

Texas, 2005

Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Texas reported 873 cases in 2005.
- **RATES:** Texas ranked 10 among 50 states + DC + 3 territories: 3.9 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 Texas, the rate among males was 5.6 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 5.1 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 2.2 per 100,000 compared to the U.S. female rate of 0.9 per 100,000.

Racial disparities of primary and secondary syphilis

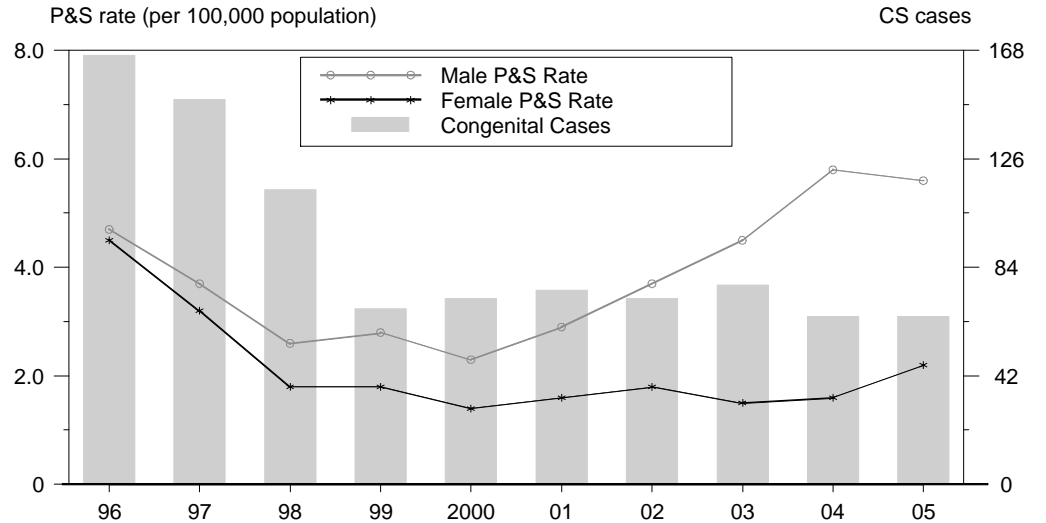
In Texas, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 2.0 among whites, 15.7 among blacks, 3.1 among Hispanics, 0.9 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 0.0 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.

- The rate among blacks was 7.9 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 1.6 times that of whites.

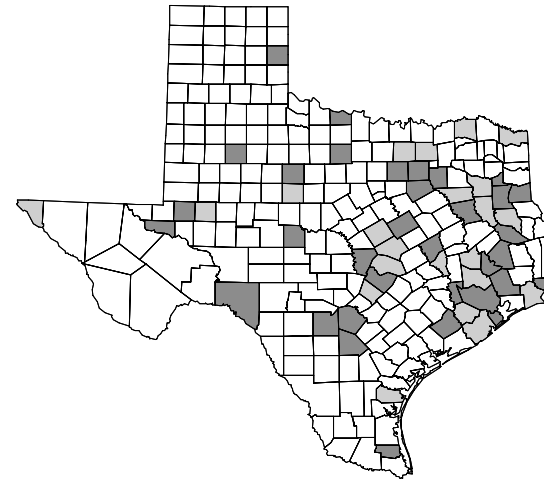
Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Texas reported 65 cases in 2005.
- **RATES:** Texas ranked 7 among 28 states + 2 territories reporting at least one congenital syphilis case: 17.2 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, Texas, 1996-2005



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



Rate (per 100,000 population)

