

**2003 Cancer Incidence Rates by Sex
Per 100,000 Population
Age-Adjusted to the 2000 US Census**

Primary Site	All Males		All Females		Total	
	Cases	Rate	Cases	Rate	Cases	Rate
Oral Cavity	635	16.4	282	6.0	917	10.8
Esophagus	315	8.3	84	1.8	399	4.7
Stomach	306	8.5	205	4.3	511	6.2
Colon/Rectum	2,001	56.3	1,915	40.6	3,916	47.3
Liver	248	6.5	91	1.9	339	4.0
Gallbladder	25	0.8	48	1.0	73	0.9
Pancreas	442	12.5	427	8.9	869	10.6
Larynx	298	8.0	80	1.7	378	4.5
Lung/Bronchus	3,413	95.7	2,521	54.0	5,934	71.4
Bone	40	1.0	29	0.7	69	0.8
Soft Tissue	128	3.4	113	2.5	241	2.9
Melanoma (skin)	745	20.0	560	12.5	1,305	15.5
Female Breast	.	.	6,369	139.0	6,369	139.0
Cervix Uteri	.	.	311	7.0	311	7.0
Corpus Uteri	.	.	855	18.5	855	18.5
Ovary	.	.	546	11.7	546	11.7
Prostate	5,041	137.1	.	.	5,041	137.1
Testes	185	4.3	.	.	185	4.3
Bladder	1,087	32.3	394	8.3	1,481	18.1
Kidney	752	20.3	426	9.3	1,179	14.0
Endocrine	132	3.3	424	9.6	556	6.5
Multiple Myeloma	218	6.1	208	4.4	426	5.1
Leukemia	420	11.7	335	7.3	755	9.2
Brain/other CNS	229	5.9	174	3.9	403	4.8
Hodgkins Disease	101	2.5	98	2.3	199	2.3
NH Lymphoma	713	19.8	661	14.2	1,374	16.6
Other Cancers	1,117	32.0	1,103	23.5	2,220	26.9
All Cancers	18,591	512.5	18,259	395.0	36,851	440.6

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