

Cancer Deaths by Race/Ethnicity and Age

San Diego County												State & National Rates		Goals
Race/ Ethnicity	1992		1993		1994		1995		1996		1996 Age- Adjusted Rate	Calif. 1992	U.S. 1995	HP 2000 ^{1,3}
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate				
Overall ^α	4,258	164.8	4,351	166.4	4,375	165.8	4,333	163.0	4,347	162.1	113.1	162.8 ²	130 ¹	130.0
White	3,632	218.2	3,701	221.3	3,688	221.1	3,669	220.1	3,587	215.7	118.8	128.6 ¹		
Hispanic	271	49.3	284	50.3	306	52.3	318	53.0	353	57.0	77.1	76.8 ¹		
Black	178	113.8	172	108.2	177	109.6	173	106.1	182	110.7	157.5	174.5 ¹	172 ¹	175.0
Asian/PI	164	85.4	190	96.7	194	96.0	165	80.0	211	99.3	96.8	84.1 ¹		
Native American	13	74.3	4	-	9	48.8	6	31.9	13	67.1	65.2			
Other	0	-	0	-	0	-	2	-	1	-	-			
Age Groups														
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate				
<1	0	-	1	-	0	-	0	-	0	1				
1-14	21	4.1	18	3.4	23	4.2	16	2.9	18	3.2				
15-24	13	3.2	17	4.3	15	3.8	15	3.9	22	5.7				
25-64	1,212	91.1	1,252	92.9	1,181	87.0	1,150	84.3	1,188	86.5				
65+	3,010	1,040.6	3,063	1,036.8	3,156	1,054.2	3,151	1,038.6	3,119	1,015.4				

No rates calculated for fewer than 5 events.

^α Overall may be greater than the sum of cases in Age Groups because deaths in which age could not be determined are included.

Rates calculated per 100,000 population.

Age adjusted rates calculated using the 1940 standard million population.

¹Age adjusted.

²1995 data.

³HP 2000 (16.1) "Reverse the rise in cancer deaths to achieve a rate of no more than 130 per 100,000 people."

Source: California Department of Health Services Center for Health Statistics, Vital Statistics Section, Birth and Death Statistical Master Files

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