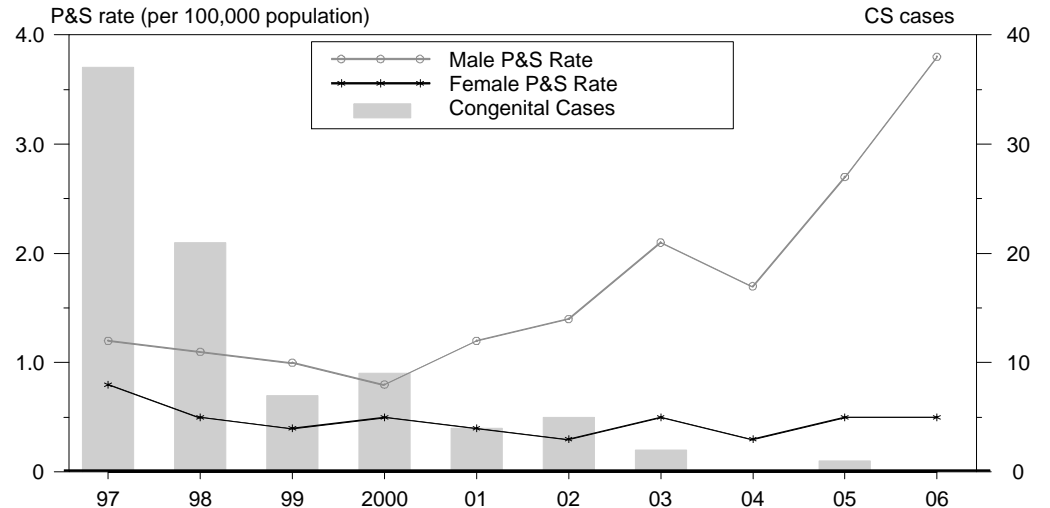
In Pennsylvania, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 1.1 among whites, 9.1 among blacks, 4.7 among Hispanics, 1.8 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 5.4 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.

- The rate among blacks was 8.3 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 4.3 times that of whites.
- The rate among Asian/Pacific Islanders was 1.6 times that of whites.
- The rate among American Indians/Alaska Natives was 4.9 times that of whites.

## Congenital syphilis

- CASES: Pennsylvania reported 0 cases in 2006.
- RATES: Pennsylvania had a rate of 0.0 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the total rate of 8.7 cases per 100,000.

## Syphilis: P&S Rates and Congenital Cases, Pennsylvania, 1997-2006



## Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Pennsylvania, 2006

