

2002-2006 CANCER INCIDENCE RATES BY COUNTY FOR SELECTED SITES
PER 100,000 POPULATION
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	Cases	Rate	Cases	Rate	Cases	Rate	Cases	Rate	Cases	Rate
NORTH CAROLINA	20,843	48.4	32,376	75.0	35,163	147.2	29,402	153.2	207,251	477.0
Alamance	385	50.6	593	78.0	579	141.0	540	168.7	3,945	525.8
Alexander	69	37.0	144	76.2	117	112.6	111	125.1	770	405.9
Alleghany	37	45.4	53	65.0	43	112.8	48	129.7	330	426.7
Anson	49	34.7	94	66.4	91	124.3	86	140.0	546	390.3
Ashe	72	39.6	124	68.8	94	105.7	125	156.4	774	445.5
Avery	55	49.3	97	87.0	75	133.2	83	165.1	547	497.3
Beaufort	185	63.8	261	87.3	221	142.9	203	152.9	1,495	520.6
Bertie	79	68.5	87	74.1	97	154.3	103	207.0	581	500.9
Bladen	73	39.7	141	76.2	99	98.1	97	113.6	708	388.1
Brunswick	256	44.3	468	79.0	419	144.5	270	94.3	2,538	446.9
Buncombe	598	45.3	981	75.0	1,089	154.0	880	151.7	6,309	489.1
Burke	137	27.0	302	58.7	247	90.8	226	99.5	1,623	320.1
Cabarrus	362	53.2	592	87.6	575	149.0	474	159.4	3,701	534.0
Caldwell	219	49.2	360	78.7	345	142.8	239	118.4	2,019	451.2
Camden	27	61.6	37	87.1	39	162.5	35	169.6	226	517.4
Carteret	194	46.0	315	72.9	330	153.0	339	166.6	2,085	502.8
Caswell	48	34.6	92	66.3	77	103.5	77	128.5	486	354.9
Catawba	404	51.8	568	71.8	658	152.7	558	158.8	3,888	494.7
Chatham	106	33.1	165	51.1	193	117.2	207	144.9	1,213	382.5
Cherokee	92	48.8	148	77.0	114	124.0	84	93.1	756	413.5
Chowan	57	56.9	65	66.5	77	151.8	64	152.5	450	476.3
Clay	36	46.5	45	57.3	50	137.8	52	138.6	302	413.2
Cleveland	394	72.3	535	97.1	534	177.7	454	190.4	3,274	600.2
Columbus	136	44.2	240	76.6	236	143.0	227	159.8	1,461	474.7
Craven	276	53.0	457	86.7	420	151.8	485	200.7	2,853	549.3
Cumberland	631	53.6	924	77.6	1,036	144.4	810	153.1	5,808	470.9
Currituck	42	39.8	90	82.8	82	139.4	71	135.8	465	424.1
Dare	86	43.7	134	71.9	153	147.8	112	120.9	806	422.2
Davidson	405	49.2	701	83.9	556	123.7	448	117.9	3,788	457.4
Davie	92	42.5	170	77.8	145	126.3	134	129.0	994	460.2
Duplin	108	40.6	163	60.5	168	116.5	132	112.6	1,008	380.9
Durham	452	44.7	711	72.6	947	161.7	875	201.6	5,097	494.0
Edgecombe	171	60.4	235	84.2	267	165.6	224	191.3	1,497	531.8
Forsyth	768	46.2	1,315	79.4	1,499	161.6	1,157	161.3	8,548	513.3
Franklin	132	54.1	174	70.3	204	145.6	125	117.3	1,098	438.3
Gaston	551	53.6	933	90.7	812	142.4	725	167.9	5,194	505.6
Gates	33	54.0	35	57.1	33	94.1	33	112.9	202	326.9
Graham	14	25.5	33	58.6	19	67.3	21	82.1	163	303.1
Granville	154	60.4	224	87.9	182	133.1	196	162.1	1,387	533.7
Greene	51	52.0	55	57.2	64	120.9	62	140.3	384	388.8
Guilford	1,112	50.6	1,644	75.3	1,819	147.0	1,783	187.3	11,287	510.1
Halifax	181	55.1	217	65.6	276	152.9	253	184.6	1,568	480.1
Harnett	206	48.3	298	69.9	283	115.5	233	120.5	1,733	397.1
Haywood	183	45.9	313	76.7	301	151.0	247	133.5	1,818	471.1
Henderson	332	45.7	534	71.8	513	144.3	506	156.3	3,486	502.7
Hertford	103	74.5	92	66.2	114	152.1	122	210.5	687	504.5
Hoke	54	41.6	101	75.6	77	93.3	76	120.2	570	405.5
Hyde	16	44.1	17	48.2	19	118.9	19	126.3	127	372.5
Iredell	320	45.4	504	71.0	513	132.5	462	145.1	3,119	437.8
Jackson	118	60.9	133	67.2	125	116.0	114	127.4	884	461.0
Johnston	257	42.9	437	73.4	469	134.8	347	141.6	2,636	428.2
Jones	21	33.9	65	99.8	35	103.7	49	161.0	286	452.4

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Lee	189	63.1	264	87.4	248	156.0	217	161.5	1,551	520.0
Lenoir	217	63.3	279	79.0	326	169.3	328	220.4	1,954	570.6
Lincoln	178	52.5	263	75.4	260	136.4	239	145.9	1,645	467.4
McDowell	113	44.3	216	84.9	201	150.1	171	148.0	1,236	494.7
Macon	121	48.5	143	57.4	161	120.9	125	104.8	1,012	416.1
Madison	64	51.7	146	114.0	117	178.9	95	156.9	728	584.2
Martin	74	49.3	78	50.4	106	128.2	66	113.9	540	365.8
Mecklenburg	1,416	46.0	1,870	63.7	2,898	153.8	2,093	149.8	14,483	450.9
Mitchell	55	49.2	82	71.2	69	131.0	60	119.6	472	433.3
Montgomery	68	44.3	128	84.1	106	130.5	78	112.5	638	420.8
Moore	322	54.3	533	86.6	520	181.5	465	170.8	3,131	547.1
Nash	282	58.1	355	71.6	450	167.3	314	150.6	2,465	504.9
New Hanover	389	41.6	752	80.0	804	156.7	485	111.9	4,404	468.6
Northampton	62	42.6	77	51.2	95	131.3	138	217.2	621	435.0
Onslow	226	48.7	469	98.1	431	149.5	326	144.2	2,652	521.0
Orange	204	40.5	335	70.0	571	198.1	410	179.4	2,705	531.0
Pamlico	33	35.1	54	55.6	71	155.6	72	163.3	401	430.7
Pasquotank	110	55.9	119	59.6	171	158.1	153	183.2	913	464.0
Pender	93	34.7	189	69.8	183	136.5	141	111.0	1,143	436.3
Perquimans	53	62.6	50	56.9	69	162.2	54	136.4	370	444.8
Person	86	42.1	149	72.7	141	123.8	140	166.0	944	463.2
Pitt	289	48.6	453	77.4	607	178.9	470	189.3	3,260	541.9
Polk	73	46.2	78	49.8	118	161.9	75	110.9	601	409.6
Randolph	270	38.0	527	72.7	464	119.6	440	140.4	3,118	434.8
Richmond	112	44.2	233	90.3	188	133.5	152	139.2	1,164	460.1
Robeson	305	54.2	502	88.3	458	141.7	572	233.8	2,940	513.5
Rockingham	338	60.9	531	95.7	435	145.0	334	138.0	2,779	506.5
Rowan	336	45.1	513	69.0	526	136.8	304	92.8	2,896	393.3
Rutherford	242	61.2	286	72.9	317	152.2	243	141.0	1,962	507.7
Sampson	135	41.8	232	71.5	204	118.0	186	131.0	1,347	418.7
Scotland	94	53.2	175	95.6	168	161.1	173	217.1	983	536.6
Stanly	171	50.7	296	88.3	243	138.8	196	131.2	1,656	498.7
Stokes	96	38.1	192	74.2	177	128.1	103	93.0	1,050	415.0
Surry	214	48.8	404	90.7	300	129.7	245	125.0	2,133	492.3
Swain	25	30.4	54	63.0	45	106.1	32	82.5	285	352.0
Transylvania	89	38.3	157	63.4	170	143.9	165	146.7	1,002	439.8
Tyrrell	9	37.9	12	50.8	16	143.6	17	154.5	90	379.8
Union	263	43.4	397	65.4	435	120.9	370	132.3	2,640	416.8
Vance	159	71.1	213	94.3	161	128.5	171	189.3	1,186	531.7
Wake	1,175	44.3	1,622	63.3	2,795	167.4	2,004	164.4	13,554	475.3
Warren	63	49.8	85	67.4	85	131.3	99	175.2	565	446.2
Washington	48	59.0	56	65.7	67	146.0	57	156.3	391	470.8
Watauga	83	40.8	118	57.8	163	151.0	115	117.8	961	474.0
Wayne	282	49.7	455	79.6	473	149.5	298	121.4	2,558	446.7
Wilkes	155	39.5	289	72.2	255	121.8	299	161.9	1,793	455.7
Wilson	231	57.4	312	76.9	338	150.3	271	158.2	1,974	488.6
Yadkin	116	54.5	148	67.4	155	134.7	154	158.2	1,042	486.7
Yancey	76	61.9	116	89.7	98	157.0	90	151.5	635	516.2

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Incidence rates for 2006 used the bridged-race population estimates obtained from the National Center for Health Statistics (Vintage 2007, available online at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/datadoc.htm#vintage2007>).