



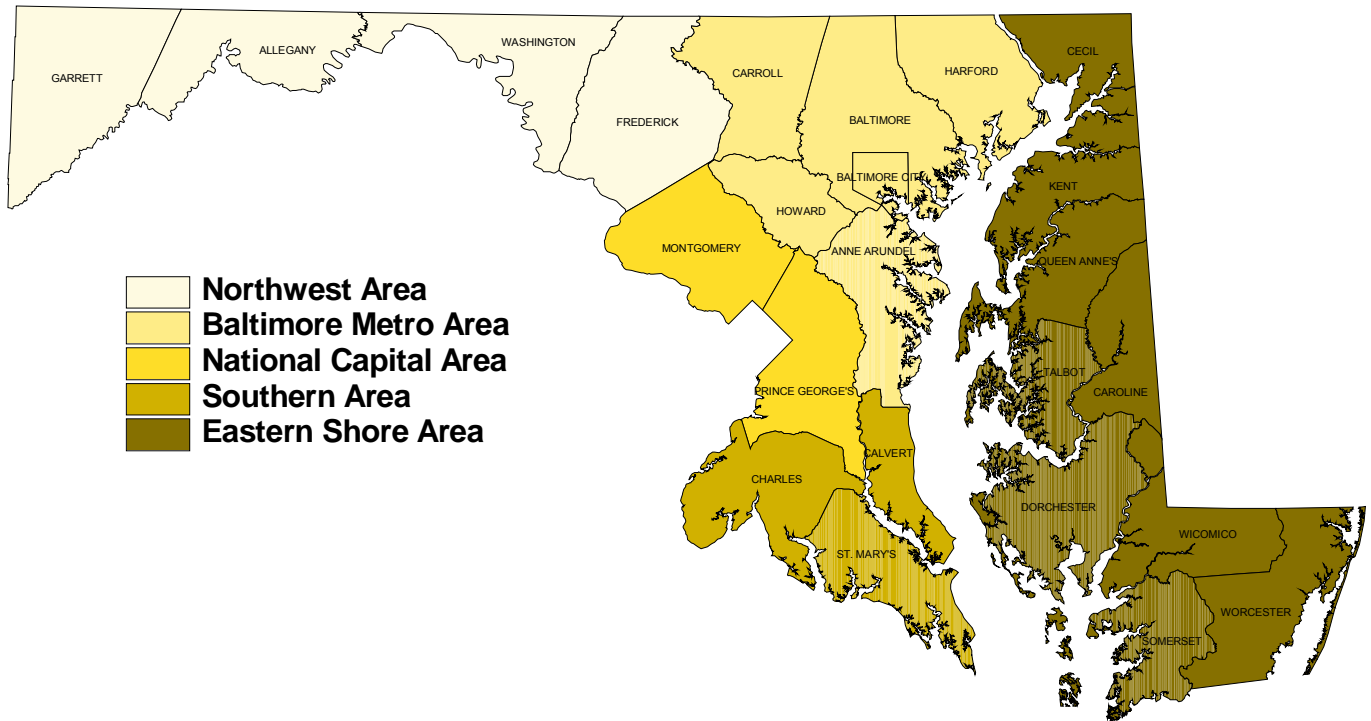
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DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATORY NOTES

Data contained in this report are presented on a county of residence basis, regardless of where the vital event occurred, unless specifically noted otherwise. Birth, death and fetal death data include information for all Maryland residents, regardless of whether the birth or death occurred in Maryland or in the remainder of the United States. Information on marriages and divorces is limited to events occurring in Maryland.

DEFINITIONS

Age-adjustment: A methodology used to compare rates among populations with differing age distributions. The direct method of age-adjustment was used to calculate the rates in this report. Using this methodology, the crude death rate for each age group is multiplied by the proportion of the standard population within that age group; the sum of the products is the age-adjusted rate. Age-adjusted rates in this report are standardized to the projected 2000 U.S. population and are expressed as rates per 100,000 population. Publications prior to 1999 present adjustments to the 1940 standard U.S. population. **Age-adjusted rates should not be compared to crude rates or to adjusted rates calculated using a different standard population.** See page xiii for a discussion of the new standard.

Age-specific birth rate: Number of births to mothers of a specific age per 1,000 females in that age group.

Age-specific death rate: Number of deaths in a specific age group per 1,000 or 100,000 population in the same age group.

Crude birth rate: Number of live births per 1,000 population.

Crude death rate: Number of deaths from all causes per 1,000 or per 100,000 population. Death rates for specific causes are per 100,000 population.

General fertility rate: Total number of births per 1,000 females aged 15-44.

Fetal death*: Death before the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of human conception, irrespective of the duration of pregnancy; the death is indicated by the fact that after such separation, the fetus does not breathe or show any evidence of life, such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord or definite movement of voluntary muscles.

Fetal mortality rate*: Number of reportable* fetal deaths per 1,000 total births. Total births include live births plus fetal deaths of twenty or more weeks' gestation.

Infant death: Death occurring to a person under one year of age.

Infant mortality rate: Number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births.

Length of pregnancy: A measure of the duration of gestation in completed weeks as estimated by the attending physician.

Live birth*: The complete expulsion or extraction from its mother of a product of human conception, irrespective of the period of gestation, which, after such separation, breathes or shows any other evidence of life, such as beating of the heart, pulsation of the umbilical cord or definite movement of voluntary muscle, whether or not the umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached.

Life expectancy: The average number of years of life remaining for an individual of a particular age group.

Low birth weight: A live birth weighing less than 2,500 grams (5.5 pounds).

Maternal death: Deaths due to pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (ICD-10 codes O00-O95, O98-O99, A34) occurring either during pregnancy or within 42 days of delivery or termination of pregnancy.

Maternal mortality rate: Number of maternal deaths per 100,000 live births.

Neonatal death: Death occurring to an infant under 28 days of age.

Neonatal mortality rate: Number of neonatal deaths per 1,000 live births.

Perinatal death: In this report, defined as the death of a fetus of 28 or more weeks' gestation or of an infant less than 7 days of age. Other commonly used definitions for perinatal death range from 20 to 28 weeks' gestation through seven to 28 days of life.

Perinatal death rate: In this report, defined as the number of perinatal deaths divided by the number of fetal deaths of 28 or more weeks' gestation plus the number of live births times 1,000. See perinatal death.

Postneonatal death: Death occurring to an infant between 28 days and one year of age.

Postneonatal mortality rate: Number of postneonatal deaths per 1,000 live births.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

Population

Between the decennial censuses, the Census Bureau, with the assistance of the Federal State Cooperative Program for Population Estimates (FSCPE), develops annual population estimates. These estimates use as their starting point data from the most recent decennial census (currently April 1, 2000). Estimates for each year are derived using data on resident births, resident deaths, net international immigration, internal migration and net movement of U.S. armed forces. Estimates by race, sex, age and Hispanic origin are prepared for all states and counties. Estimates are also available for certain subcounty areas. Further information on the preparation of population estimates may be found on the Census Bureau website at <http://www.census.gov/popest/topics/methodology>.

The population estimates appearing in this report for Maryland and its political subdivisions are “bridged-race” estimates prepared by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) in collaboration with the U.S. Census Bureau. These data were prepared in order to “bridge” population data for multiple race individuals back to single race categories, and to make racial categories consistent with pre-Census 2000 data. In 1997, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) issued a new directive with regard to the collection of race data, and beginning with the 2000 U.S. Census, respondents were given the opportunity to identify themselves by more than one race. At the same time, the number of race categories increased from four (White; Black or African American; American Indian or Alaskan Native; and Asian or Pacific Islander) to five (American Indian or Alaskan Native; Asian; Black or African American; Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander; and White). These changes increased the number of potential race categories from four to 31.

Since birth and death records in most states collect race information using pre-1997 OMB standards, the numerator (number of births or deaths) and denominator (population) data used to calculate vital statistics rates are not compatible. To address this issue, NCHS and the U.S. Census Bureau developed a method of “bridging” the 31 racial categories to the four single race categories used prior to Census 2000. This methodology was developed using information obtained from the National Health Interview Survey, in which respondents who chose more than one race were asked to also choose the single race with which they most closely identified. Further information pertaining to the preparation of bridged population data may be found on the NCHS website at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm>.

The 2003 population estimates appearing in this report are based on figures released by the U.S. Census Bureau on April 8, 2004. Baltimore City successfully challenged the accuracy of the Baltimore City population, and as a result, the Census Bureau announced in October 2004 that the population of Baltimore City, and therefore

the State, would be increased by 14,634. Since, the Census Bureau has not yet revised the age, race and sex breakdowns of the Baltimore City and Maryland populations, the estimates appearing in this report are based on the original estimates prepared by the Census Bureau. The Census Bureau will release revised 2003 figures for Baltimore City and Maryland when 2004 population estimates are released in April 2005. Revised estimates by age, race, and sex will be released in the fall of 2005.

Cause of Death

Beginning with 1999 data, the tenth revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD) was used to code the causes of death reported on death certificates. The ICD is a classification system for mortality data developed by the World Health Organization and other international centers to promote comparability in the collection, classification, processing and presentation of mortality statistics. The ICD-10 is periodically revised to reflect advances in medical science. ICD-10 replaced ICD-9, which was used with 1979-98 data.

ICD-10 differs substantially from ICD-9. ICD-10 includes expanded detail for many conditions, transfers conditions between classifications, incorporates the use of alphanumeric instead of numeric codes, modifies coding rules and modifies tabulation lists. Because of these changes, the presentation of mortality data by cause of death is substantially different, and discontinuities in trend data between ICD revisions are likely to exist for certain causes of death. To assist in bridging discontinuities in trends of causes of death between ICD revisions, the NCHS has prepared comparability ratios for 113 selected causes of death (see next section). Comparability ratios were prepared by double-coding a national sample of 1996 deaths using both ICD-9 and ICD-10 coding. Preliminary comparability ratios for 113 Selected Causes of Death are shown on page xiv of this report. These ratios were calculated by dividing the number of deaths attributed to a certain cause of death using ICD-10 coding by the number of deaths using ICD-9 coding. A ratio of 1.00 indicates that the same number of deaths was assigned to a particular cause of death using ICD-9 and ICD-10 coding. A ratio of less than 1.00 indicates that the same number of deaths was assigned to a particular cause of death using ICD-9 and ICD-10 coding. A ratio of less than 1.00 results from either a decline in the assignment of deaths to a cause in ICD-10 compared with ICD-9, or because a cause of death in ICD-10 is only a part of the ICD-9 revision title. For example, the comparability ratio for salmonella infections is 0.81, which indicates that 19% fewer deaths occur as a result of the introduction of the ICD-10 revision. This ratio is calculated by dividing the number of deaths in ICD-10 codes A01-A02 by the number of deaths in ICD-9 codes 002-003. A ratio of greater than 1.00 may result from an increase in deaths assigned to a particular cause in ICD-10, or because the ICD-10 revision title is broader than the ICD-9 title for a cause of death. An example would be septicemia, with a comparability ratio of 1.19. This ratio indicates that 19% more deaths occurred from this cause using ICD-10 coding than by using ICD-9 coding.

In order to compare trends, all age-adjusted rates for causes of death shown in this report for years earlier than 1999 have been adjusted to the tenth revision by multiplying

the rate as it existed using the ninth revision by the comparability ratios described above and presented on page xiv.

Additional information on ICD-10 may be obtained on the NCHS web site at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/icd10des.htm>.

Age-adjusted Death Rates

Beginning with data year 1999, all federal agencies adopted the year 2000 projected U.S. population as the new standard for age-adjusting death rates. The year 2000 population replaces at least three different population standards used in earlier years. The use of these multiple standards resulted in difficulties comparing data prepared by agencies using different standards, and caused confusion among data users. Use of the 2000 standard was recommended to promote uniformity of data among agencies and to eliminate the need to calculate mortality rates using more than one standard.

As described in page ix of this report, age-adjustment is the process used to compare rates among populations with differing age distributions. Age-adjustment is used to eliminate the confounding effect of differences in age distributions among groups or over time.

Age-adjusted rates prepared using the year 2000 standard cannot be compared with rates calculated using other standards. Therefore, all age-adjusted rates for earlier years presented in the Maryland Vital Statistics Annual Report have been recalculated using the year 2000 standard population.

Further information about the year 2000 population standard may be downloaded from the NCHS website by clicking on “Year 2000 Population Standard for Age-Adjusting Death Rates in the United States Brochure” at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/mortdata.htm>.

*The definitions of live birth and fetal death are set by law in Section 14 (a) of Article 43 of the Maryland Code, 1957 Edition – Supplement. Fetal deaths are reportable for filing purposes only if the death occurs after a period of gestation of twenty or more completed weeks (Section 21 (a) of Article 43 supra). Therefore, the fetal deaths included in this report are only those of twenty or more weeks gestation.

Table III. Comparable category codes and estimated comparability ratios for 113 selected causes of death, injury by firearms, drug-induced deaths, and alcohol-induced deaths according to the Ninth and Tenth Revisions, *International Classification of Diseases*

| Cause of death (Based on the <i>Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992</i>) | Category codes according to the Tenth Revision (ICD-10) | Category codes according to the Ninth Revision (ICD-9) | Number of deaths allocated according to | | Estimated comparability ratio | Standard error | Relative standard error | 95-percent confidence limits | |
|--|---|---|---|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| | | | Tenth Revision | Ninth Revision | | | | Lower | Upper |
| Salmonella infections | A01-A02 | 002-003 | 30 | 37 | 0.8108 | 0.0644 | 7.9 | 0.6846 | 0.9370 |
| Shigellosis and amebiasis | A03,A06 | 004,006 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Certain other intestinal infections | A04,A07-A09 | 007-009 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Tuberculosis | A16-A19 | 010-018 | 653 | 764 | 0.8547 | 0.0172 | 2.0 | 0.8209 | 0.8885 |
| Respiratory tuberculosis | A16 | 010-012 | 518 | 572 | 0.9056 | 0.0201 | 2.2 | 0.8662 | 0.9450 |
| Other tuberculosis | A17-A19 | 013-018 | 135 | 192 | 0.7031 | 0.0407 | 5.8 | 0.6233 | 0.7830 |
| Whooping cough | A37 | 033 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Scarlet fever and erysipelas | A38,A46 | 034.1-035 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Meningococcal infection | A39 | 036 | 221 | 222 | 0.9955 | 0.0149 | 1.5 | 0.9663 | 1.0247 |
| Septicemia | A40-A41 | 038 | 21,258 | 17,791 | 1.1949 | 0.0042 | 0.3 | 1.1867 | 1.2030 |
| Syphilis | A50-A53 | 090-097 | 21 | 33 | 0.6364 | 0.1184 | 18.6 | 0.4043 | 0.8685 |
| Acute poliomyelitis | A80 | 045 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Arthropod-borne viral encephalitis | A83-A84,A85.2 | 062-064 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Measles | B05 | 055 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Viral hepatitis | B15-B19 | 070 | 1,123 | 1,346 | 0.8343 | 0.0120 | 1.4 | 0.8109 | 0.8578 |
| Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease | B20-B24 | *042-*044 | 12,765 | 11,150 | 1.1448 | 0.0045 | 0.4 | 1.1360 | 1.1536 |
| Malaria | B50-B54 | 084 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Other and unspecified infectious and parasitic diseases and their sequelae | A00,A05,A20-A36,A42-A44,A48-A49,A54-A79,A81-A82,A85.0-A85.1,A85.8 A86-B04,B06-B09,B25-B49,B55-B99 | 001,005,020-032,037,039-041,046-054, 056-061,065-066,071-083,085-088, 098-134,136-139,771.3 | 2,865 | 2,607 | 1.0990 | 0.0154 | 1.4 | 1.0688 | 1.1291 |
| Malignant neoplasms | C00-C97 | 140-208 | 464,688 | 461,544 | 1.0068 | 0.0002 | 0.0 | 1.0064 | 1.0072 |
| Malignant neoplasms of lip, oral cavity and pharynx | C00-C14 | 140-149 | 5,927 | 6,172 | 0.9603 | 0.0040 | 0.4 | 0.9525 | 0.9681 |
| Malignant neoplasm of esophagus | C15 | 150 | 9,596 | 9,630 | 0.9965 | 0.0020 | 0.2 | 0.9926 | 1.0003 |
| Malignant neoplasm of stomach | C16 | 151 | 11,480 | 11,408 | 1.0063 | 0.0019 | 0.2 | 1.0025 | 1.0101 |
| Malignant neoplasms of colon, rectum and anus | C18-C21 | 153-154 | 48,583 | 48,619 | 0.9993 | 0.0009 | 0.1 | 0.9975 | 1.0010 |
| Malignant neoplasms of liver and intrahepatic bile ducts | C22 | 155 | 9,732 | 10,102 | 0.9634 | 0.0023 | 0.2 | 0.9588 | 0.9679 |
| Malignant neoplasm of pancreas | C25 | 157 | 24,313 | 24,361 | 0.9980 | 0.0009 | 0.1 | 0.9963 | 0.9997 |
| Malignant neoplasm of larynx | C32 | 161 | 3,209 | 3,194 | 1.0047 | 0.0053 | 0.5 | 0.9943 | 1.0150 |
| Malignant neoplasms of trachea, bronchus and lung | C33-C34 | 162 | 131,750 | 133,936 | 0.9837 | 0.0005 | 0.1 | 0.9827 | 0.9846 |
| Malignant melanoma of skin | C43 | 172 | 5,941 | 6,139 | 0.9677 | 0.0032 | 0.3 | 0.9614 | 0.9741 |
| Malignant neoplasm of breast | C50 | 174-175 | 38,102 | 37,891 | 1.0056 | 0.0010 | 0.1 | 1.0036 | 1.0075 |
| Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri | C53 | 180 | 3,753 | 3,802 | 0.9871 | 0.0034 | 0.3 | 0.9805 | 0.9938 |
| Malignant neoplasms of corpus uteri and uterus, part unspecified | C54-C55 | 179,182 | 5,318 | 5,183 | 1.0260 | 0.0040 | 0.4 | 1.0182 | 1.0339 |
| Malignant neoplasm of ovary | C56 | 183.0 | 11,292 | 11,344 | 0.9954 | 0.0016 | 0.2 | 0.9923 | 0.9985 |
| Malignant neoplasm of prostate | C61 | 185 | 30,672 | 30,267 | 1.0134 | 0.0015 | 0.1 | 1.0105 | 1.0162 |
| Malignant neoplasms of kidney and renal pelvis | C64-C65 | 189.0,189.1 | 9,521 | 9,521 | 1.0000 | 0.0022 | 0.2 | 0.9957 | 1.0043 |
| Malignant neoplasm of bladder | C67 | 188 | 9,563 | 9,594 | 0.9968 | 0.0026 | 0.3 | 0.9916 | 1.0019 |
| Malignant neoplasms of meninges, brain and other parts of central nervous system | C70-C72 | 191-192 | 10,039 | 10,359 | 0.9691 | 0.0025 | 0.3 | 0.9642 | 0.9740 |
| Malignant neoplasms of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue | C81-C96 | 200-208 | 44,715 | 44,530 | 1.0042 | 0.0012 | 0.1 | 1.0019 | 1.0064 |
| Hodgkin's disease | C81 | 201 | 1,021 | 1,036 | 0.9855 | 0.0089 | 0.9 | 0.9680 | 1.0030 |
| Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma | C82-C85 | 200,202 | 17,924 | 18,326 | 0.9781 | 0.0018 | 0.2 | 0.9745 | 0.9817 |
| Leukemia | C91-C95 | 204-208 | 16,600 | 16,405 | 1.0119 | 0.0019 | 0.2 | 1.0083 | 1.0155 |

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| Cause of death (Based on the <i>Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992</i>) | Category codes according to the Tenth Revision (ICD-10) | Category codes according to the Ninth Revision (ICD-9) | Number of deaths allocated according to | | Estimated comparability ratio | Standard error | Relative standard error | 95-percent confidence limits | |
|--|---|---|---|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| | | | Tenth Revision | Ninth Revision | | | | Lower | Upper |
| Multiple myeloma and immunoproliferative neoplasms | C88,C90 | 203 | 9,099 | 8,763 | 1.0383 | 0.0030 | 0.3 | 1.0324 | 1.0443 |
| Other and unspecified malignant neoplasms of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue | C96 | --- | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| All other and unspecified malignant neoplasms | C17,C23-C24,C26-C31,C37-C41, C44-C49,C51-C52,C57-C60, C66,C68-C69,C73-C80,C97 | 152, 156,158-160,163-171,173,181, 183.2-184,186-187,189.2-190,193-199 | 51,182 | 45,492 | 1.1251 | 0.0021 | 0.2 | 1.1210 | 1.1292 |
| In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior | D00-D48 | 210-239 | 9,263 | 5,532 | 1.6744 | 0.0164 | 1.0 | 1.6422 | 1.7067 |
| Anemias | D50-D64 | 280-285 | 3,059 | 3,200 | 0.9559 | 0.0077 | 0.8 | 0.9409 | 0.9710 |
| Diabetes mellitus | E10-E14 | 250 | 48,636 | 48,242 | 1.0082 | 0.0011 | 0.1 | 1.0060 | 1.0103 |
| Nutritional deficiencies | E40-E64 | 260-269 | 3,215 | 2,763 | 1.1636 | 0.0165 | 1.4 | 1.1312 | 1.1960 |
| Malnutrition | E40-E46 | 260-263 | 2,607 | 2,665 | 0.9782 | 0.0151 | 1.5 | 0.9487 | 1.0078 |
| Other nutritional deficiencies | E50-E64 | 264-269 | 608 | 98 | 6.2041 | 0.5961 | 9.6 | 5.0358 | 7.3724 |
| Meningitis | G00,G03 | 320-322 | 592 | 584 | 1.0137 | 0.0136 | 1.3 | 0.9871 | 1.0403 |
| Parkinson's disease | G20-G21 | 332 | 10,404 | 10,392 | 1.0012 | 0.0028 | 0.3 | 0.9956 | 1.0067 |
| Alzheimer's disease | G30 | 331.0 | 29,707 | 19,121 | 1.5536 | 0.0071 | 0.5 | 1.5398 | 1.5675 |
| Major cardiovascular diseases | I00-I78 | 390-434,436-448 | 796,919 | 798,435 | 0.9981 | 0.0002 | 0.0 | 0.9977 | 0.9985 |
| Diseases of heart | I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51 | 390-398,402,404,410-429 | 615,564 | 624,405 | 0.9858 | 0.0002 | 0.0 | 0.9854 | 0.9863 |
| Acute rheumatic fever and chronic rheumatic heart diseases | I00-I09 | 390-398 | 2,446 | 2,980 | 0.8208 | 0.0089 | 1.1 | 0.8034 | 0.8382 |
| Hypertensive heart disease | I11 | 402 | 17,322 | 21,577 | 0.8028 | 0.0028 | 0.3 | 0.7973 | 0.8083 |
| Hypertensive heart and renal disease | I13 | 404 | 2,170 | 2,027 | 1.0705 | 0.0160 | 1.5 | 1.0392 | 1.1019 |
| Ischemic heart diseases | I20-I25 | 410-414,429.2 | 466,459 | 466,935 | 0.9990 | 0.0002 | 0.0 | 0.9985 | 0.9994 |
| Acute myocardial infarction | I21-I22 | 410 | 178,125 | 180,169 | 0.9887 | 0.0003 | 0.0 | 0.9880 | 0.9893 |
| Other acute ischemic heart diseases | I24 | 411 | 2,667 | 2,638 | 1.0110 | 0.0117 | 1.2 | 0.9880 | 1.0340 |
| Other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease | I20,I25 | 412-414,429.2 | 285,667 | 284,128 | 1.0054 | 0.0004 | 0.0 | 1.0046 | 1.0062 |
| Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, so described | I25.0 | 429.2 | 64,354 | 61,362 | 1.0488 | 0.0016 | 0.2 | 1.0456 | 1.0519 |
| All other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease | I20,I25.1-I25.9 | 412-414 | 221,313 | 222,766 | 0.9935 | 0.0004 | 0.0 | 0.9927 | 0.9942 |
| Other heart diseases | I26-I51 | 415-429.1,429.3-429.9 | 127,167 | 130,886 | 0.9716 | 0.0010 | 0.1 | 0.9696 | 0.9736 |
| Acute and subacute endocarditis | I33 | 421 | 552 | 554 | 0.9964 | 0.0137 | 1.4 | 0.9695 | 1.0233 |
| Diseases of pericardium and acute myocarditis | I30-I31,I40 | 420,422-423 | 489 | 475 | 1.0295 | 0.0160 | 1.6 | 0.9981 | 1.0608 |
| Heart failure | I50 | 428 | 44,297 | 42,554 | 1.0410 | 0.0013 | 0.1 | 1.0384 | 1.0435 |
| All other forms of heart disease | I26-I28,I34-I38,I42-I49,151 | 415-417,424-427,429.0-429.1,429.3-429.9 | 81,829 | 87,303 | 0.9373 | 0.0014 | 0.2 | 0.9345 | 0.9401 |
| Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease | I10,I12 | 401,403 | 11,958 | 10,684 | 1.1192 | 0.0050 | 0.4 | 1.1094 | 1.1291 |
| Cerebrovascular diseases | I60-I69 | 430-434,436-438 | 137,264 | 129,640 | 1.0588 | 0.0008 | 0.1 | 1.0572 | 1.0604 |
| Atherosclerosis | I70 | 440 | 13,894 | 14,417 | 0.9637 | 0.0025 | 0.3 | 0.9588 | 0.9686 |
| Other diseases of circulatory system | I71-I78 | 441-448 | 18,239 | 19,289 | 0.9456 | 0.0021 | 0.2 | 0.9414 | 0.9498 |
| Aortic aneurysm and dissection | I71 | 441 | 12,216 | 12,201 | 1.0012 | 0.0010 | 0.1 | 0.9992 | 1.0032 |
| Other diseases of arteries, arterioles and capillaries | I72-I78 | 442-448 | 6,023 | 7,088 | 0.8497 | 0.0053 | 0.6 | 0.8394 | 0.8601 |
| Other disorders of circulatory system | I80-I99 | 451-459 | 2,984 | 2,899 | 1.0293 | 0.0172 | 1.7 | 0.9956 | 1.0631 |
| Influenza and pneumonia | J10-J18 | 480-487 | 50,526 | 72,371 | 0.6982 | 0.0018 | 0.3 | 0.6947 | 0.7016 |
| Influenza | J10-J11 | 487 | 572 | 567 | 1.0088 | 0.0073 | 0.7 | 0.9945 | 1.0231 |
| Pneumonia | J12-J18 | 480-486 | 49,954 | 71,804 | 0.6957 | 0.0018 | 0.3 | 0.6922 | 0.6992 |
| Other acute lower respiratory infections | J20-J22 | 466 | 346 | 355 | 0.9746 | 0.0392 | 4.0 | 0.8978 | 1.0515 |
| Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis | J20-J21 | 466 | 265 | 355 | 0.7465 | 0.0264 | 3.5 | 0.6947 | 0.7983 |

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|---|---|--|---|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| | | | Tenth Revision | Ninth Revision | | | | Lower | Upper |
| Unspecified acute lower respiratory infection | J22 | --- | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Chronic lower respiratory diseases. | J40-J47 | 490-494,496 | 94,326 | 90,022 | 1.0478 | 0.0009 | 0.1 | 1.0460 | 1.0496 |
| Bronchitis, chronic and unspecified | J40-J42 | 490-491 | 913 | 2,320 | 0.3935 | 0.0107 | 2.7 | 0.3726 | 0.4145 |
| Emphysema. | J43 | 492 | 14,369 | 14,774 | 0.9726 | 0.0031 | 0.3 | 0.9666 | 0.9786 |
| Asthma | J45-J46 | 493 | 4,217 | 4,718 | 0.8938 | 0.0061 | 0.7 | 0.8819 | 0.9057 |
| Other chronic lower respiratory diseases. | J44,J47 | 494,496 | 74,827 | 68,210 | 1.0970 | 0.0014 | 0.1 | 1.0943 | 1.0998 |
| Pneumoconioses and chemical effects | J60-J66,J68 | 500-506 | 860 | 845 | 1.0178 | 0.0099 | 1.0 | 0.9983 | 1.0372 |
| Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids. | J69 | 507 | 10,183 | 9,104 | 1.1185 | 0.0048 | 0.4 | 1.1092 | 1.1279 |
| Other diseases of respiratory system | J00-J06,J30-J39,J67,J70-J98 | 034.0,460-465,470-478,495,508-519 | 16,656 | 14,269 | 1.1673 | 0.0052 | 0.4 | 1.1572 | 1.1774 |
| Peptic ulcer | K25-K28 | 531-534 | 3,574 | 3,686 | 0.9696 | 0.0045 | 0.5 | 0.9608 | 0.9784 |
| Diseases of appendix | K35-K38 | 540-543 | 209 | 202 | 1.0347 | 0.0242 | 2.3 | 0.9873 | 1.0820 |
| Hernia | K40-K46 | 550-553 | 658 | 633 | 1.0395 | 0.0154 | 1.5 | 1.0094 | 1.0696 |
| Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis | K70,K73-K74 | 571 | 21,688 | 20,920 | 1.0367 | 0.0027 | 0.3 | 1.0314 | 1.0420 |
| Alcoholic liver disease. | K70 | 571.0-571.3 | 10,147 | 9,965 | 1.0183 | 0.0050 | 0.5 | 1.0085 | 1.0281 |
| Other chronic liver disease and cirrhosis. | K73-K74 | 571.4-571.9 | 11,541 | 10,955 | 1.0535 | 0.0041 | 0.4 | 1.0454 | 1.0615 |
| Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder. | K80-K82 | 574-575 | 1,725 | 1,803 | 0.9567 | 0.0060 | 0.6 | 0.9450 | 0.9685 |
| Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis | N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27 | 580-589 | 24,939 | 20,242 | 1.2320 | 0.0044 | 0.4 | 1.2234 | 1.2407 |
| Acute and rapidly progressive nephritic and nephrotic syndrome | N00-N01,N04 | 580-581 | 161 | 249 | 0.6466 | 0.0342 | 5.3 | 0.5796 | 0.7136 |
| Chronic glomerulonephritis, nephritis and nephropathy not specified as acute or chronic, and renal sclerosis unspecified. | N02-N03,N05-N07,N26 | 582-583,587 | 468 | 1,213 | 0.3858 | 0.0144 | 3.7 | 0.3575 | 0.4141 |
| Renal failure | N17-N19 | 584-586 | 24,290 | 18,758 | 1.2949 | 0.0050 | 0.4 | 1.2852 | 1.3047 |
| Other disorders of kidney. | N25,N27 | 588-589 | 20 | 22 | 0.9091 | 0.0867 | 9.5 | 0.7392 | 1.0790 |
| Infections of kidney. | N10-N12,N13.6,N15.1 | 590 | 731 | 726 | 1.0069 | 0.0144 | 1.4 | 0.9786 | 1.0352 |
| Hyperplasia of prostate | N40 | 600 | 326 | 327 | 0.9969 | 0.0159 | 1.6 | 0.9658 | 1.0280 |
| Inflammatory diseases of female pelvic organs | N70-N76 | 614-616 | 63 | 64 | 0.9844 | 0.0410 | 4.2 | 0.9040 | 1.0648 |
| Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium. | O00-O99 | 630-676 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Pregnancy with abortive outcome | O00-O07 | 630-639 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium | O10-O99 | 640-676 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period | P00-P96 | 760-771.2,771.4-779 | 10,184 | 9,555 | 1.0658 | 0.0033 | 0.3 | 1.0593 | 1.0724 |
| Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities | Q00-Q99 | 740-759 | 5,950 | 7,025 | 0.8470 | 0.0055 | 0.6 | 0.8362 | 0.8577 |
| Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified | R00-R99 | 780-799 | 16,940 | 17,732 | 0.9553 | 0.0034 | 0.4 | 0.9487 | 0.9620 |
| All other diseases (Residual) | Residual | Residual | 109,853 | 122,107 | 0.8996 | 0.0015 | 0.2 | 0.8968 | 0.9025 |
| Accidents (unintentional injuries) | V01-X59,Y85-Y86 | E800-E869,E880-E929 | 31,084 | 30,163 | 1.0305 | 0.0014 | 0.1 | 1.0278 | 1.0333 |
| Transport accidents | V01-V99,Y85 | E800-E848,E929.0,E929.1 | 17,547 | 17,586 | 0.9978 | 0.0006 | 0.1 | 0.9966 | 0.9990 |
| Motor vehicle accidents. | V02-V04,V09.0,V09.2,V12-V14,V19.0-V19.2,V19.4-V19.6,V20-V79,V80.3-V80.5,V81.0-V81.1,V82.0-V82.1,V83-V86,V87.0-V87.8,V88.0-V88.8,V89.0,V89.2 | E810-E825 | 16,632 | 17,051 | 0.9754 | 0.0006 | 0.1 | 0.9742 | 0.9766 |

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|--|--|---|---|----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|--------|
| | | | Tenth Revision | Ninth Revision | | | | Lower | Upper |
| Other land transport accidents | V01,V05–V06,V09.1,V09.3–V09.9, V10–V11,V15–V18,V19.3,V19.8–V19.9, V80.0–V80.2,V80.6–V80.9,V81.2–V81.9, V82.2–V82.9,V87.8,V88.9,V89.1,V89.3, V89.9 | E800–E807,E826–E829 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Water, air and space, and other and unspecified transport accidents and their sequelae | V90–V99,Y85 | E830–E848,E929.0,E929.1 | 351 | 347 | 1.0115 | 0.0209 | 2.1 | 0.9706 | 1.0525 |
| Nontransport accidents | W00–X59,Y86 | E850–E869,E880–E928,E929.2–E929.9 | 13,537 | 12,577 | 1.0763 | 0.0035 | 0.3 | 1.0696 | 1.0831 |
| Falls | W00–W19 | E880–E888 | 5,173 | 6,152 | 0.8409 | 0.0049 | 0.6 | 0.8313 | 0.8505 |
| Accidental discharge of firearms | W32–W34 | E922 | 493 | 466 | 1.0579 | 0.0127 | 1.2 | 1.0331 | 1.0828 |
| Accidental drowning and submersion | W65–W74 | E910 | 283 | 284 | 0.9965 | 0.0127 | 1.3 | 0.9716 | 1.0213 |
| Accidental exposure to smoke, fire and flames | X00–X09 | E890–E899 | 493 | 506 | 0.9743 | 0.0089 | 0.9 | 0.9568 | 0.9918 |
| Accidental poisoning and exposure to noxious substance | X40–X49 | E850–E869,E924.1 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Other and unspecified nontransport accidents and their sequelae | W20–W31,W35–W64,W75–W99, X10–X39,X50–X59,Y86 | E900–E909,E911–E921,E923–E924.0, E924.8–E928,E929.2–E929.9 | 6,698 | 4,721 | 1.4188 | 0.0123 | 0.9 | 1.3947 | 1.4428 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide) | X60–X84,Y87.0 | E950–E959 | 18,352 | 18,422 | 0.9962 | 0.0005 | 0.0 | 0.9952 | 0.9972 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide) by discharge of firearms | X72–X74 | E955.0–E955.4 | 14,157 | 14,183 | 0.9982 | 0.0007 | 0.1 | 0.9968 | 0.9996 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide) by other and unspecified means and their sequelae | X60–X71,X75–X84,Y87.0 | E950–E954,E955.5–E959 | 4,195 | 4,239 | 0.9896 | 0.0023 | 0.2 | 0.9850 | 0.9942 |
| Assault (homicide) | X85–Y09,Y87.1 | E960–E969 | 12,287 | 12,308 | 0.9983 | 0.0006 | 0.1 | 0.9972 | 0.9994 |
| Assault (homicide) by discharge of firearms | X93–X95 | E965.0–E965.4 | 8,718 | 8,745 | 0.9969 | 0.0008 | 0.1 | 0.9953 | 0.9985 |
| Assault (homicide) by other and unspecified means and their sequelae | X85–X92,X96–Y09,Y87.1 | E960–E964,E965.5–E969 | 3,569 | 3,563 | 1.0017 | 0.0024 | 0.2 | 0.9969 | 1.0064 |
| Legal intervention | Y35,Y89.0 | E970–E978 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Events of undetermined intent | Y10–Y34,Y87.2,Y89.9 | E980–E989 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Discharge of firearms, undetermined intent | Y22–Y24 | E985.0–E985.4 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Other and unspecified events of undetermined intent and their sequelae | Y10–Y21,Y25–Y34,Y87.2,Y89.9 | E980–E984,E985.5–E989 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Operations of war and their sequelae | Y36,Y89.1 | E990–E999 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Complications of medical and surgical care | Y40–Y84,Y88 | E870–E879,E930–E949 | * | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Injury by firearms ¹ | W32–W34,X72–X74,X93–X95, Y22–Y24,Y35.0 | E922,E955.0–E955.4,E965.0–E965.4, E970,E985.0–E985.4 | 23,355 | 23,418 | 0.9973 | 0.0006 | 0.1 | 0.9961 | 0.9985 |
| Drug-induced deaths ¹ | F11.0–F11.5,F11.7–F11.9,F12.0–F12.5, F12.7–F12.9,F13.0–F13.5,F13.7–F13.9, F14.0–F14.5,F14.7–F14.9,F15.0–F15.5, F15.7–F15.9,F16.0–F16.5,F16.7–F16.9, F17.0,F17.3–F17.5,F17.7–F17.9, F18.0–F18.5,F18.7–F18.9,F19.0–F19.5, F19.7–F19.9,X40–X44,X60–X64,X85, Y10–Y14 | 292,304,305.2–305.9,E850–E858, E950.0–E950.5,E962.0,E980.0–E980.5 | 1,158 | 969 | 1.1950 | 0.0225 | 1.9 | 1.1509 | 1.2391 |
| Alcohol-induced deaths ¹ | F10,G31.2,G62.1,I42.6,K29.2,K70, R78.0,X45,X65,Y15 | 291,303,305.0,357.5,425.5,535.3, 571.0–571.3,790.3,E860 | 14,783 | 15,269 | 0.9682 | 0.0025 | 0.3 | 0.9633 | 0.9731 |

* Figure does not meet standards of reliability or precision; see Technical notes.

--- Category not applicable.

0.0 Quantity more than zero but less than 0.05.

¹Included in selected categories.

***VITAL
STATISTICS
HIGHLIGHTS***

Highlights of 2003

Population

- The reported **population** of Maryland in 2003 was 5,508,909. However, a late revision by the U.S. Census Bureau to the Baltimore City population increased the state estimate to 5,523,543.
- The distribution of the 2003 Maryland population was as follows: White (66.2%), Black or African-American (28.6%), Asian or Pacific Islander (4.8%) and American Indian (< 1%).
- Nearly 5% of the population was made up of individuals of Hispanic origin.

Life expectancy

- The **life expectancy** for an infant born in 2003 was 77.0 years. For whites, this figure was 78.5 years and for blacks, 72.5 years.

Births

- There were 74,865 **live births** to Maryland residents in 2003, compared with 73,250 births in 2002. The overall **birth rate** was 13.6 births per 1,000 population.
- The **birth rate** among women of Hispanic origin was 26.6, nearly twice as high as the statewide average.
- Births to **teen mothers** under the age of 20 accounted for 8.5% of all births. Three percent of all births were to mothers under the age of 18.
- The **birth rate for adolescents** ages 15-19 fell to 33.3 per 1,000 live births in 2003, a 5.9% decline from the 2002 rate

of 35.4. Adolescent birth rates have been falling steadily over the past decade, particularly among blacks.

- Over thirteen percent of births were to women who had completed fewer than 12 **years of education**.
- **Fourth and higher order births** accounted for 10.3% of all births in 2003, identical to the 2002 figure.
- In terms of **area of occurrence**, 90% of all births to Maryland residents occurred within the State. Nearly 8% occurred in the District of Columbia and 2% in other states.
- Nearly 35% of all births in 2003 were to **unmarried women**. For white women this figure was 23.4%, for black women, 58.8%, and for Hispanic women, 46.2%.
- Nearly 84% of live births were to women who began **prenatal care** during the first trimester of pregnancy, and 3.8% were to women who received late (third trimester) or no prenatal care.
- The incidence of **low birth weight** (birth weight <2500 grams) was 9.1% in 2003. This figure was 7.1% for white infants, 13.1% for black infants and 7.0% for Hispanics. The incidence of **very low birth weight** (birth weight <1500 grams) was 1.9% overall, 1.3% for whites, 3.4% for blacks and 1.3% for Hispanics.
- Eleven percent of infants with known **gestational age** were delivered earlier than 37 weeks gestation. This figure was 9.6% for whites, 14.3% for blacks and 9.1% for Hispanics.

- A total of 3.8% of births were twin or higher order in 2003. The rate of **multiple births** has increased by 41% since 1994.
- Nearly 29% of infants born in 2003 were delivered by **cesarean delivery**, an increase of 3.6% from the 2002 figure of 27.7%.
- The overall **age-adjusted mortality rate** was 850.4 per 100,000 population in 2003, 1.5% lower than the rate of 863.1 in 2002.
- The **ten leading causes of death**, in rank order, were diseases of the heart, malignant neoplasms, cerebrovascular diseases, chronic lower respiratory diseases, diabetes mellitus, accidents, influenza and pneumonia, septicemia, Alzheimer's disease and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease.

Fetal and infant deaths

- The **fetal death rate** in 2003 was 8.4 per 1,000 total deliveries. This figure was 6.1 for whites and 14.0 for blacks.
- The **infant mortality rate** was 8.1 per 1,000 live births in 2003, nearly 7% higher than the 2002 rate of 7.6. The infant mortality rate was 5.4 for whites, 14.7 for blacks and 6.0 for Hispanics.
- The **neonatal mortality rate** was 5.8 per 1,000 live births in 2003, 5.5% higher than the 2002 rate of 5.5. The rate was 3.7 for whites, 10.6 for blacks and 4.2 for Hispanics.
- The **postneonatal mortality rate** was 2.3 per 1,000 live births in 2003, a 9.5% increase from the rate of 2.1 in 2002. The rate increased from 1.5 to 1.6 among whites and from 3.7 to 4.1 among blacks.
- The overall age-adjusted death rate for blacks was 1.3 times higher than the rate for whites. Rates were higher among blacks than whites for eight of the ten leading causes of death. The largest **race differential** by cause of death was for HIV disease, with a death rate 13.1 times higher among blacks than whites.
- **Heart disease** remained the leading cause of death in 2003. The age-adjusted mortality rate was 233.8 per 100,000 population, 19% lower than the rate a decade ago.
- The second leading cause of death in 2003 was **malignant neoplasms**, responsible for 23% of all deaths. The overall age-adjusted mortality rate for malignant neoplasms was 194.3 per 100,000 population in 2003, 3.5% lower than the rate in 2002.

Deaths

- There were 44,364 **deaths** among Maryland residents in 2003, compared with 43,917 in the year before.
- The **crude death rate** was 805.3 per 100,000 population in 2003, compared with 804.6 in 2002.
- **Age-specific death rates** declined for all age groups 35 years and above. There were increases in death rates for ages 5-34. There was also an increase in the infant death rate.
- **Cerebrovascular disease** was the third leading cause of death in 2003 with an age-adjusted mortality rate of 53.3 per 100,000 population.
- **Chronic lower respiratory disease** was the fourth leading cause of death in 2003. The age-adjusted mortality rate was 38.7 per 100,000 population, similar to the rate in 2002.
- The fifth leading cause of death in 2003 was **diabetes**, with an age-adjusted

mortality rate of 27.7 per 100,000 population.

- **Accidents** were the sixth leading cause of death in 2003 with an age-adjusted mortality rate of 26.5 per 100,000 population, 6.9% higher than the rate in 2002. **Motor vehicle accidents** were responsible for nearly half of all accidental deaths in 2003, while falls accounted for 22% of accidental deaths. Deaths from both of these causes increased between 2002 and 2003.
- **Septicemia** was the eighth leading cause of death in 2003. The age-adjusted mortality rate for septicemia was 21.0 per 100,000 population in 2003.
- The age-adjusted mortality rate for **Alzheimer's disease** was 17.2 per 100,000 population in 2003. Although the mortality rate for this cause of death has increased by 13% over the last ten years, the rate is showing signs of stabilizing.
- **Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)** infection was responsible for 637 deaths among Marylanders in 2003. The age-adjusted death rate for HIV has declined by 56% since 1995, when the rate peaked. However, the rate has gradually been increasing since 2000.
- There were 555 **assault (homicide)** deaths among Maryland residents in 2003, compared with 540 in 2002. The age-adjusted homicide rate decreased between 2002 and 2003 among whites, but increased from 25.7 to 34.0 among blacks.
- There were 482 deaths due to **intentional self-harm (suicide)** in 2003. The age-adjusted mortality rate for suicide was 8.7 per 100,000 population, identical to the 2002 rate.
- In terms of **place of occurrence**, 94% of all deaths among Maryland residents

occurred within the State. Nearly 4% occurred in the District of Columbia and 2% occurred in other states and countries.

Marriages

- There were 38,176 **marriages** in Maryland in 2003. Forty-three percent of marriages were performed in civil (non-religious) ceremonies. Thirty-three percent of brides and 35% of grooms were previously married. Forty grooms and 230 brides were under the age of 18.

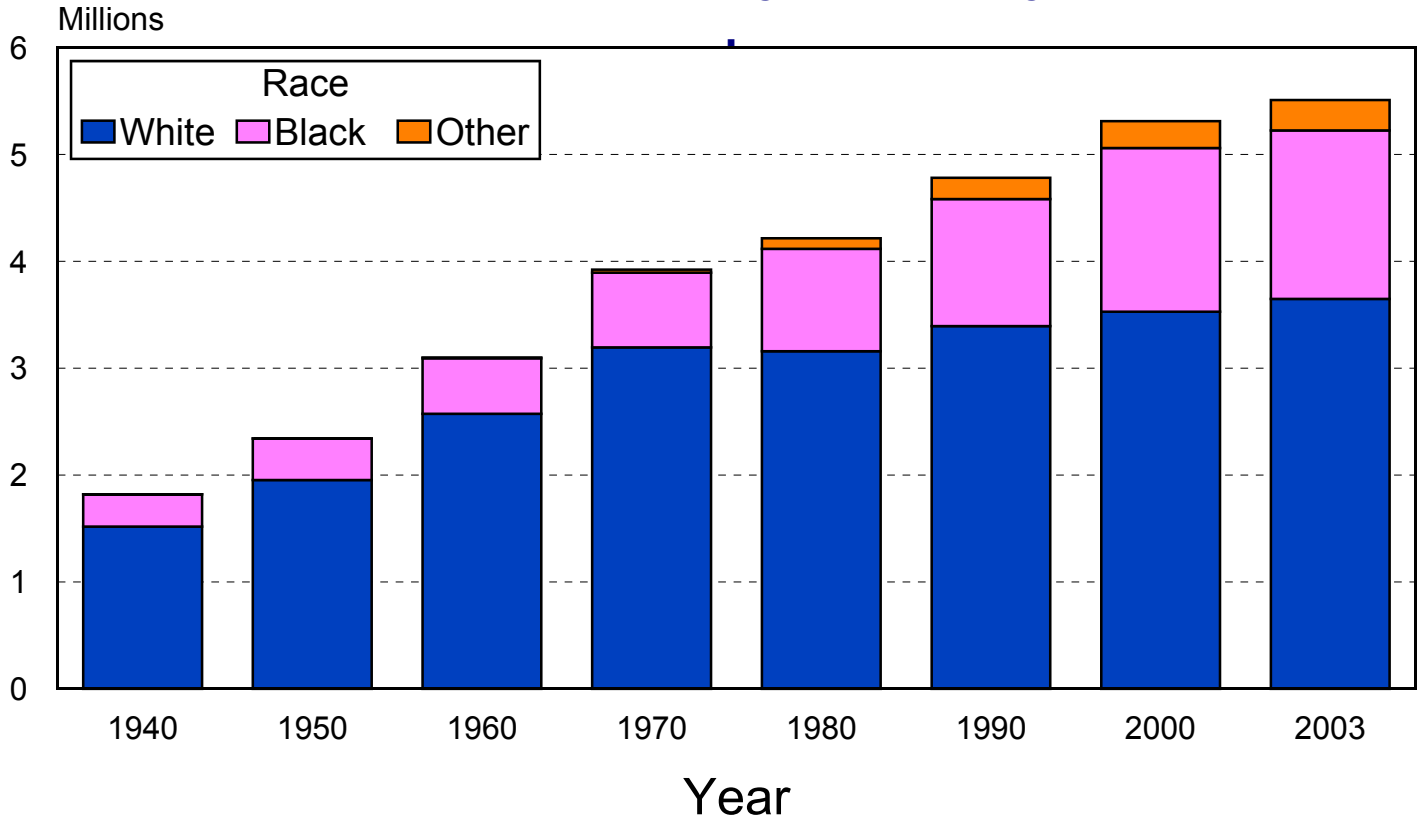
Divorces

- There were 17,642 **divorces and annulments** in 2003. The majority of persons divorcing were between the ages of 30 and 44, and nearly half reported having children under the age of 18 years. Approximately half of divorcing couples had been married less than 10 years, while over 18% had been married 20 or more years.

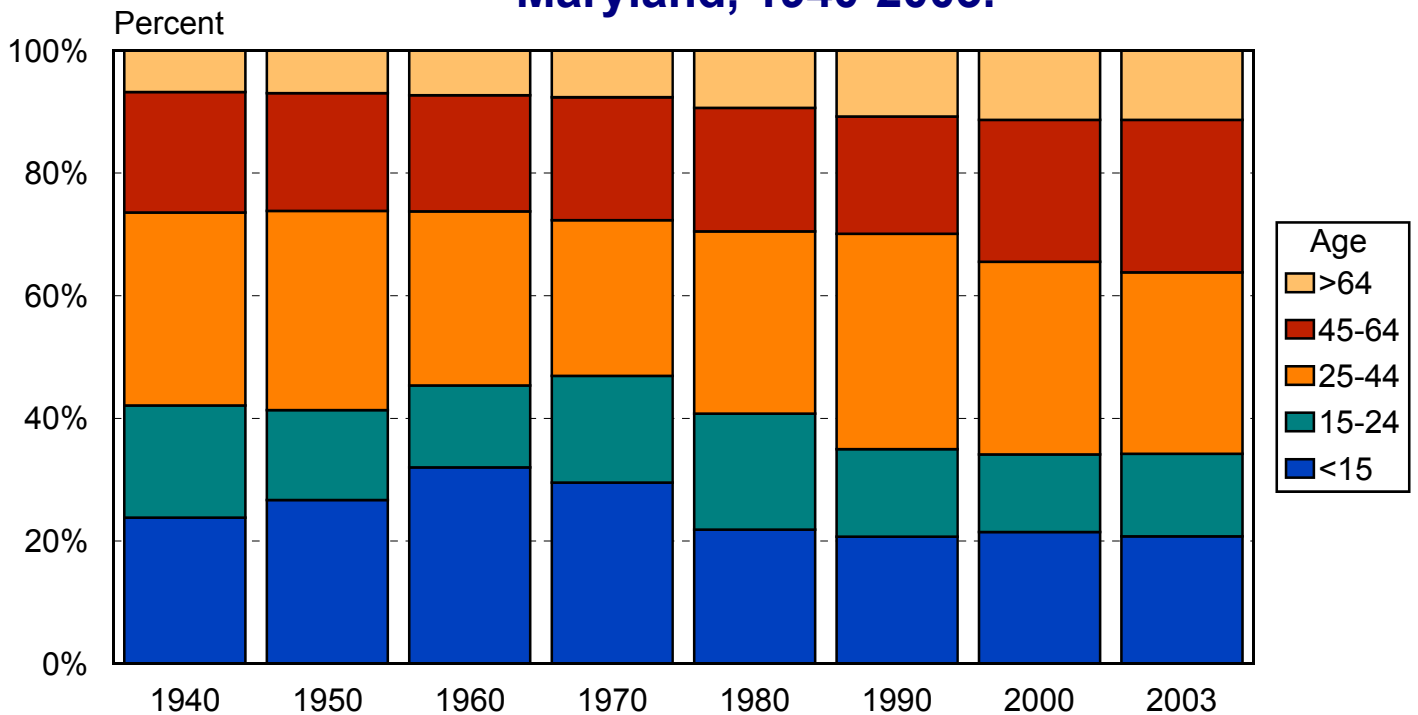
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POPULATION

Distribution of the Population by Race, Maryland, 1940-2003.

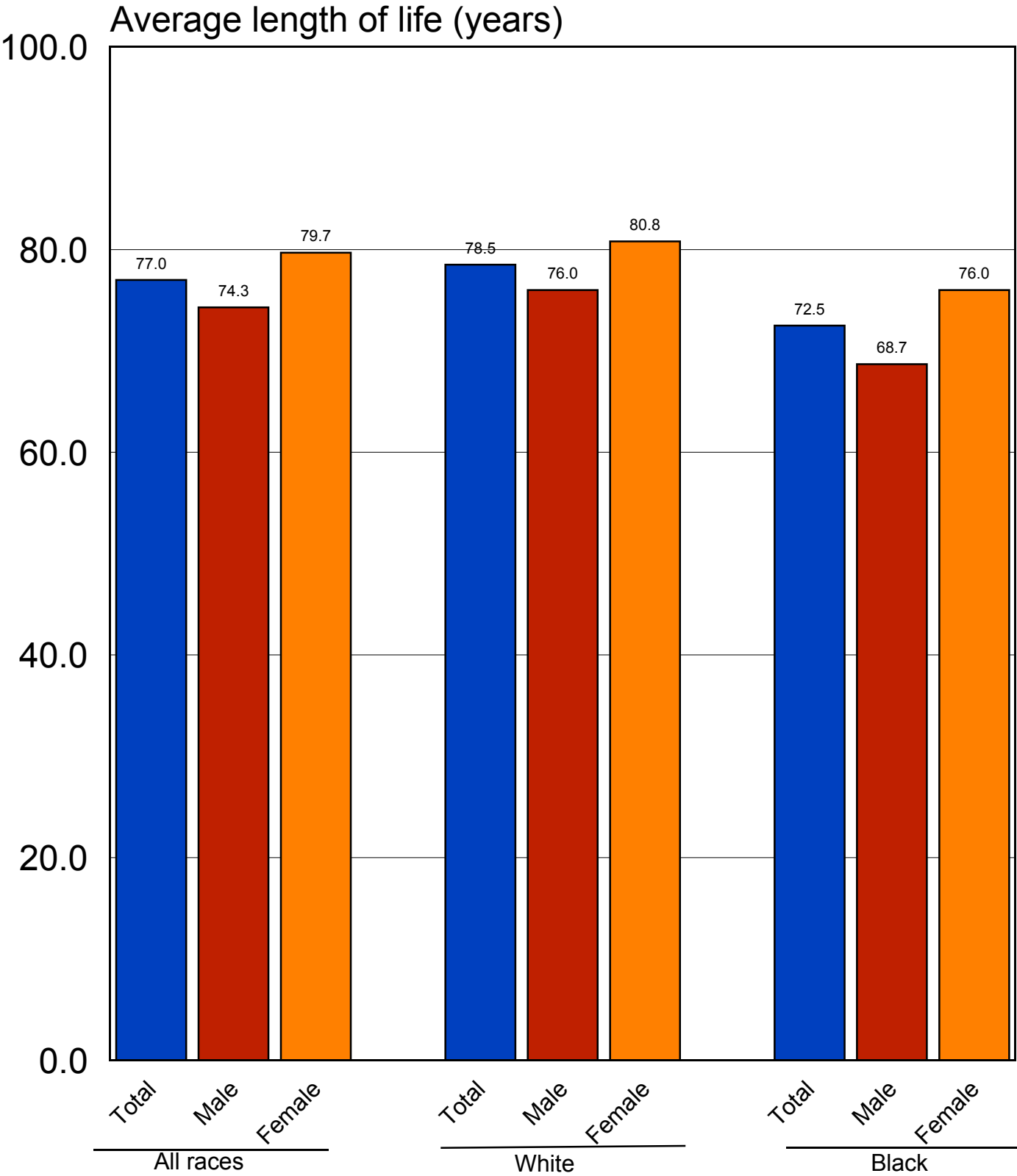


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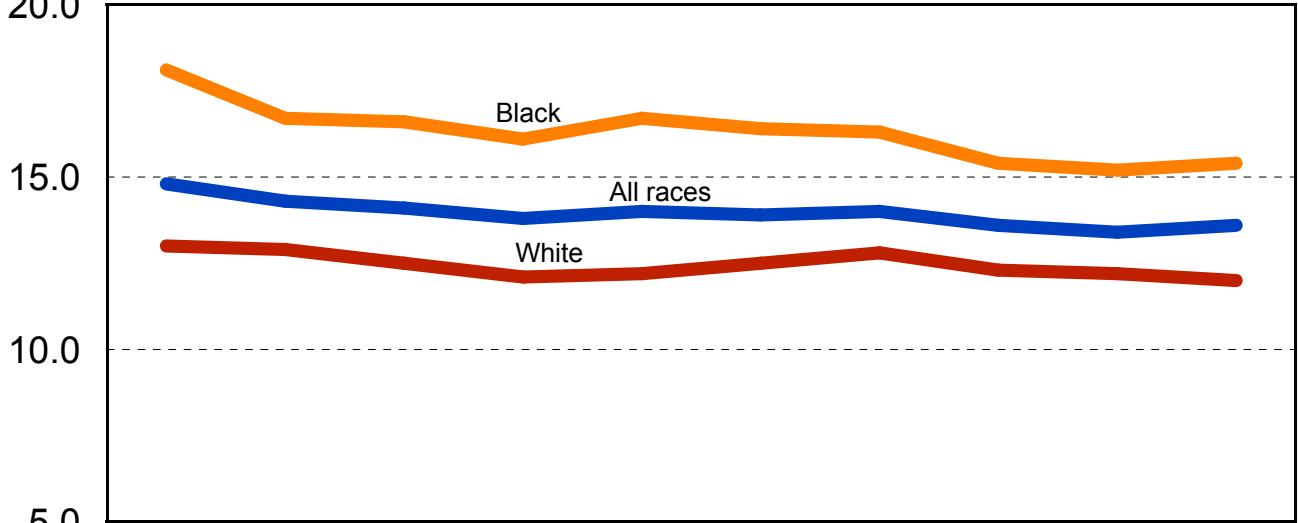
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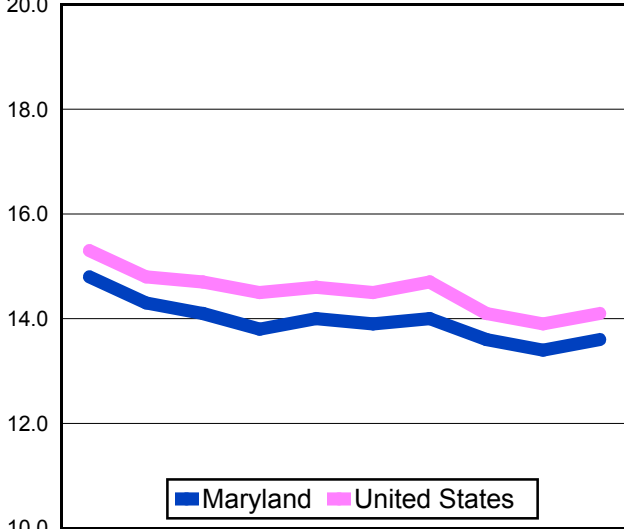
Rate per 1000 population



| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
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| All races ■ | 14.8 | 14.3 | 14.1 | 13.8 | 14.0 | 13.9 | 14.0 | 13.6 | 13.4 | 13.6 |
| White ■ | 13.0 | 12.9 | 12.5 | 12.1 | 12.2 | 12.5 | 12.8 | 12.3 | 12.2 | 12.0 |
| Black ■ | 18.1 | 16.7 | 16.6 | 16.1 | 16.7 | 16.4 | 16.3 | 15.4 | 15.2 | 15.4 |

Birth Rates, Maryland and the United States, 1994-2003.

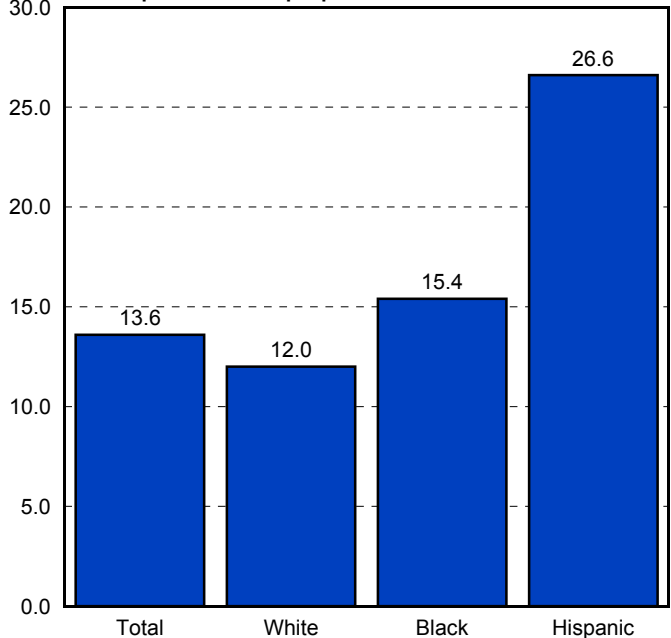
Rate per 1000 population



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| Maryland | 14.8 | 14.3 | 14.1 | 13.8 | 14.0 | 13.9 | 14.0 | 13.6 | 13.4 | 13.6 |
| United States | 15.3 | 14.8 | 14.7 | 14.5 | 14.6 | 14.5 | 14.7 | 14.1 | 13.9 | 14.1* |

Birth Rates by Race and Hispanic Origin**, Maryland, 2003.

Rate per 1,000 population

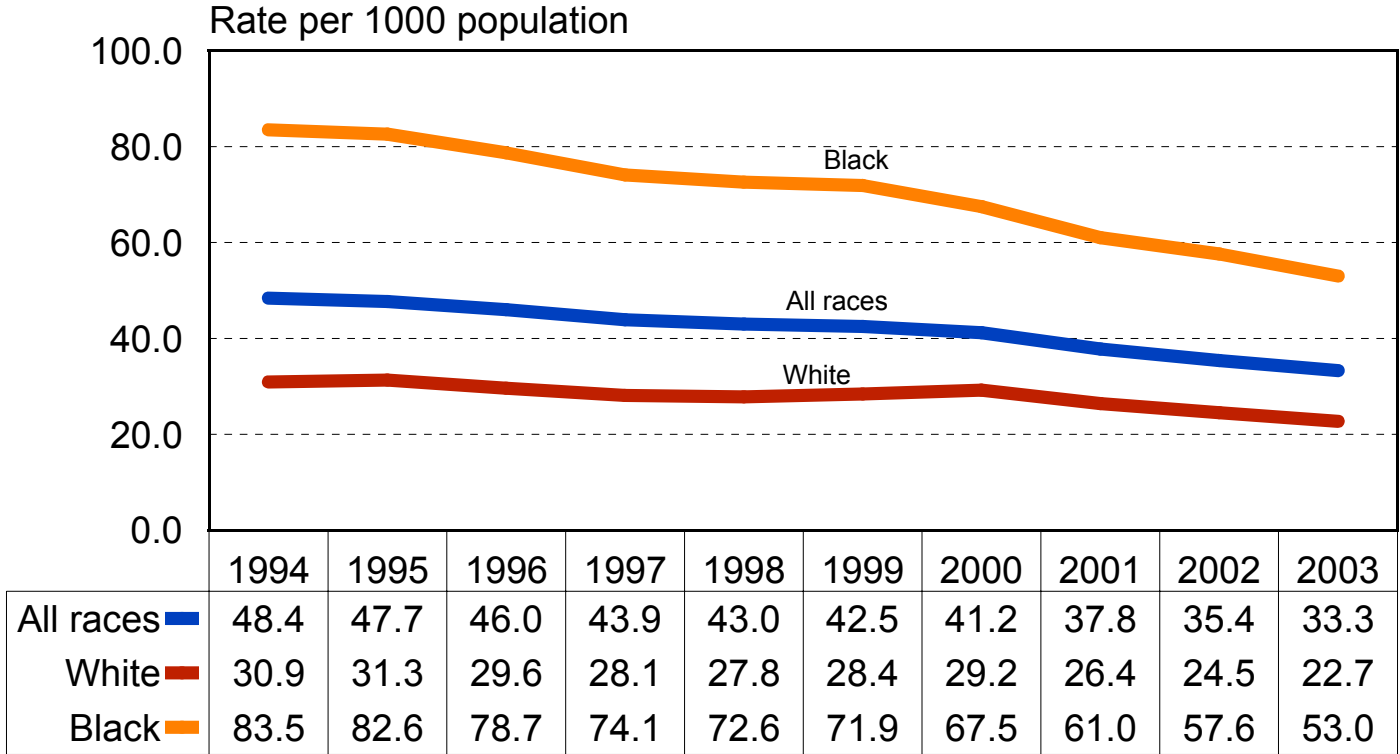


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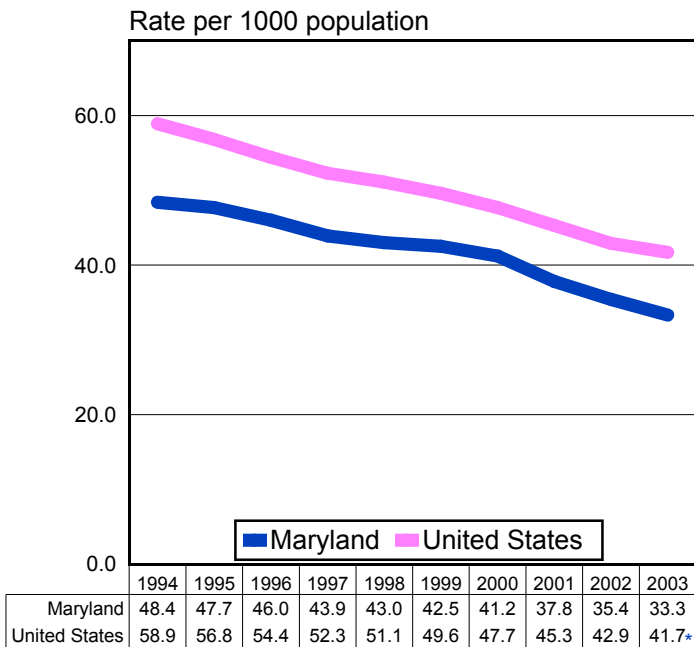
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ADOLESCENT BIRTH RATES

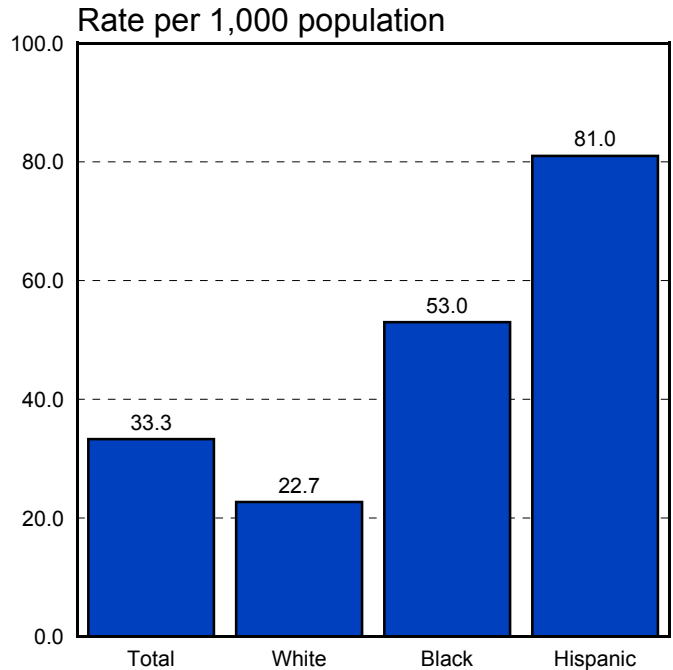
Birth Rates for Adolescents Ages 15-19 Years by Race, Maryland, 1994-2003.



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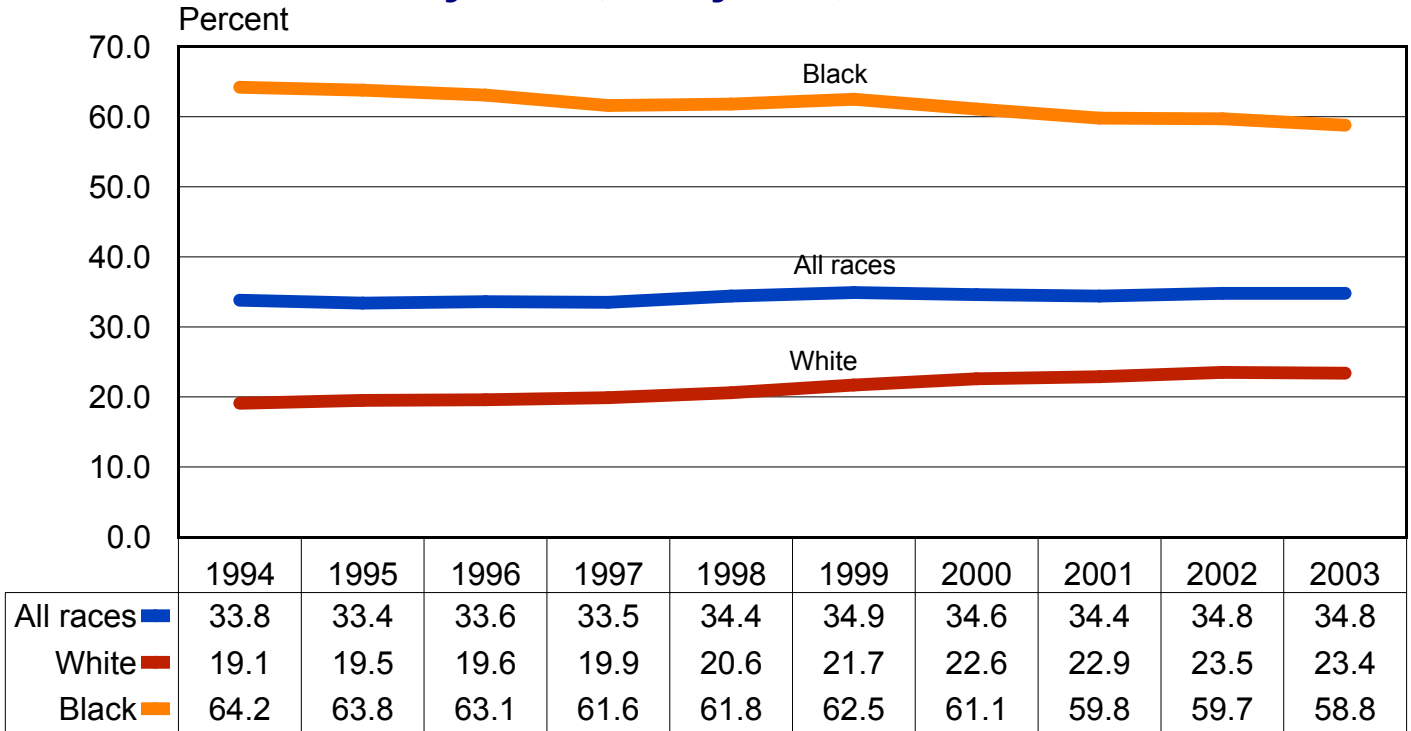


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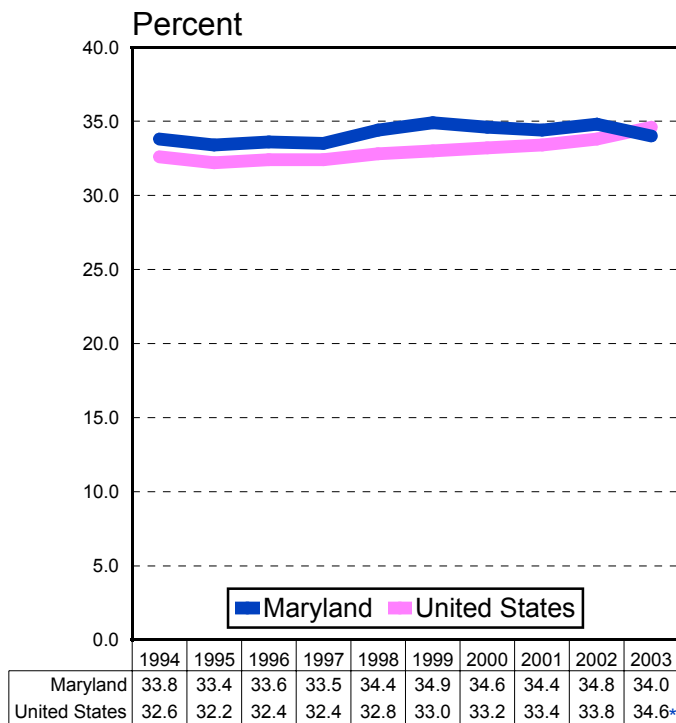
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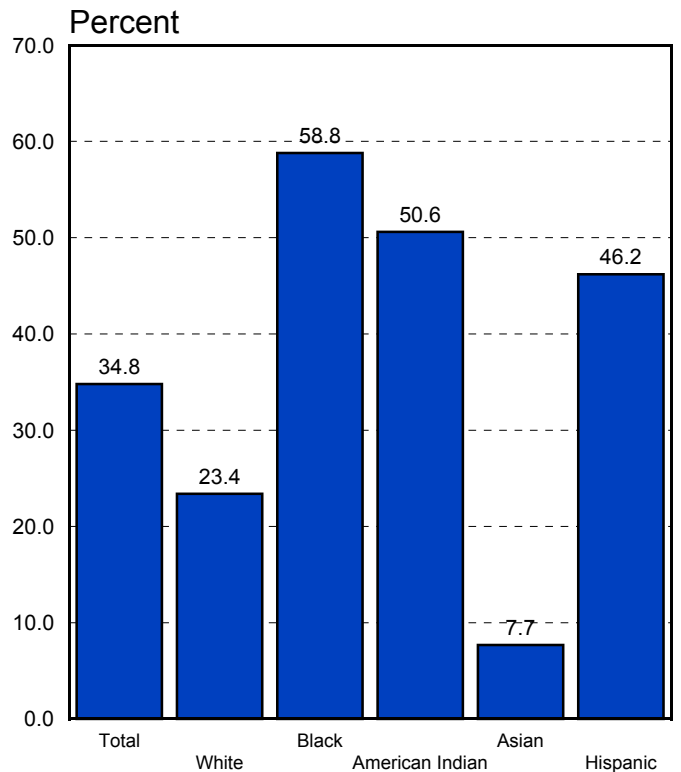
Percentage of Births to Unmarried Women by Race, Maryland, 1994-2003.



Percentage of Births to Unmarried Women, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



Percentage of Births to Unmarried Women by Race and Hispanic Origin**, Maryland, 2003.

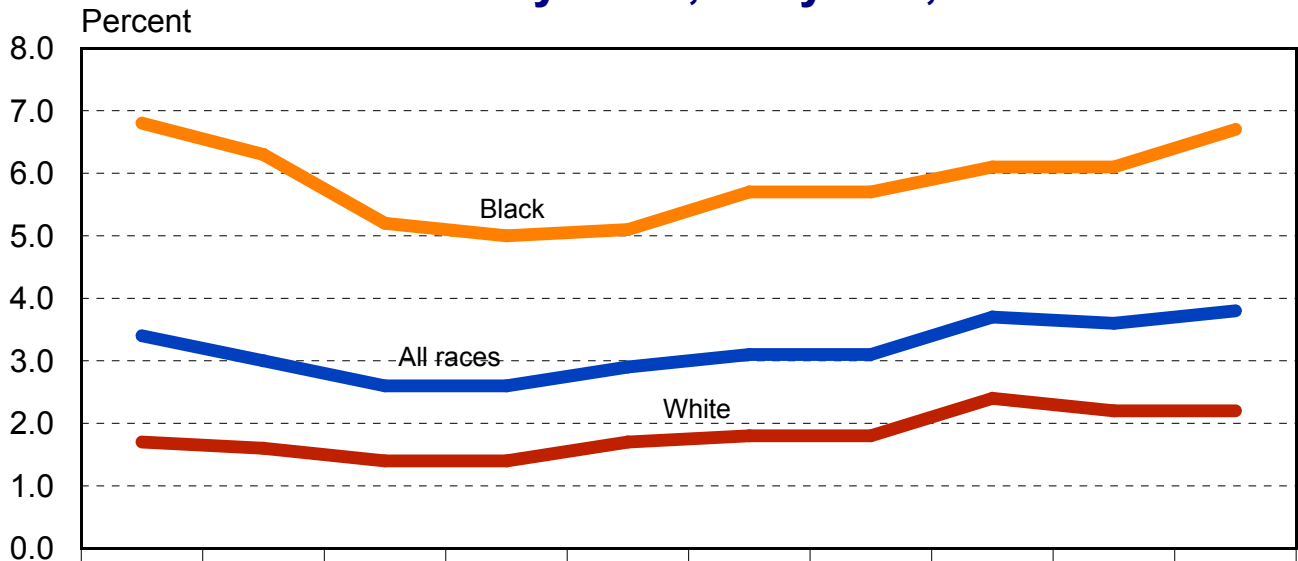


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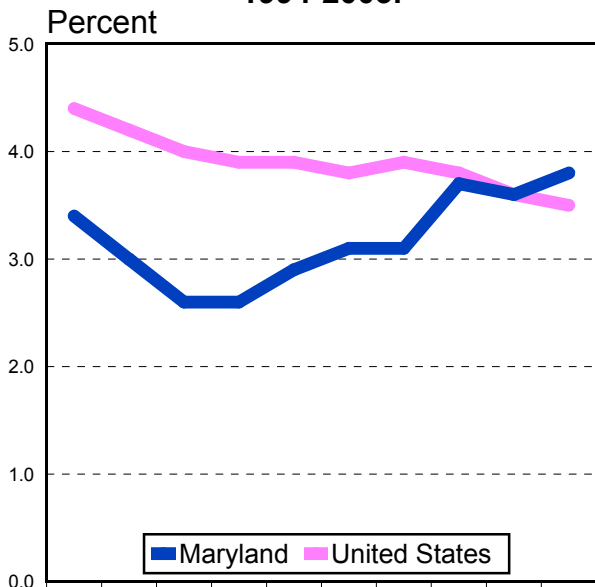
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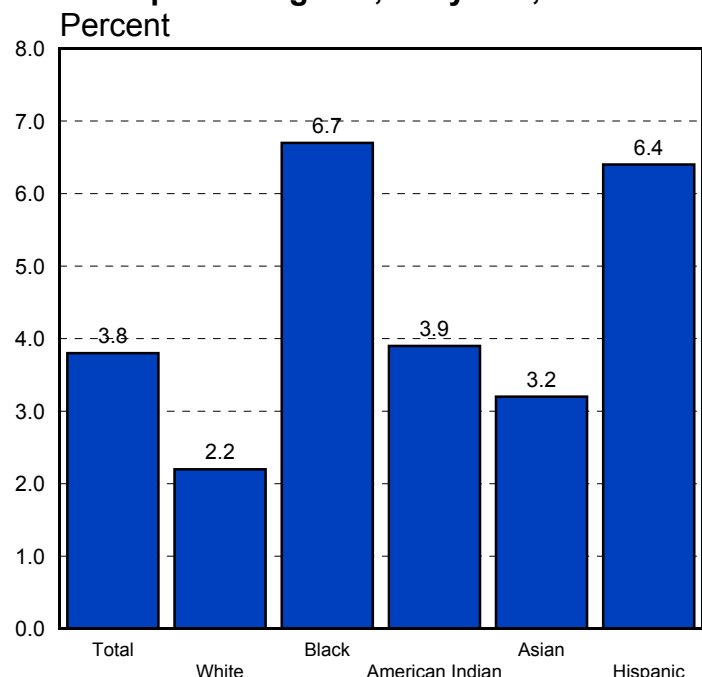
| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| All races | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| White | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 2.2 |
| Black | 6.8 | 6.3 | 5.2 | 5.0 | 5.1 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 6.7 |

Percentage of Women Receiving Late or No Prenatal Care, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.*



| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| Maryland | 3.4 | 3.0 | 2.6 | 2.6 | 2.9 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| United States | 4.4 | 4.2 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 3.5** |

Percentage of Births to Women Receiving Late or No Prenatal Care by Race and Hispanic Origin***, Maryland, 2003.*



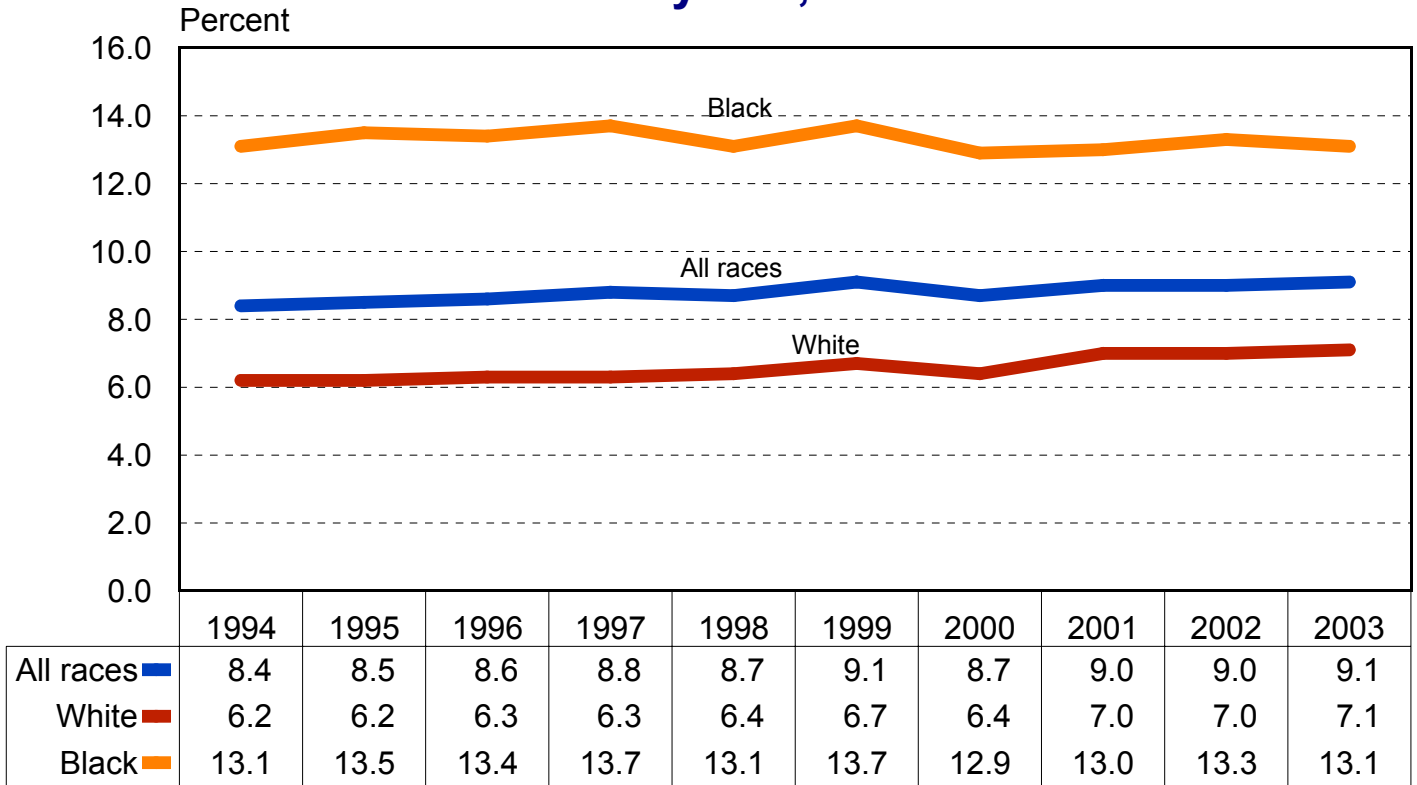
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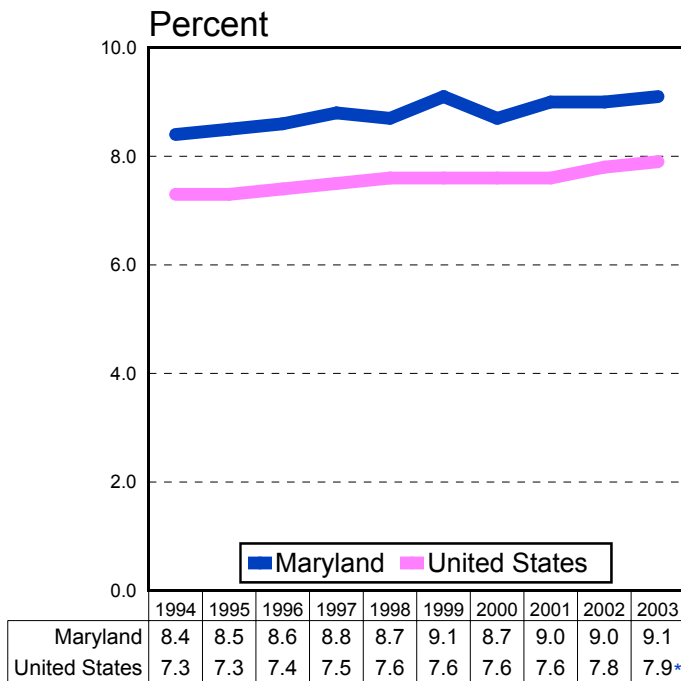
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LOW BIRTH WEIGHT

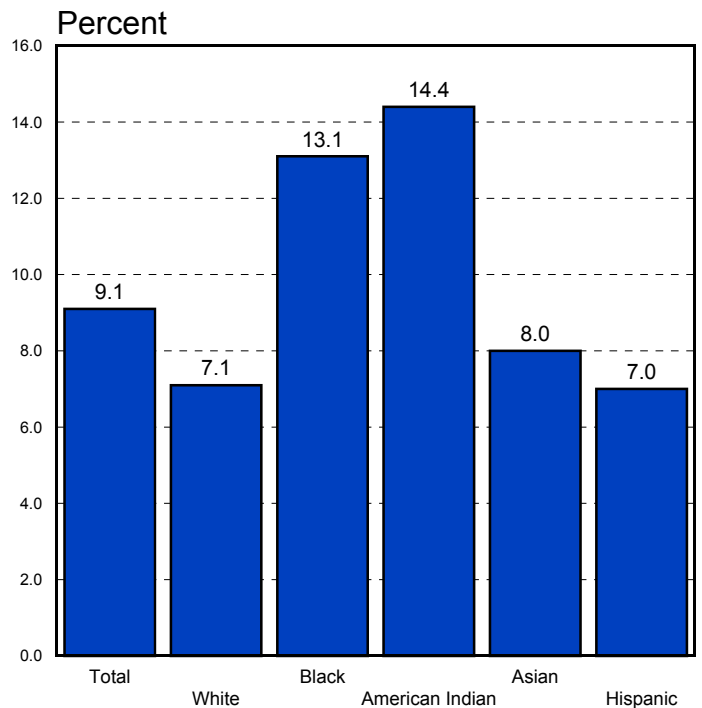
Percentage of Low Birth Weight Infants by Race, Maryland, 1994-2003.



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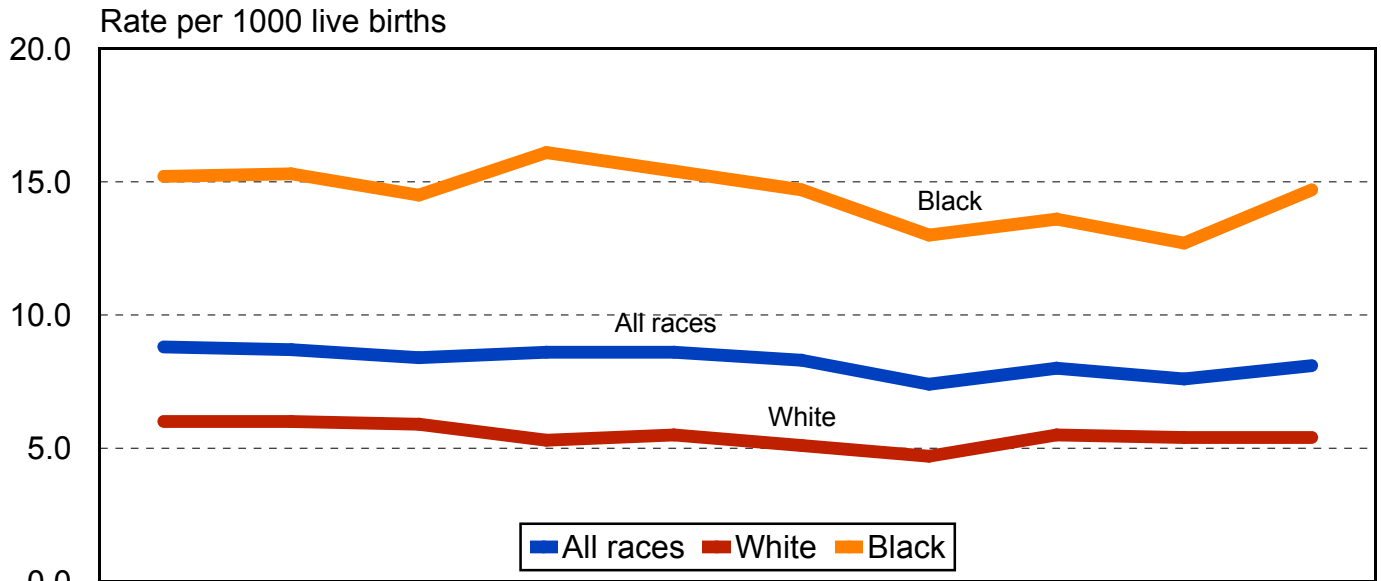


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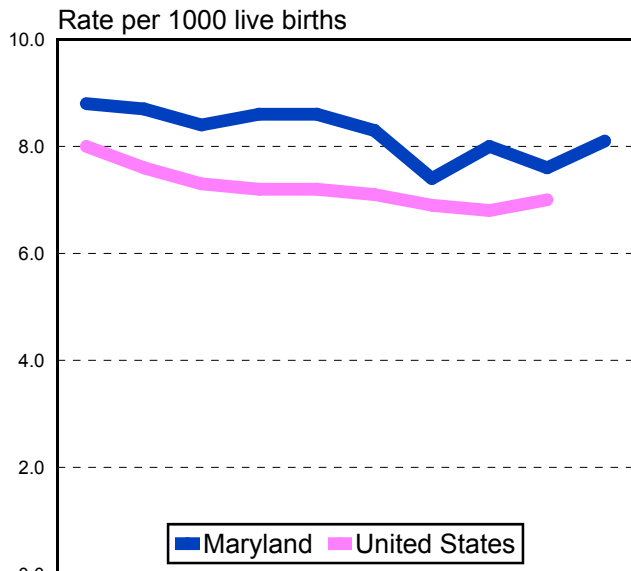
INFANT MORTALITY

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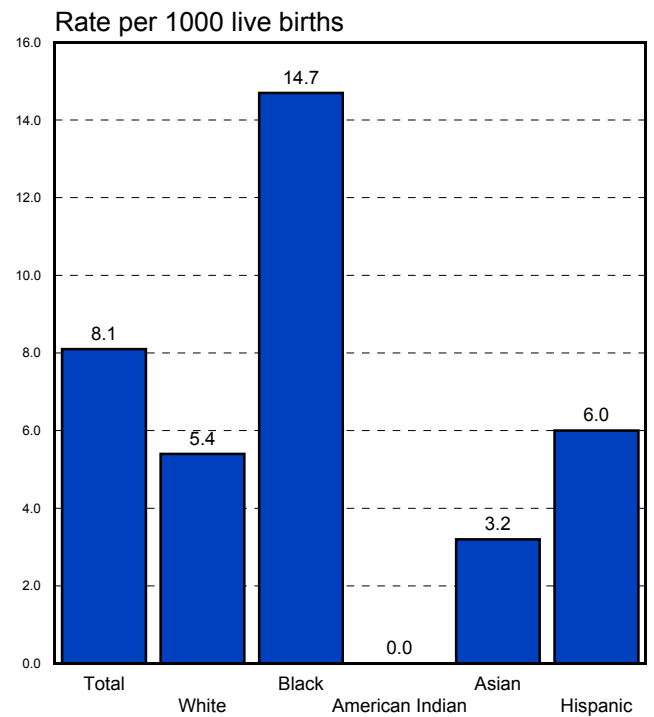
| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| All races | 8.8 | 8.7 | 8.4 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 7.4 | 8.0 | 7.6 | 8.1 |
| White | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.9 | 5.3 | 5.5 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 5.5 | 5.4 | 5.4 |
| Black | 15.2 | 15.3 | 14.5 | 16.1 | 15.4 | 14.7 | 13.0 | 13.6 | 12.7 | 14.7 |

Infant Mortality Rate, Maryland and the United States, 1994-2003.



| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Maryland | 8.8 | 8.7 | 8.4 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 7.4 | 8.0 | 7.6 | 8.1 |
| United States | 8.0 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 7.0 | * |

Infant Mortality Rate by Race and Hispanic Origin**, Maryland, 2003.



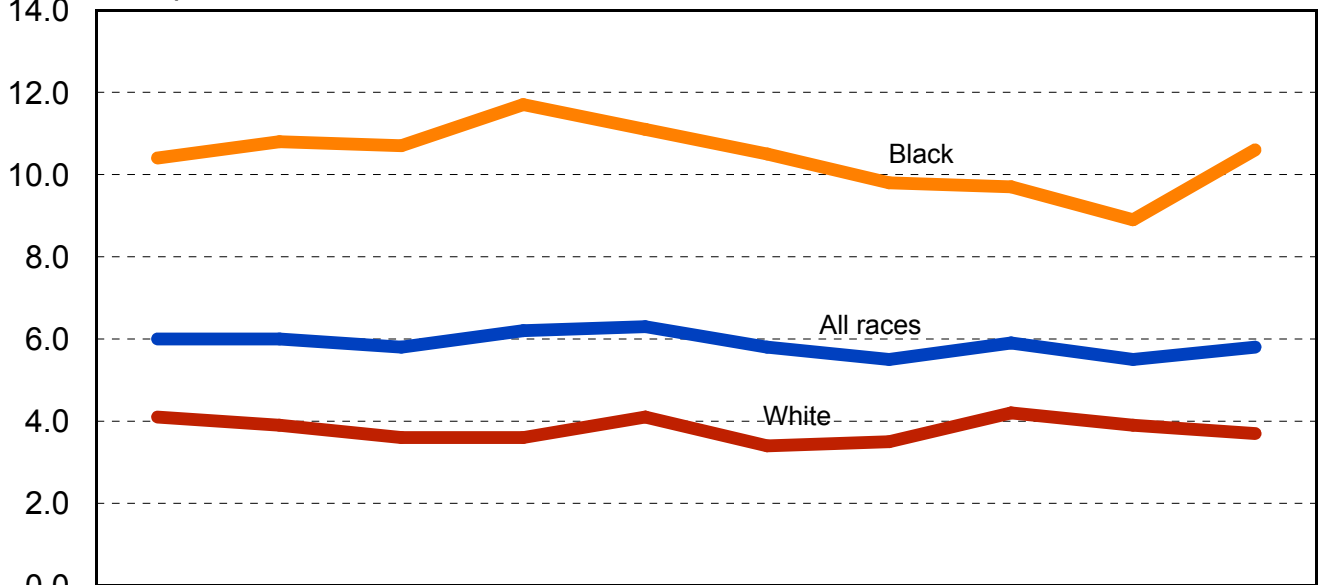
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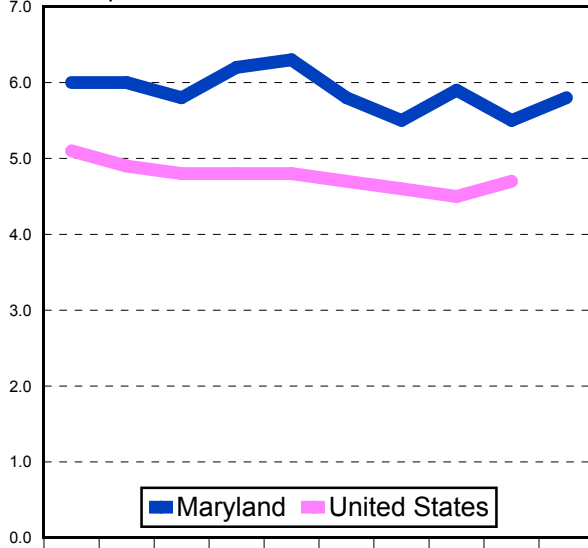
Rate per 1000 live births



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| All races | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 5.8 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 5.5 | 5.8 |
| White | 4.1 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.1 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 3.7 |
| Black | 10.4 | 10.8 | 10.7 | 11.7 | 11.1 | 10.5 | 9.8 | 9.7 | 8.9 | 10.6 |

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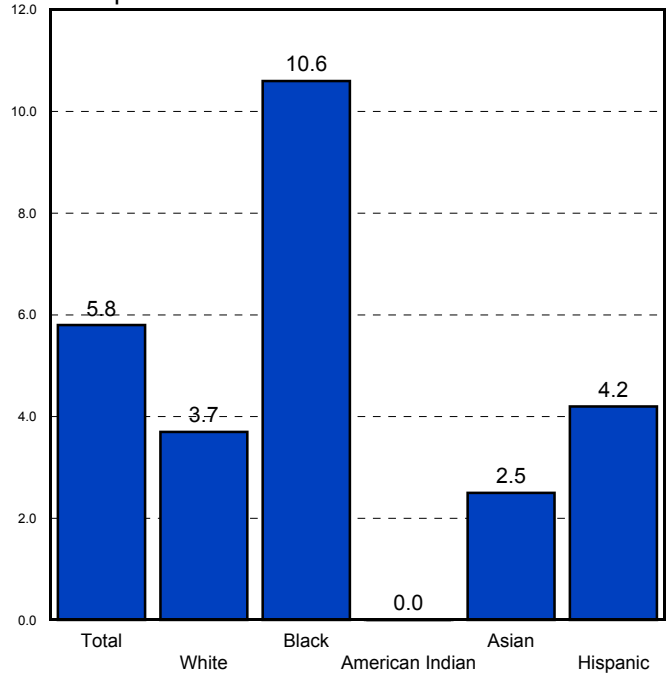
Rate per 1000 live births



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| Maryland | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.8 | 6.2 | 6.3 | 5.8 | 5.5 | 5.9 | 5.5 | 5.8 |
| United States | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.7 | * |

Neonatal Mortality Rate by Race and Hispanic Origin**, Maryland, 2003.

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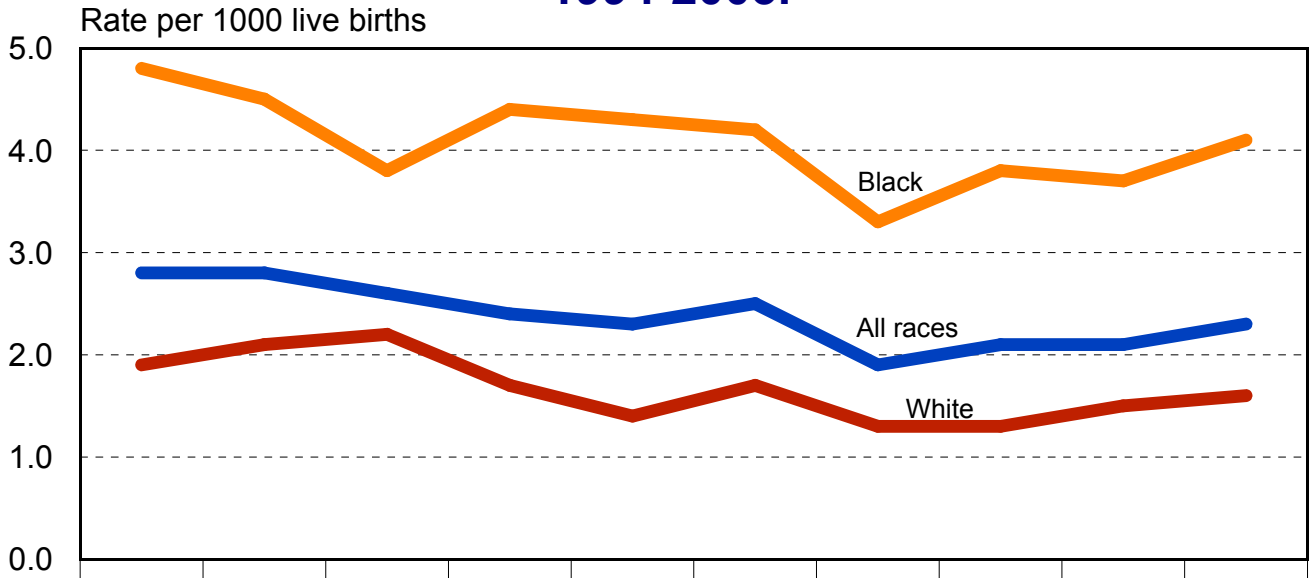


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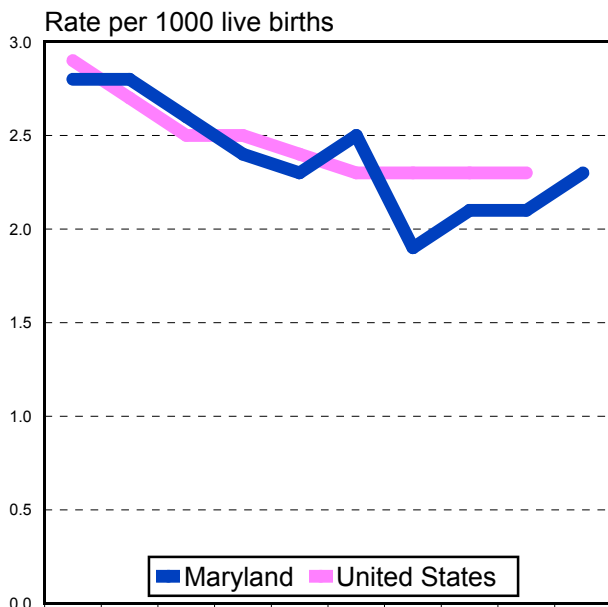
POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY

Postneonatal Mortality Rate by Race, Maryland, 1994-2003.



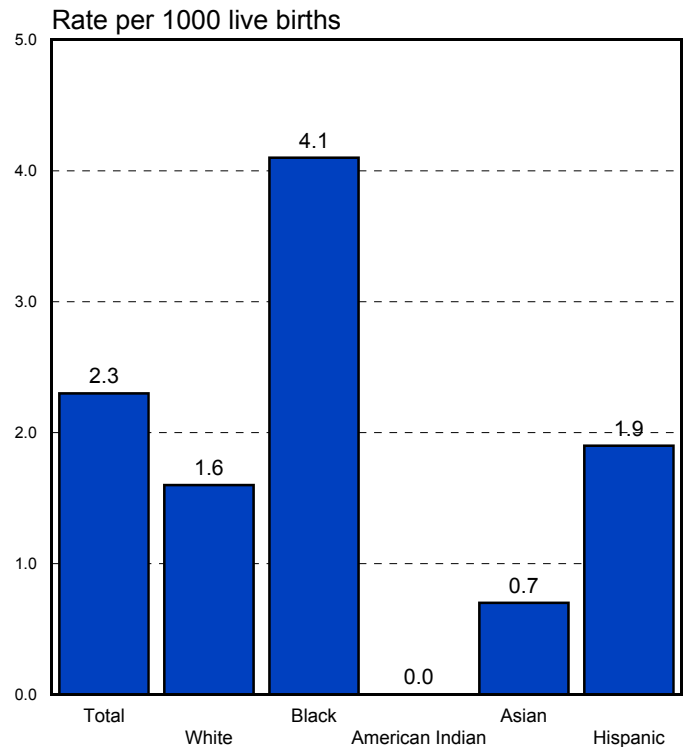
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|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| All races | 2.8 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.3 |
| White | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.6 |
| Black | 4.8 | 4.5 | 3.8 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 4.1 |

Postneonatal Mortality Rate, Maryland and the United States, 1994-2003.



| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Maryland | 2.8 | 2.8 | 2.6 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 2.3 |
| United States | 2.9 | 2.7 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 2.3 | * |

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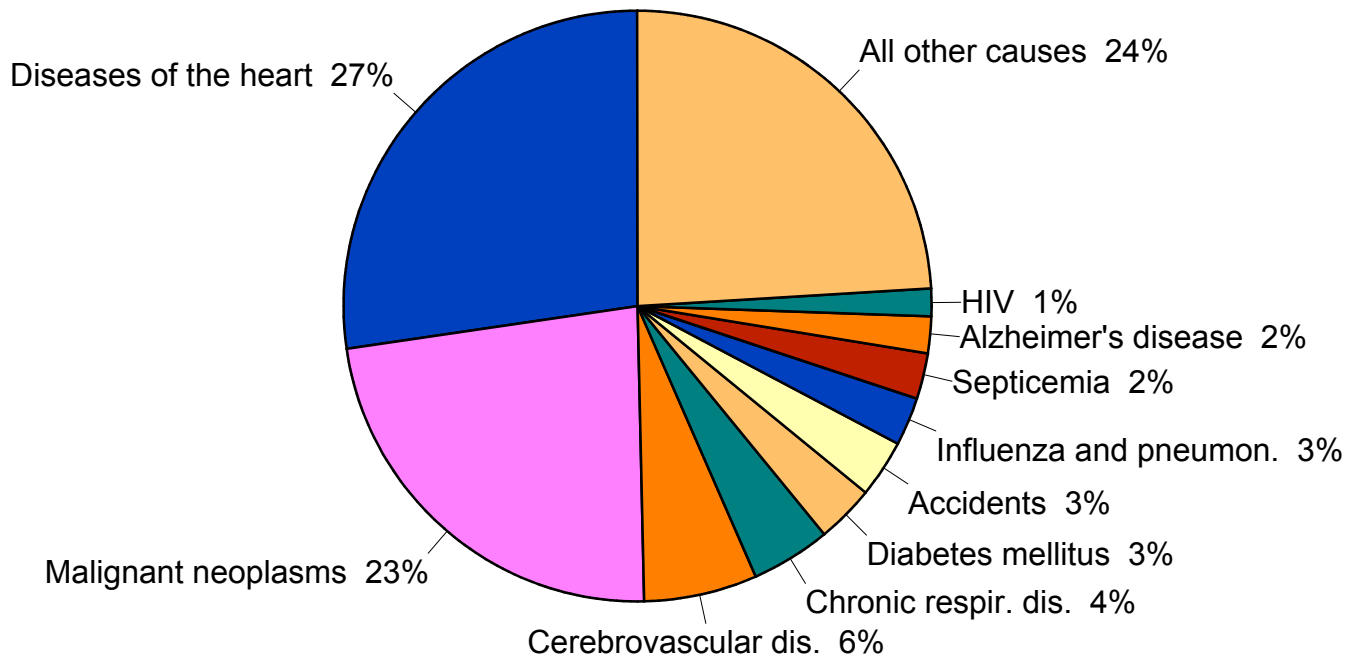


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LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

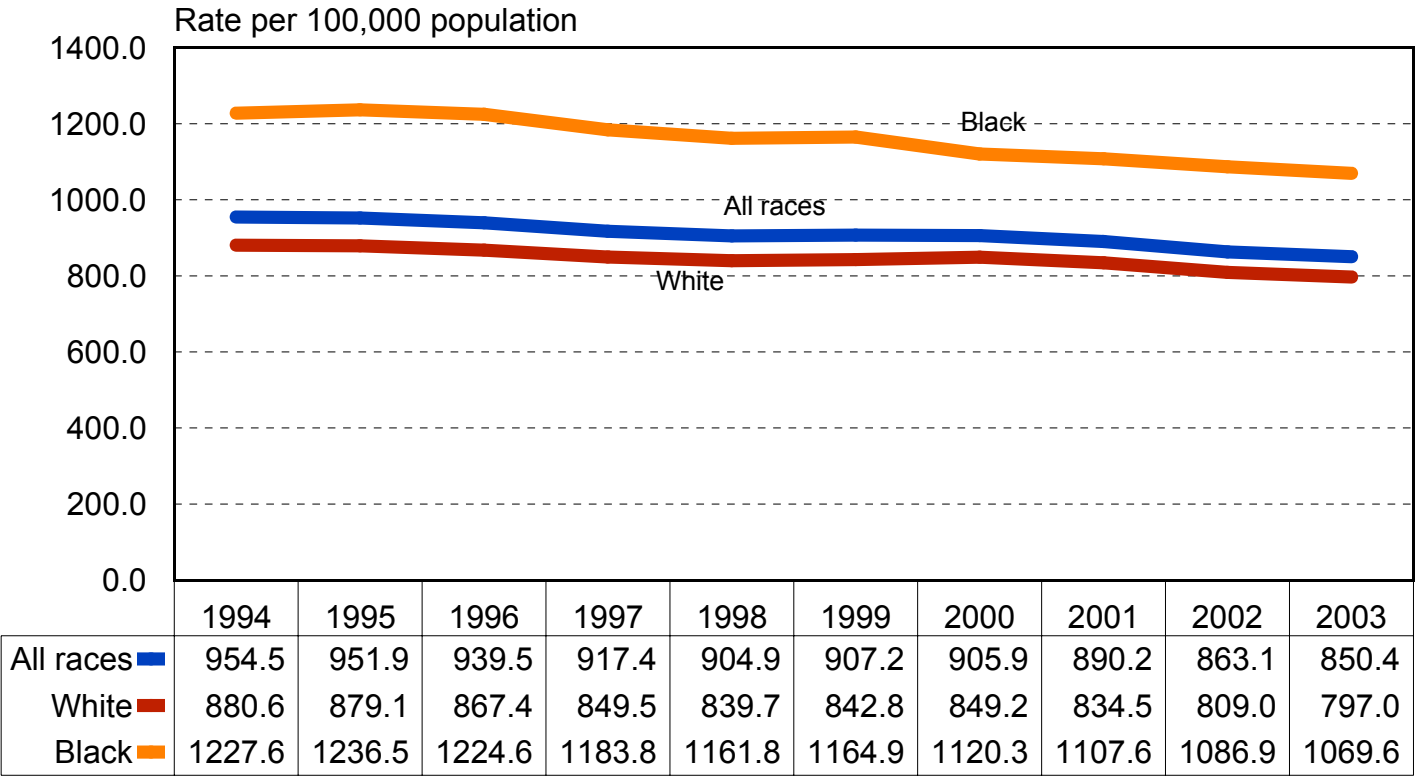
Percent* Distribution of Deaths by Cause, Maryland, 2003.



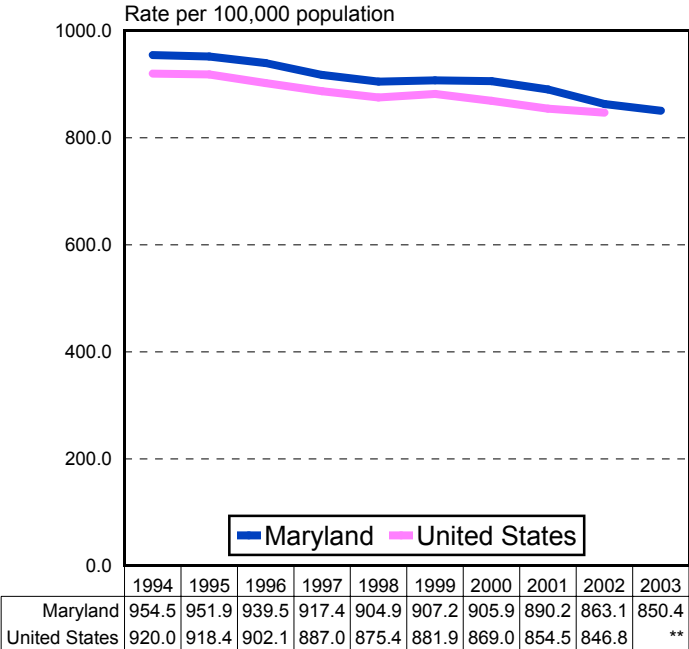
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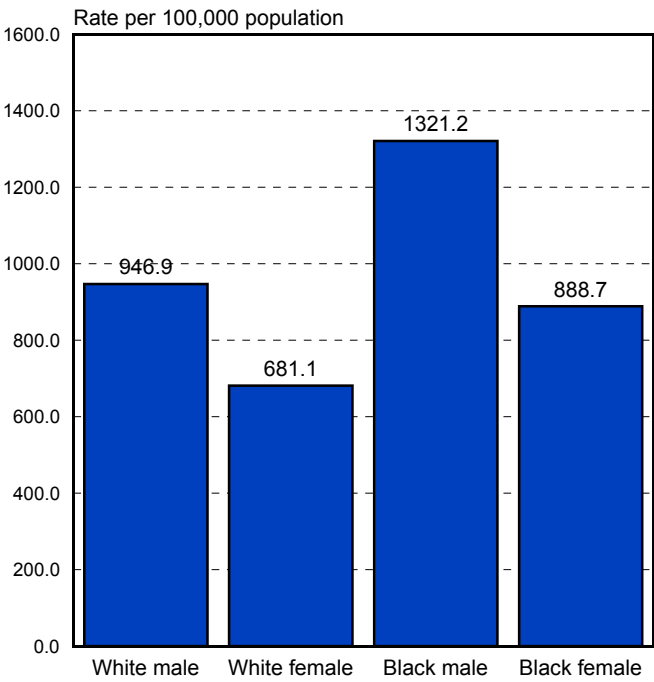
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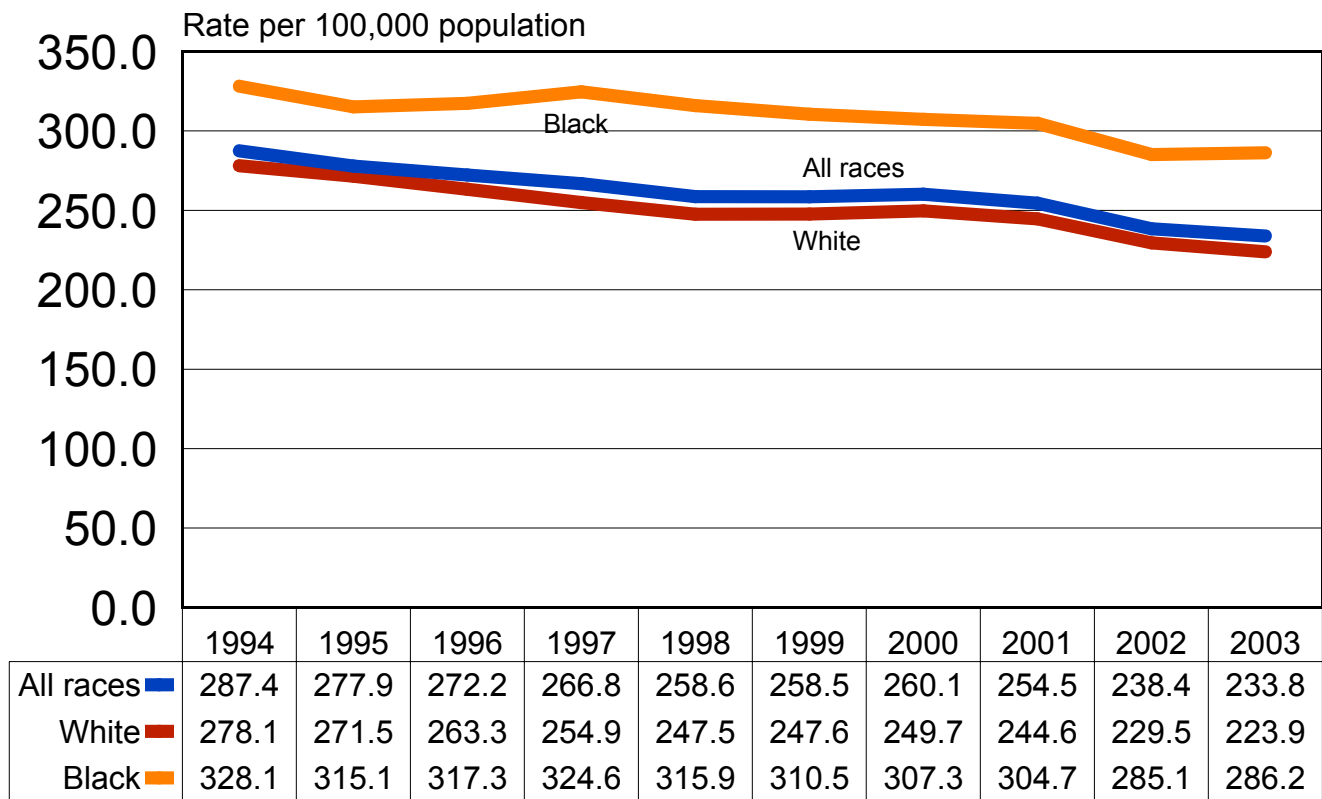
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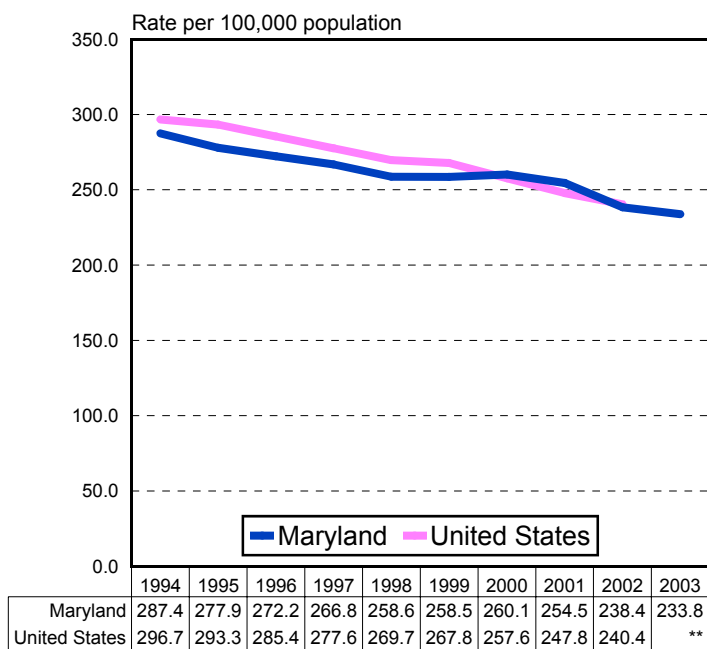
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DISEASES OF THE HEART

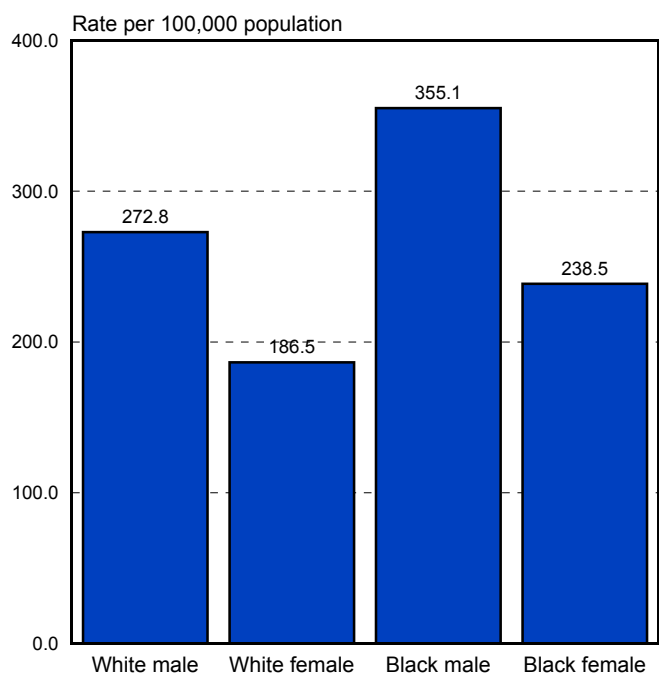
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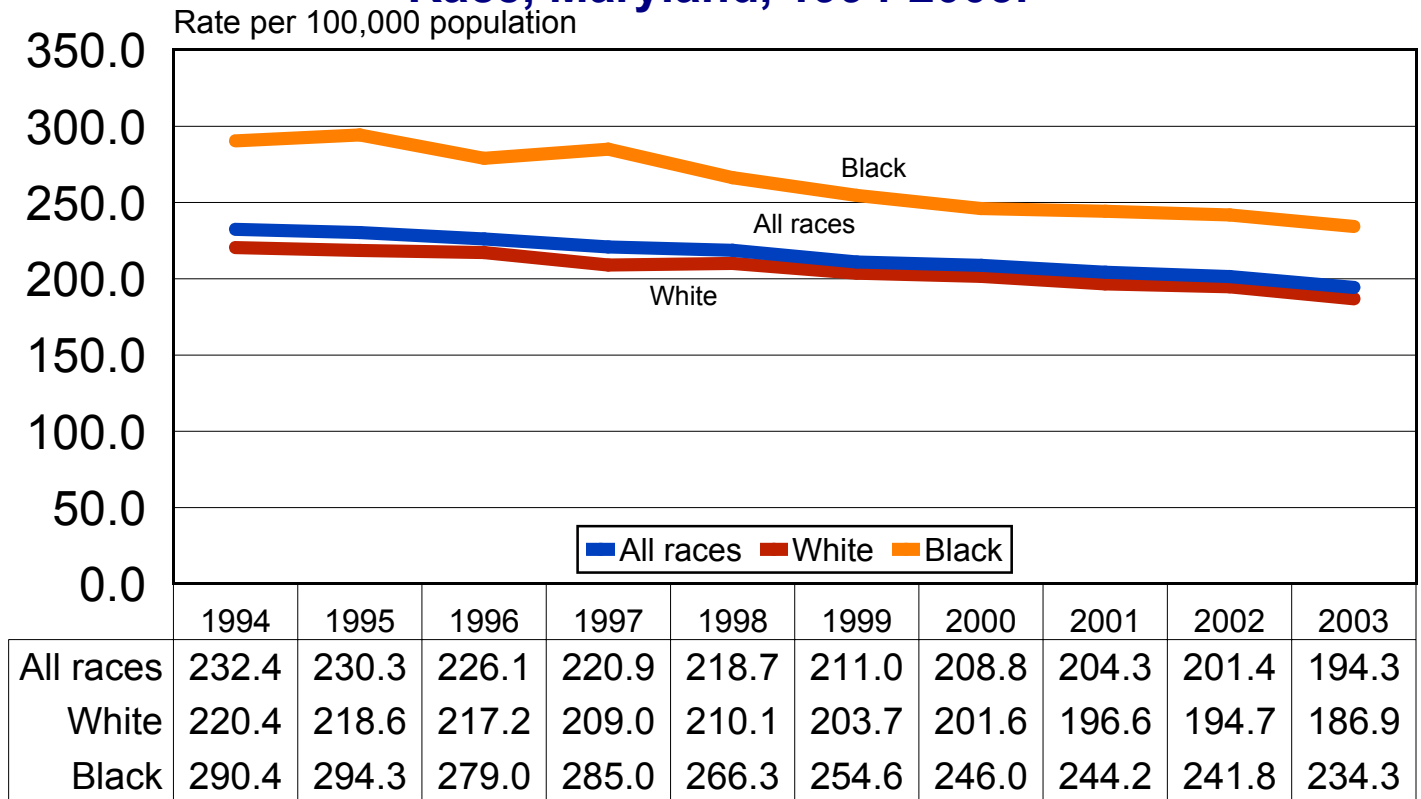
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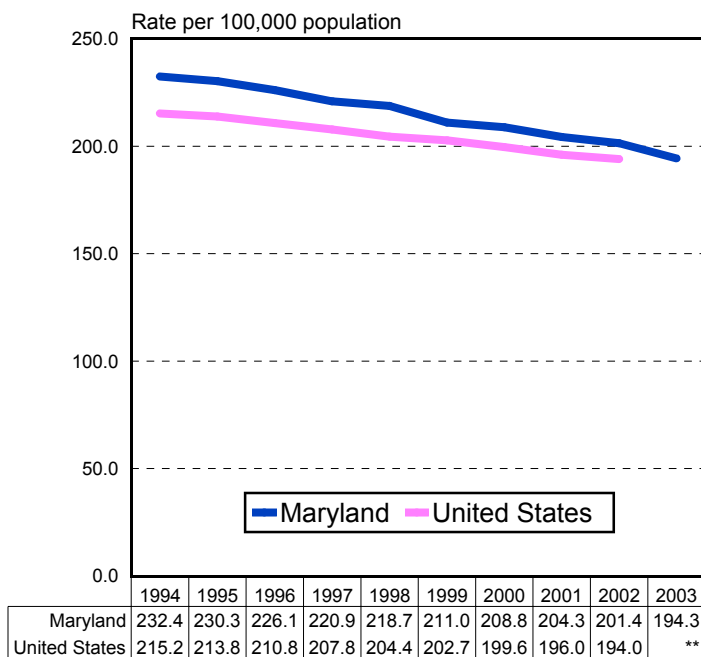
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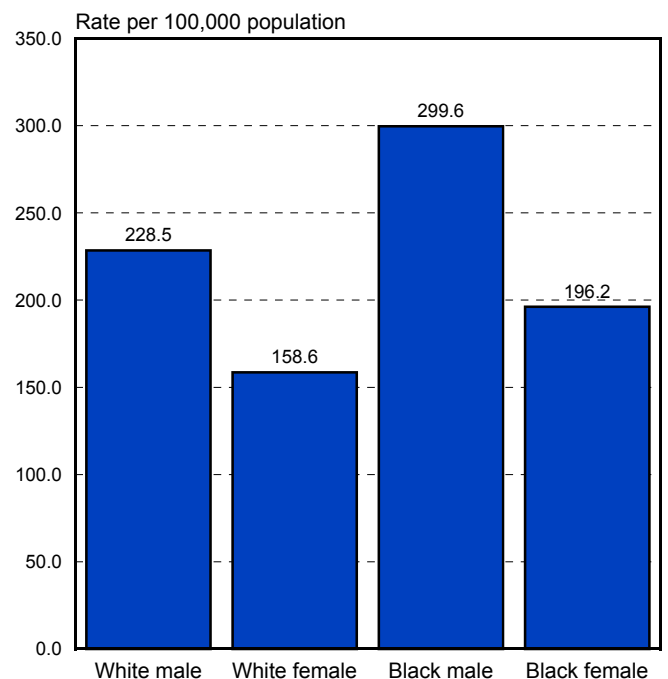
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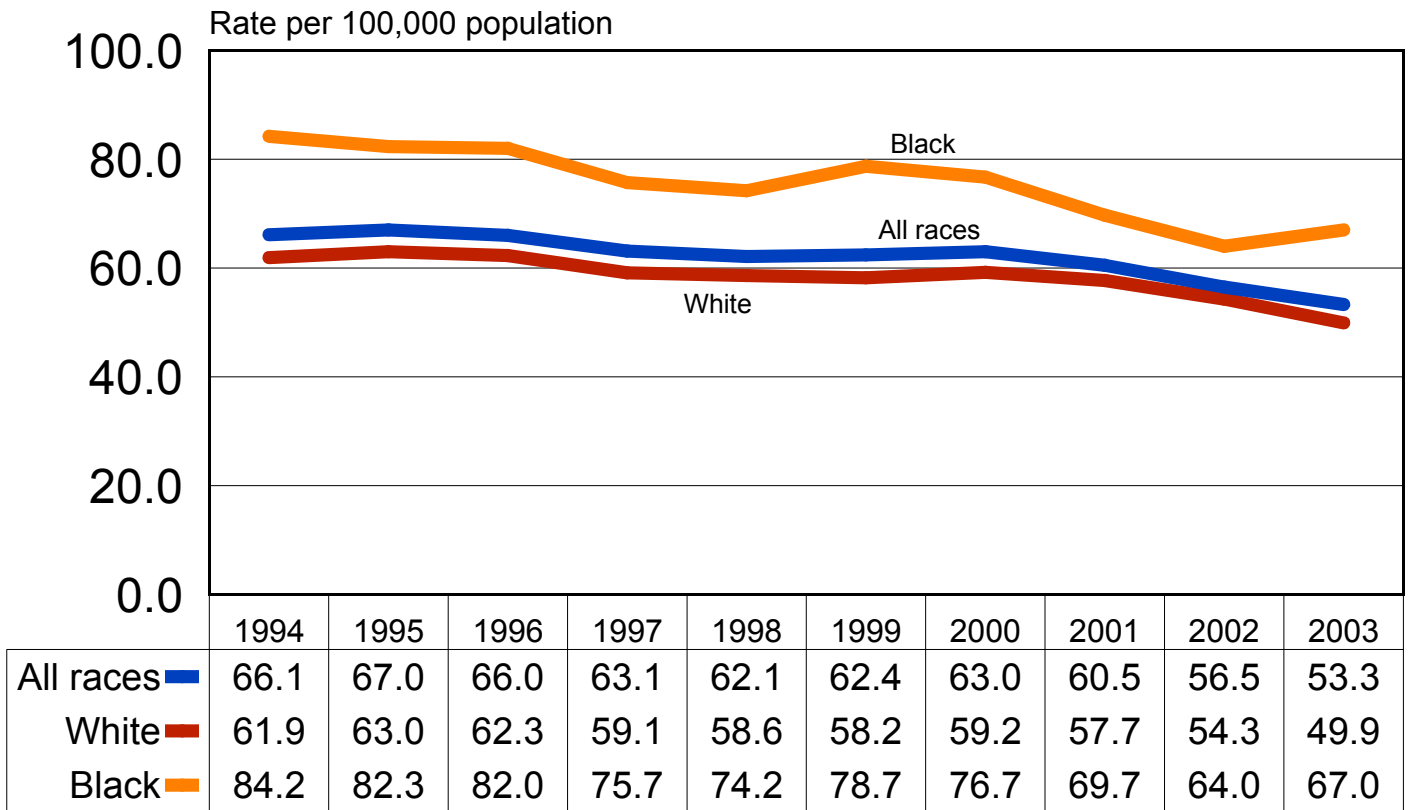


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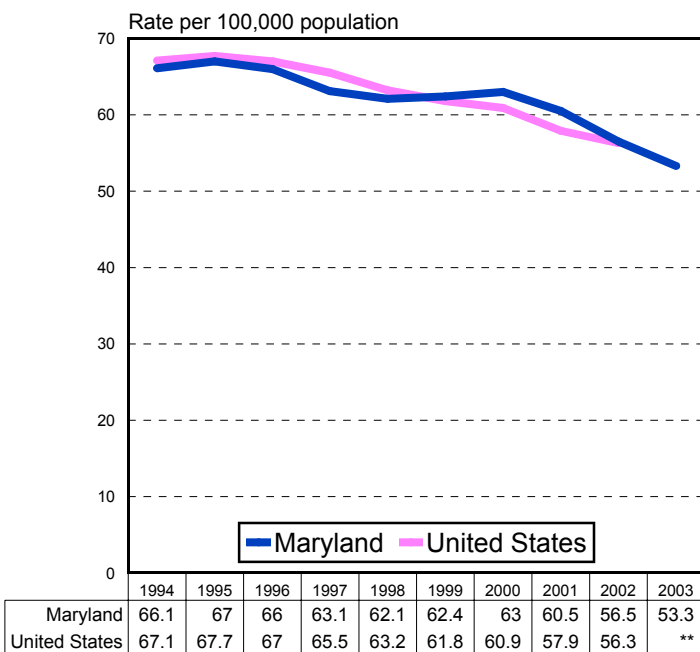
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CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES

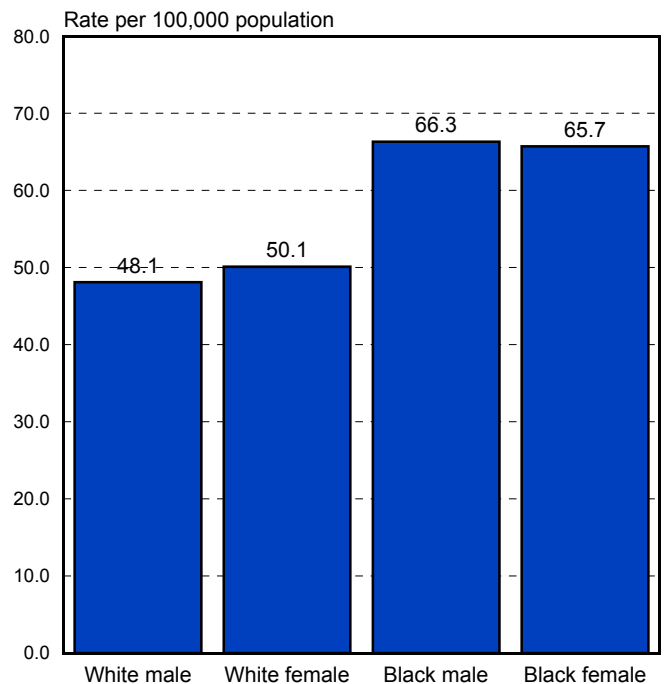
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Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Cerebrovascular Diseases, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



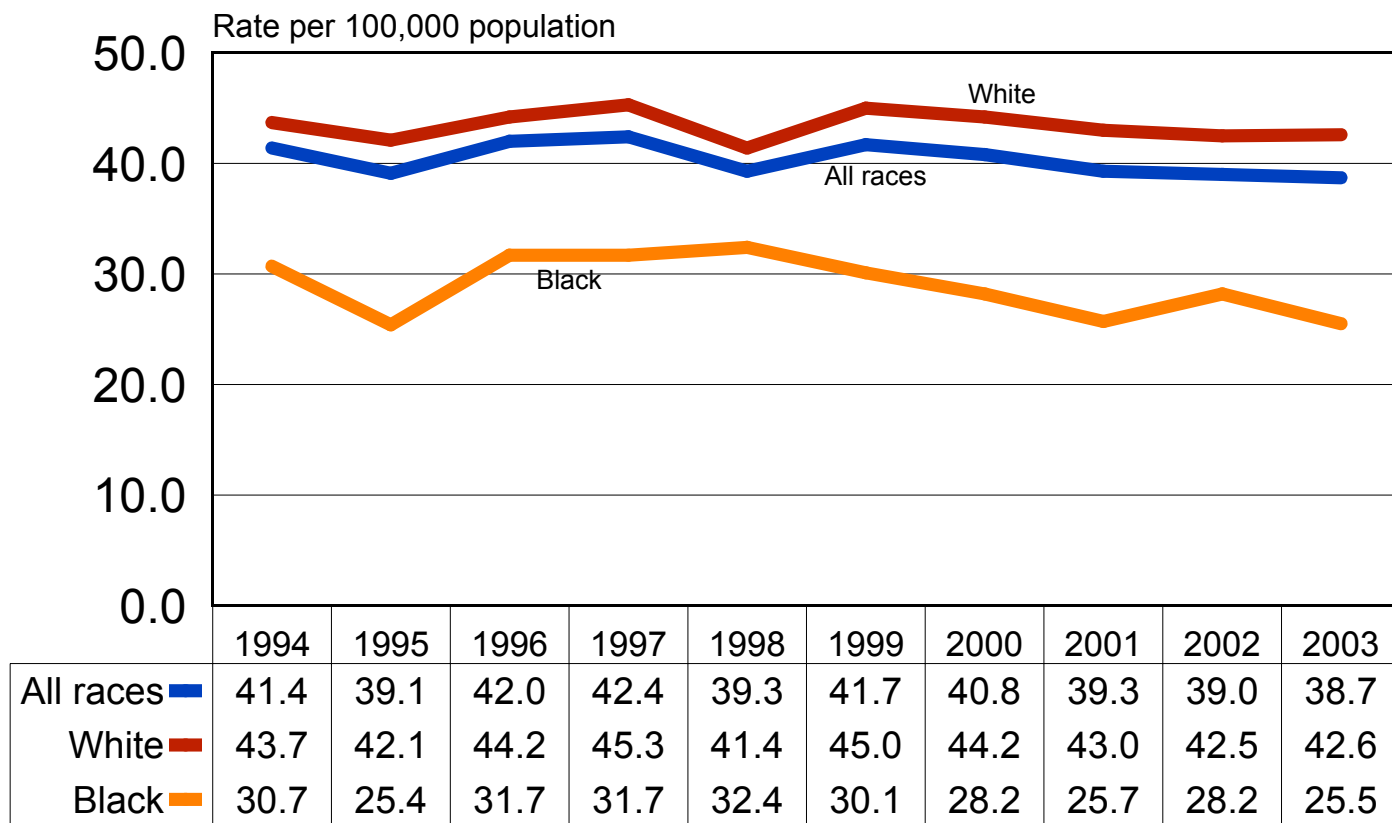
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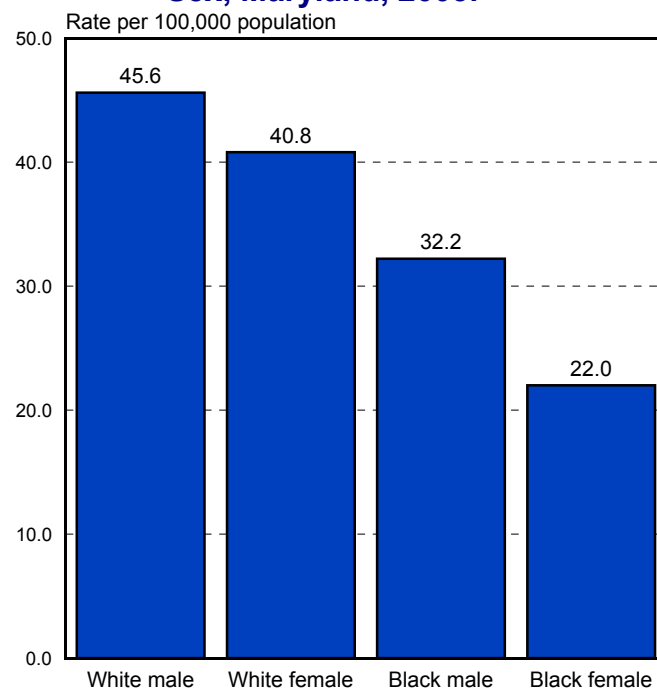
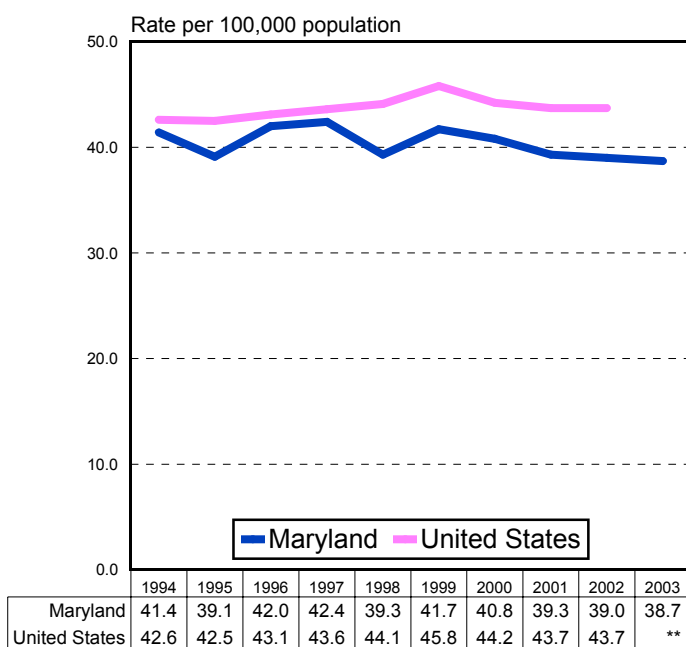
CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES

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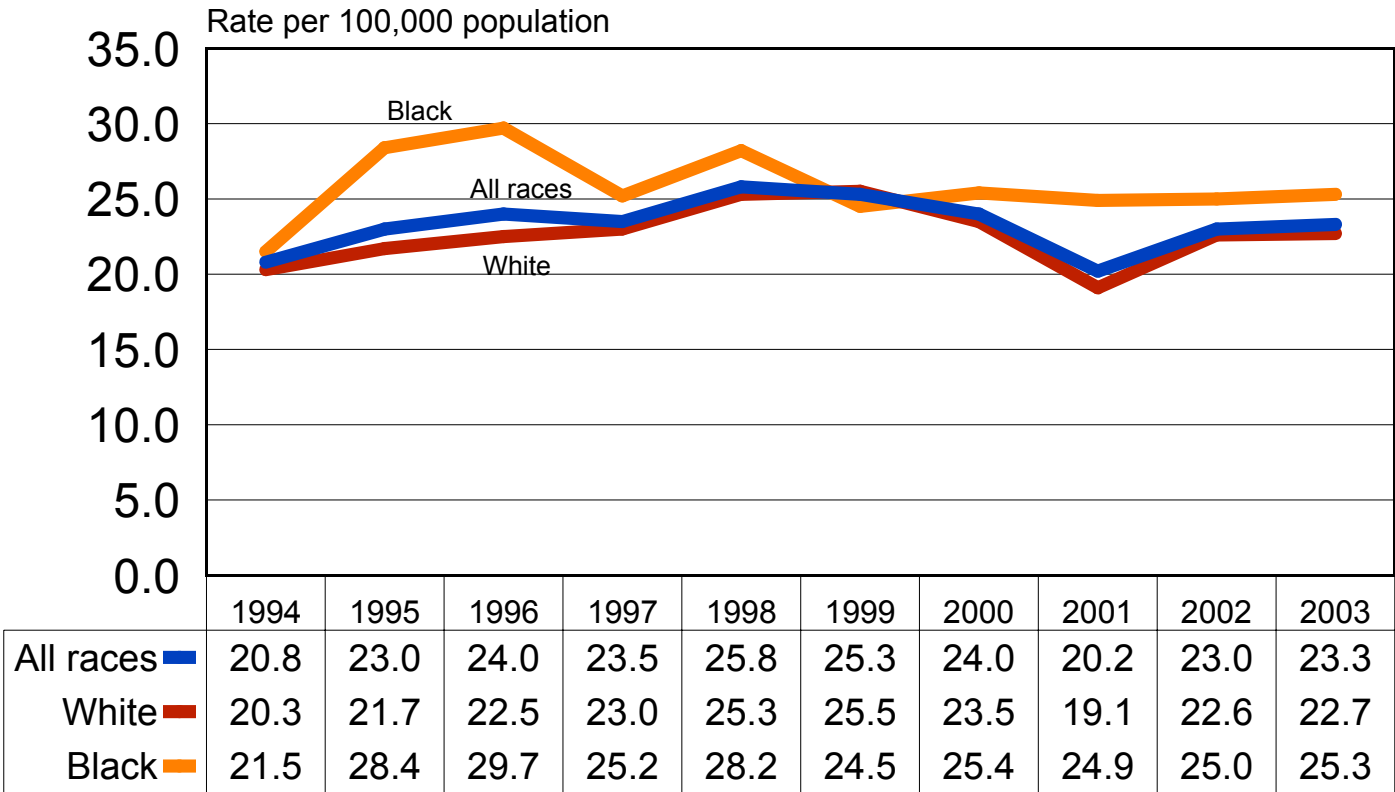
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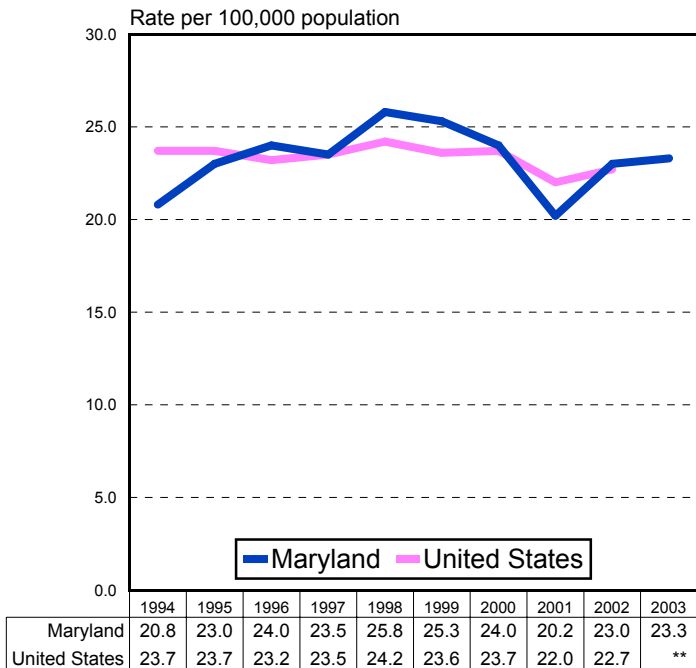
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INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA

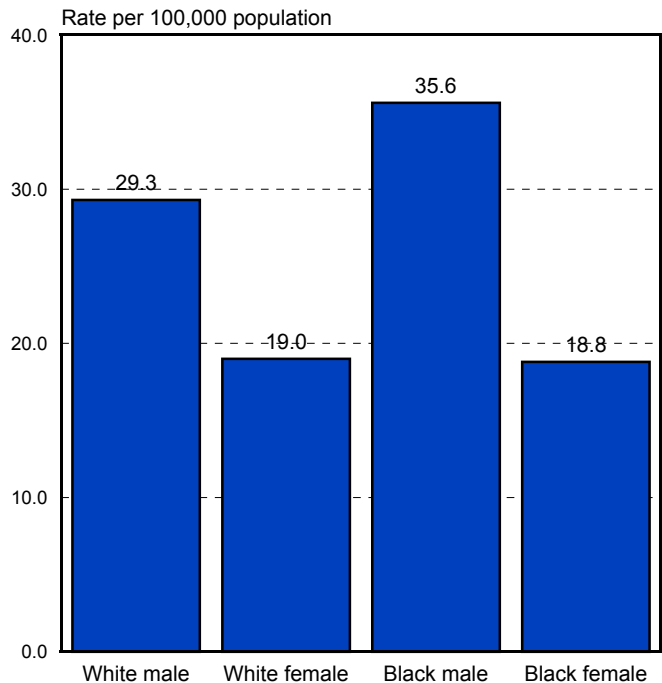
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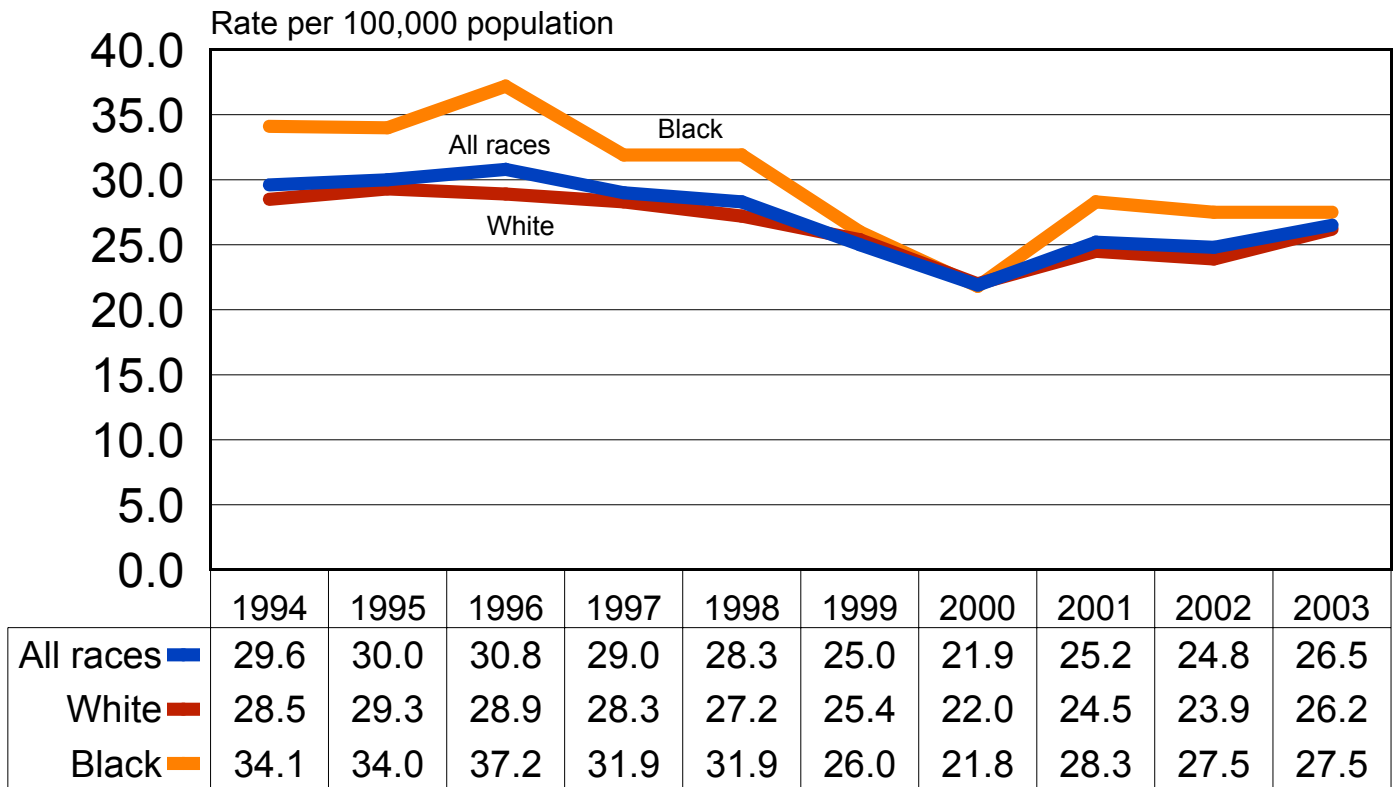
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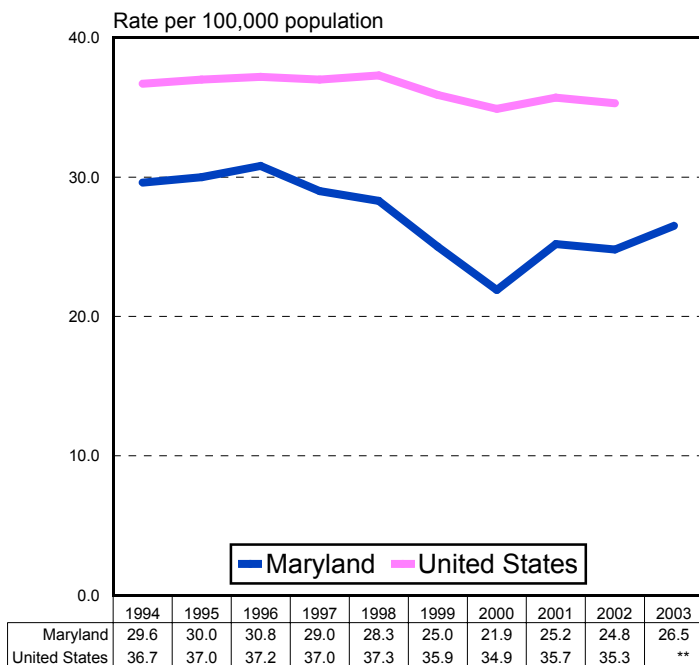
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ACCIDENTS

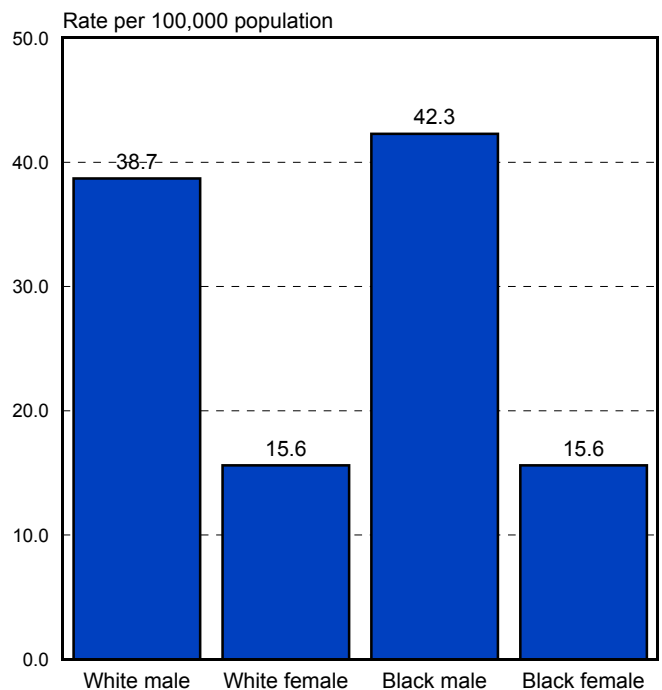
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Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Accidents, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



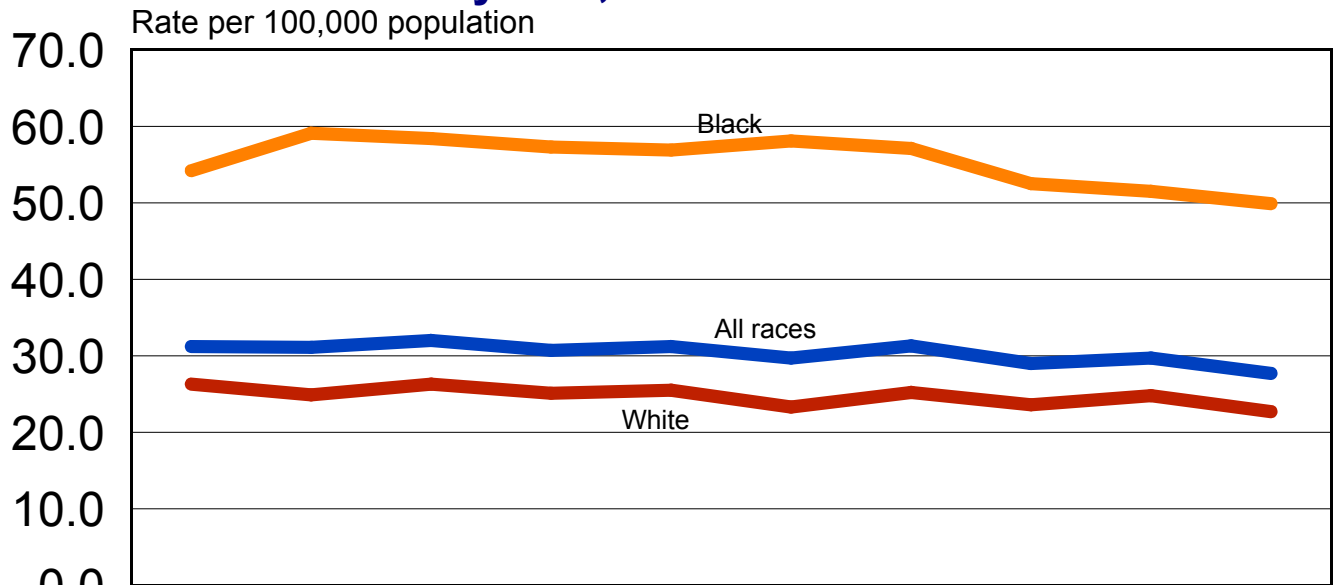
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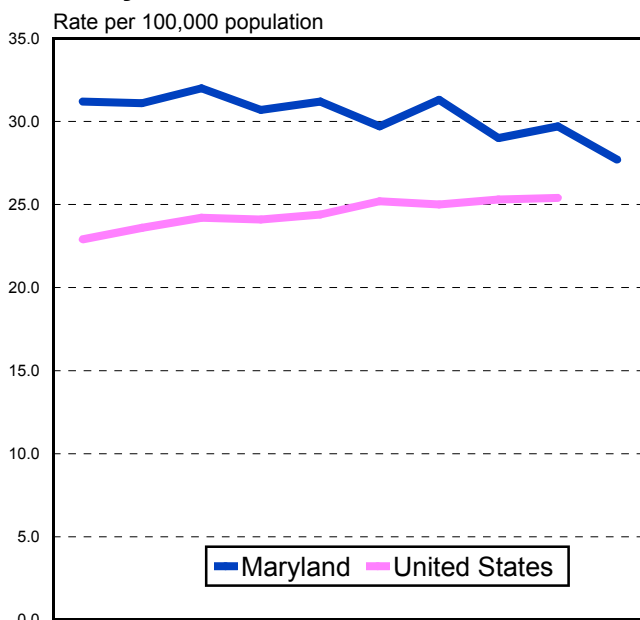
DIABETES MELLITUS

Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Diabetes by Race, Maryland, 1994-2003.



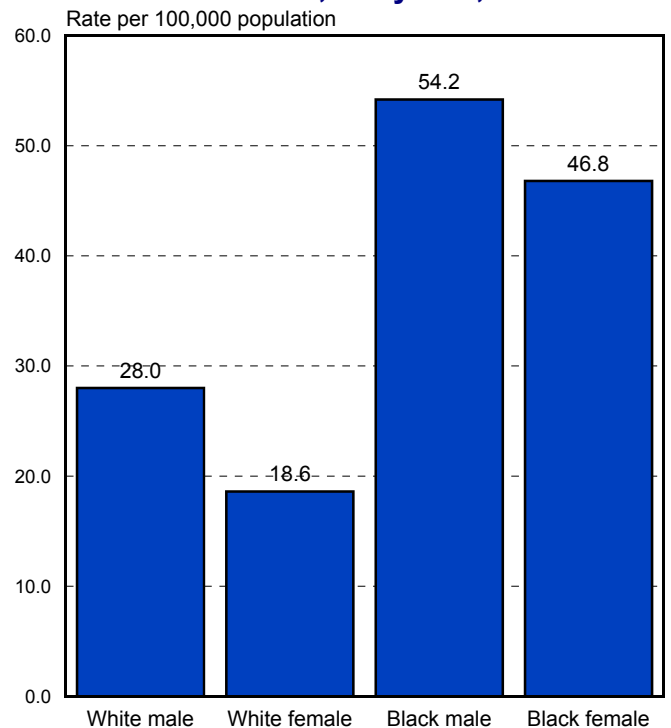
| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|-----------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| All races | 31.2 | 31.1 | 32.0 | 30.7 | 31.2 | 29.7 | 31.3 | 29.0 | 29.7 | 27.7 |
| White | 26.3 | 24.9 | 26.3 | 25.1 | 25.5 | 23.3 | 25.2 | 23.6 | 24.8 | 22.7 |
| Black | 54.2 | 59.1 | 58.4 | 57.3 | 56.9 | 58.1 | 57.1 | 52.5 | 51.5 | 49.9 |

Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Diabetes, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



| | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Maryland | 31.2 | 31.1 | 32.0 | 30.7 | 31.2 | 29.7 | 31.3 | 29.0 | 29.7 | 27.7 |
| United States | 22.9 | 23.6 | 24.2 | 24.1 | 24.4 | 25.2 | 25.0 | 25.3 | 25.4 | ** |

Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Diabetes by Race and Sex, Maryland, 2003.

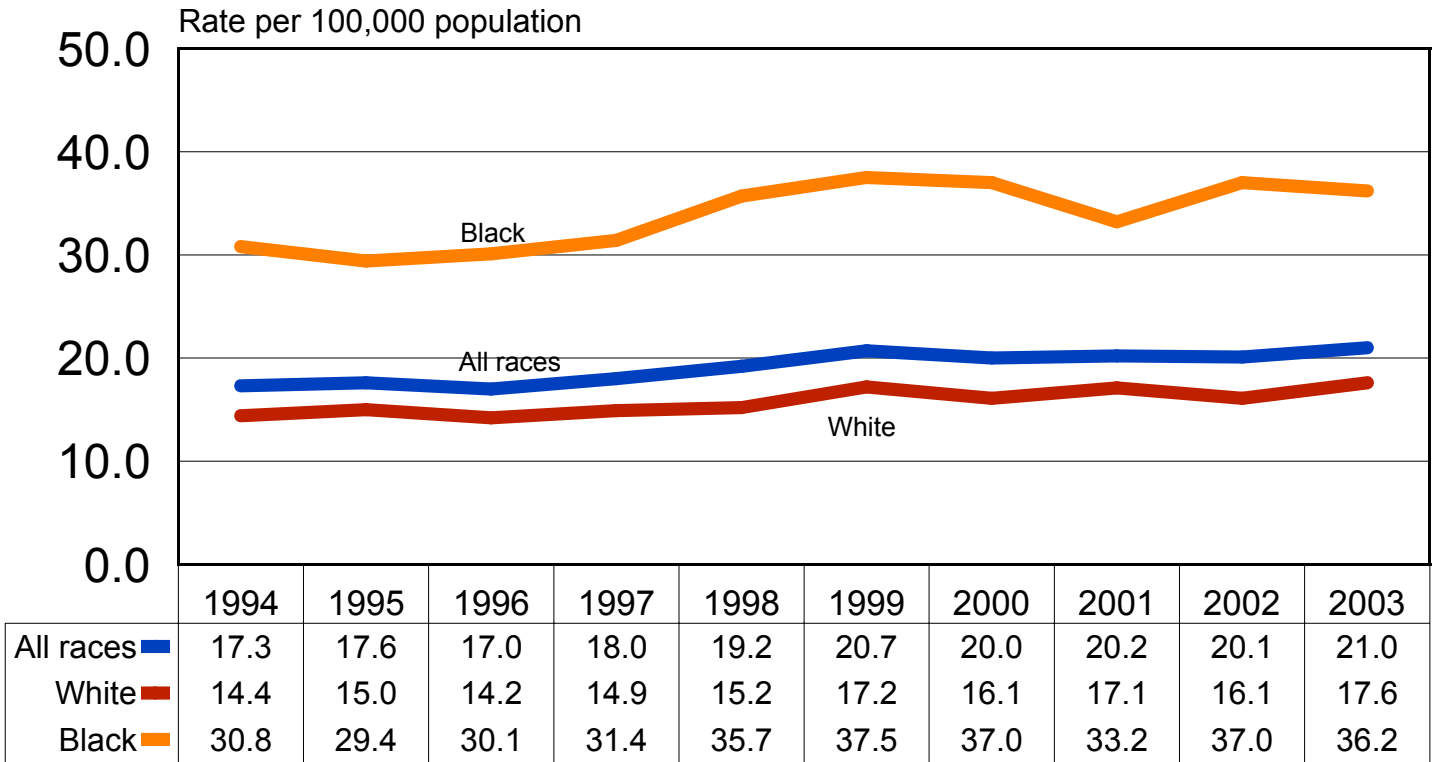


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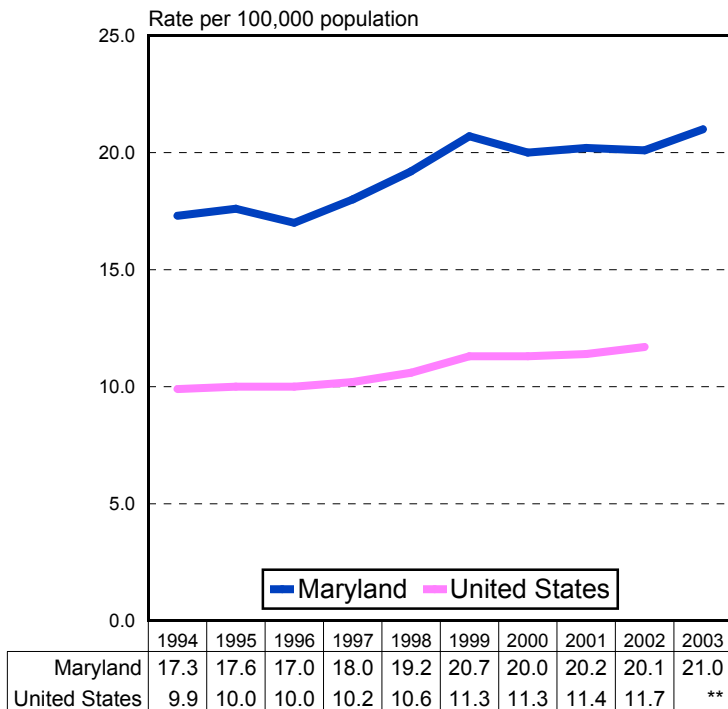
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SEPTICEMIA

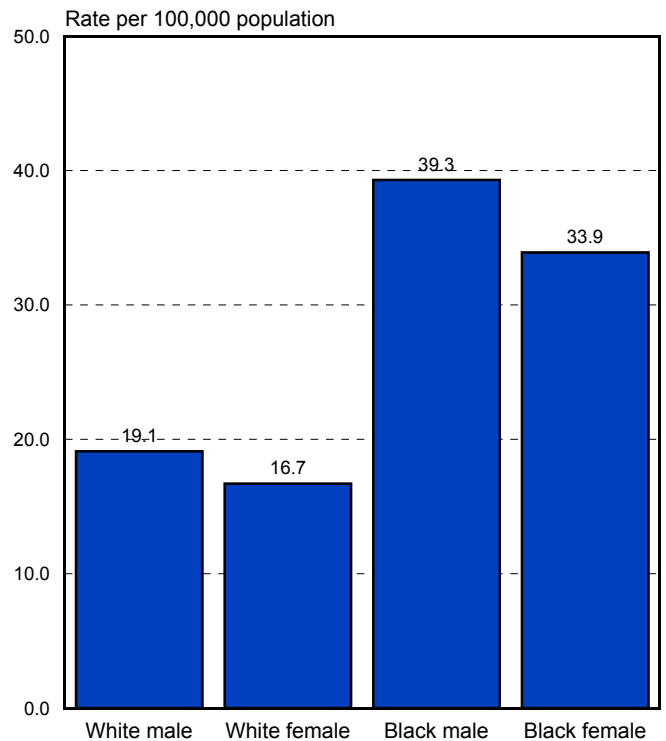
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Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Septicemia, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



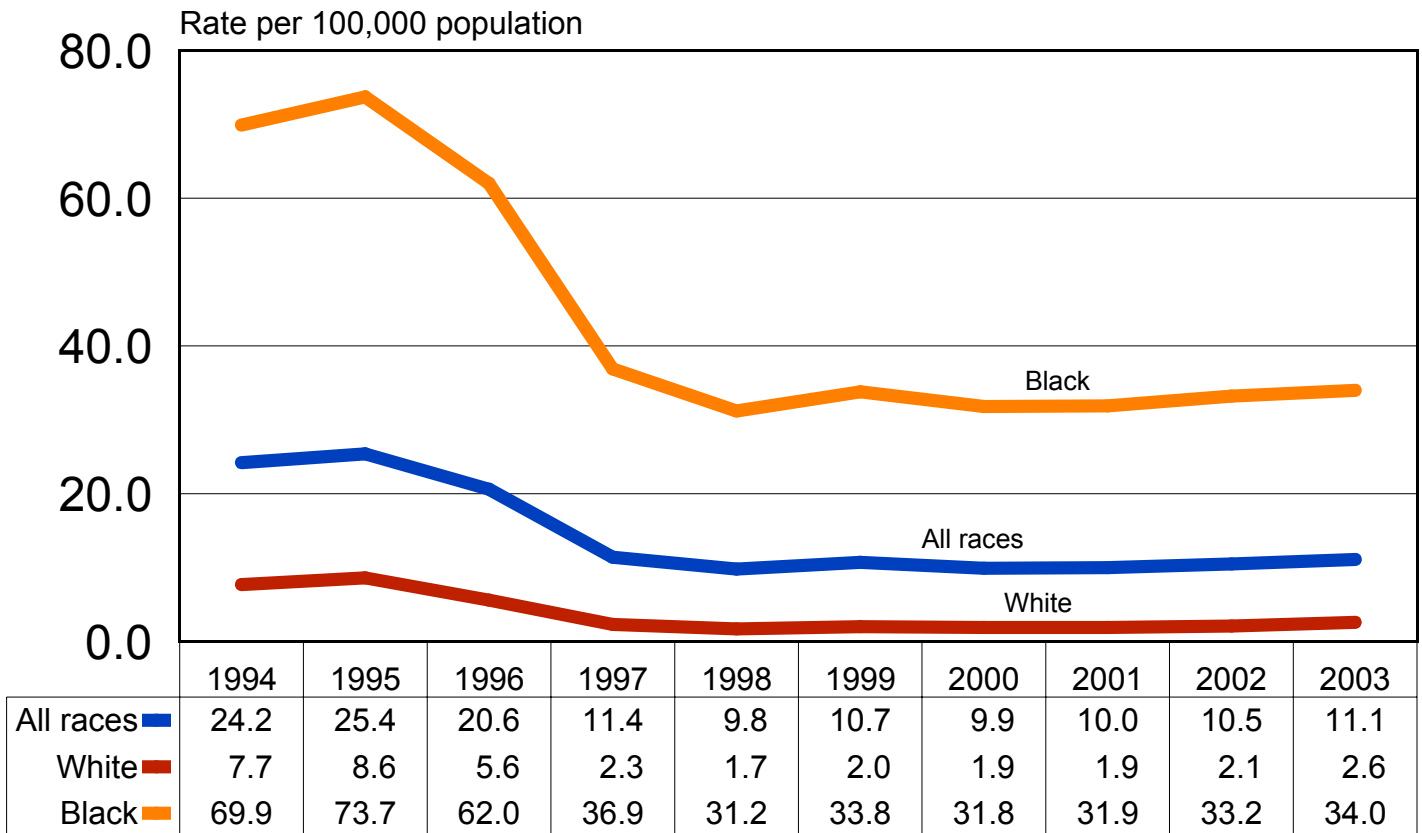
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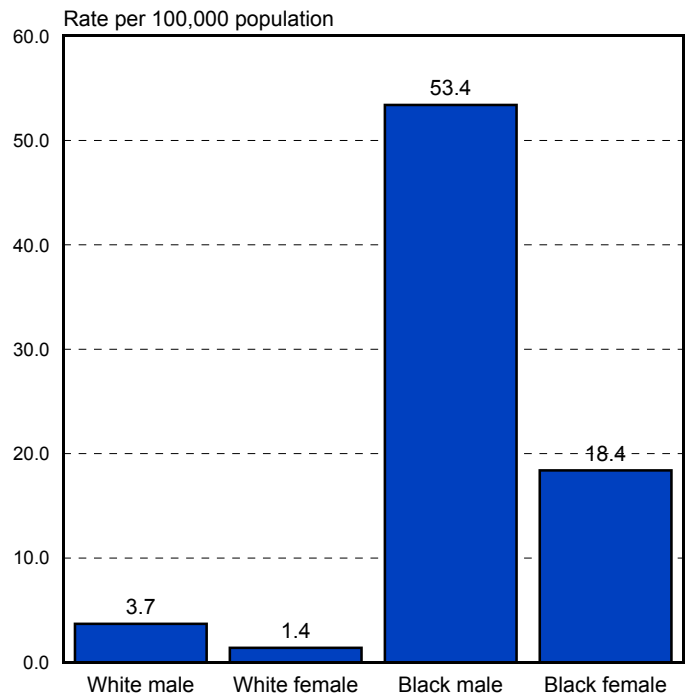
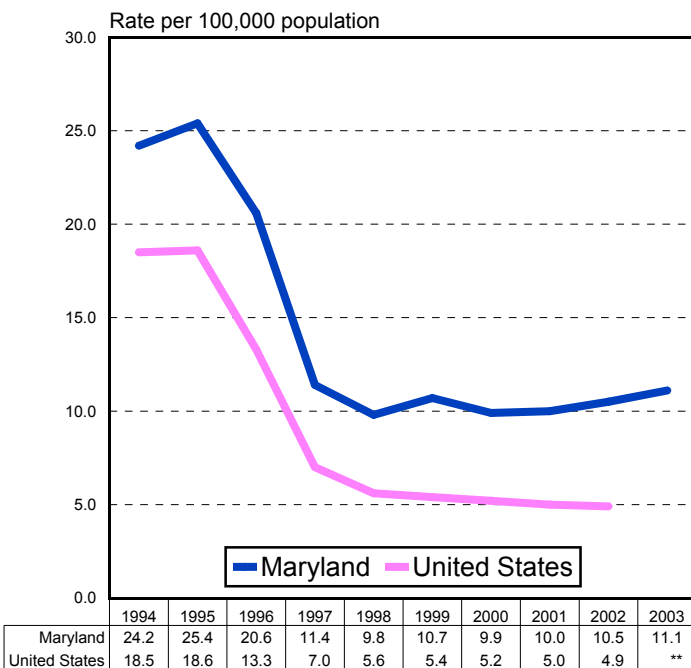
HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS

Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Human Immunodeficiency Virus by Race, Maryland, Selected Years, 1994-2003.



Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Human Immunodeficiency Virus, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.

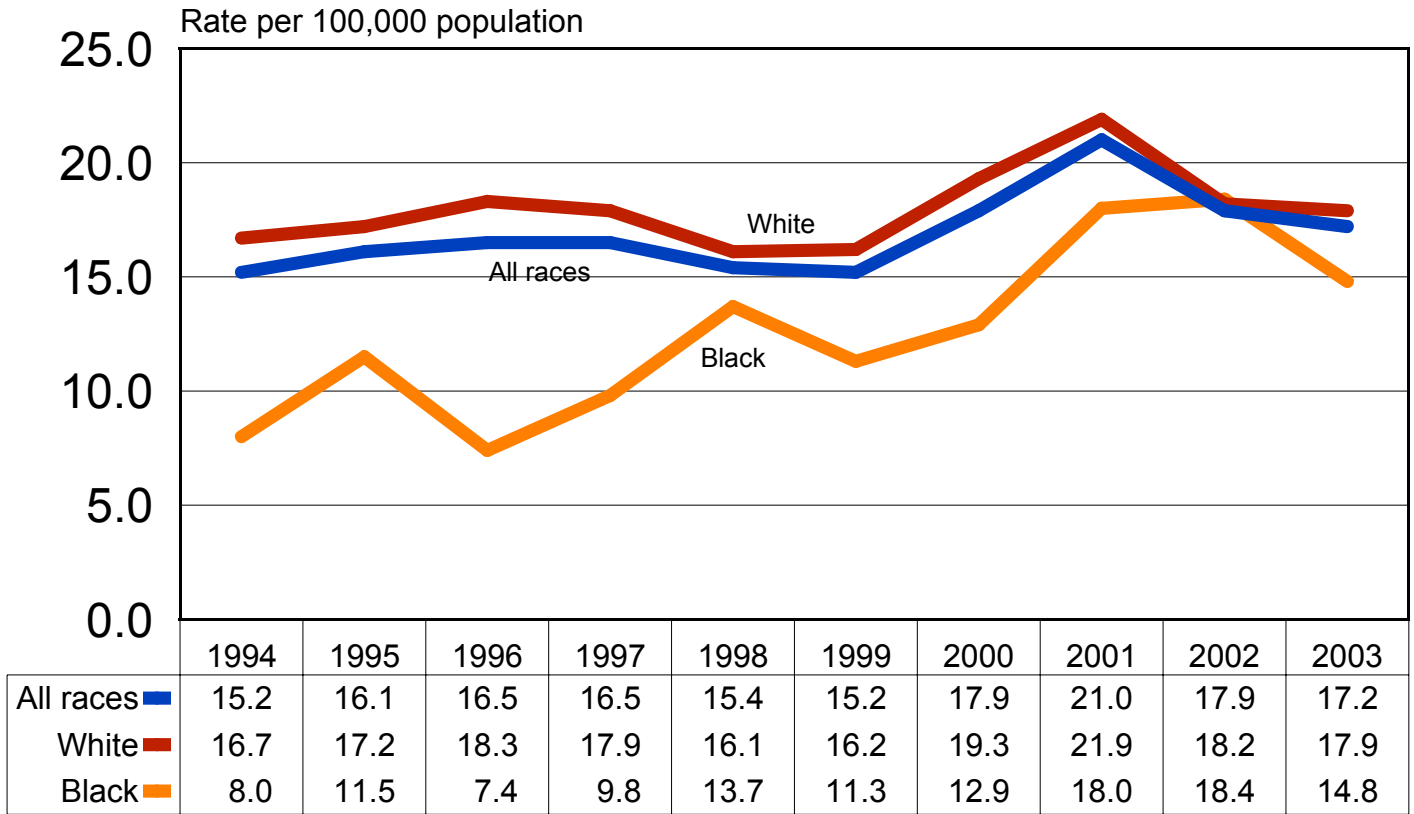
Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Human Immunodeficiency Virus by Race and Sex, Maryland, 2003.



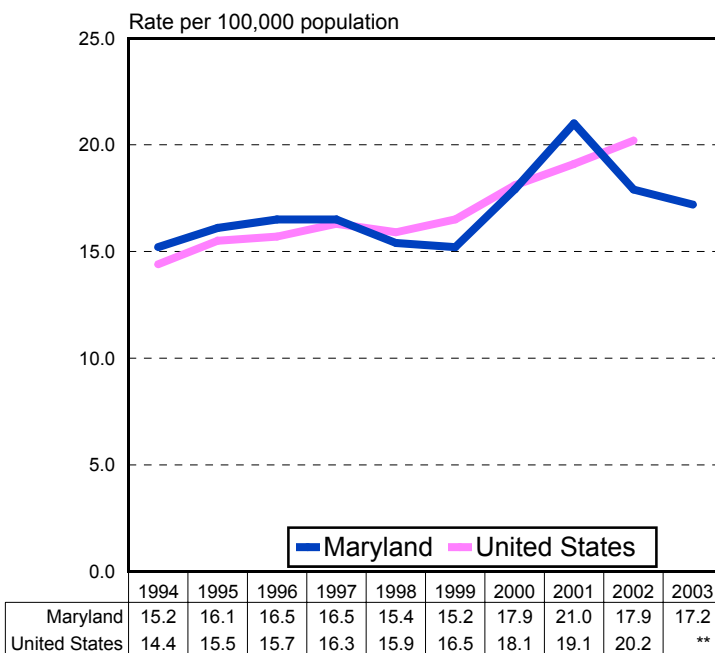
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ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE

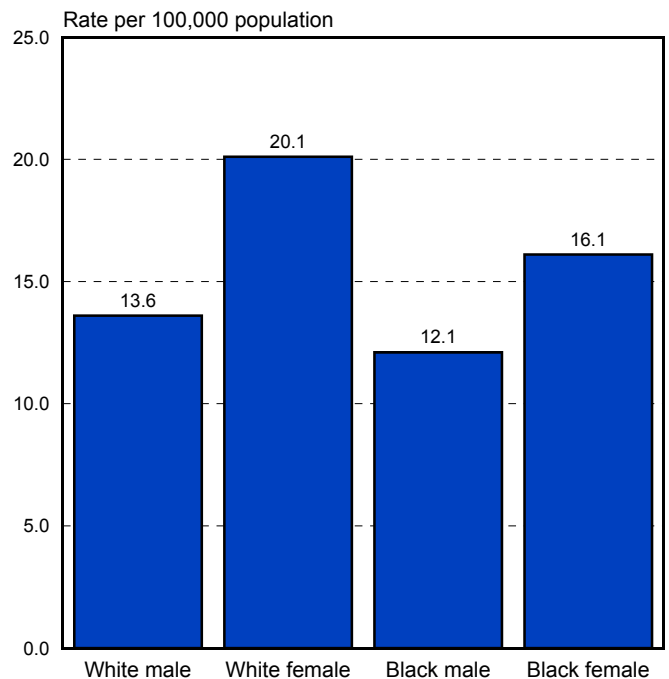
Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Alzheimer's Disease by Race, Maryland, Selected Years, 1994-2003.



Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Alzheimer's Disease, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Alzheimer's Disease by Race and Sex, Maryland, 2003.

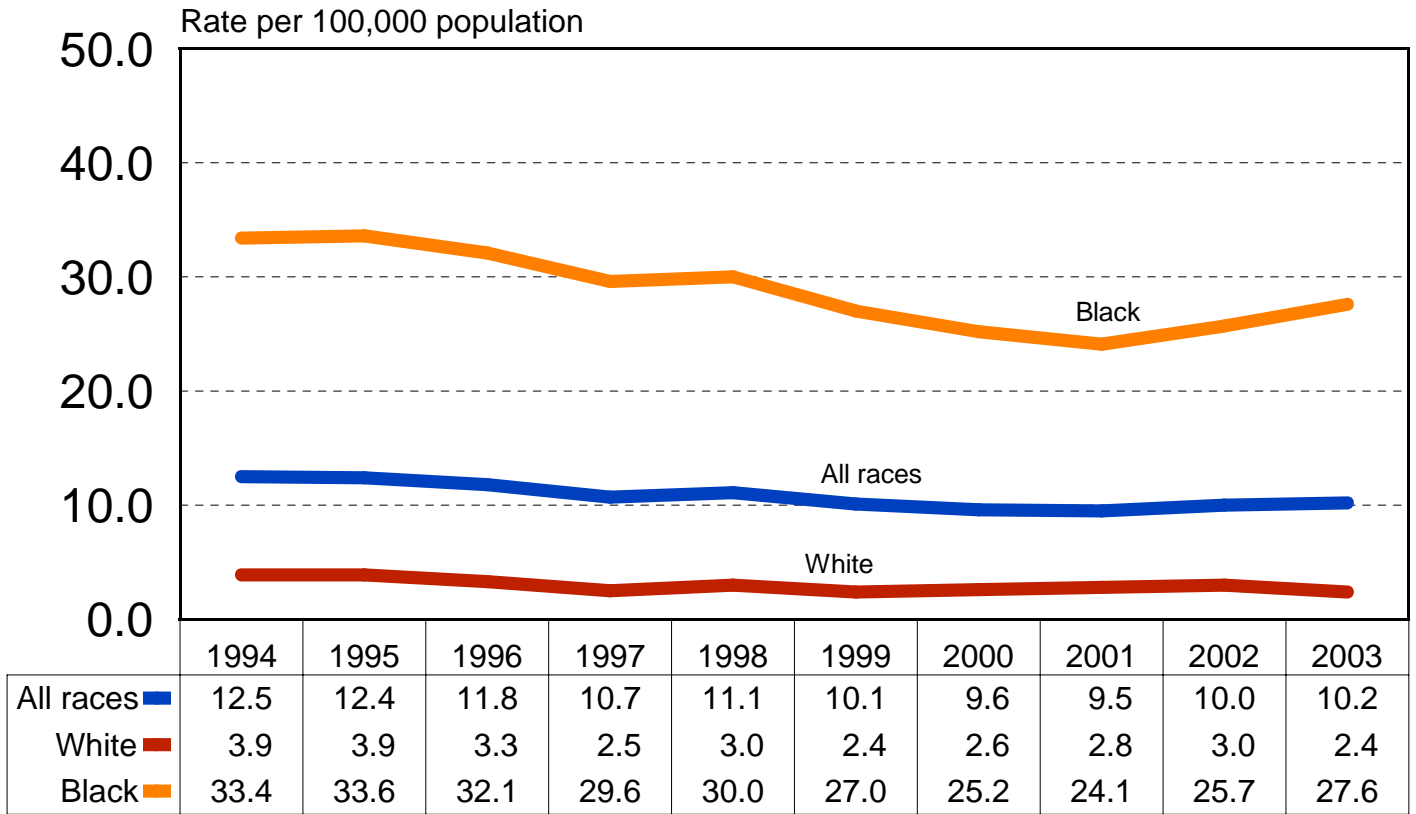


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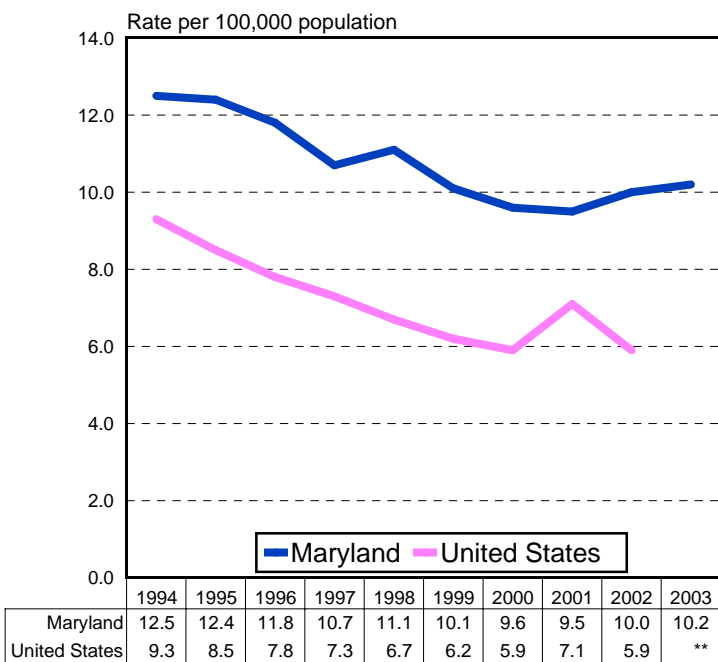
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ASSAULT (HOMICIDE)

Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Assault (Homicide) by Race, Maryland, Selected Years, 1994-2003.

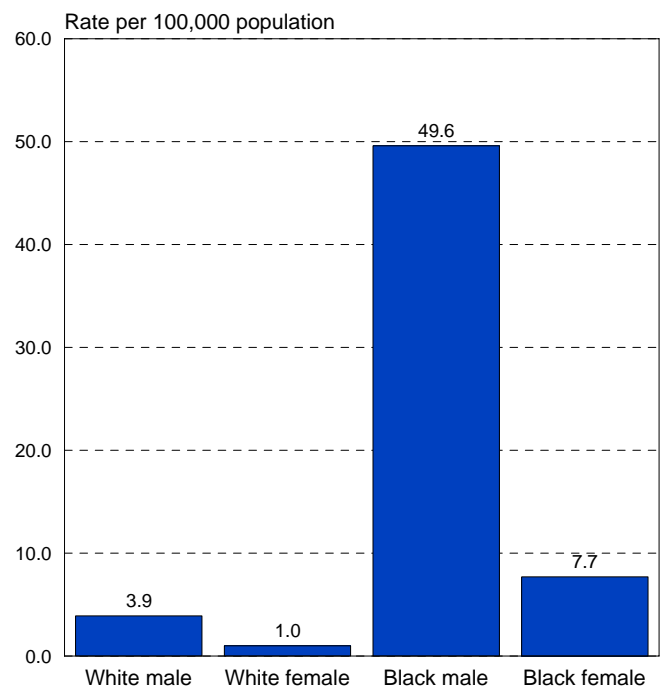


Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Assault, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.



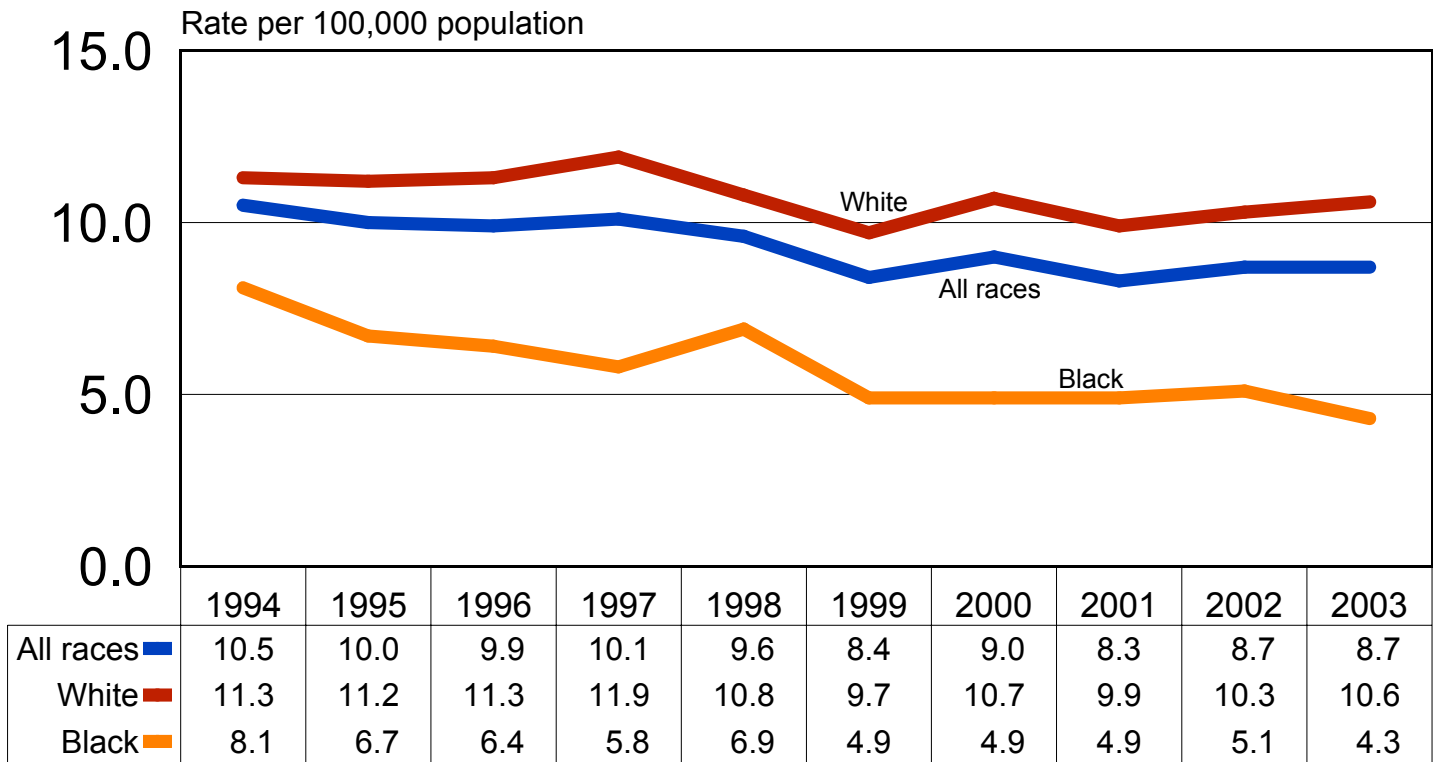
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Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Assault by Race and Sex, Maryland, 2003.



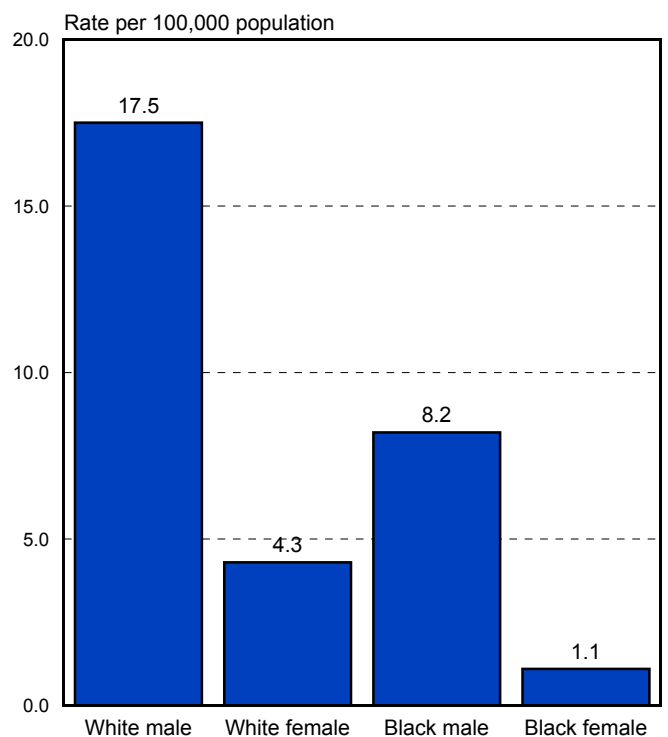
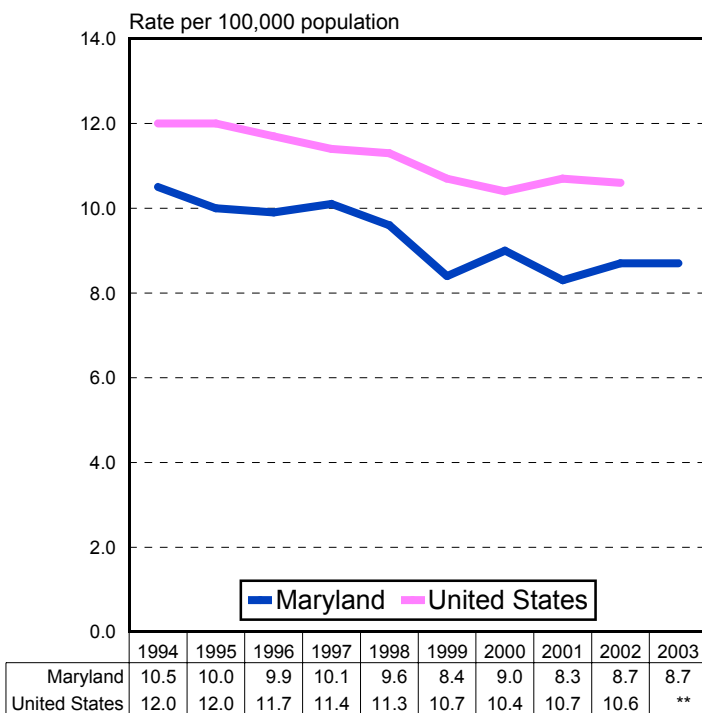
INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE)

Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide) by Race, Maryland, Selected Years, 1994-2003.



Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Intentional Self-Harm, Maryland and the U.S., 1994-2003.

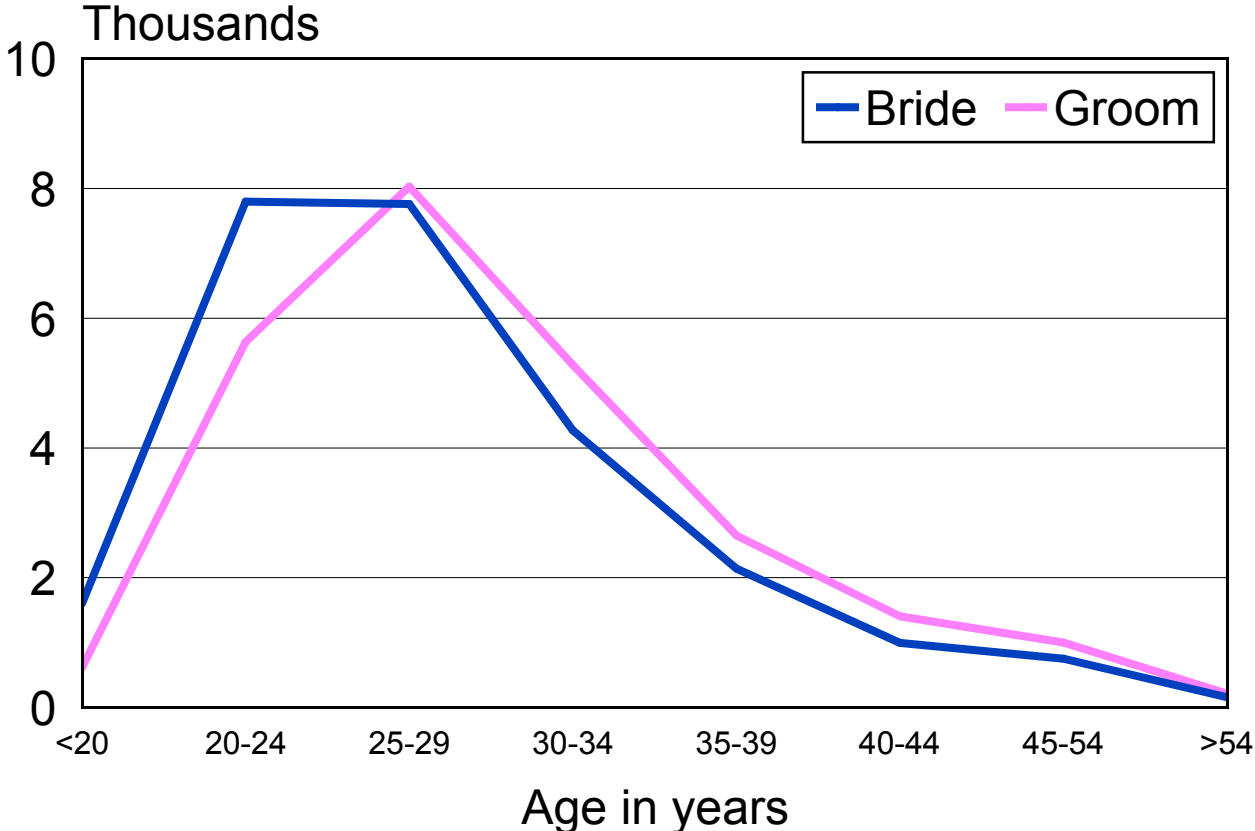
Age-Adjusted Death Rate* for Intentional Self-Harm by Race and Sex, Maryland, 2003.



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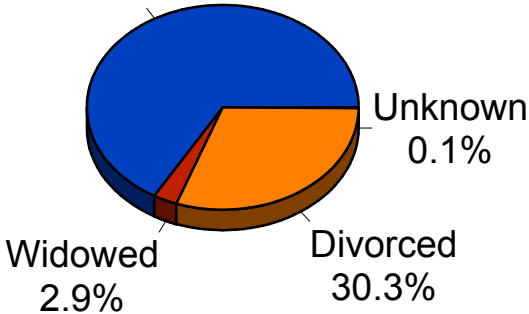
MARRIAGES

Number of First Marriages by Age of the Bride and Groom, Maryland, 2003.



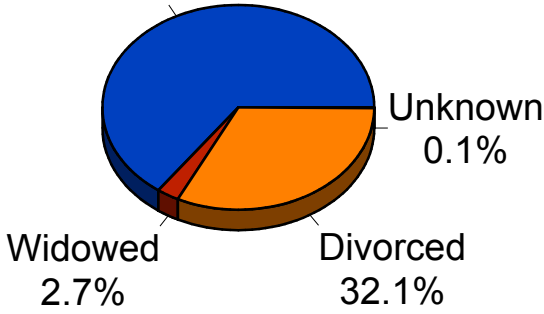
Percent Distribution of Marriages by Previous Marital Status of the Bride and Groom, Maryland, 2003.

Never married
66.7%



Bride

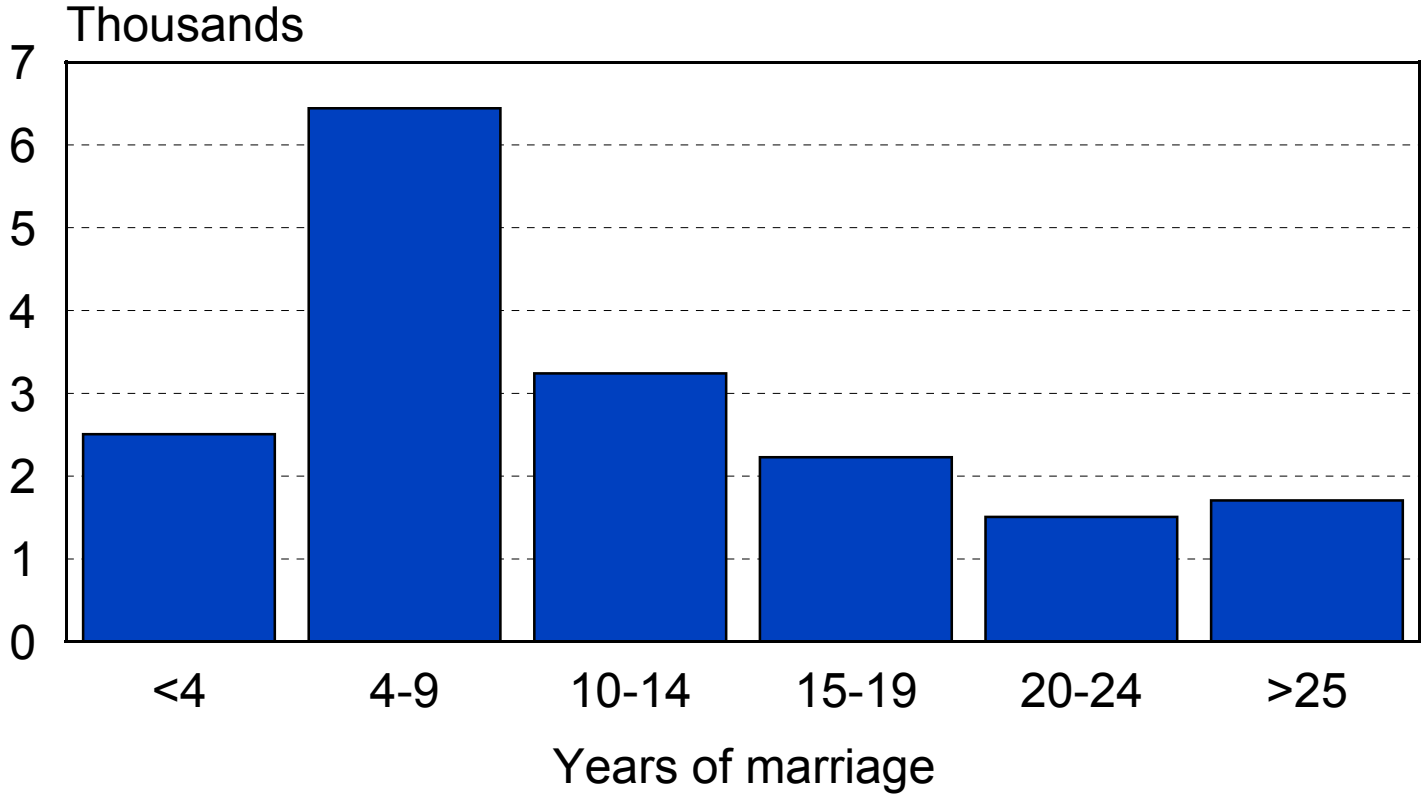
Never married
65.1%



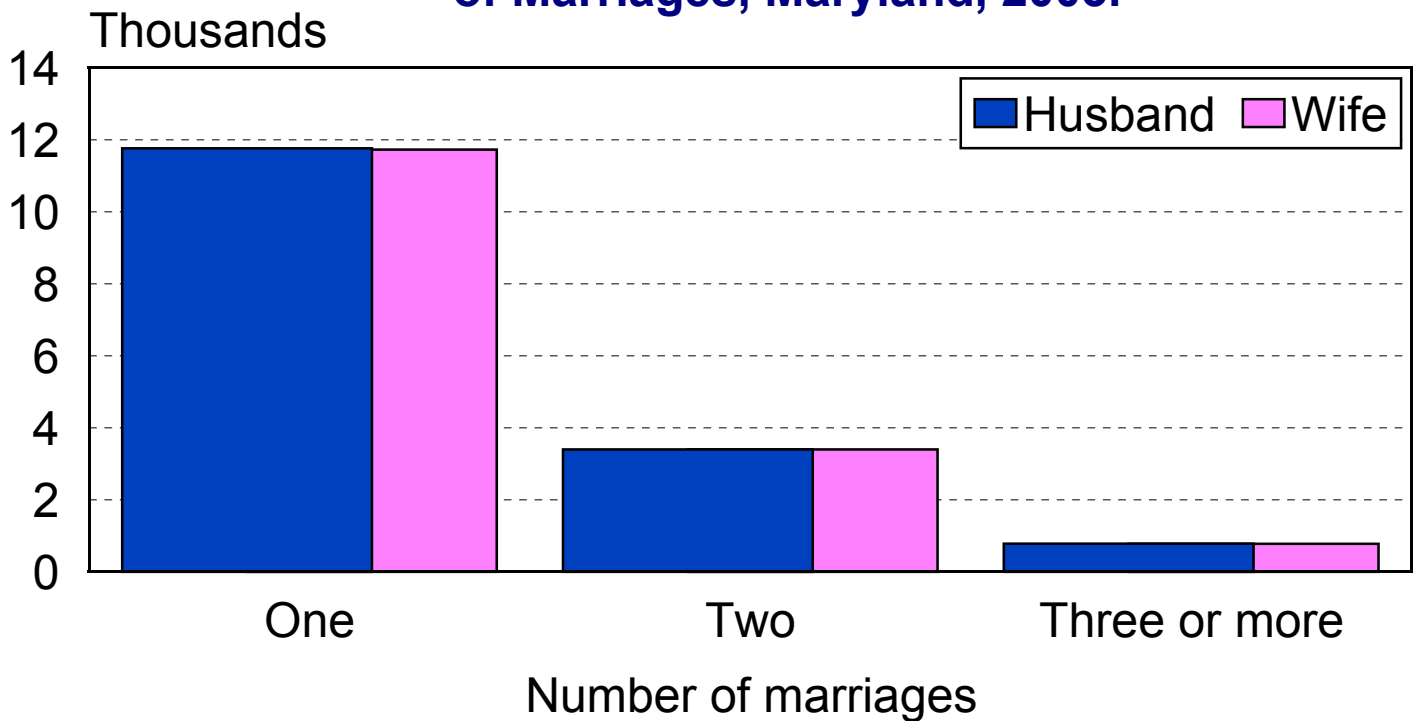
Groom

DIVORCES

Number of Divorces and Annulments by Duration of Marriage, Maryland, 2003.



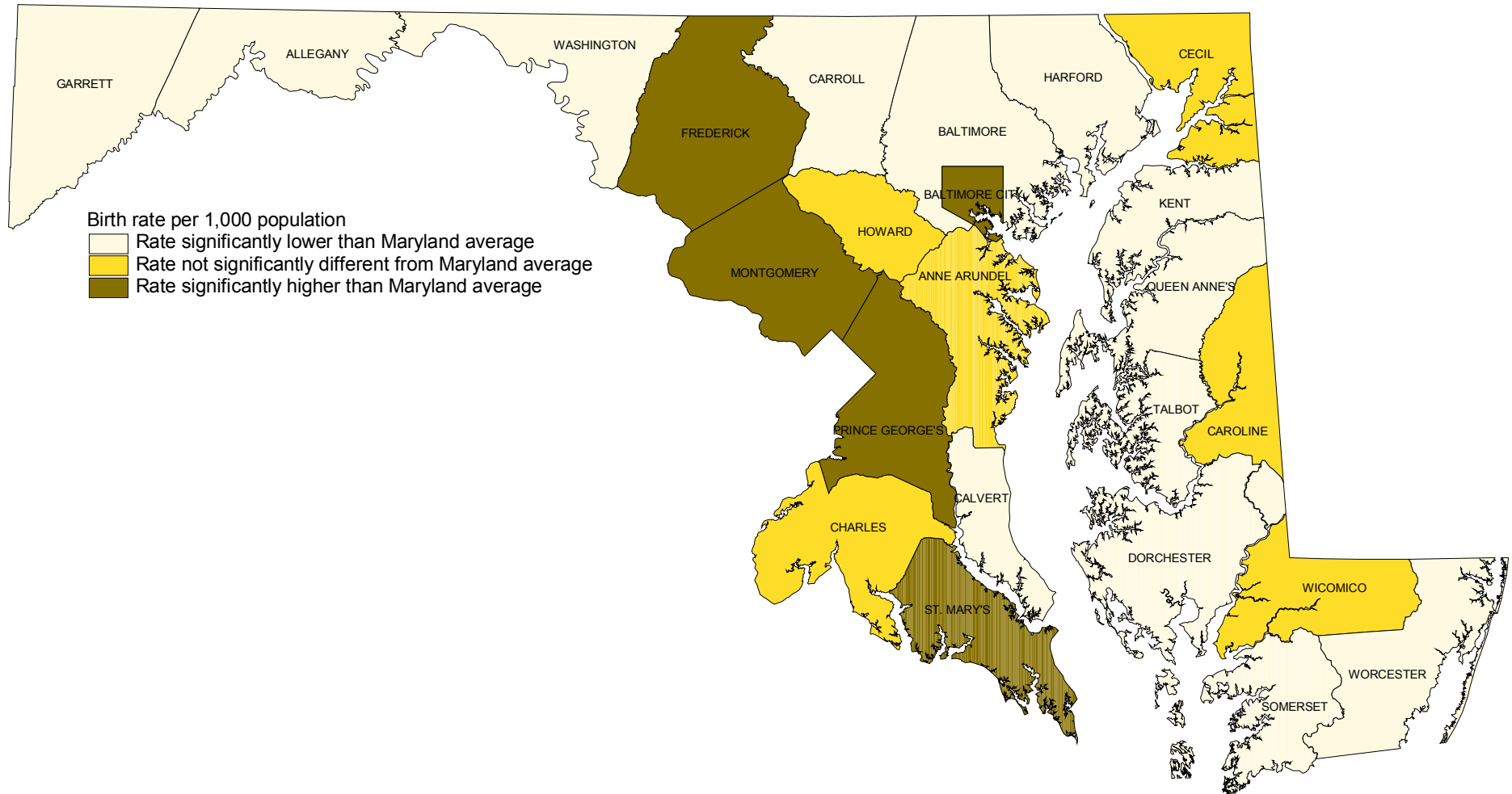
Number of Divorces and Annulments by Total Number of Marriages, Maryland, 2003.





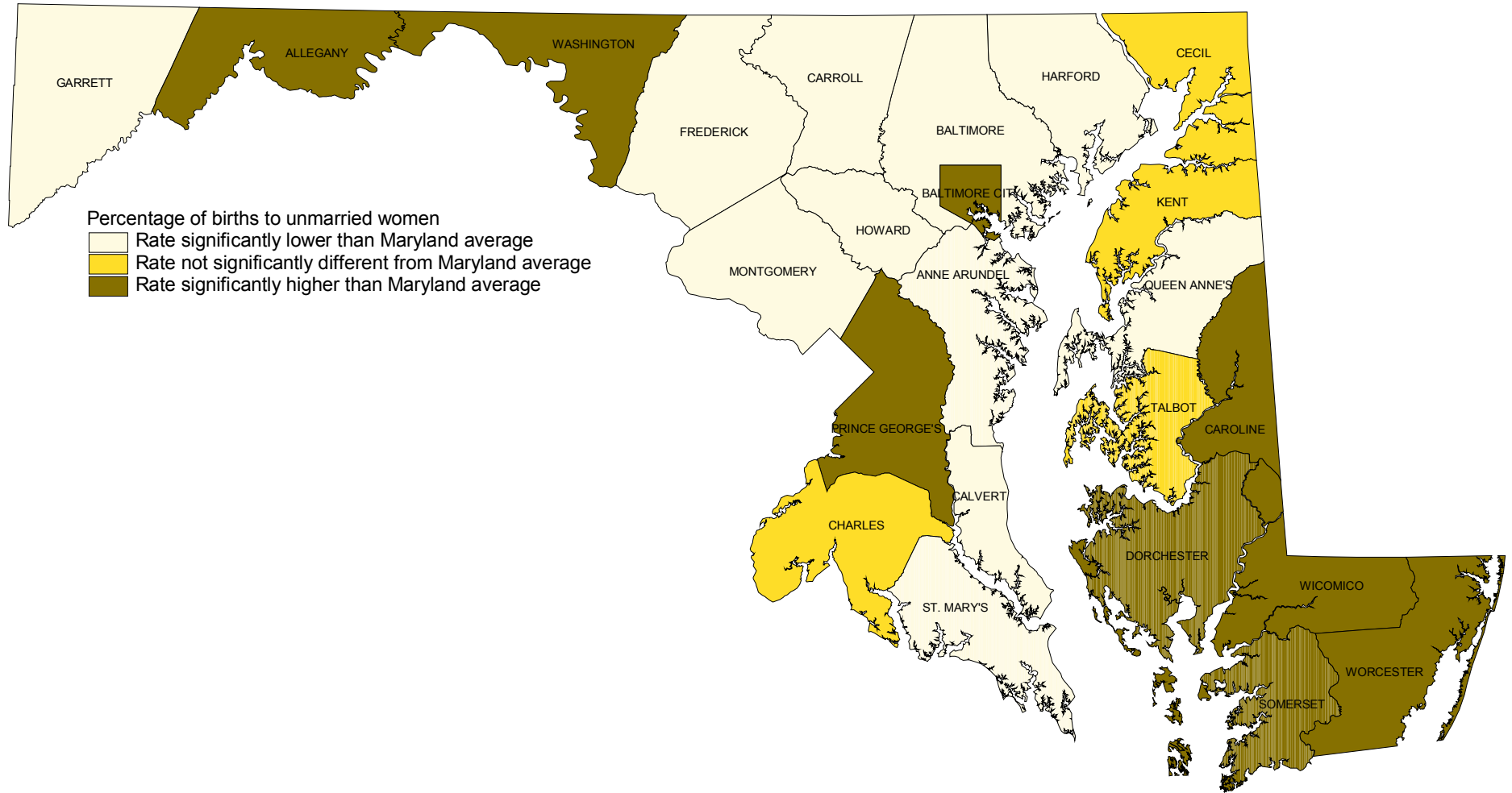
MAPS

Comparison of County Birth Rates* with the Maryland State Average, 2003.



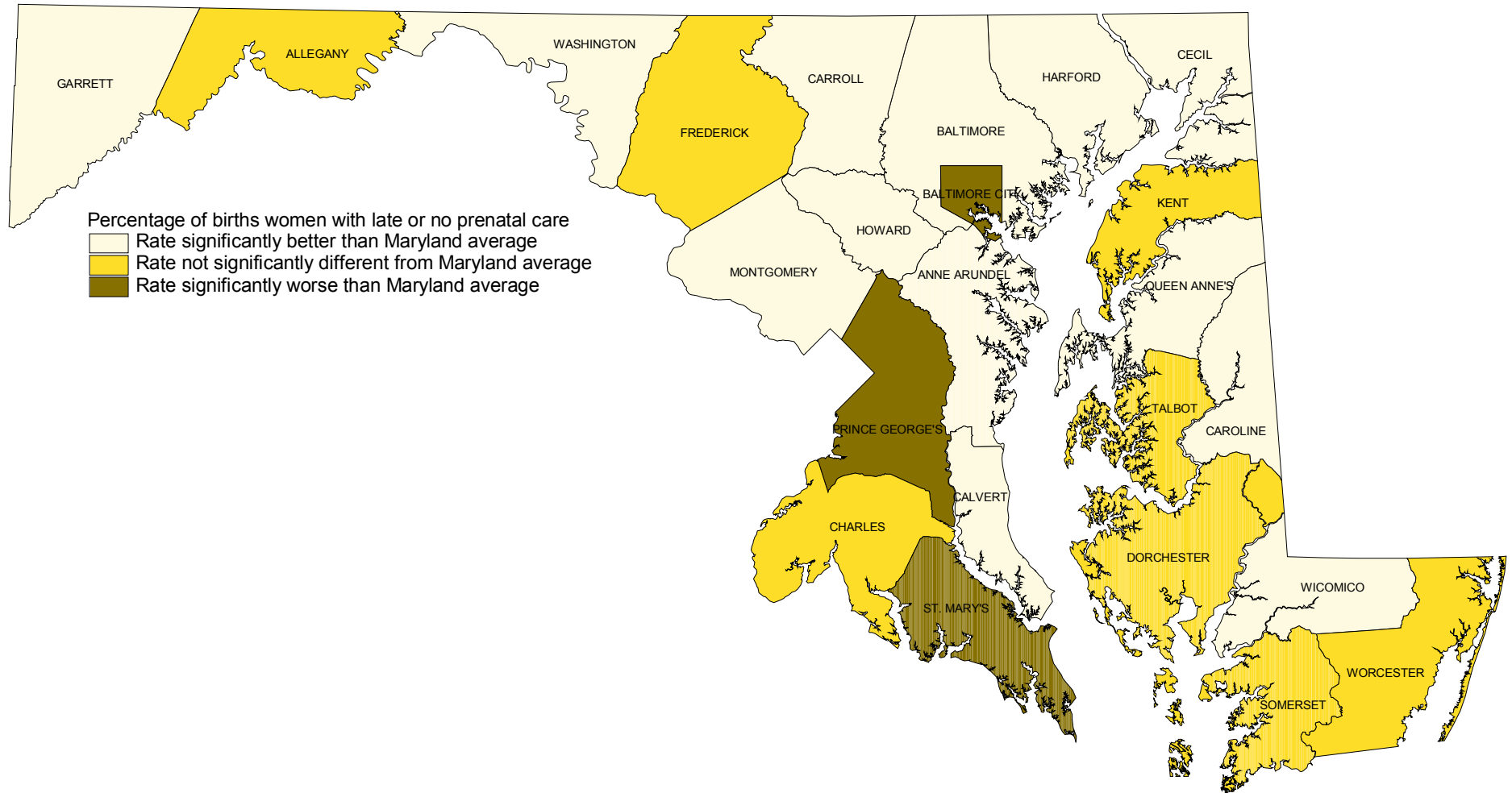
*Rates are shown on Table 11g.

Comparison of Percentages of Births to Unmarried Women* with the Maryland State Average, 2003.



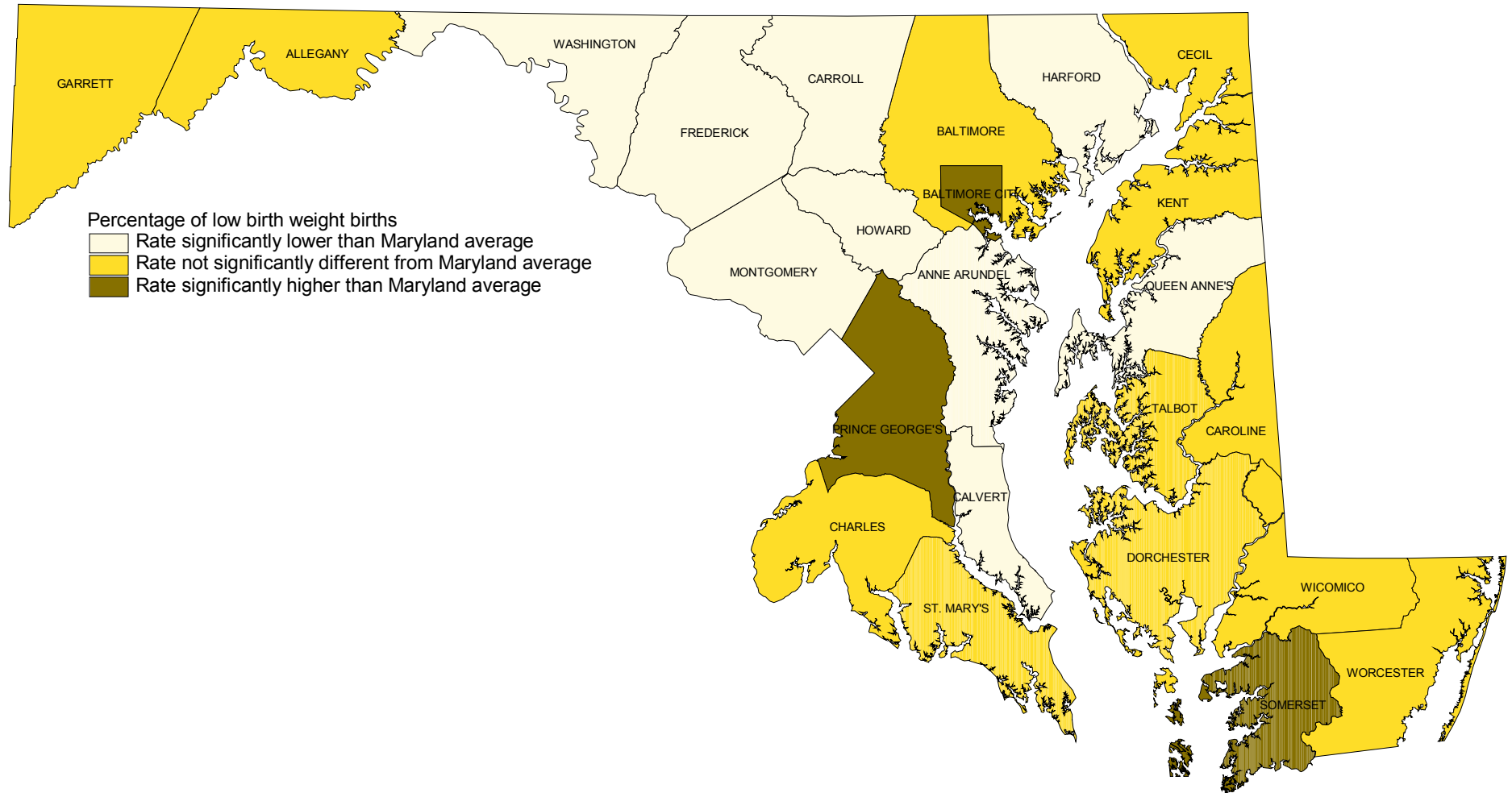
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Comparison of Percentages of Births to Women with Late or No Prenatal Care* with the Maryland State Average, 2003.



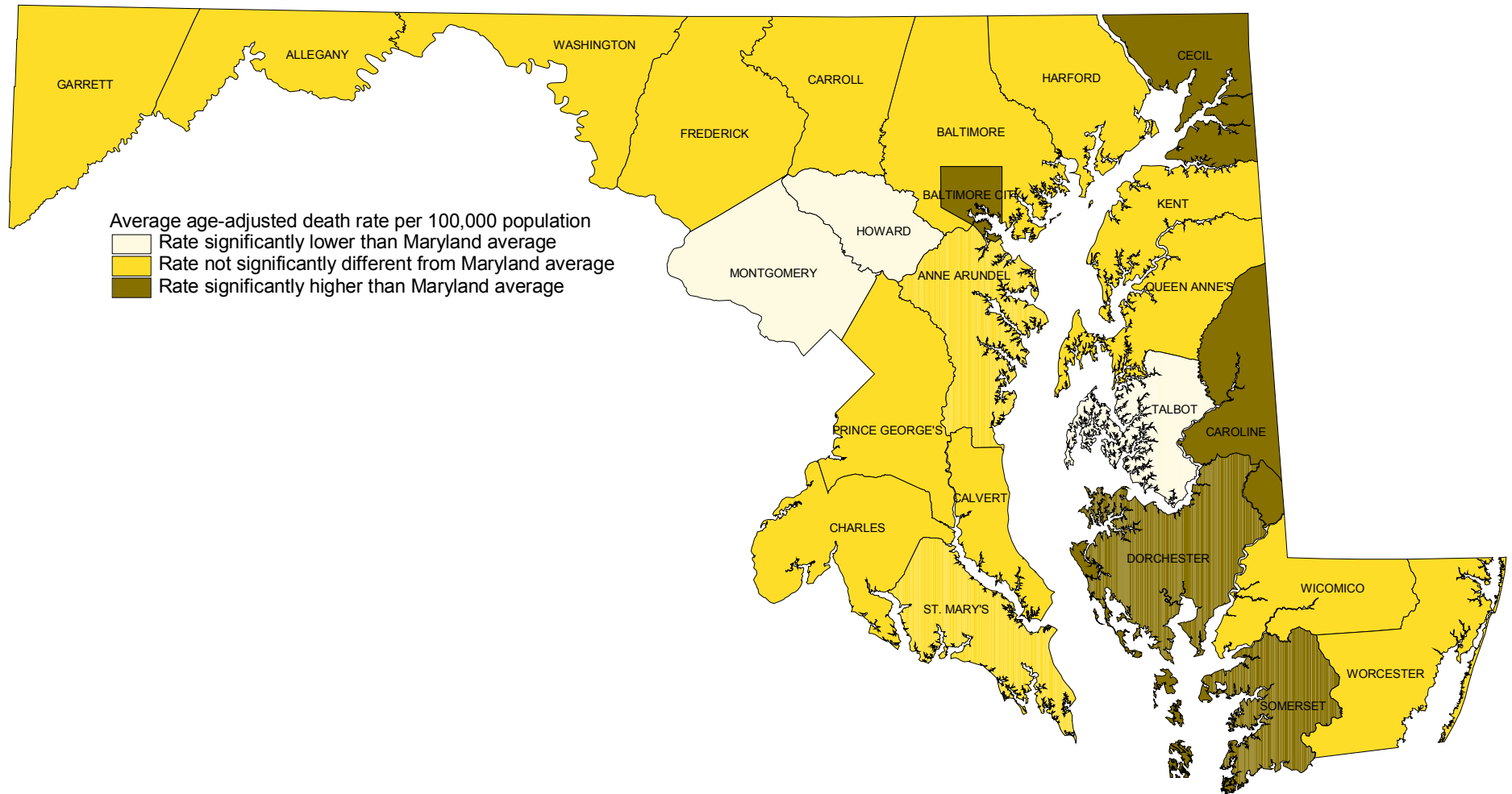
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Comparison of Percentages of Low Birth Weight Births* with the Maryland State Average, 2003.



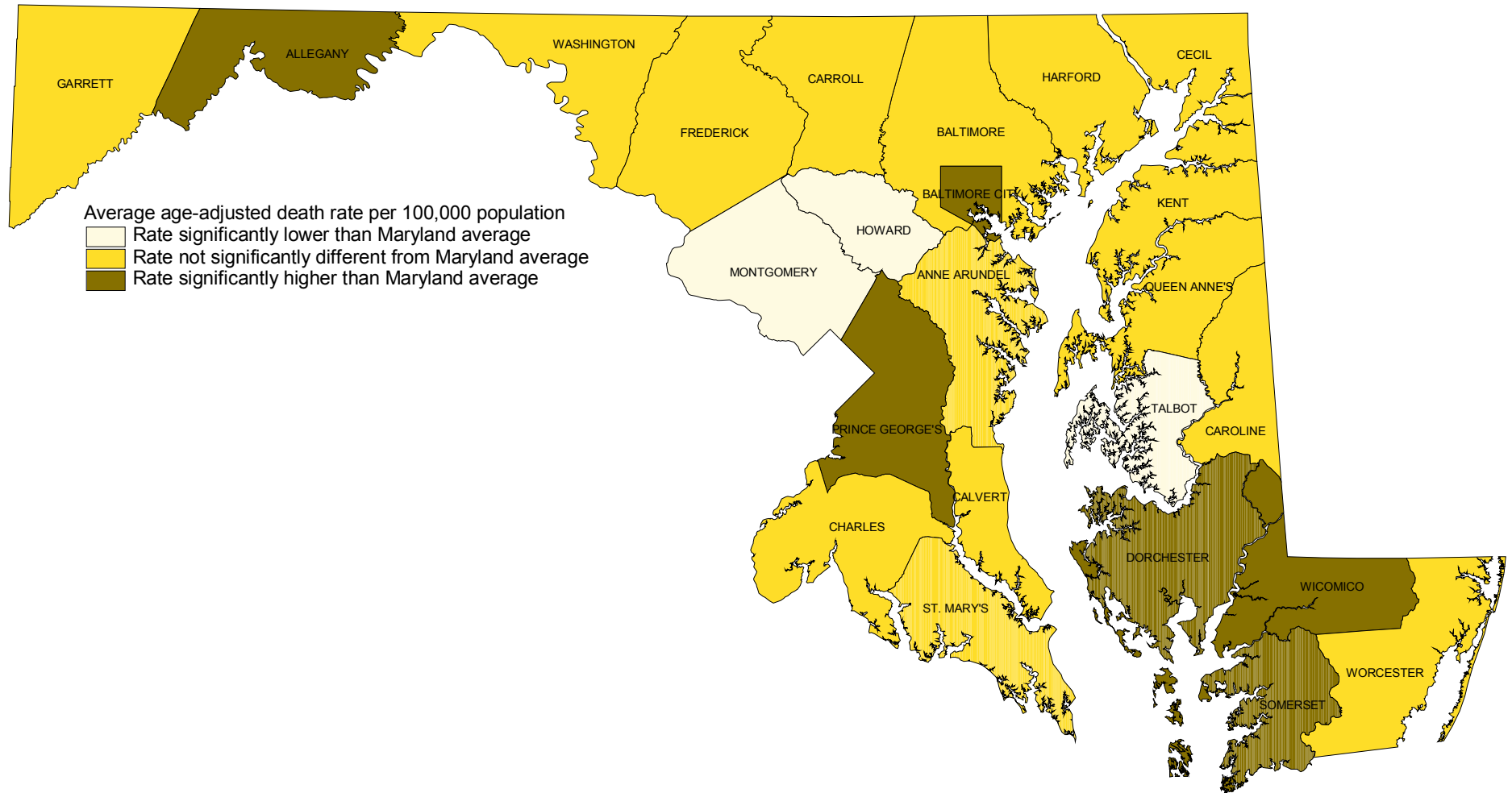
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for All Causes with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



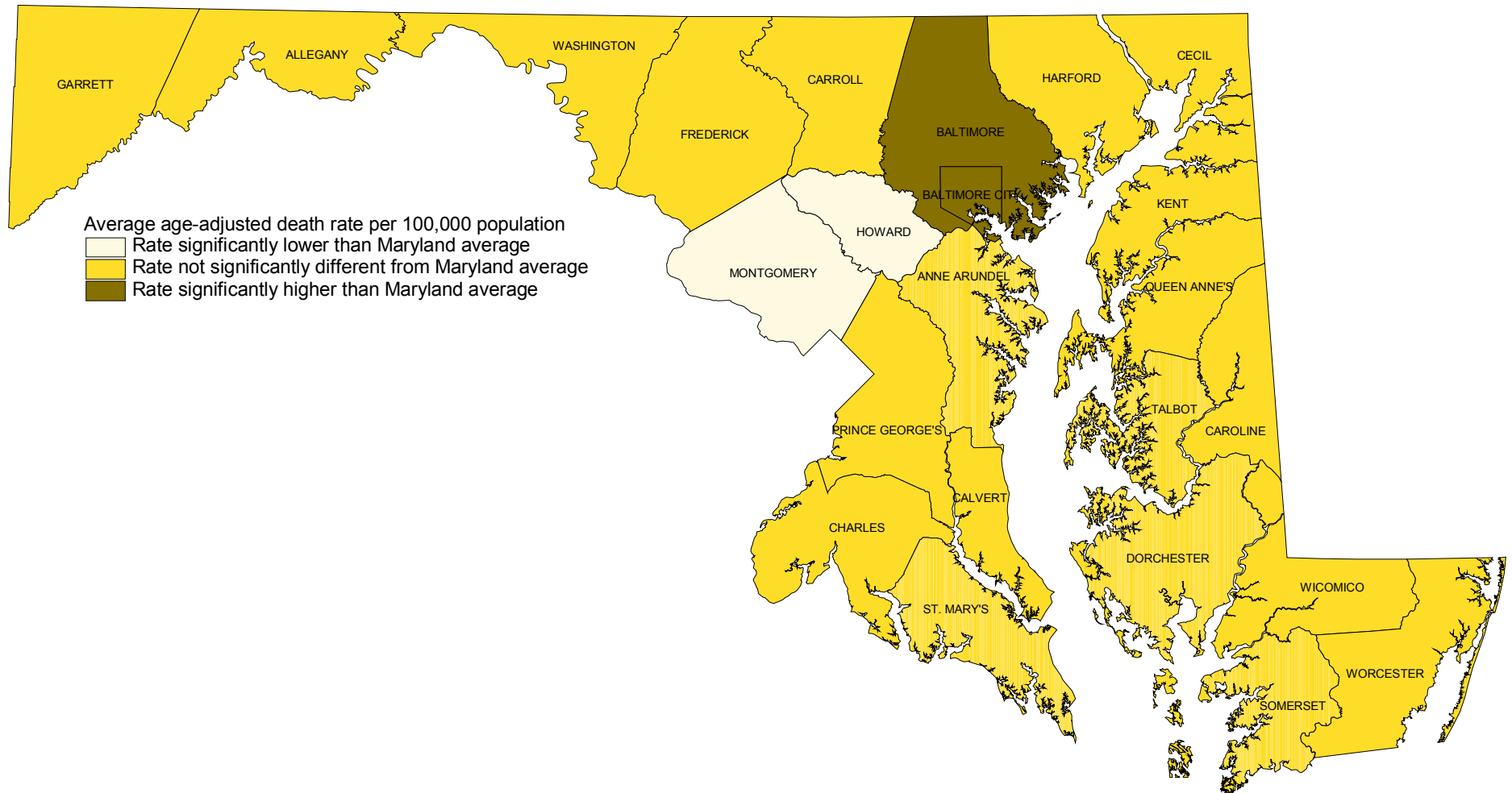
*Rates are shown on Table 50.

Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Heart Disease with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



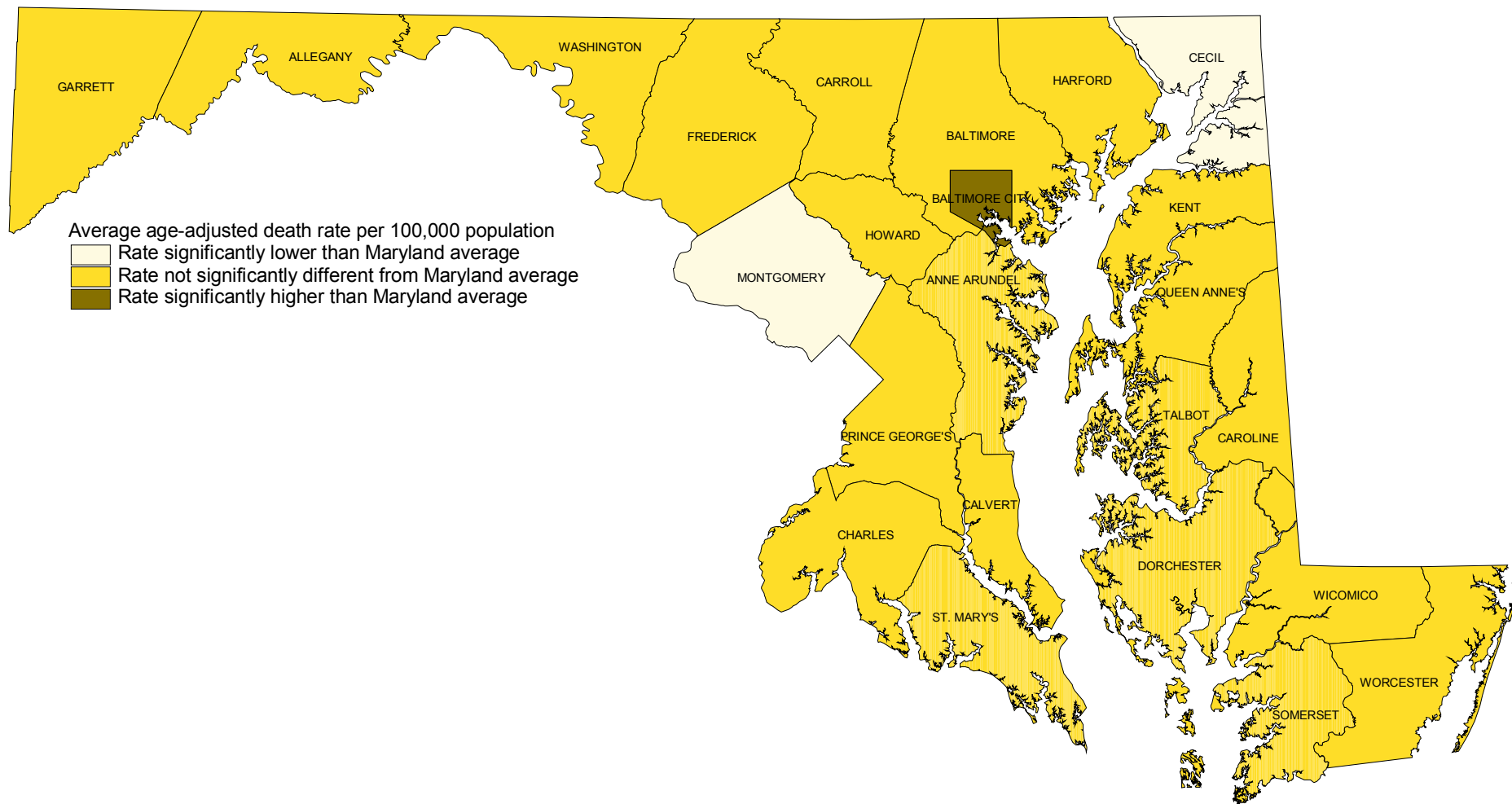
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Malignant Neoplasms with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



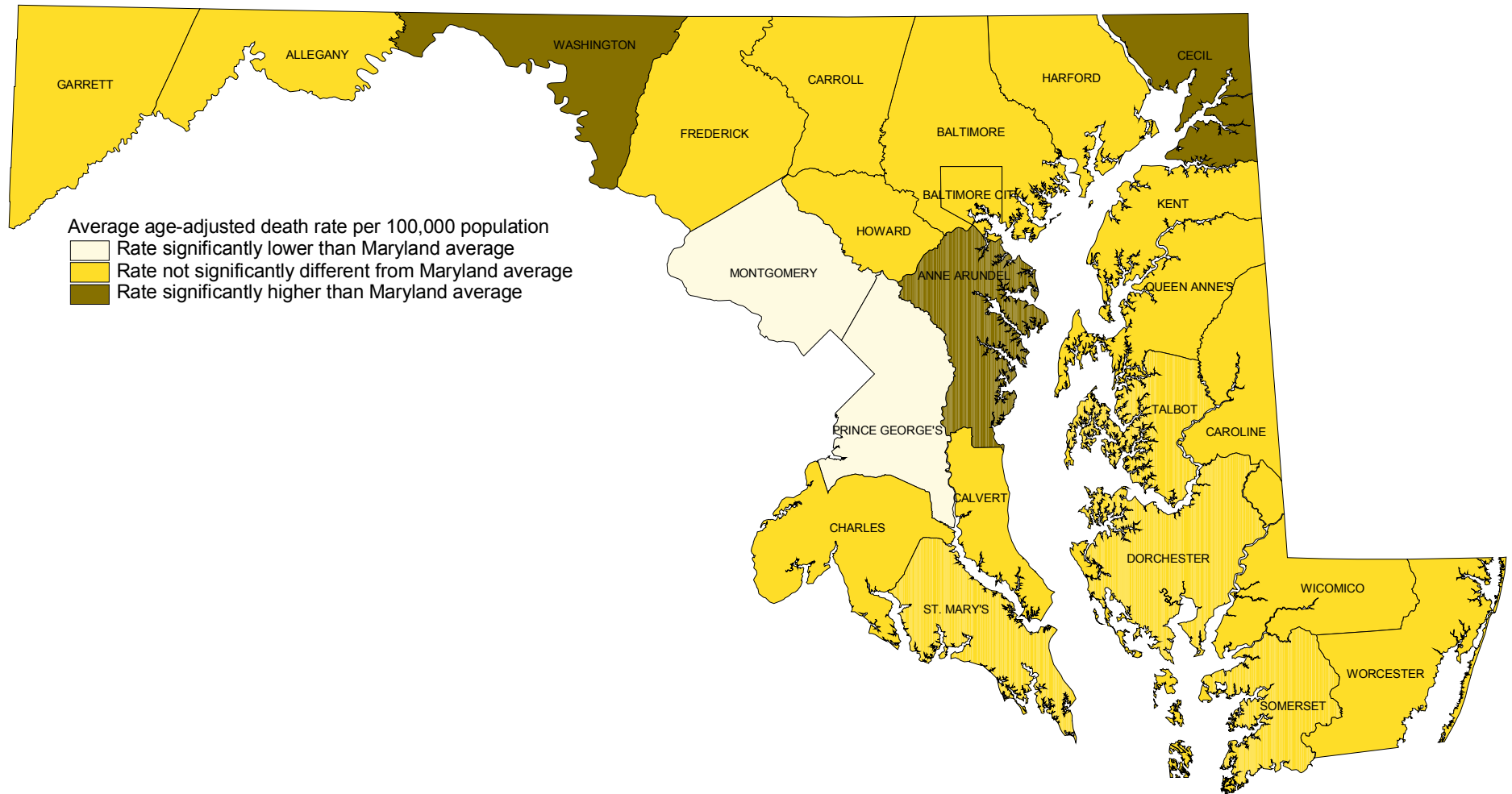
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Cerebrovascular Diseases with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



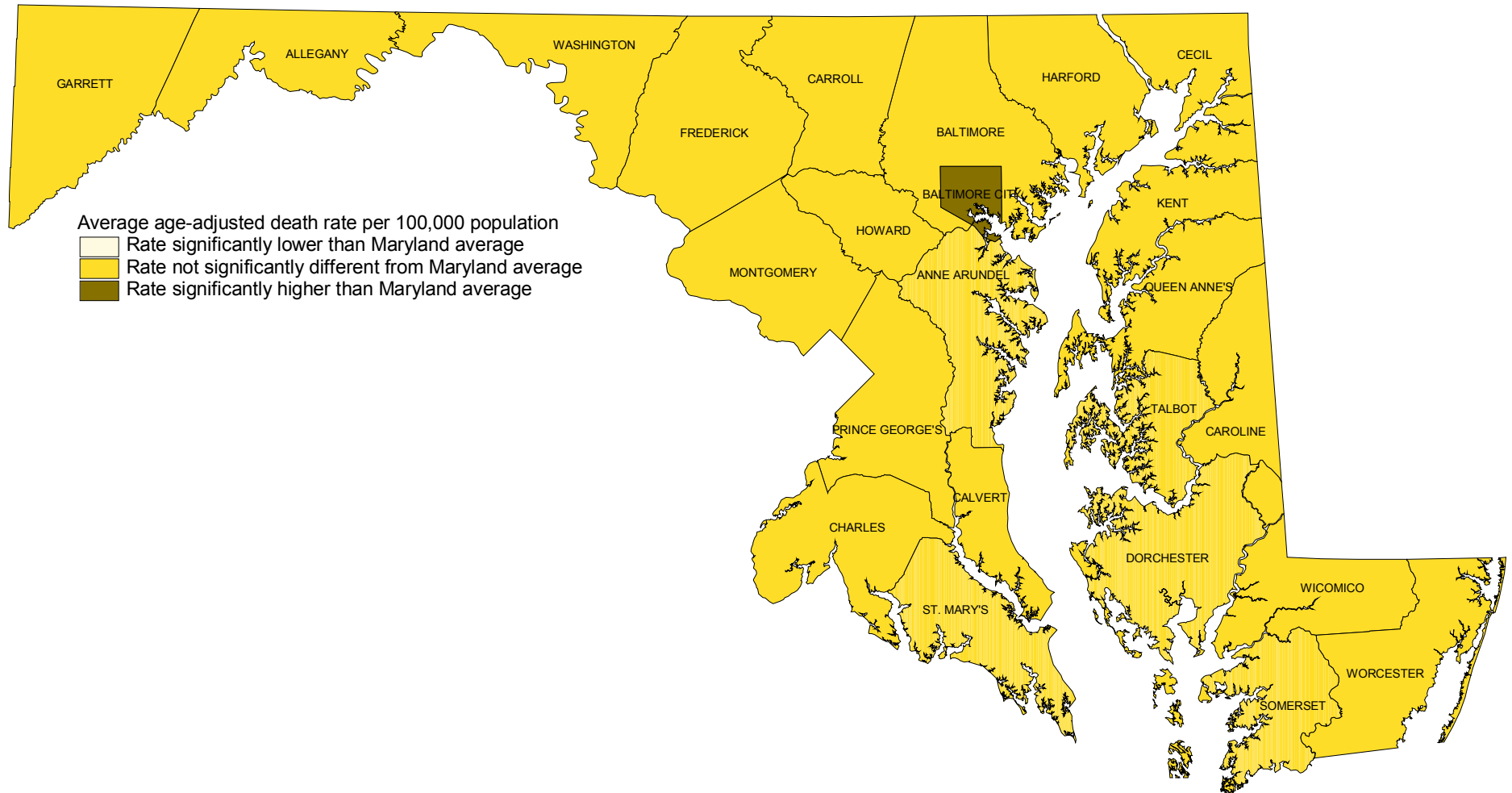
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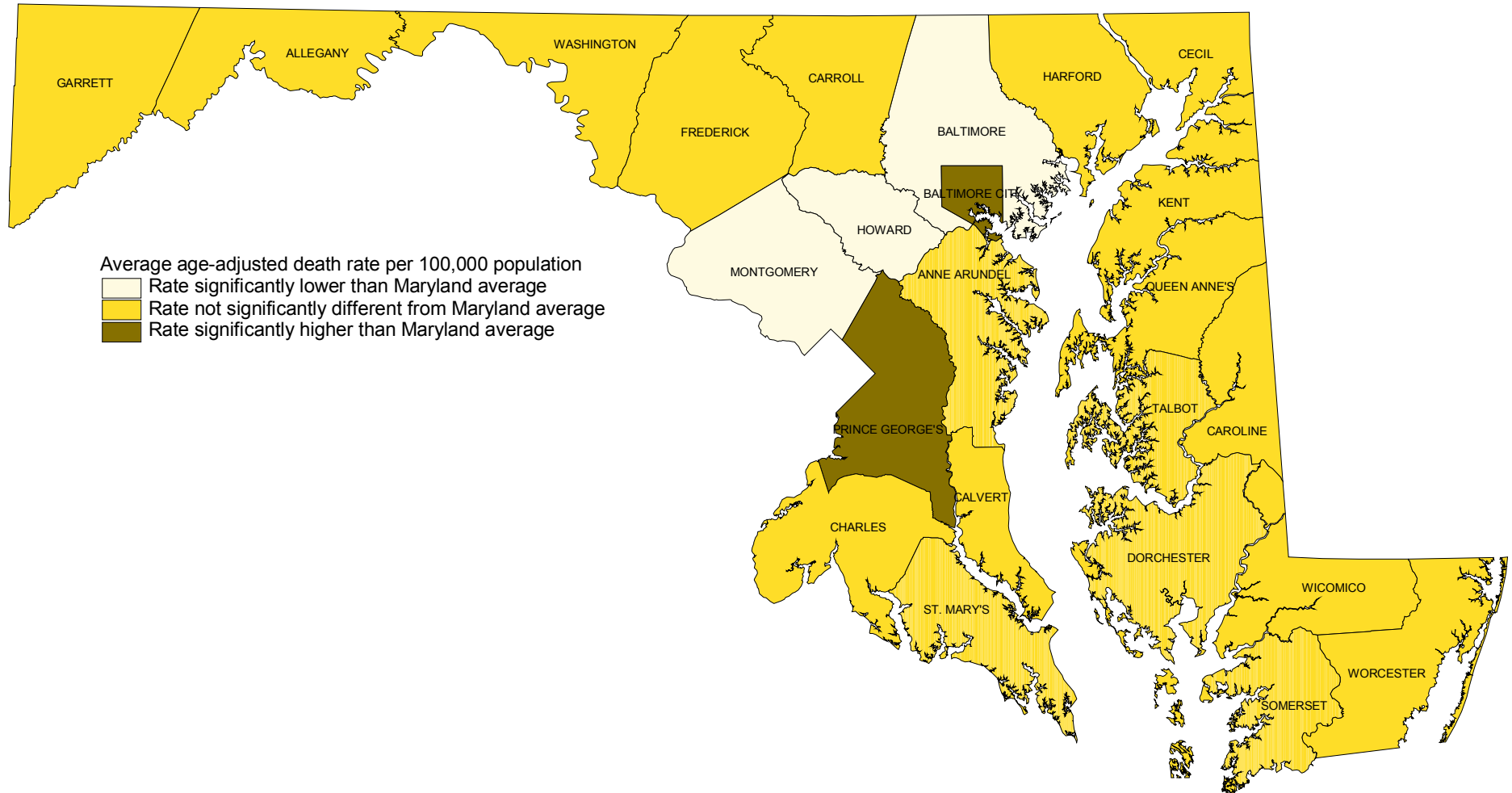
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Influenza and Pneumonia with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



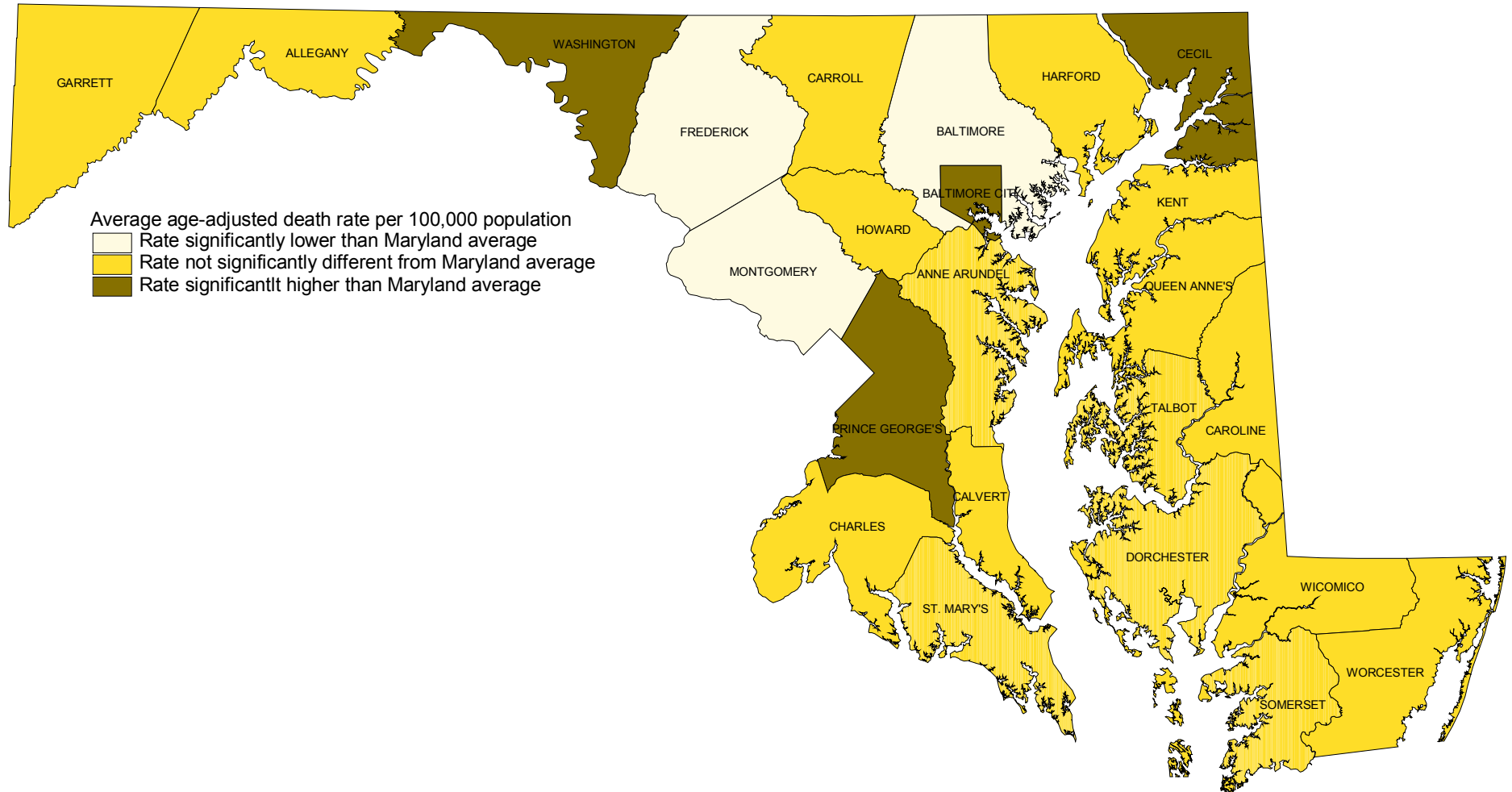
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Accidents with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



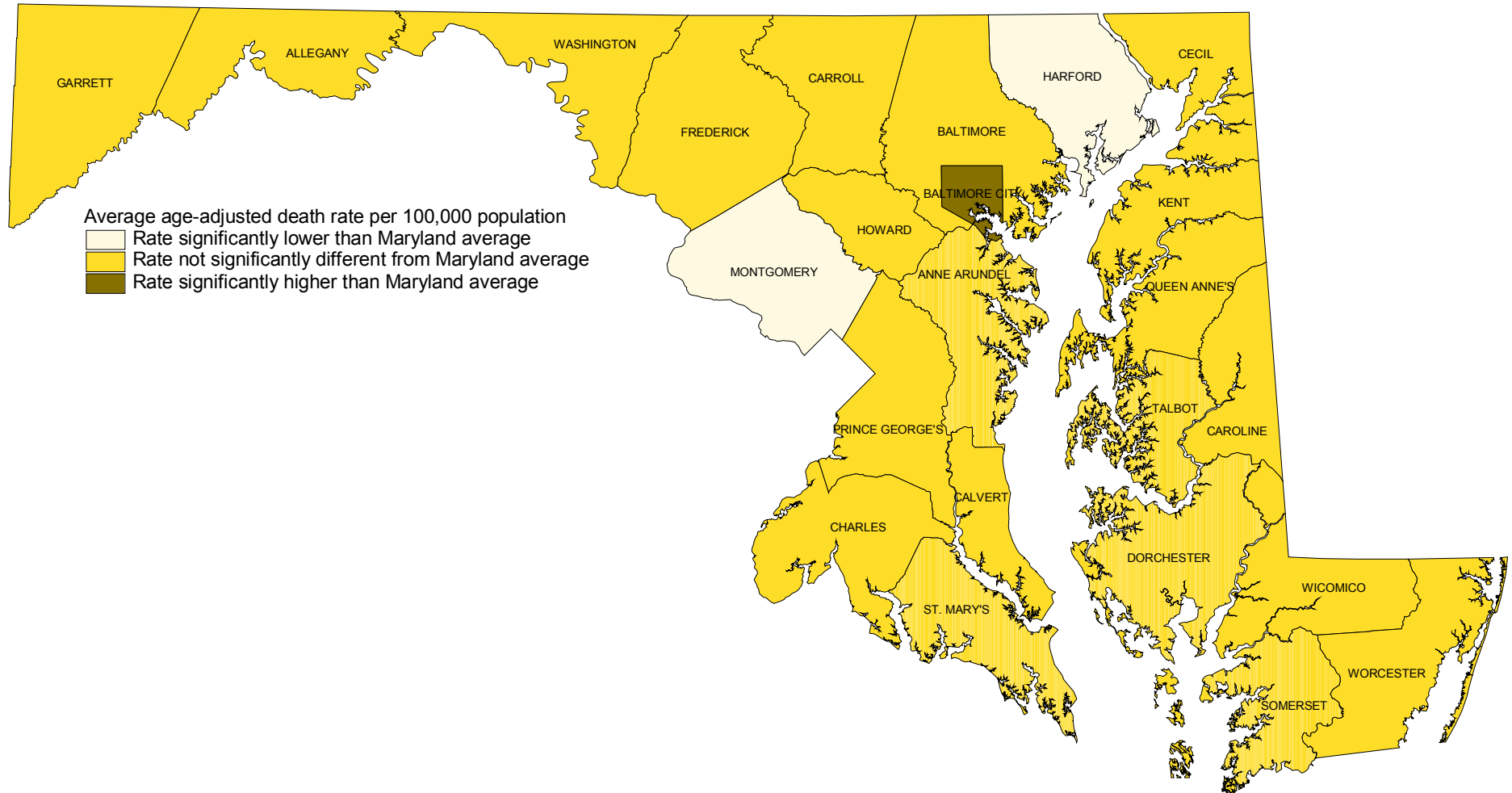
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Diabetes Mellitus with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



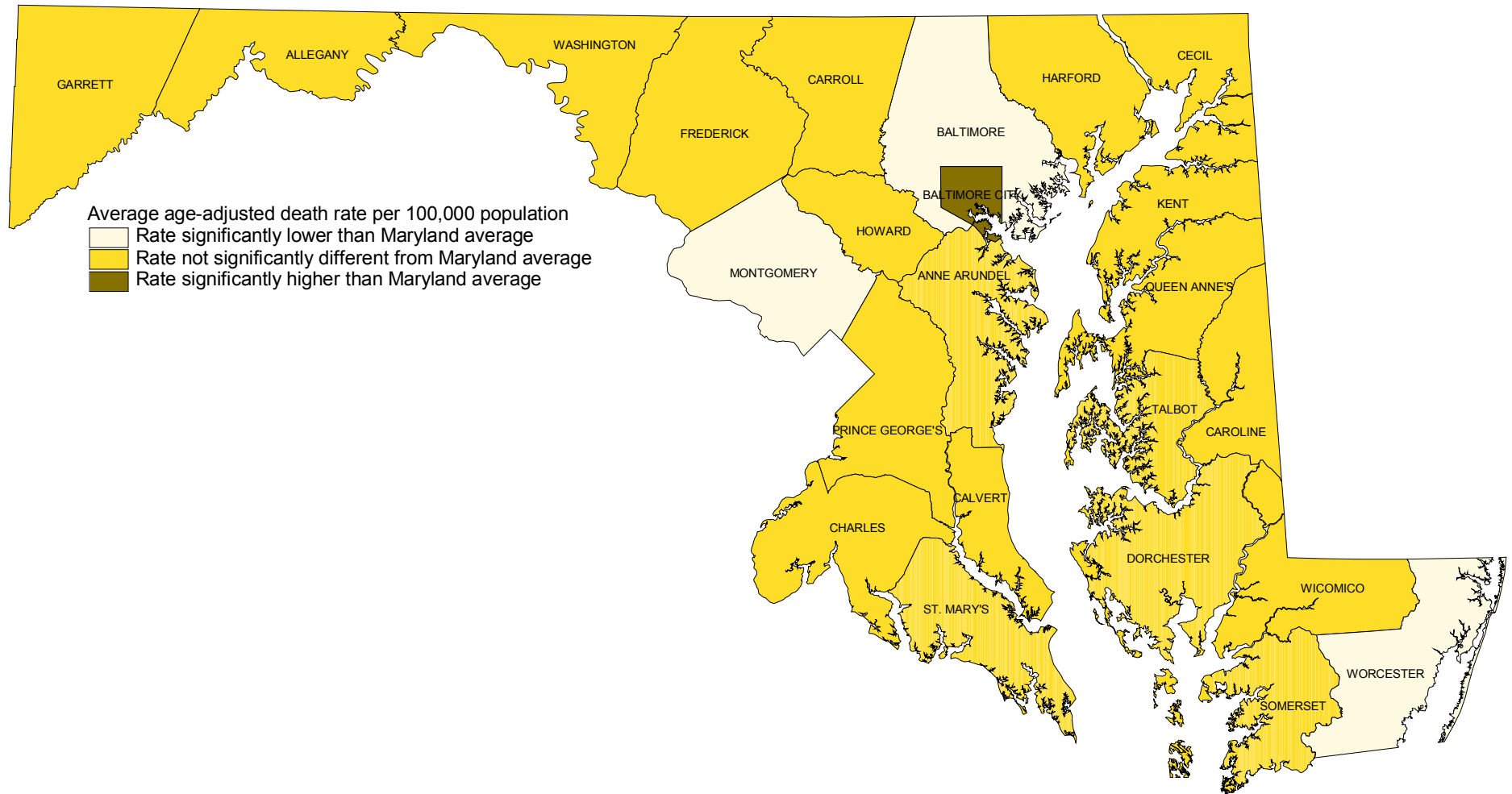
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Septicemia with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



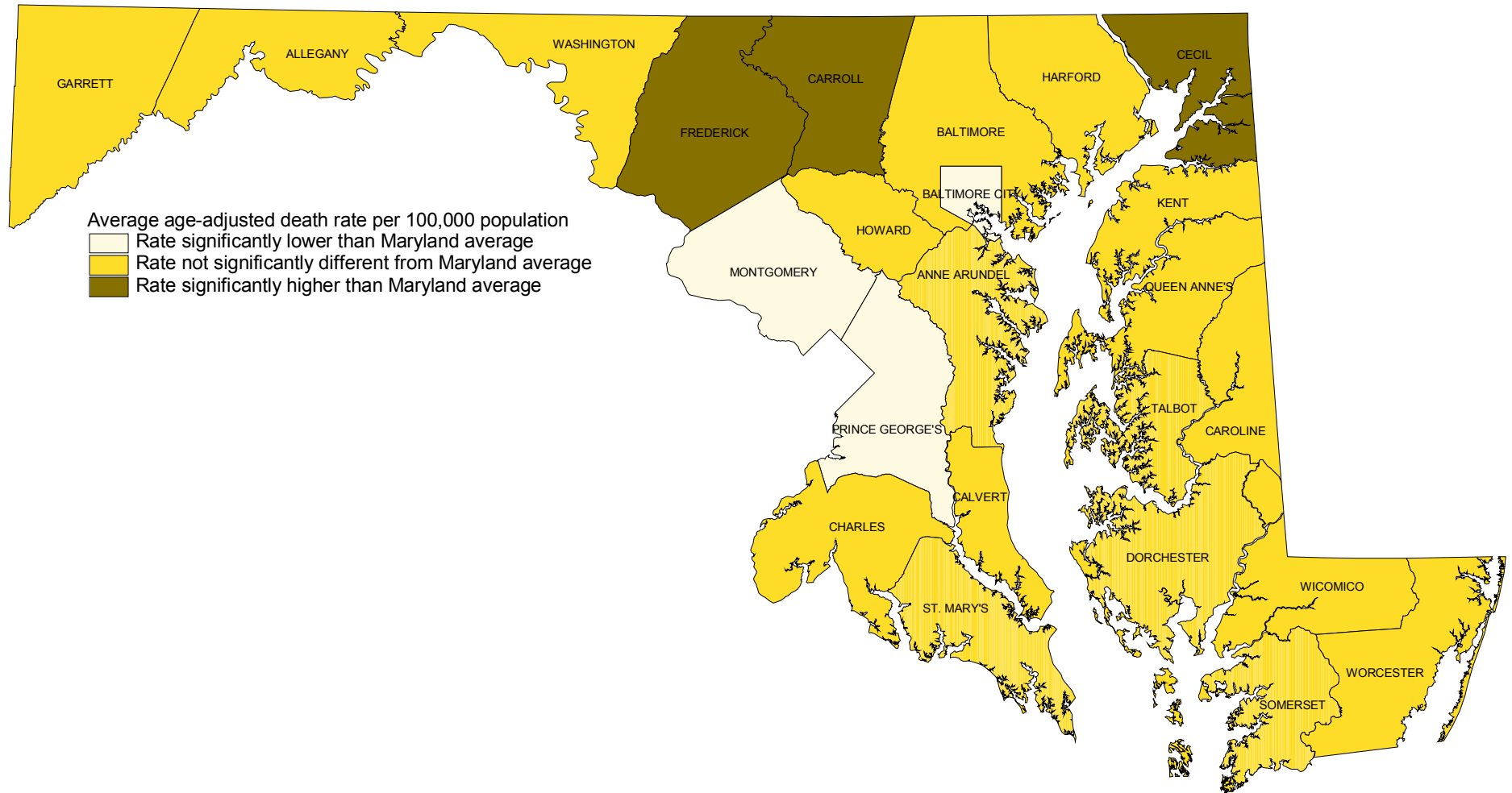
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



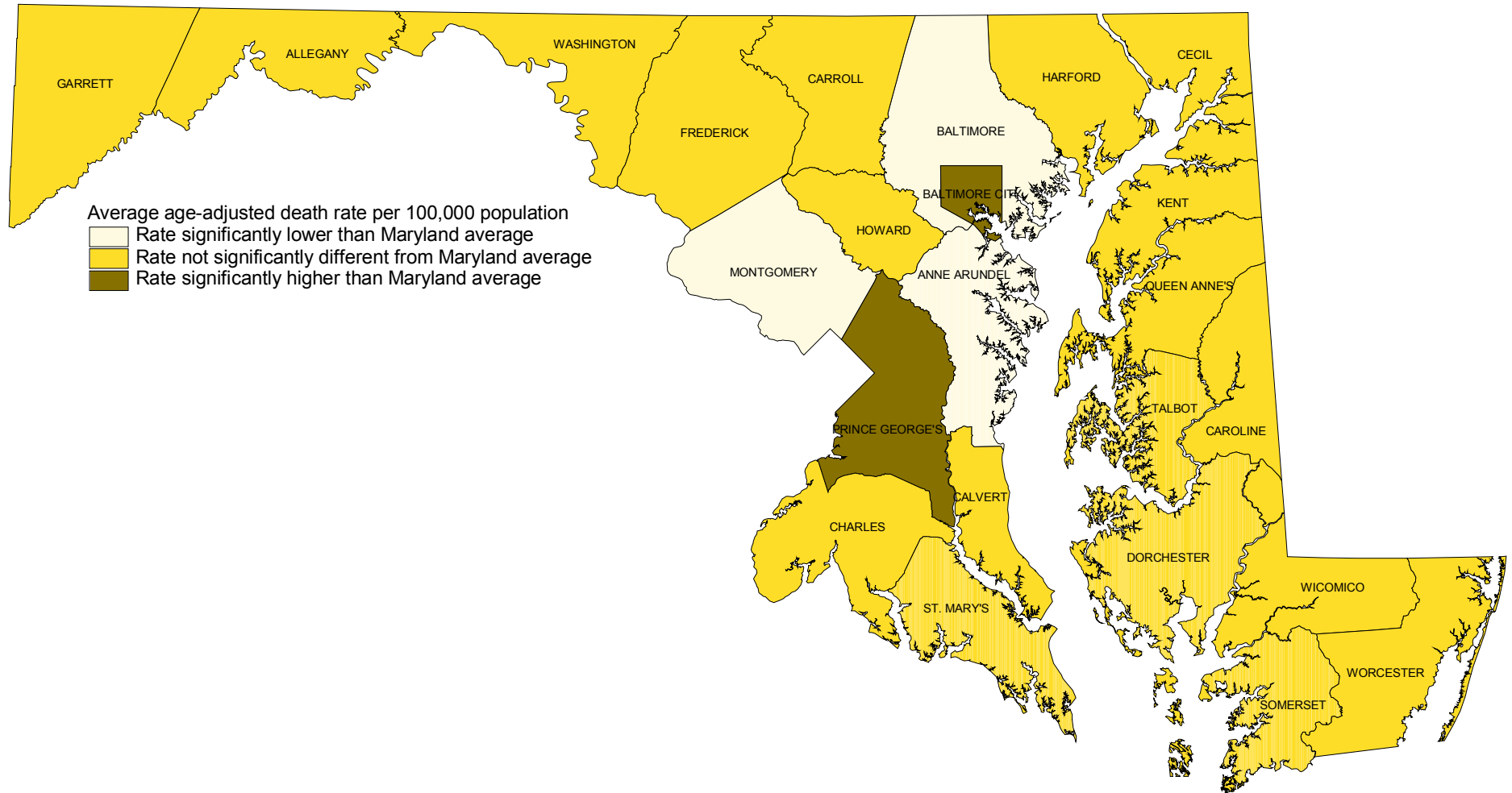
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Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Alzheimer's Disease with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.

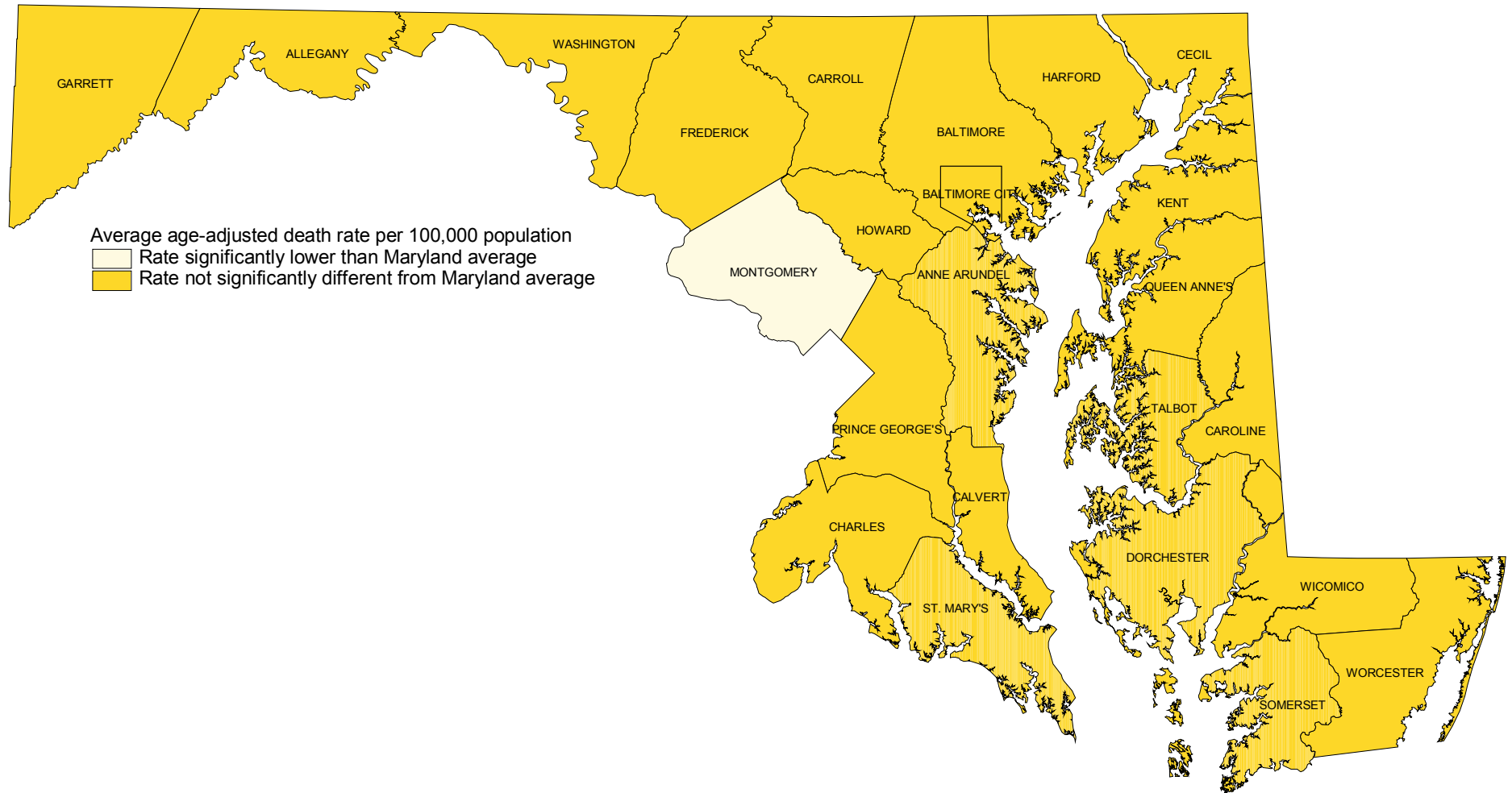


*Rates are shown on Table 50.

Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Assault (Homicide) with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



Comparison of County Age-adjusted Death Rates* for Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide) with the Maryland State Average, 2001-2003.



POPULATION

TABLE 1. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.^{1,2,3}

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ESTIMATED POPULATION, JULY 1, 2003 | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|---------------|-----------|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE | | BLACK | AMERICAN INDIAN | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER | HISPANIC ⁴ |
| | | TOTAL | NON-HISP-ANIC | | | | |
| MARYLAND | 5,508,909 | 3,648,443 | 3,420,264 | 1,576,416 | 20,618 | 263,432 | 262,351 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 454,175 | 416,614 | 408,877 | 29,798 | 934 | 6,829 | 8,628 |
| GARRETT | 30,049 | 29,801 | 29,675 | 163 | 14 | 71 | 128 |
| ALLEGANY | 73,668 | 69,151 | 68,700 | 4,032 | 107 | 378 | 564 |
| WASHINGTON | 136,796 | 124,031 | 122,489 | 11,215 | 277 | 1,273 | 1,757 |
| FREDERICK | 213,662 | 193,631 | 188,013 | 14,388 | 536 | 5,107 | 6,179 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 2,572,121 | 1,753,388 | 1,707,329 | 722,490 | 8,337 | 87,906 | 55,240 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 628,670 | 202,737 | 194,532 | 412,139 | 2,508 | 11,286 | 11,621 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 777,184 | 571,343 | 558,404 | 174,300 | 2,318 | 29,223 | 15,360 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 506,620 | 421,117 | 409,191 | 69,437 | 1,776 | 14,290 | 13,457 |
| CARROLL | 163,207 | 156,826 | 155,123 | 4,014 | 395 | 1,972 | 1,848 |
| HOWARD | 264,265 | 197,328 | 189,565 | 39,465 | 729 | 26,743 | 8,774 |
| HARFORD | 232,175 | 204,037 | 200,514 | 23,135 | 611 | 4,392 | 4,180 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 1,757,597 | 895,698 | 732,985 | 694,851 | 8,364 | 158,684 | 184,916 |
| MONTGOMERY | 918,881 | 649,795 | 546,511 | 141,740 | 3,879 | 123,467 | 113,384 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 838,716 | 245,903 | 186,474 | 553,111 | 4,485 | 35,217 | 71,532 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 309,913 | 238,892 | 233,505 | 63,474 | 1,670 | 5,877 | 6,195 |
| CALVERT | 84,110 | 72,580 | 71,263 | 10,311 | 258 | 961 | 1,443 |
| CHARLES | 133,049 | 88,172 | 85,681 | 40,795 | 1,054 | 3,028 | 2,980 |
| ST MARY'S | 92,754 | 78,140 | 76,561 | 12,368 | 358 | 1,888 | 1,772 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 415,103 | 343,851 | 337,568 | 65,803 | 1,313 | 4,136 | 7,372 |
| CECIL | 92,746 | 88,164 | 86,869 | 3,522 | 341 | 719 | 1,397 |
| KENT | 19,680 | 16,384 | 15,935 | 3,094 | 41 | 161 | 509 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 44,108 | 40,114 | 39,745 | 3,460 | 168 | 366 | 424 |
| CAROLINE | 30,861 | 26,264 | 25,450 | 4,250 | 180 | 167 | 947 |
| TALBOT | 34,670 | 29,194 | 28,652 | 5,081 | 73 | 322 | 714 |
| DORCHESTER | 30,612 | 21,913 | 21,577 | 8,368 | 70 | 261 | 422 |
| WICOMICO | 87,375 | 65,214 | 63,611 | 20,296 | 221 | 1,644 | 1,882 |
| SOMERSET | 25,447 | 14,727 | 14,467 | 10,429 | 111 | 180 | 380 |
| WORCESTER | 49,604 | 41,877 | 41,262 | 7,303 | 108 | 316 | 697 |

¹ The population estimates presented in this report do not include 14,634 individuals added to the Baltimore City population after 2003 population figures were released by the U.S. Census Bureau. See page xi for a more detailed explanation.

² See page x in the introduction of this report for an explanation of the methodology used in estimating population.

³ Source: National Center for Health Statistics. Available on the Internet at: <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/dvs/popbridge/popbridge.htm>.

⁴ Persons of Hispanic origin may be any race.

TABLE 2A. ESTIMATED MARYLAND TOTAL POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | TOTAL POPULATION BY AGE | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-17 | 18-44 | 45-64 | 65+ |
| MARYLAND | 5,508,909 | 73,462 | 291,045 | 1,013,585 | 2,136,909 | 1,368,928 | 624,980 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 454,175 | 5,384 | 22,394 | 81,403 | 177,611 | 109,749 | 57,634 |
| GARRETT | 30,049 | 300 | 1,330 | 5,369 | 10,838 | 7,600 | 4,612 |
| ALLEGANY | 73,668 | 652 | 2,868 | 11,009 | 28,165 | 17,831 | 13,143 |
| WASHINGTON | 136,796 | 1,535 | 6,546 | 23,047 | 53,742 | 32,702 | 19,224 |
| FREDERICK | 213,662 | 2,897 | 11,650 | 41,978 | 84,866 | 51,616 | 20,655 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 2,572,121 | 33,473 | 133,185 | 469,456 | 993,499 | 635,652 | 306,856 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 628,670 | 9,234 | 34,775 | 112,180 | 248,941 | 144,688 | 78,852 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 777,184 | 9,066 | 36,737 | 133,261 | 292,671 | 192,533 | 112,916 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 506,620 | 6,872 | 27,136 | 91,637 | 199,170 | 130,097 | 51,708 |
| CARROLL | 163,207 | 1,775 | 7,801 | 32,318 | 62,426 | 41,156 | 17,731 |
| HOWARD | 264,265 | 3,593 | 14,539 | 53,648 | 102,787 | 68,613 | 21,085 |
| HARFORD | 232,175 | 2,933 | 12,197 | 46,412 | 87,504 | 58,565 | 24,564 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 1,757,597 | 25,885 | 99,874 | 327,358 | 686,318 | 444,899 | 173,263 |
| MONTGOMERY | 918,881 | 13,155 | 51,143 | 166,707 | 340,302 | 242,624 | 104,950 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 838,716 | 12,730 | 48,731 | 160,651 | 346,016 | 202,275 | 68,313 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 309,913 | 4,050 | 16,471 | 63,441 | 125,339 | 74,237 | 26,375 |
| CALVERT | 84,110 | 985 | 4,088 | 17,589 | 33,033 | 20,932 | 7,483 |
| CHARLES | 133,049 | 1,717 | 7,318 | 27,461 | 54,299 | 31,812 | 10,442 |
| ST MARY'S | 92,754 | 1,348 | 5,065 | 18,391 | 38,007 | 21,493 | 8,450 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 415,103 | 4,670 | 19,121 | 71,927 | 154,142 | 104,391 | 60,852 |
| CECIL | 92,746 | 1,159 | 4,736 | 18,292 | 36,020 | 22,810 | 9,729 |
| KENT | 19,680 | 155 | 701 | 2,964 | 6,984 | 5,065 | 3,811 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 44,108 | 465 | 2,082 | 8,068 | 16,058 | 11,862 | 5,573 |
| CAROLINE | 30,861 | 402 | 1,461 | 5,977 | 11,485 | 7,462 | 4,074 |
| TALBOT | 34,670 | 383 | 1,350 | 5,463 | 10,742 | 9,292 | 7,440 |
| DORCHESTER | 30,612 | 286 | 1,334 | 5,207 | 10,283 | 8,200 | 5,302 |
| WICOMICO | 87,375 | 1,098 | 4,429 | 15,269 | 34,278 | 21,080 | 11,221 |
| SOMERSET | 25,447 | 238 | 981 | 3,345 | 11,787 | 5,651 | 3,445 |
| WORCESTER | 49,604 | 484 | 2,047 | 7,342 | 16,505 | 12,969 | 10,257 |

TABLE 2B. ESTIMATED MARYLAND WHITE POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | WHITE POPULATION BY AGE | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|---------|---------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-17 | 18-44 | 45-64 | 65+ |
| MARYLAND | 3,648,443 | 44,526 | 177,856 | 627,571 | 1,356,114 | 957,073 | 485,303 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 416,614 | 4,834 | 20,165 | 73,928 | 158,327 | 103,578 | 55,782 |
| GARRETT | 29,801 | 297 | 1,321 | 5,304 | 10,743 | 7,554 | 4,582 |
| ALLEGANY | 69,151 | 622 | 2,730 | 10,451 | 25,236 | 17,180 | 12,932 |
| WASHINGTON | 124,031 | 1,389 | 5,864 | 20,937 | 46,127 | 30,932 | 18,782 |
| FREDERICK | 193,631 | 2,526 | 10,250 | 37,236 | 76,221 | 47,912 | 19,486 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 1,753,388 | 20,990 | 83,311 | 296,873 | 654,600 | 461,197 | 236,417 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 202,737 | 2,714 | 9,365 | 24,213 | 82,142 | 50,997 | 33,306 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 571,343 | 6,015 | 23,899 | 89,199 | 201,427 | 150,458 | 100,345 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 421,117 | 5,548 | 21,863 | 73,554 | 161,544 | 112,791 | 45,817 |
| CARROLL | 156,826 | 1,713 | 7,460 | 30,928 | 59,733 | 39,751 | 17,241 |
| HOWARD | 197,328 | 2,529 | 10,476 | 39,451 | 73,675 | 54,208 | 16,989 |
| HARFORD | 204,037 | 2,471 | 10,248 | 39,528 | 76,079 | 52,992 | 22,719 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 895,698 | 12,106 | 47,144 | 152,032 | 322,728 | 242,665 | 119,023 |
| MONTGOMERY | 649,795 | 8,578 | 34,307 | 115,927 | 224,970 | 180,688 | 85,325 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 245,903 | 3,528 | 12,837 | 36,105 | 97,758 | 61,977 | 33,698 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 238,892 | 2,985 | 12,155 | 47,112 | 94,629 | 60,433 | 21,578 |
| CALVERT | 72,580 | 816 | 3,540 | 15,070 | 28,448 | 18,299 | 6,407 |
| CHARLES | 88,172 | 1,042 | 4,425 | 16,921 | 34,170 | 23,612 | 8,002 |
| ST MARY'S | 78,140 | 1,127 | 4,190 | 15,121 | 32,011 | 18,522 | 7,169 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 343,851 | 3,611 | 15,081 | 57,626 | 125,830 | 89,200 | 52,503 |
| CECIL | 88,164 | 1,084 | 4,432 | 17,207 | 34,252 | 21,856 | 9,333 |
| KENT | 16,384 | 123 | 556 | 2,290 | 5,858 | 4,290 | 3,267 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 40,114 | 424 | 1,874 | 7,324 | 14,662 | 10,891 | 4,939 |
| CAROLINE | 26,264 | 325 | 1,182 | 4,950 | 9,900 | 6,431 | 3,476 |
| TALBOT | 29,194 | 305 | 1,088 | 4,427 | 8,878 | 7,938 | 6,558 |
| DORCHESTER | 21,913 | 184 | 881 | 3,312 | 7,213 | 6,163 | 4,160 |
| WICOMICO | 65,214 | 685 | 2,888 | 10,267 | 25,909 | 16,394 | 9,071 |
| SOMERSET | 14,727 | 127 | 572 | 2,042 | 5,322 | 4,055 | 2,609 |
| WORCESTER | 41,877 | 354 | 1,608 | 5,807 | 13,836 | 11,182 | 9,090 |

TABLE 2C. ESTIMATED MARYLAND BLACK POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | BLACK POPULATION BY AGE | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-17 | 18-44 | 45-64 | 65+ |
| MARYLAND | 1,576,416 | 25,320 | 98,157 | 336,880 | 651,450 | 346,142 | 118,467 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 29,798 | 451 | 1,739 | 5,927 | 15,666 | 4,642 | 1,373 |
| GARRETT | 163 | 0 | 3 | 53 | 63 | 26 | 18 |
| ALLEGANY | 4,032 | 24 | 113 | 479 | 2,725 | 537 | 154 |
| WASHINGTON | 11,215 | 125 | 595 | 1,792 | 6,935 | 1,444 | 324 |
| FREDERICK | 14,388 | 302 | 1,028 | 3,603 | 5,943 | 2,635 | 877 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 722,490 | 11,367 | 44,853 | 155,592 | 292,700 | 153,859 | 64,119 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 412,139 | 6,353 | 24,792 | 86,477 | 158,688 | 91,322 | 44,507 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 174,300 | 2,765 | 11,307 | 38,522 | 76,100 | 35,198 | 10,408 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 69,437 | 1,138 | 4,366 | 15,158 | 30,440 | 13,498 | 4,837 |
| CARROLL | 4,014 | 28 | 207 | 886 | 1,603 | 943 | 347 |
| HOWARD | 39,465 | 695 | 2,513 | 8,780 | 16,511 | 8,441 | 2,525 |
| HARFORD | 23,135 | 388 | 1,668 | 5,769 | 9,358 | 4,457 | 1,495 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 694,851 | 11,551 | 43,833 | 147,413 | 289,898 | 161,529 | 40,627 |
| MONTGOMERY | 141,740 | 2,815 | 9,910 | 28,905 | 60,014 | 30,877 | 9,219 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 553,111 | 8,736 | 33,923 | 118,508 | 229,884 | 130,652 | 31,408 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 63,474 | 957 | 3,933 | 14,704 | 27,350 | 12,182 | 4,348 |
| CALVERT | 10,311 | 154 | 491 | 2,242 | 4,044 | 2,369 | 1,011 |
| CHARLES | 40,795 | 604 | 2,667 | 9,659 | 18,363 | 7,316 | 2,186 |
| ST MARY'S | 12,368 | 199 | 775 | 2,803 | 4,943 | 2,497 | 1,151 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 65,803 | 994 | 3,799 | 13,244 | 25,836 | 13,930 | 8,000 |
| CECIL | 3,522 | 67 | 249 | 877 | 1,284 | 712 | 333 |
| KENT | 3,094 | 32 | 142 | 655 | 990 | 740 | 535 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 3,460 | 32 | 173 | 619 | 1,160 | 876 | 600 |
| CAROLINE | 4,250 | 76 | 270 | 953 | 1,422 | 959 | 570 |
| TALBOT | 5,081 | 72 | 229 | 960 | 1,677 | 1,286 | 857 |
| DORCHESTER | 8,368 | 101 | 433 | 1,836 | 2,920 | 1,959 | 1,119 |
| WICOMICO | 20,296 | 383 | 1,480 | 4,637 | 7,589 | 4,176 | 2,031 |
| SOMERSET | 10,429 | 106 | 399 | 1,246 | 6,316 | 1,539 | 823 |
| WORCESTER | 7,303 | 125 | 424 | 1,461 | 2,478 | 1,683 | 1,132 |

TABLE 3. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY DETAILED AGE GROUP, RACE AND SEX, JULY 1, 2003.

| AGE GROUP | TOTAL POPULATION | MALE | | | FEMALE | | |
|----------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| | | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK |
| ALL AGES | 5,508,909 | 2,665,643 | 1,790,433 | 738,065 | 2,843,266 | 1,858,010 | 838,351 |
| UNDER 1 | 73,462 | 37,384 | 22,649 | 12,925 | 36,078 | 21,877 | 12,395 |
| 1-4 | 291,045 | 148,097 | 90,888 | 49,658 | 142,948 | 86,968 | 48,499 |
| 5-9 | 369,378 | 188,820 | 117,159 | 62,211 | 180,558 | 111,124 | 59,954 |
| 10-14 | 409,468 | 209,703 | 129,533 | 70,431 | 199,765 | 122,798 | 67,864 |
| 15-19 | 386,908 | 198,571 | 125,562 | 63,172 | 188,337 | 117,347 | 61,738 |
| 20-24 | 355,306 | 181,013 | 114,364 | 56,359 | 174,293 | 105,645 | 58,336 |
| 25-29 | 328,847 | 161,213 | 102,023 | 47,620 | 167,634 | 100,958 | 54,422 |
| 30-34 | 391,805 | 189,767 | 121,459 | 55,201 | 202,038 | 122,944 | 65,063 |
| 35-39 | 439,426 | 212,551 | 140,403 | 59,967 | 226,875 | 141,709 | 71,704 |
| 40-44 | 469,356 | 227,014 | 154,441 | 61,087 | 242,342 | 156,216 | 73,201 |
| 45-49 | 435,693 | 209,127 | 146,127 | 52,619 | 226,566 | 149,945 | 64,876 |
| 50-54 | 380,832 | 181,240 | 128,922 | 44,178 | 199,592 | 133,251 | 56,313 |
| 55-59 | 318,147 | 152,315 | 112,187 | 33,330 | 165,832 | 116,744 | 41,495 |
| 60-64 | 234,256 | 111,425 | 82,710 | 23,424 | 122,831 | 87,187 | 29,907 |
| 65-69 | 174,920 | 80,457 | 59,531 | 16,952 | 94,463 | 67,660 | 22,723 |
| 70-74 | 149,617 | 66,142 | 51,119 | 12,549 | 83,475 | 62,505 | 17,899 |
| 75-79 | 128,081 | 51,767 | 41,907 | 8,258 | 76,314 | 60,410 | 13,786 |
| 80-84 | 94,867 | 35,371 | 29,538 | 4,917 | 59,496 | 48,486 | 9,665 |
| 85+ | 77,495 | 23,666 | 19,911 | 3,207 | 53,829 | 44,236 | 8,511 |

TABLE 4. ESTIMATED MARYLAND ADOLESCENT POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | | BLACK | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | 10-19 | 10-14 | 15-19 | MALE | | FEMALE | | MALE | | FEMALE | |
| | | | | 10-14 | 15-19 | 10-14 | 15-19 | 10-14 | 15-19 | 10-14 | 15-19 |
| MARYLAND | 796,376 | 409,468 | 386,908 | 129,533 | 125,562 | 122,798 | 117,347 | 70,431 | 63,172 | 67,864 | 61,738 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 64,205 | 32,472 | 31,733 | 15,179 | 14,549 | 14,446 | 14,079 | 1,192 | 1,486 | 1,056 | 1,036 |
| GARRETT | 4,225 | 2,124 | 2,101 | 1,082 | 1,061 | 1,028 | 981 | 5 | 42 | 4 | 8 |
| ALLEGANY | 9,627 | 4,348 | 5,279 | 2,164 | 2,360 | 2,016 | 2,475 | 85 | 201 | 56 | 193 |
| WASHINGTON | 17,871 | 9,153 | 8,718 | 4,337 | 4,067 | 4,034 | 3,811 | 347 | 491 | 314 | 229 |
| FREDERICK | 32,482 | 16,847 | 15,635 | 7,596 | 7,061 | 7,368 | 6,812 | 755 | 752 | 682 | 606 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 372,127 | 190,263 | 181,864 | 61,407 | 59,788 | 58,316 | 56,010 | 32,546 | 29,804 | 31,619 | 29,300 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 92,138 | 46,394 | 45,744 | 4,948 | 5,534 | 4,695 | 5,565 | 18,318 | 16,781 | 17,886 | 16,838 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 107,687 | 53,917 | 53,770 | 18,535 | 18,887 | 17,729 | 18,304 | 7,908 | 7,248 | 7,668 | 7,096 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 71,179 | 36,476 | 34,703 | 15,016 | 14,770 | 14,353 | 13,082 | 3,066 | 2,987 | 2,990 | 2,699 |
| CARROLL | 25,708 | 13,210 | 12,498 | 6,540 | 6,185 | 6,136 | 5,671 | 188 | 258 | 150 | 181 |
| HOWARD | 40,027 | 21,507 | 18,520 | 8,143 | 7,029 | 7,671 | 6,500 | 1,850 | 1,565 | 1,754 | 1,513 |
| HARFORD | 35,388 | 18,759 | 16,629 | 8,225 | 7,383 | 7,732 | 6,888 | 1,216 | 965 | 1,171 | 973 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 251,369 | 131,481 | 119,888 | 31,184 | 29,965 | 29,195 | 27,400 | 30,821 | 26,276 | 29,437 | 25,838 |
| MONTGOMERY | 125,666 | 66,441 | 59,225 | 23,918 | 21,393 | 22,463 | 19,786 | 5,915 | 5,185 | 5,715 | 5,154 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 125,703 | 65,040 | 60,663 | 7,266 | 8,572 | 6,732 | 7,614 | 24,906 | 21,091 | 23,722 | 20,684 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 49,840 | 25,810 | 24,030 | 9,714 | 9,410 | 9,384 | 8,622 | 3,082 | 2,672 | 3,004 | 2,656 |
| CALVERT | 13,995 | 7,262 | 6,733 | 3,175 | 3,024 | 2,996 | 2,736 | 492 | 429 | 482 | 445 |
| CHARLES | 21,309 | 11,160 | 10,149 | 3,444 | 3,354 | 3,399 | 3,105 | 2,025 | 1,688 | 1,959 | 1,654 |
| ST MARY'S | 14,536 | 7,388 | 7,148 | 3,095 | 3,032 | 2,989 | 2,781 | 565 | 555 | 563 | 557 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 58,835 | 29,442 | 29,393 | 12,049 | 11,850 | 11,457 | 11,236 | 2,790 | 2,934 | 2,748 | 2,908 |
| CECIL | 14,146 | 7,490 | 6,656 | 3,643 | 3,262 | 3,405 | 3,029 | 178 | 139 | 182 | 139 |
| KENT | 2,841 | 1,242 | 1,599 | 496 | 605 | 450 | 696 | 137 | 136 | 151 | 130 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 6,269 | 3,345 | 2,924 | 1,552 | 1,381 | 1,477 | 1,231 | 136 | 138 | 129 | 123 |
| CAROLINE | 4,803 | 2,527 | 2,276 | 1,060 | 1,009 | 1,002 | 880 | 235 | 183 | 205 | 173 |
| TALBOT | 4,306 | 2,215 | 2,091 | 900 | 897 | 881 | 795 | 214 | 193 | 197 | 178 |
| DORCHESTER | 4,227 | 2,162 | 2,065 | 685 | 680 | 681 | 630 | 363 | 374 | 410 | 361 |
| WICOMICO | 12,916 | 6,103 | 6,813 | 2,088 | 2,431 | 1,976 | 2,550 | 984 | 866 | 918 | 804 |
| SOMERSET | 3,469 | 1,327 | 2,142 | 415 | 419 | 404 | 399 | 233 | 589 | 258 | 704 |
| WORCESTER | 5,858 | 3,031 | 2,827 | 1,210 | 1,166 | 1,181 | 1,026 | 310 | 316 | 298 | 296 |

TABLE 5A. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | TOTAL POPULATION | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 73,462 | 291,045 | 778,846 | 386,908 | 355,306 | 720,652 | 908,782 | 816,525 | 552,403 | 324,537 | 222,948 | 77,495 | 5,508,909 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,384 | 22,394 | 61,949 | 31,733 | 31,382 | 59,147 | 74,803 | 64,998 | 44,751 | 28,878 | 21,191 | 7,565 | 454,175 |
| GARRETT | 300 | 1,330 | 4,043 | 2,101 | 2,080 | 3,569 | 4,414 | 4,253 | 3,347 | 2,407 | 1,634 | 571 | 30,049 |
| ALLEGANY | 652 | 2,868 | 8,144 | 5,279 | 6,377 | 9,293 | 10,081 | 9,840 | 7,991 | 6,125 | 5,046 | 1,972 | 73,668 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,535 | 6,546 | 17,534 | 8,718 | 9,397 | 18,887 | 22,253 | 19,205 | 13,497 | 9,570 | 7,103 | 2,551 | 136,796 |
| FREDERICK | 2,897 | 11,650 | 32,228 | 15,635 | 13,528 | 27,398 | 38,055 | 31,700 | 19,916 | 10,776 | 7,408 | 2,471 | 213,662 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 33,473 | 133,185 | 359,629 | 181,864 | 167,514 | 334,002 | 419,946 | 379,948 | 255,704 | 155,763 | 112,848 | 38,245 | 2,572,121 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 9,234 | 34,775 | 86,202 | 45,744 | 47,791 | 87,715 | 93,669 | 87,085 | 57,603 | 38,702 | 29,298 | 10,852 | 628,670 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 9,066 | 36,737 | 101,369 | 53,770 | 49,373 | 100,486 | 120,934 | 115,437 | 77,096 | 53,541 | 44,174 | 15,201 | 777,184 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 6,872 | 27,136 | 70,266 | 34,703 | 32,174 | 65,972 | 87,692 | 75,659 | 54,438 | 28,576 | 17,876 | 5,256 | 506,620 |
| CARROLL | 1,775 | 7,801 | 24,523 | 12,498 | 10,750 | 18,360 | 28,613 | 24,758 | 16,398 | 9,092 | 6,312 | 2,327 | 163,207 |
| HOWARD | 3,593 | 14,539 | 41,630 | 18,520 | 13,318 | 33,972 | 48,995 | 41,962 | 26,651 | 12,166 | 6,618 | 2,301 | 264,265 |
| HARFORD | 2,933 | 12,197 | 35,639 | 16,629 | 14,108 | 27,497 | 40,043 | 35,047 | 23,518 | 13,686 | 8,570 | 2,308 | 232,175 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 25,885 | 99,874 | 254,203 | 119,888 | 105,991 | 238,383 | 295,211 | 267,645 | 177,254 | 93,508 | 58,366 | 21,389 | 1,757,597 |
| MONTGOMERY | 13,155 | 51,143 | 128,643 | 59,225 | 46,212 | 117,863 | 155,066 | 145,951 | 96,673 | 52,708 | 37,461 | 14,781 | 918,881 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 12,730 | 48,731 | 125,560 | 60,663 | 59,779 | 120,520 | 140,145 | 121,694 | 80,581 | 40,800 | 20,905 | 6,608 | 838,716 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 4,050 | 16,471 | 48,434 | 24,030 | 21,382 | 39,393 | 55,541 | 44,727 | 29,510 | 14,725 | 8,689 | 2,961 | 309,913 |
| CALVERT | 985 | 4,088 | 13,258 | 6,733 | 5,433 | 9,960 | 15,238 | 12,852 | 8,080 | 4,063 | 2,536 | 884 | 84,110 |
| CHARLES | 1,717 | 7,318 | 21,004 | 10,149 | 9,140 | 17,397 | 24,070 | 19,036 | 12,776 | 6,087 | 3,224 | 1,131 | 133,049 |
| ST MARY'S | 1,348 | 5,065 | 14,172 | 7,148 | 6,809 | 12,036 | 16,233 | 12,839 | 8,654 | 4,575 | 2,929 | 946 | 92,754 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,670 | 19,121 | 54,631 | 29,393 | 29,037 | 49,727 | 63,281 | 59,207 | 45,184 | 31,663 | 21,854 | 7,335 | 415,103 |
| CECIL | 1,159 | 4,736 | 13,954 | 6,656 | 5,984 | 12,390 | 15,328 | 13,432 | 9,378 | 5,389 | 3,345 | 995 | 92,746 |
| KENT | 155 | 701 | 2,172 | 1,599 | 1,702 | 1,919 | 2,556 | 2,650 | 2,415 | 1,799 | 1,444 | 568 | 19,680 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 465 | 2,082 | 6,163 | 2,924 | 2,553 | 4,957 | 7,529 | 6,650 | 5,212 | 3,038 | 1,912 | 623 | 44,108 |
| CAROLINE | 402 | 1,461 | 4,535 | 2,276 | 2,080 | 3,705 | 4,866 | 4,348 | 3,114 | 2,038 | 1,480 | 556 | 30,861 |
| TALBOT | 383 | 1,350 | 4,138 | 2,091 | 1,783 | 3,407 | 4,786 | 4,982 | 4,310 | 3,563 | 2,883 | 994 | 34,670 |
| DORCHESTER | 286 | 1,334 | 3,908 | 2,065 | 1,711 | 3,318 | 4,488 | 4,570 | 3,630 | 2,651 | 1,942 | 709 | 30,612 |
| WICOMICO | 1,098 | 4,429 | 11,639 | 6,813 | 7,585 | 10,832 | 12,678 | 12,468 | 8,612 | 5,677 | 4,101 | 1,443 | 87,375 |
| SOMERSET | 238 | 981 | 2,563 | 2,142 | 2,989 | 3,619 | 3,819 | 3,230 | 2,421 | 1,780 | 1,218 | 447 | 25,447 |
| WORCESTER | 484 | 2,047 | 5,559 | 2,827 | 2,650 | 5,580 | 7,231 | 6,877 | 6,092 | 5,728 | 3,529 | 1,000 | 49,604 |

¹ The population estimates presented in this report do not include 14,634 individuals added to the Baltimore City population after 2003 population figures were released by the U.S. Census Bureau. See page xi for a more detailed explanation.

TABLE 5B. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | MALE | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | |
| MARYLAND | 37,384 | 148,097 | 398,523 | 198,571 | 181,013 | 350,980 | 439,565 | 390,367 | 263,740 | 146,599 | 87,138 | 23,666 | 2,665,643 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 2,752 | 11,488 | 31,863 | 16,317 | 16,328 | 31,187 | 38,367 | 32,673 | 22,082 | 13,157 | 8,186 | 2,264 | 226,664 |
| GARRETT | 152 | 696 | 2,078 | 1,108 | 1,077 | 1,749 | 2,225 | 2,083 | 1,657 | 1,143 | 661 | 203 | 14,832 |
| ALLEGANY | 351 | 1,498 | 4,213 | 2,586 | 3,311 | 5,317 | 5,429 | 4,983 | 3,846 | 2,710 | 1,959 | 517 | 36,720 |
| WASHINGTON | 778 | 3,421 | 9,045 | 4,608 | 5,256 | 10,557 | 11,972 | 9,796 | 6,623 | 4,312 | 2,742 | 767 | 69,877 |
| FREDERICK | 1,471 | 5,873 | 16,527 | 8,015 | 6,684 | 13,564 | 18,741 | 15,811 | 9,956 | 4,992 | 2,824 | 777 | 105,235 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 17,063 | 67,823 | 183,981 | 93,175 | 84,239 | 160,988 | 202,895 | 181,743 | 122,143 | 69,410 | 43,545 | 11,651 | 1,238,656 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 4,708 | 17,500 | 43,917 | 22,848 | 22,706 | 41,259 | 44,436 | 39,976 | 25,843 | 15,812 | 10,596 | 3,089 | 292,690 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 4,641 | 18,745 | 51,688 | 27,237 | 24,094 | 47,889 | 57,783 | 54,765 | 36,384 | 23,645 | 17,290 | 4,777 | 368,938 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,628 | 13,962 | 35,876 | 18,384 | 17,727 | 33,170 | 43,663 | 37,154 | 26,855 | 13,417 | 7,216 | 1,707 | 252,759 |
| CARROLL | 850 | 3,963 | 12,634 | 6,545 | 5,513 | 9,056 | 14,057 | 12,228 | 8,270 | 4,267 | 2,431 | 654 | 80,468 |
| HOWARD | 1,796 | 7,392 | 21,524 | 9,622 | 6,995 | 16,332 | 23,635 | 20,362 | 13,159 | 5,825 | 2,647 | 679 | 129,968 |
| HARFORD | 1,440 | 6,261 | 18,342 | 8,539 | 7,204 | 13,282 | 19,321 | 17,258 | 11,632 | 6,444 | 3,365 | 745 | 113,833 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 13,082 | 50,789 | 130,207 | 61,640 | 54,837 | 115,044 | 139,595 | 124,834 | 82,646 | 42,324 | 22,832 | 6,585 | 844,415 |
| MONTGOMERY | 6,631 | 26,108 | 65,825 | 30,534 | 24,105 | 56,731 | 73,779 | 69,220 | 45,729 | 23,703 | 14,805 | 4,698 | 441,868 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 6,451 | 24,681 | 64,382 | 31,106 | 30,732 | 58,313 | 65,816 | 55,614 | 36,917 | 18,621 | 8,027 | 1,887 | 402,547 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,082 | 8,394 | 24,631 | 12,421 | 10,848 | 19,067 | 27,286 | 22,109 | 14,938 | 7,058 | 3,463 | 891 | 153,188 |
| CALVERT | 525 | 2,059 | 6,773 | 3,506 | 2,785 | 4,723 | 7,372 | 6,460 | 4,135 | 1,919 | 960 | 272 | 41,489 |
| CHARLES | 887 | 3,799 | 10,661 | 5,212 | 4,615 | 8,340 | 11,605 | 9,238 | 6,341 | 2,900 | 1,236 | 310 | 65,144 |
| ST MARY'S | 670 | 2,536 | 7,197 | 3,703 | 3,448 | 6,004 | 8,309 | 6,411 | 4,462 | 2,239 | 1,267 | 309 | 46,555 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 2,405 | 9,603 | 27,841 | 15,018 | 14,761 | 24,694 | 31,422 | 29,008 | 21,931 | 14,650 | 9,112 | 2,275 | 202,720 |
| CECIL | 566 | 2,382 | 7,167 | 3,446 | 3,022 | 5,997 | 7,515 | 6,714 | 4,774 | 2,624 | 1,391 | 296 | 45,894 |
| KENT | 70 | 390 | 1,117 | 754 | 837 | 944 | 1,244 | 1,297 | 1,152 | 823 | 619 | 199 | 9,446 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 236 | 1,034 | 3,151 | 1,546 | 1,324 | 2,441 | 3,723 | 3,322 | 2,568 | 1,463 | 855 | 220 | 21,883 |
| CAROLINE | 218 | 753 | 2,325 | 1,209 | 1,109 | 1,791 | 2,412 | 2,106 | 1,494 | 947 | 616 | 158 | 15,138 |
| TALBOT | 203 | 720 | 2,064 | 1,104 | 935 | 1,681 | 2,302 | 2,330 | 2,056 | 1,627 | 1,197 | 344 | 16,563 |
| DORCHESTER | 144 | 637 | 1,959 | 1,064 | 850 | 1,543 | 2,206 | 2,140 | 1,733 | 1,209 | 744 | 211 | 14,440 |
| WICOMICO | 585 | 2,226 | 5,968 | 3,373 | 3,673 | 5,224 | 6,077 | 5,970 | 4,102 | 2,492 | 1,625 | 376 | 41,691 |
| SOMERSET | 132 | 457 | 1,278 | 1,024 | 1,618 | 2,348 | 2,353 | 1,721 | 1,191 | 789 | 503 | 134 | 13,548 |
| WORCESTER | 251 | 1,004 | 2,812 | 1,498 | 1,393 | 2,725 | 3,590 | 3,408 | 2,861 | 2,676 | 1,562 | 337 | 24,117 |

TABLE 5C. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | FEMALE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 36,078 | 142,948 | 380,323 | 188,337 | 174,293 | 369,672 | 469,217 | 426,158 | 288,663 | 177,938 | 135,810 | 53,829 | 2,843,266 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 2,632 | 10,906 | 30,086 | 15,416 | 15,054 | 27,960 | 36,436 | 32,325 | 22,669 | 15,721 | 13,005 | 5,301 | 227,511 |
| GARRETT | 148 | 634 | 1,965 | 993 | 1,003 | 1,820 | 2,189 | 2,170 | 1,690 | 1,264 | 973 | 368 | 15,217 |
| ALLEGANY | 301 | 1,370 | 3,931 | 2,693 | 3,066 | 3,976 | 4,652 | 4,857 | 4,145 | 3,415 | 3,087 | 1,455 | 36,948 |
| WASHINGTON | 757 | 3,125 | 8,489 | 4,110 | 4,141 | 8,330 | 10,281 | 9,409 | 6,874 | 5,258 | 4,361 | 1,784 | 66,919 |
| FREDERICK | 1,426 | 5,777 | 15,701 | 7,620 | 6,844 | 13,834 | 19,314 | 15,889 | 9,960 | 5,784 | 4,584 | 1,694 | 108,427 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 16,410 | 65,362 | 175,648 | 88,689 | 83,275 | 173,014 | 217,051 | 198,205 | 133,561 | 86,353 | 69,303 | 26,594 | 1,333,465 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 4,526 | 17,275 | 42,285 | 22,896 | 25,085 | 46,456 | 49,233 | 47,109 | 31,760 | 22,890 | 18,702 | 7,763 | 335,980 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 4,425 | 17,992 | 49,681 | 26,533 | 25,279 | 52,597 | 63,151 | 60,672 | 40,712 | 29,896 | 26,884 | 10,424 | 408,246 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,244 | 13,174 | 34,390 | 16,319 | 14,447 | 32,802 | 44,029 | 38,505 | 27,583 | 15,159 | 10,660 | 3,549 | 253,861 |
| CARROLL | 925 | 3,838 | 11,889 | 5,953 | 5,237 | 9,304 | 14,556 | 12,530 | 8,128 | 4,825 | 3,881 | 1,673 | 82,739 |
| HOWARD | 1,797 | 7,147 | 20,106 | 8,898 | 6,323 | 17,640 | 25,360 | 21,600 | 13,492 | 6,341 | 3,971 | 1,622 | 134,297 |
| HARFORD | 1,493 | 5,936 | 17,297 | 8,090 | 6,904 | 14,215 | 20,722 | 17,789 | 11,886 | 7,242 | 5,205 | 1,563 | 118,342 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 12,803 | 49,085 | 123,996 | 58,248 | 51,154 | 123,339 | 155,616 | 142,811 | 94,608 | 51,184 | 35,534 | 14,804 | 913,182 |
| MONTGOMERY | 6,524 | 25,035 | 62,818 | 28,691 | 22,107 | 61,132 | 81,287 | 76,731 | 50,944 | 29,005 | 22,656 | 10,083 | 477,013 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 6,279 | 24,050 | 61,178 | 29,557 | 29,047 | 62,207 | 74,329 | 66,080 | 43,664 | 22,179 | 12,878 | 4,721 | 436,169 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 1,968 | 8,077 | 23,803 | 11,609 | 10,534 | 20,326 | 28,255 | 22,618 | 14,572 | 7,667 | 5,226 | 2,070 | 156,725 |
| CALVERT | 460 | 2,029 | 6,485 | 3,227 | 2,648 | 5,237 | 7,866 | 6,392 | 3,945 | 2,144 | 1,576 | 612 | 42,621 |
| CHARLES | 830 | 3,519 | 10,343 | 4,937 | 4,525 | 9,057 | 12,465 | 9,798 | 6,435 | 3,187 | 1,988 | 821 | 67,905 |
| ST MARY'S | 678 | 2,529 | 6,975 | 3,445 | 3,361 | 6,032 | 7,924 | 6,428 | 4,192 | 2,336 | 1,662 | 637 | 46,199 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 2,265 | 9,518 | 26,790 | 14,375 | 14,276 | 25,033 | 31,859 | 30,199 | 23,253 | 17,013 | 12,742 | 5,060 | 212,383 |
| CECIL | 593 | 2,354 | 6,787 | 3,210 | 2,962 | 6,393 | 7,813 | 6,718 | 4,604 | 2,765 | 1,954 | 699 | 46,852 |
| KENT | 85 | 311 | 1,055 | 845 | 865 | 975 | 1,312 | 1,353 | 1,263 | 976 | 825 | 369 | 10,234 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 229 | 1,048 | 3,012 | 1,378 | 1,229 | 2,516 | 3,806 | 3,328 | 2,644 | 1,575 | 1,057 | 403 | 22,225 |
| CAROLINE | 184 | 708 | 2,210 | 1,067 | 971 | 1,914 | 2,454 | 2,242 | 1,620 | 1,091 | 864 | 398 | 15,723 |
| TALBOT | 180 | 630 | 2,074 | 987 | 848 | 1,726 | 2,484 | 2,652 | 2,254 | 1,936 | 1,686 | 650 | 18,107 |
| DORCHESTER | 142 | 697 | 1,949 | 1,001 | 861 | 1,775 | 2,282 | 2,430 | 1,897 | 1,442 | 1,198 | 498 | 16,172 |
| WICOMICO | 513 | 2,203 | 5,671 | 3,440 | 3,912 | 5,608 | 6,601 | 6,498 | 4,510 | 3,185 | 2,476 | 1,067 | 45,684 |
| SOMERSET | 106 | 524 | 1,285 | 1,118 | 1,371 | 1,271 | 1,466 | 1,509 | 1,230 | 991 | 715 | 313 | 11,899 |
| WORCESTER | 233 | 1,043 | 2,747 | 1,329 | 1,257 | 2,855 | 3,641 | 3,469 | 3,231 | 3,052 | 1,967 | 663 | 25,487 |

TABLE 5D. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | WHITE | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL |
|----------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | |
| MARYLAND | 44,526 | 177,856 | 480,614 | 242,909 | 220,009 | 447,384 | 592,769 | 558,245 | 398,828 | 240,815 | 180,341 | 64,147 | 3,648,443 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 4,834 | 20,165 | 56,234 | 28,628 | 27,701 | 51,879 | 67,813 | 60,791 | 42,787 | 27,786 | 20,648 | 7,348 | 416,614 |
| GARRETT | 297 | 1,321 | 4,015 | 2,042 | 2,060 | 3,546 | 4,384 | 4,232 | 3,322 | 2,386 | 1,627 | 569 | 29,801 |
| ALLEGANY | 622 | 2,730 | 7,785 | 4,835 | 5,734 | 8,078 | 9,255 | 9,390 | 7,790 | 6,005 | 4,980 | 1,947 | 69,151 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,389 | 5,864 | 15,851 | 7,878 | 7,833 | 15,835 | 19,667 | 17,924 | 13,008 | 9,324 | 6,964 | 2,494 | 124,031 |
| FREDERICK | 2,526 | 10,250 | 28,583 | 13,873 | 12,074 | 24,420 | 34,507 | 29,245 | 18,667 | 10,071 | 7,077 | 2,338 | 193,631 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 20,990 | 83,311 | 227,055 | 115,798 | 104,802 | 216,472 | 287,346 | 270,142 | 191,055 | 115,575 | 89,781 | 31,061 | 1,753,388 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 2,714 | 9,365 | 18,788 | 11,099 | 13,348 | 32,581 | 30,539 | 29,113 | 21,884 | 13,905 | 13,457 | 5,944 | 202,737 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 6,015 | 23,899 | 67,422 | 37,191 | 34,067 | 66,099 | 85,847 | 88,345 | 62,113 | 45,769 | 40,552 | 14,024 | 571,343 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 5,548 | 21,863 | 56,424 | 27,852 | 25,926 | 52,871 | 72,025 | 64,531 | 48,260 | 25,019 | 16,071 | 4,727 | 421,117 |
| CARROLL | 1,713 | 7,460 | 23,512 | 11,856 | 10,228 | 17,507 | 27,558 | 23,930 | 15,821 | 8,802 | 6,159 | 2,280 | 156,826 |
| HOWARD | 2,529 | 10,476 | 30,634 | 13,529 | 9,143 | 23,678 | 36,142 | 32,756 | 21,452 | 9,514 | 5,535 | 1,940 | 197,328 |
| HARFORD | 2,471 | 10,248 | 30,275 | 14,271 | 12,090 | 23,736 | 35,235 | 31,467 | 21,525 | 12,566 | 8,007 | 2,146 | 204,037 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 12,106 | 47,144 | 117,761 | 57,365 | 48,792 | 108,394 | 142,448 | 141,716 | 100,949 | 58,248 | 43,721 | 17,054 | 895,698 |
| MONTGOMERY | 8,578 | 34,307 | 89,351 | 41,179 | 29,792 | 75,004 | 105,571 | 107,081 | 73,607 | 40,584 | 31,727 | 13,014 | 649,795 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 3,528 | 12,837 | 28,410 | 16,186 | 19,000 | 33,390 | 36,877 | 34,635 | 27,342 | 17,664 | 11,994 | 4,040 | 245,903 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,985 | 12,155 | 35,879 | 18,032 | 16,220 | 29,352 | 42,258 | 35,797 | 24,636 | 11,981 | 7,167 | 2,430 | 238,892 |
| CALVERT | 816 | 3,540 | 11,362 | 5,760 | 4,600 | 8,613 | 13,183 | 11,166 | 7,133 | 3,477 | 2,184 | 746 | 72,580 |
| CHARLES | 1,042 | 4,425 | 12,825 | 6,459 | 5,862 | 10,555 | 15,390 | 13,609 | 10,003 | 4,610 | 2,502 | 890 | 88,172 |
| ST MARY'S | 1,127 | 4,190 | 11,692 | 5,813 | 5,758 | 10,184 | 13,685 | 11,022 | 7,500 | 3,894 | 2,481 | 794 | 78,140 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 3,611 | 15,081 | 43,685 | 23,086 | 22,494 | 41,287 | 52,904 | 49,799 | 39,401 | 27,225 | 19,024 | 6,254 | 343,851 |
| CECIL | 1,084 | 4,432 | 13,100 | 6,291 | 5,687 | 11,757 | 14,624 | 12,825 | 9,031 | 5,127 | 3,236 | 970 | 88,164 |
| KENT | 123 | 556 | 1,669 | 1,301 | 1,417 | 1,614 | 2,147 | 2,251 | 2,039 | 1,496 | 1,289 | 482 | 16,384 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 424 | 1,874 | 5,616 | 2,612 | 2,260 | 4,555 | 6,943 | 6,057 | 4,834 | 2,718 | 1,698 | 523 | 40,114 |
| CAROLINE | 325 | 1,182 | 3,736 | 1,889 | 1,766 | 3,244 | 4,215 | 3,700 | 2,731 | 1,738 | 1,265 | 473 | 26,264 |
| TALBOT | 305 | 1,088 | 3,364 | 1,692 | 1,379 | 2,813 | 4,057 | 4,182 | 3,756 | 3,119 | 2,589 | 850 | 29,194 |
| DORCHESTER | 184 | 881 | 2,499 | 1,310 | 1,162 | 2,319 | 3,235 | 3,305 | 2,858 | 2,069 | 1,526 | 565 | 21,913 |
| WICOMICO | 685 | 2,888 | 7,728 | 4,981 | 5,770 | 8,280 | 9,417 | 9,471 | 6,923 | 4,521 | 3,345 | 1,205 | 65,214 |
| SOMERSET | 127 | 572 | 1,566 | 818 | 974 | 1,821 | 2,185 | 2,229 | 1,826 | 1,335 | 928 | 346 | 14,727 |
| WORCESTER | 354 | 1,608 | 4,407 | 2,192 | 2,079 | 4,884 | 6,081 | 5,779 | 5,403 | 5,102 | 3,148 | 840 | 41,877 |

TABLE 5E. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | WHITE MALE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 22,649 | 90,888 | 246,692 | 125,562 | 114,364 | 223,482 | 294,844 | 275,049 | 194,897 | 110,650 | 71,445 | 19,911 | 1,790,433 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 2,480 | 10,371 | 28,901 | 14,549 | 13,931 | 26,053 | 33,871 | 30,207 | 21,081 | 12,642 | 7,989 | 2,185 | 204,260 |
| GARRETT | 152 | 693 | 2,062 | 1,061 | 1,066 | 1,735 | 2,205 | 2,071 | 1,644 | 1,135 | 657 | 202 | 14,683 |
| ALLEGANY | 337 | 1,425 | 4,001 | 2,360 | 2,868 | 4,203 | 4,710 | 4,644 | 3,723 | 2,649 | 1,934 | 506 | 33,360 |
| WASHINGTON | 701 | 3,064 | 8,169 | 4,067 | 3,982 | 8,066 | 9,959 | 8,938 | 6,353 | 4,191 | 2,691 | 747 | 60,928 |
| FREDERICK | 1,290 | 5,189 | 14,669 | 7,061 | 6,015 | 12,049 | 16,997 | 14,554 | 9,361 | 4,667 | 2,707 | 730 | 95,289 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 10,717 | 42,655 | 116,705 | 59,788 | 53,896 | 106,636 | 142,525 | 132,957 | 93,650 | 52,848 | 35,261 | 9,681 | 857,319 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 1,410 | 4,765 | 9,680 | 5,534 | 6,505 | 16,233 | 16,159 | 14,755 | 10,645 | 6,185 | 5,072 | 1,743 | 98,686 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 3,087 | 12,205 | 34,604 | 18,887 | 16,947 | 32,431 | 42,015 | 42,909 | 29,614 | 20,169 | 15,894 | 4,457 | 273,219 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 2,917 | 11,237 | 28,918 | 14,770 | 14,218 | 26,325 | 35,964 | 31,884 | 24,012 | 11,838 | 6,513 | 1,538 | 210,134 |
| CARROLL | 818 | 3,787 | 12,103 | 6,185 | 5,231 | 8,634 | 13,520 | 11,803 | 7,982 | 4,119 | 2,375 | 633 | 77,190 |
| HOWARD | 1,260 | 5,360 | 15,816 | 7,029 | 4,778 | 11,564 | 17,760 | 16,028 | 10,746 | 4,607 | 2,230 | 597 | 97,775 |
| HARFORD | 1,225 | 5,301 | 15,584 | 7,383 | 6,217 | 11,449 | 17,107 | 15,578 | 10,651 | 5,930 | 3,177 | 713 | 100,315 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 6,077 | 24,064 | 60,515 | 29,965 | 26,833 | 56,002 | 71,102 | 69,352 | 48,336 | 26,557 | 17,320 | 5,370 | 441,493 |
| MONTGOMERY | 4,323 | 17,514 | 45,742 | 21,393 | 15,982 | 37,129 | 51,337 | 51,756 | 35,224 | 18,352 | 12,582 | 4,166 | 315,500 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 1,754 | 6,550 | 14,773 | 8,572 | 10,851 | 18,873 | 19,765 | 17,596 | 13,112 | 8,205 | 4,738 | 1,204 | 125,993 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 1,550 | 6,238 | 18,243 | 9,410 | 8,269 | 14,430 | 21,129 | 17,948 | 12,595 | 5,852 | 2,843 | 733 | 119,240 |
| CALVERT | 443 | 1,800 | 5,819 | 3,024 | 2,336 | 4,095 | 6,427 | 5,659 | 3,686 | 1,679 | 824 | 235 | 36,027 |
| CHARLES | 552 | 2,330 | 6,477 | 3,354 | 3,006 | 5,236 | 7,594 | 6,724 | 5,023 | 2,241 | 944 | 244 | 43,725 |
| ST MARY'S | 555 | 2,108 | 5,947 | 3,032 | 2,927 | 5,099 | 7,108 | 5,565 | 3,886 | 1,932 | 1,075 | 254 | 39,488 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,825 | 7,560 | 22,328 | 11,850 | 11,435 | 20,361 | 26,217 | 24,585 | 19,235 | 12,751 | 8,032 | 1,942 | 168,121 |
| CECIL | 518 | 2,224 | 6,740 | 3,262 | 2,882 | 5,686 | 7,169 | 6,434 | 4,584 | 2,491 | 1,343 | 284 | 43,617 |
| KENT | 48 | 310 | 875 | 605 | 683 | 805 | 1,064 | 1,125 | 991 | 695 | 568 | 170 | 7,939 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 217 | 931 | 2,869 | 1,381 | 1,171 | 2,223 | 3,451 | 3,023 | 2,411 | 1,328 | 761 | 181 | 19,947 |
| CAROLINE | 167 | 613 | 1,930 | 1,009 | 943 | 1,586 | 2,111 | 1,812 | 1,320 | 819 | 539 | 135 | 12,984 |
| TALBOT | 167 | 565 | 1,672 | 897 | 708 | 1,394 | 1,953 | 1,990 | 1,805 | 1,437 | 1,079 | 304 | 13,971 |
| DORCHESTER | 94 | 412 | 1,286 | 680 | 579 | 1,111 | 1,622 | 1,581 | 1,357 | 965 | 597 | 164 | 10,448 |
| WICOMICO | 364 | 1,432 | 3,936 | 2,431 | 2,849 | 4,131 | 4,554 | 4,595 | 3,312 | 2,000 | 1,337 | 321 | 31,262 |
| SOMERSET | 69 | 270 | 796 | 419 | 539 | 992 | 1,201 | 1,155 | 900 | 604 | 388 | 105 | 7,438 |
| WORCESTER | 181 | 803 | 2,224 | 1,166 | 1,081 | 2,433 | 3,092 | 2,870 | 2,555 | 2,412 | 1,420 | 278 | 20,515 |

TABLE 5F. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | WHITE FEMALE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 21,877 | 86,968 | 233,922 | 117,347 | 105,645 | 223,902 | 297,925 | 283,196 | 203,931 | 130,165 | 108,896 | 44,236 | 1,858,010 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 2,354 | 9,794 | 27,333 | 14,079 | 13,770 | 25,826 | 33,942 | 30,584 | 21,706 | 15,144 | 12,659 | 5,163 | 212,354 |
| GARRETT | 145 | 628 | 1,953 | 981 | 994 | 1,811 | 2,179 | 2,161 | 1,678 | 1,251 | 970 | 367 | 15,118 |
| ALLEGANY | 285 | 1,305 | 3,784 | 2,475 | 2,866 | 3,875 | 4,545 | 4,746 | 4,067 | 3,356 | 3,046 | 1,441 | 35,791 |
| WASHINGTON | 688 | 2,800 | 7,682 | 3,811 | 3,851 | 7,769 | 9,708 | 8,986 | 6,655 | 5,133 | 4,273 | 1,747 | 63,103 |
| FREDERICK | 1,236 | 5,061 | 13,914 | 6,812 | 6,059 | 12,371 | 17,510 | 14,691 | 9,306 | 5,404 | 4,370 | 1,608 | 98,342 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 10,273 | 40,656 | 110,350 | 56,010 | 50,906 | 109,836 | 144,821 | 137,185 | 97,405 | 62,727 | 54,520 | 21,380 | 896,069 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 1,304 | 4,600 | 9,108 | 5,565 | 6,843 | 16,348 | 14,380 | 14,358 | 11,239 | 7,720 | 8,385 | 4,201 | 104,051 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 2,928 | 11,694 | 32,818 | 18,304 | 17,120 | 33,668 | 43,832 | 45,436 | 32,499 | 25,600 | 24,658 | 9,567 | 298,124 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 2,631 | 10,626 | 27,506 | 13,082 | 11,708 | 26,546 | 36,061 | 32,647 | 24,248 | 13,181 | 9,558 | 3,189 | 210,983 |
| CARROLL | 895 | 3,673 | 11,409 | 5,671 | 4,997 | 8,873 | 14,038 | 12,127 | 7,839 | 4,683 | 3,784 | 1,647 | 79,636 |
| HOWARD | 1,269 | 5,116 | 14,818 | 6,500 | 4,365 | 12,114 | 18,382 | 16,728 | 10,706 | 4,907 | 3,305 | 1,343 | 99,553 |
| HARFORD | 1,246 | 4,947 | 14,691 | 6,888 | 5,873 | 12,287 | 18,128 | 15,889 | 10,874 | 6,636 | 4,830 | 1,433 | 103,722 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 6,029 | 23,080 | 57,246 | 27,400 | 21,959 | 52,392 | 71,346 | 72,364 | 52,613 | 31,691 | 26,401 | 11,684 | 454,205 |
| MONTGOMERY | 4,255 | 16,793 | 43,609 | 19,786 | 13,810 | 37,875 | 54,234 | 55,325 | 38,383 | 22,232 | 19,145 | 8,848 | 334,295 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 1,774 | 6,287 | 13,637 | 7,614 | 8,149 | 14,517 | 17,112 | 17,039 | 14,230 | 9,459 | 7,256 | 2,836 | 119,910 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 1,435 | 5,917 | 17,636 | 8,622 | 7,951 | 14,922 | 21,129 | 17,849 | 12,041 | 6,129 | 4,324 | 1,697 | 119,652 |
| CALVERT | 373 | 1,740 | 5,543 | 2,736 | 2,264 | 4,518 | 6,756 | 5,507 | 3,447 | 1,798 | 1,360 | 511 | 36,553 |
| CHARLES | 490 | 2,095 | 6,348 | 3,105 | 2,856 | 5,319 | 7,796 | 6,885 | 4,980 | 2,369 | 1,558 | 646 | 44,447 |
| ST MARY'S | 572 | 2,082 | 5,745 | 2,781 | 2,831 | 5,085 | 6,577 | 5,457 | 3,614 | 1,962 | 1,406 | 540 | 38,652 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,786 | 7,521 | 21,357 | 11,236 | 11,059 | 20,926 | 26,687 | 25,214 | 20,166 | 14,474 | 10,992 | 4,312 | 175,730 |
| CECIL | 566 | 2,208 | 6,360 | 3,029 | 2,805 | 6,071 | 7,455 | 6,391 | 4,447 | 2,636 | 1,893 | 686 | 44,547 |
| KENT | 75 | 246 | 794 | 696 | 734 | 809 | 1,083 | 1,126 | 1,048 | 801 | 721 | 312 | 8,445 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 207 | 943 | 2,747 | 1,231 | 1,089 | 2,332 | 3,492 | 3,034 | 2,423 | 1,390 | 937 | 342 | 20,167 |
| CAROLINE | 158 | 569 | 1,806 | 880 | 823 | 1,658 | 2,104 | 1,888 | 1,411 | 919 | 726 | 338 | 13,280 |
| TALBOT | 138 | 523 | 1,692 | 795 | 671 | 1,419 | 2,104 | 2,192 | 1,951 | 1,682 | 1,510 | 546 | 15,223 |
| DORCHESTER | 90 | 469 | 1,213 | 630 | 583 | 1,208 | 1,613 | 1,724 | 1,501 | 1,104 | 929 | 401 | 11,465 |
| WICOMICO | 321 | 1,456 | 3,792 | 2,550 | 2,921 | 4,149 | 4,863 | 4,876 | 3,611 | 2,521 | 2,008 | 884 | 33,952 |
| SOMERSET | 58 | 302 | 770 | 399 | 435 | 829 | 984 | 1,074 | 926 | 731 | 540 | 241 | 7,289 |
| WORCESTER | 173 | 805 | 2,183 | 1,026 | 998 | 2,451 | 2,989 | 2,909 | 2,848 | 2,690 | 1,728 | 562 | 21,362 |

TABLE 5G. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | BLACK | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 25,320 | 98,157 | 260,460 | 124,910 | 114,695 | 222,306 | 265,959 | 217,986 | 128,156 | 70,123 | 36,626 | 11,718 | 1,576,416 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 451 | 1,739 | 4,526 | 2,522 | 3,079 | 5,902 | 5,564 | 3,197 | 1,445 | 776 | 418 | 179 | 29,798 |
| GARRETT | 0 | 3 | 19 | 50 | 14 | 11 | 22 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 163 |
| ALLEGANY | 24 | 113 | 305 | 394 | 584 | 1,156 | 765 | 381 | 156 | 82 | 53 | 19 | 4,032 |
| WASHINGTON | 125 | 595 | 1,438 | 720 | 1,440 | 2,797 | 2,332 | 1,062 | 382 | 174 | 105 | 45 | 11,215 |
| FREDERICK | 302 | 1,028 | 2,764 | 1,358 | 1,041 | 1,938 | 2,445 | 1,741 | 894 | 507 | 256 | 114 | 14,388 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 11,367 | 44,853 | 119,532 | 59,104 | 54,894 | 98,963 | 115,799 | 97,033 | 56,826 | 36,099 | 21,347 | 6,673 | 722,490 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 6,353 | 24,792 | 66,252 | 33,619 | 32,572 | 51,349 | 61,373 | 56,590 | 34,732 | 24,211 | 15,496 | 4,800 | 412,139 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 2,765 | 11,307 | 29,658 | 14,344 | 12,889 | 28,263 | 29,468 | 22,943 | 12,255 | 6,297 | 3,097 | 1,014 | 174,300 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 1,138 | 4,366 | 11,610 | 5,686 | 5,033 | 10,370 | 12,899 | 8,782 | 4,716 | 2,878 | 1,511 | 448 | 69,437 |
| CARROLL | 28 | 207 | 636 | 439 | 337 | 452 | 625 | 539 | 404 | 194 | 118 | 35 | 4,014 |
| HOWARD | 695 | 2,513 | 6,849 | 3,078 | 2,393 | 5,478 | 7,493 | 5,271 | 3,170 | 1,618 | 665 | 242 | 39,465 |
| HARFORD | 388 | 1,668 | 4,527 | 1,938 | 1,670 | 3,051 | 3,941 | 2,908 | 1,549 | 901 | 460 | 134 | 23,135 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 11,551 | 43,833 | 114,882 | 52,114 | 46,126 | 100,862 | 123,327 | 101,312 | 60,217 | 26,585 | 10,737 | 3,305 | 694,851 |
| MONTGOMERY | 2,815 | 9,910 | 22,400 | 10,339 | 8,804 | 21,458 | 25,918 | 19,804 | 11,073 | 5,538 | 2,723 | 958 | 141,740 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 8,736 | 33,923 | 92,482 | 41,775 | 37,322 | 79,404 | 97,409 | 81,508 | 49,144 | 21,047 | 8,014 | 2,347 | 553,111 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 957 | 3,933 | 11,364 | 5,328 | 4,584 | 9,007 | 11,771 | 7,863 | 4,319 | 2,453 | 1,389 | 506 | 63,474 |
| CALVERT | 154 | 491 | 1,686 | 874 | 745 | 1,161 | 1,820 | 1,524 | 845 | 543 | 334 | 134 | 10,311 |
| CHARLES | 604 | 2,667 | 7,529 | 3,342 | 2,974 | 6,308 | 7,869 | 4,829 | 2,487 | 1,315 | 646 | 225 | 40,795 |
| ST MARY'S | 199 | 775 | 2,149 | 1,112 | 865 | 1,538 | 2,082 | 1,510 | 987 | 595 | 409 | 147 | 12,368 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 994 | 3,799 | 10,156 | 5,842 | 6,012 | 7,572 | 9,498 | 8,581 | 5,349 | 4,210 | 2,735 | 1,055 | 65,803 |
| CECIL | 67 | 249 | 699 | 278 | 225 | 442 | 517 | 444 | 268 | 211 | 100 | 22 | 3,522 |
| KENT | 32 | 142 | 492 | 266 | 228 | 261 | 398 | 378 | 362 | 299 | 152 | 84 | 3,094 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 32 | 173 | 460 | 261 | 266 | 311 | 481 | 535 | 341 | 297 | 204 | 99 | 3,460 |
| CAROLINE | 76 | 270 | 743 | 356 | 273 | 406 | 597 | 597 | 362 | 284 | 206 | 80 | 4,250 |
| TALBOT | 72 | 229 | 718 | 371 | 348 | 516 | 684 | 750 | 536 | 426 | 288 | 143 | 5,081 |
| DORCHESTER | 101 | 433 | 1,361 | 735 | 535 | 923 | 1,202 | 1,212 | 747 | 566 | 410 | 143 | 8,368 |
| WICOMICO | 383 | 1,480 | 3,639 | 1,670 | 1,631 | 2,330 | 2,956 | 2,662 | 1,514 | 1,091 | 711 | 229 | 20,296 |
| SOMERSET | 106 | 399 | 952 | 1,293 | 1,975 | 1,753 | 1,589 | 969 | 570 | 433 | 290 | 100 | 10,429 |
| WORCESTER | 125 | 424 | 1,092 | 612 | 531 | 630 | 1,074 | 1,034 | 649 | 603 | 374 | 155 | 7,303 |

TABLE 5H. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | BLACK MALE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|---------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 12,925 | 49,658 | 132,642 | 63,172 | 56,359 | 102,821 | 121,054 | 96,797 | 56,754 | 29,501 | 13,175 | 3,207 | 738,065 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 219 | 863 | 2,357 | 1,486 | 2,113 | 4,456 | 3,819 | 1,992 | 762 | 363 | 147 | 57 | 18,634 |
| GARRETT | 0 | 2 | 11 | 42 | 8 | 7 | 18 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 112 |
| ALLEGANY | 11 | 54 | 181 | 201 | 413 | 1,087 | 689 | 300 | 102 | 38 | 19 | 11 | 3,106 |
| WASHINGTON | 66 | 306 | 754 | 491 | 1,205 | 2,361 | 1,888 | 764 | 225 | 87 | 35 | 13 | 8,195 |
| FREDERICK | 142 | 501 | 1,411 | 752 | 487 | 1,001 | 1,224 | 919 | 427 | 234 | 90 | 33 | 7,221 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 5,788 | 22,707 | 60,667 | 29,804 | 26,509 | 45,490 | 52,267 | 42,778 | 24,736 | 14,595 | 7,577 | 1,817 | 334,735 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 3,217 | 12,448 | 33,671 | 16,781 | 15,282 | 23,226 | 27,318 | 24,580 | 14,726 | 9,356 | 5,381 | 1,310 | 187,296 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 1,417 | 5,796 | 14,954 | 7,248 | 6,018 | 12,439 | 12,935 | 9,839 | 5,435 | 2,702 | 1,170 | 271 | 80,224 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 603 | 2,260 | 5,814 | 2,987 | 2,863 | 5,522 | 6,432 | 4,265 | 2,172 | 1,279 | 586 | 149 | 34,932 |
| CARROLL | 14 | 114 | 346 | 258 | 190 | 233 | 339 | 296 | 213 | 103 | 44 | 17 | 2,167 |
| HOWARD | 361 | 1,278 | 3,551 | 1,565 | 1,351 | 2,570 | 3,411 | 2,403 | 1,411 | 743 | 238 | 48 | 18,930 |
| HARFORD | 176 | 811 | 2,331 | 965 | 805 | 1,500 | 1,832 | 1,395 | 779 | 412 | 158 | 22 | 11,186 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 5,888 | 22,205 | 58,727 | 26,276 | 22,395 | 44,798 | 54,656 | 44,265 | 26,676 | 11,669 | 3,848 | 861 | 322,264 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1,433 | 5,066 | 11,474 | 5,185 | 4,334 | 9,417 | 11,441 | 8,707 | 4,740 | 2,196 | 939 | 253 | 65,185 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 4,455 | 17,139 | 47,253 | 21,091 | 18,061 | 35,381 | 43,215 | 35,558 | 21,936 | 9,473 | 2,909 | 608 | 257,079 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 479 | 1,967 | 5,783 | 2,672 | 2,296 | 4,172 | 5,542 | 3,733 | 2,110 | 1,085 | 565 | 150 | 30,554 |
| CALVERT | 74 | 233 | 849 | 429 | 413 | 548 | 845 | 736 | 406 | 225 | 128 | 35 | 4,921 |
| CHARLES | 303 | 1,358 | 3,847 | 1,688 | 1,456 | 2,875 | 3,666 | 2,270 | 1,198 | 596 | 262 | 63 | 19,582 |
| ST MARY'S | 102 | 376 | 1,087 | 555 | 427 | 749 | 1,031 | 727 | 506 | 264 | 175 | 52 | 6,051 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 551 | 1,916 | 5,108 | 2,934 | 3,046 | 3,905 | 4,770 | 4,029 | 2,470 | 1,789 | 1,038 | 322 | 31,878 |
| CECIL | 40 | 133 | 349 | 139 | 109 | 225 | 261 | 211 | 148 | 106 | 45 | 10 | 1,776 |
| KENT | 22 | 77 | 238 | 136 | 123 | 109 | 176 | 163 | 153 | 127 | 49 | 29 | 1,402 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 15 | 86 | 235 | 138 | 140 | 176 | 228 | 269 | 142 | 122 | 90 | 39 | 1,680 |
| CAROLINE | 51 | 136 | 373 | 183 | 138 | 173 | 271 | 270 | 162 | 122 | 73 | 20 | 1,972 |
| TALBOT | 36 | 136 | 370 | 193 | 193 | 239 | 328 | 315 | 244 | 182 | 114 | 40 | 2,390 |
| DORCHESTER | 49 | 213 | 652 | 374 | 264 | 396 | 557 | 535 | 360 | 233 | 146 | 47 | 3,826 |
| WICOMICO | 205 | 755 | 1,884 | 866 | 732 | 993 | 1,356 | 1,213 | 697 | 463 | 269 | 52 | 9,485 |
| SOMERSET | 63 | 184 | 455 | 589 | 1,061 | 1,331 | 1,130 | 548 | 279 | 180 | 115 | 29 | 5,964 |
| WORCESTER | 70 | 196 | 552 | 316 | 286 | 263 | 463 | 505 | 285 | 254 | 137 | 56 | 3,383 |

TABLE 5I. ESTIMATED MARYLAND POPULATION BY AGE GROUP, SEX, RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, JULY 1, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | BLACK FEMALE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|-------|---------|
| | UNDER 1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85+ | TOTAL |
| MARYLAND | 12,395 | 48,499 | 127,818 | 61,738 | 58,336 | 119,485 | 144,905 | 121,189 | 71,402 | 40,622 | 23,451 | 8,511 | 838,351 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 232 | 876 | 2,169 | 1,036 | 966 | 1,446 | 1,745 | 1,205 | 683 | 413 | 271 | 122 | 11,164 |
| GARRETT | 0 | 1 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 51 |
| ALLEGANY | 13 | 59 | 124 | 193 | 171 | 69 | 76 | 81 | 54 | 44 | 34 | 8 | 926 |
| WASHINGTON | 59 | 289 | 684 | 229 | 235 | 436 | 444 | 298 | 157 | 87 | 70 | 32 | 3,020 |
| FREDERICK | 160 | 527 | 1,353 | 606 | 554 | 937 | 1,221 | 822 | 467 | 273 | 166 | 81 | 7,167 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 5,579 | 22,146 | 58,865 | 29,300 | 28,385 | 53,473 | 63,532 | 54,255 | 32,090 | 21,504 | 13,770 | 4,856 | 387,755 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 3,136 | 12,344 | 32,581 | 16,838 | 17,290 | 28,123 | 34,055 | 32,010 | 20,006 | 14,855 | 10,115 | 3,490 | 224,843 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 1,348 | 5,511 | 14,704 | 7,096 | 6,871 | 15,824 | 16,533 | 13,104 | 6,820 | 3,595 | 1,927 | 743 | 94,076 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 535 | 2,106 | 5,796 | 2,699 | 2,170 | 4,848 | 6,467 | 4,517 | 2,544 | 1,599 | 925 | 299 | 34,505 |
| CARROLL | 14 | 93 | 290 | 181 | 147 | 219 | 286 | 243 | 191 | 91 | 74 | 18 | 1,847 |
| HOWARD | 334 | 1,235 | 3,298 | 1,513 | 1,042 | 2,908 | 4,082 | 2,868 | 1,759 | 875 | 427 | 194 | 20,535 |
| HARFORD | 212 | 857 | 2,196 | 973 | 865 | 1,551 | 2,109 | 1,513 | 770 | 489 | 302 | 112 | 11,949 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 5,663 | 21,628 | 56,155 | 25,838 | 23,731 | 56,064 | 68,671 | 57,047 | 33,541 | 14,916 | 6,889 | 2,444 | 372,587 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1,382 | 4,844 | 10,926 | 5,154 | 4,470 | 12,041 | 14,477 | 11,097 | 6,333 | 3,342 | 1,784 | 705 | 76,555 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 4,281 | 16,784 | 45,229 | 20,684 | 19,261 | 44,023 | 54,194 | 45,950 | 27,208 | 11,574 | 5,105 | 1,739 | 296,032 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 478 | 1,966 | 5,581 | 2,656 | 2,288 | 4,835 | 6,229 | 4,130 | 2,209 | 1,368 | 824 | 356 | 32,920 |
| CALVERT | 80 | 258 | 837 | 445 | 332 | 613 | 975 | 788 | 439 | 318 | 206 | 99 | 5,390 |
| CHARLES | 301 | 1,309 | 3,682 | 1,654 | 1,518 | 3,433 | 4,203 | 2,559 | 1,289 | 719 | 384 | 162 | 21,213 |
| ST MARY'S | 97 | 399 | 1,062 | 557 | 438 | 789 | 1,051 | 783 | 481 | 331 | 234 | 95 | 6,317 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 443 | 1,883 | 5,048 | 2,908 | 2,966 | 3,667 | 4,728 | 4,552 | 2,879 | 2,421 | 1,697 | 733 | 33,925 |
| CECIL | 27 | 116 | 350 | 139 | 116 | 217 | 256 | 233 | 120 | 105 | 55 | 12 | 1,746 |
| KENT | 10 | 65 | 254 | 130 | 105 | 152 | 222 | 215 | 209 | 172 | 103 | 55 | 1,692 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 17 | 87 | 225 | 123 | 126 | 135 | 253 | 266 | 199 | 175 | 114 | 60 | 1,780 |
| CAROLINE | 25 | 134 | 370 | 173 | 135 | 233 | 326 | 327 | 200 | 162 | 133 | 60 | 2,278 |
| TALBOT | 36 | 93 | 348 | 178 | 155 | 277 | 356 | 435 | 292 | 244 | 174 | 103 | 2,691 |
| DORCHESTER | 52 | 220 | 709 | 361 | 271 | 527 | 645 | 677 | 387 | 333 | 264 | 96 | 4,542 |
| WICOMICO | 178 | 725 | 1,755 | 804 | 899 | 1,337 | 1,600 | 1,449 | 817 | 628 | 442 | 177 | 10,811 |
| SOMERSET | 43 | 215 | 497 | 704 | 914 | 422 | 459 | 421 | 291 | 253 | 175 | 71 | 4,465 |
| WORCESTER | 55 | 228 | 540 | 296 | 245 | 367 | 611 | 529 | 364 | 349 | 237 | 99 | 3,920 |



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TABLE 6. ABRIDGED LIFE TABLE FOR THE TOTAL POPULATION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| AGE INTERVAL | PROPORTION DYING | OF 100,000 BORN ALIVE | | STATIONARY POPULATION | | AVERAGE NUMBER OF YEARS OF LIFE REMAINING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL |
|-------------------|------------------|--|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
| | | NUMBER LIVING AT BEGINNING OF AGE INTERVAL | NUMBER DYING DURING AGE INTERVAL | IN THE AGE INTERVAL | IN THIS AND ALL SUBSEQUENT AGE INTERVALS | |
| 0-1 | 0.008148 | 100,000 | 815 | 99272 | 7702798 | 77.0 |
| 1-5 | 0.001033 | 99,185 | 102 | 396503 | 7603527 | 76.7 |
| 5-10 | 0.000675 | 99,083 | 67 | 495246 | 7207024 | 72.7 |
| 10-15 | 0.000963 | 99,016 | 95 | 494841 | 6711778 | 67.8 |
| 15-20 | 0.003817 | 98,920 | 378 | 493659 | 6216937 | 62.8 |
| 20-25 | 0.006401 | 98,543 | 631 | 491138 | 5723278 | 58.1 |
| 25-30 | 0.005585 | 97,912 | 547 | 488193 | 5232141 | 53.4 |
| 30-35 | 0.006097 | 97,365 | 594 | 485342 | 4743947 | 48.7 |
| 35-40 | 0.008744 | 96,772 | 846 | 481743 | 4258605 | 44.0 |
| 40-45 | 0.013225 | 95,925 | 1269 | 476456 | 3776862 | 39.4 |
| 45-50 | 0.018410 | 94,657 | 1743 | 468928 | 3300406 | 34.9 |
| 50-55 | 0.026197 | 92,914 | 2434 | 458486 | 2831478 | 30.5 |
| 55-60 | 0.035612 | 90,480 | 3222 | 444345 | 2372992 | 26.2 |
| 60-65 | 0.055670 | 87,258 | 4858 | 424146 | 1928647 | 22.1 |
| 65-70 | 0.088232 | 82,400 | 7270 | 393826 | 1504501 | 18.3 |
| 70-75 | 0.135521 | 75,130 | 10182 | 350196 | 1110675 | 14.8 |
| 75-80 | 0.203710 | 64,948 | 13231 | 291665 | 760480 | 11.7 |
| 80-85 | 0.297015 | 51,718 | 15361 | 220186 | 468815 | 9.1 |
| 85 AND OVER | 0.527961 | 36,357 | 19195 | 248629 | 248629 | 6.8 |

TABLE 7. LIFE EXPECTANCY BY AGE, RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| AGE INTERVAL (YEARS) | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|-------------------------|---------------|------|--------|---------------|------|--------|---------------|------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| 0-1 | 77.0 | 74.3 | 79.7 | 78.5 | 76.0 | 80.8 | 72.5 | 68.7 | 76.0 |
| 1-5 | 76.7 | 73.9 | 79.2 | 77.9 | 75.5 | 80.2 | 72.6 | 68.8 | 76.1 |
| 5-10 | 72.7 | 70.0 | 75.3 | 73.9 | 71.6 | 76.2 | 68.7 | 64.9 | 72.2 |
| 10-15 | 67.8 | 65.1 | 70.4 | 69.0 | 66.6 | 71.3 | 63.8 | 60.0 | 67.2 |
| 15-20 | 62.8 | 60.1 | 65.4 | 64.0 | 61.7 | 66.3 | 58.8 | 55.1 | 62.3 |
| 20-25 | 58.1 | 55.4 | 60.5 | 59.2 | 56.9 | 61.5 | 54.2 | 50.6 | 57.4 |
| 25-30 | 53.4 | 51.0 | 55.7 | 54.5 | 52.2 | 56.6 | 49.7 | 46.4 | 52.6 |
| 30-35 | 48.7 | 46.4 | 50.9 | 49.7 | 47.5 | 51.7 | 45.1 | 42.1 | 47.8 |
| 35-40 | 44.0 | 41.7 | 46.1 | 44.9 | 42.8 | 46.9 | 40.6 | 37.5 | 43.2 |
| 40-45 | 39.4 | 37.2 | 41.3 | 40.2 | 38.2 | 42.1 | 36.1 | 33.2 | 38.7 |
| 45-50 | 34.9 | 32.8 | 36.7 | 35.6 | 33.7 | 37.3 | 31.9 | 29.2 | 34.2 |
| 50-55 | 30.5 | 28.5 | 32.2 | 31.1 | 29.2 | 32.7 | 27.8 | 25.3 | 29.9 |
| 55-60 | 26.2 | 24.4 | 27.8 | 26.7 | 25.0 | 28.2 | 24.0 | 21.7 | 25.8 |
| 60-65 | 22.1 | 20.5 | 23.5 | 22.4 | 20.8 | 23.8 | 20.2 | 18.2 | 21.8 |
| 65-70 | 18.3 | 16.8 | 19.5 | 18.4 | 17.0 | 19.6 | 16.9 | 15.2 | 18.1 |
| 70-75 | 14.8 | 13.5 | 15.8 | 14.9 | 13.6 | 15.9 | 13.7 | 12.3 | 14.7 |
| 75-80 | 11.7 | 10.6 | 12.5 | 11.7 | 10.6 | 12.5 | 11.0 | 9.9 | 11.7 |
| 80-85 | 9.1 | 8.3 | 9.5 | 9.0 | 8.2 | 9.5 | 8.8 | 8.1 | 9.1 |
| 85 AND OVER | 6.8 | 6.3 | 7.1 | 6.8 | 6.2 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 7.0 |

¹ Life expectancy is the average number of years of life remaining at beginning of age interval.



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**TABLE 8. BIRTHS AND BIRTH RATES BY RACE, MARYLAND,
SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.**

| YEAR | NUMBER OF BIRTHS | | | BIRTH RATES* | | |
|------|------------------|--------|--------|--------------|-------|-------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK |
| 1940 | 32,368 | 25,438 | - | 17.6 | 16.6 | - |
| 1950 | 55,992 | 43,599 | - | 23.7 | 22.1 | - |
| 1960 | 77,496 | 60,093 | - | 24.8 | 23.2 | - |
| 1970 | 69,336 | 53,049 | 15,556 | 17.6 | 16.4 | 22.2 |
| 1980 | 59,833 | 41,005 | 17,436 | 14.2 | 12.8 | 18.1 |
| 1990 | 80,199 | 52,679 | 24,868 | 16.7 | 15.3 | 20.7 |
| 1994 | 73,937 | 45,534 | 23,763 | 14.8 | 13.0 | 18.1 |
| 1995 | 72,312 | 45,162 | 22,426 | 14.4 | 12.9 | 16.7 |
| 1996 | 71,473 | 43,740 | 22,783 | 14.1 | 12.5 | 16.6 |
| 1997 | 70,151 | 42,203 | 22,482 | 13.8 | 12.1 | 16.1 |
| 1998 | 71,802 | 42,676 | 23,791 | 14.0 | 12.2 | 16.7 |
| 1999 | 71,822 | 43,551 | 23,822 | 13.9 | 12.5 | 16.4 |
| 2000 | 74,226 | 45,273 | 24,572 | 14.0 | 12.8 | 16.3 |
| 2001 | 73,152 | 44,127 | 23,899 | 13.6 | 12.3 | 15.4 |
| 2002 | 73,250 | 43,995 | 23,848 | 13.4 | 12.2 | 15.2 |
| 2003 | 74,865 | 43,941 | 24,244 | 13.6 | 12.0 | 15.4 |

*Per 1,000 population.

-Data not available

Notes: (1) Births have been classified by race of mother since 1970. (2) The number of white births may have increased after 1998 due to changes in the allocation of "other" races as recommended by the National Center for Health Statistics.

TABLE 9A. NUMBER OF BIRTHS BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | AMERICAN INDIAN ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | | TOTAL ² | WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | |
| MARYLAND | 74,865 | 43,941 | 39,170 | 24,244 | 180 | 4,343 | 6,966 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,799 | 5,248 | 5,030 | 363 | 9 | 159 | 232 |
| GARRETT | 342 | 340 | 339 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| ALLEGANY | 675 | 650 | 647 | 19 | 1 | 5 | 3 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,689 | 1,568 | 1,541 | 97 | 1 | 20 | 29 |
| FREDERICK | 3,093 | 2,690 | 2,503 | 247 | 7 | 132 | 199 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 33,743 | 20,834 | 19,603 | 11,070 | 97 | 1,573 | 1,395 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 9,057 | 2,413 | 2,139 | 6,359 | 27 | 200 | 342 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 9,344 | 6,064 | 5,814 | 2,644 | 37 | 544 | 288 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 6,913 | 5,601 | 5,157 | 1,021 | 18 | 251 | 470 |
| CARROLL | 1,955 | 1,862 | 1,839 | 51 | 3 | 36 | 27 |
| HOWARD | 3,569 | 2,471 | 2,292 | 613 | 8 | 458 | 196 |
| HARFORD | 2,905 | 2,423 | 2,362 | 382 | 4 | 84 | 72 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 26,120 | 10,857 | 7,894 | 10,894 | 46 | 2,420 | 4,910 |
| MONTGOMERY | 13,529 | 8,265 | 6,282 | 2,642 | 26 | 1,871 | 2,713 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 12,591 | 2,592 | 1,612 | 8,252 | 20 | 549 | 2,197 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 4,298 | 3,140 | 3,007 | 997 | 23 | 119 | 161 |
| CALVERT | 1,057 | 912 | 882 | 116 | 3 | 24 | 35 |
| CHARLES | 1,889 | 1,121 | 1,060 | 674 | 18 | 61 | 81 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 1,352 | 1,107 | 1,065 | 207 | 2 | 34 | 45 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,905 | 3,862 | 3,636 | 920 | 5 | 72 | 268 |
| CECIL | 1,219 | 1,119 | 1,105 | 81 | 2 | 12 | 19 |
| KENT | 167 | 142 | 126 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 17 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 501 | 455 | 436 | 33 | 1 | 8 | 23 |
| CAROLINE | 419 | 329 | 297 | 68 | 1 | 4 | 45 |
| TALBOT | 341 | 271 | 239 | 50 | 0 | 10 | 42 |
| DORCHESTER | 348 | 222 | 200 | 119 | 1 | 6 | 23 |
| WICOMICO | 1,182 | 813 | 761 | 342 | 0 | 21 | 58 |
| SOMERSET | 259 | 152 | 137 | 104 | 0 | 3 | 15 |
| WORCESTER | 469 | 359 | 335 | 99 | 0 | 7 | 26 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 9B. BIRTH RATES BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL RACES ² | WHITE | BLACK | HISPANIC ³ |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------------|
| MARYLAND | 13.6 | 12.0 | 15.4 | 26.6 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 12.8 | 12.6 | 12.2 | 26.9 |
| GARRETT | 11.4 | 11.4 | 0.0 | 7.8 |
| ALLEGANY | 9.2 | 9.4 | 4.7 | 5.3 |
| WASHINGTON | 12.3 | 12.6 | 8.6 | 16.5 |
| FREDERICK | 14.5 | 13.9 | 17.2 | 32.2 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 13.1 | 11.9 | 15.3 | 25.3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 14.4 | 11.9 | 15.4 | 29.4 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 12.0 | 10.6 | 15.2 | 18.8 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 13.6 | 13.3 | 14.7 | 34.9 |
| CARROLL | 12.0 | 11.9 | 12.7 | 14.6 |
| HOWARD | 13.5 | 12.5 | 15.5 | 22.3 |
| HARFORD | 12.5 | 11.9 | 16.5 | 17.2 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 14.9 | 12.1 | 15.7 | 26.6 |
| MONTGOMERY | 14.7 | 12.7 | 18.6 | 23.9 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 15.0 | 10.5 | 14.9 | 30.7 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 13.9 | 13.1 | 15.7 | 26.0 |
| CALVERT | 12.6 | 12.6 | 11.3 | 24.3 |
| CHARLES | 14.2 | 12.7 | 16.5 | 27.2 |
| ST MARY'S | 14.6 | 14.2 | 16.7 | 25.4 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 11.8 | 11.2 | 14.0 | 36.4 |
| CECIL | 13.1 | 12.7 | 23.0 | 13.6 |
| KENT | 8.5 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 33.4 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 11.4 | 11.3 | 9.5 | 54.2 |
| CAROLINE | 13.6 | 12.5 | 16.0 | 47.5 |
| TALBOT | 9.8 | 9.3 | 9.8 | 58.8 |
| DORCHESTER | 11.4 | 10.1 | 14.2 | 54.5 |
| WICOMICO | 13.5 | 12.5 | 16.9 | 30.8 |
| SOMERSET | 10.2 | 10.3 | 10.0 | 39.5 |
| WORCESTER | 9.5 | 8.6 | 13.6 | 37.3 |

¹ Per 1,000 population.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 10. SELECTED NATALITY CHARACTERISTICS BY MATERNAL RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN, MARYLAND, 2003.

| CHARACTERISTIC | ALL RACES* | WHITE | | BLACK** | AMERICAN INDIAN** | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER** | HISPANIC*** |
|--|------------|---------|--------------|---------|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|
| | | TOTAL** | NON-HISPANIC | | | | |
| NUMBER OF BIRTHS..... | 74,865 | 43,941 | 39,170 | 24,244 | 180 | 4,343 | 6,966 |
| MATERNAL CHARACTERISTICS | | | | | | | |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO MOTHERS <18 YEARS OF AGE..... | 3.0 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 5.3 | 4.4 | 0.3 | 3.8 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO MOTHERS <20 YEARS OF AGE..... | 8.5 | 6.1 | 5.7 | 13.9 | 12.2 | 1.3 | 10.6 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO WOMEN WITH <12 YEARS EDUCATION****..... | 13.3 | 10.9 | 7.9 | 15.5 | 17.9 | 5.3 | 42.0 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN..... | 34.8 | 23.4 | 21.0 | 58.8 | 50.6 | 7.7 | 46.2 |
| PERCENTAGE OF 4TH AND HIGHER ORDER BIRTHS..... | 10.3 | 8.7 | 8.5 | 13.7 | 10.6 | 5.2 | 11.5 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO WOMEN WITH PRIOR LIVEBORN LOSS..... | 1.6 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 2.4 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 2.0 |
| PREGNANCY CHARACTERISTICS | | | | | | | |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO WOMEN WITH PRENATAL CARE | | | | | | | |
| BEGINNING IN THE FIRST TRIMESTER****..... | 83.7 | 89.0 | 90.9 | 75.2 | 78.9 | 86.5 | 70.1 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO WOMEN WITH LATE OR NO PRENATAL CARE****..... | 3.8 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 6.7 | 3.9 | 3.2 | 6.4 |
| PERCENTAGE OF PLURAL BIRTHS..... | 3.8 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 3.7 | 5.0 | 2.6 | 2.4 |
| PERCENTAGE OF DELIVERIES BY CESAREAN SECTION..... | 28.7 | 27.6 | 27.9 | 31.4 | 31.7 | 27.9 | 24.4 |
| BIRTH OUTCOMES | | | | | | | |
| PERCENTAGE OF LOW BIRTH WEIGHT INFANTS (<2500 GRAMS)..... | 9.1 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 13.1 | 14.4 | 8.0 | 7.0 |
| PERCENTAGE OF VERY LOW BIRTH WEIGHT INFANTS (<1500 GRAMS)..... | 1.9 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 0.7 | 1.3 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS WITH GESTATIONAL AGE <37 WEEKS****..... | 11.0 | 9.6 | 9.7 | 14.3 | 14.5 | 8.2 | 9.1 |
| PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS WITH 5 MINUTE APGAR SCORE <7..... | 1.3 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 0.6 | 1.0 |
| INFANT MORTALITY RATE*****..... | 8.1 | 5.4 | 5.1 | 14.7 | 0 | 3.2 | 6 |
| NEONATAL MORTALITY RATE*****..... | 5.8 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 10.6 | 0 | 2.5 | 4.2 |
| POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY RATE*****..... | 2.3 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 4.1 | 0 | 0.7 | 1.9 |

*Includes races categorized as 'other'.

**Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth and death certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race on the birth certificate and the reported race on the death certificate.

***Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

****Percentages exclude births for which information pertaining to this variable is unknown.

*****Per 1,000 live births.

TABLE 11A. BIRTHS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AGE OF MOTHER, ALL RACES | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 74,865 | 124 | 2085 | 4,191 | 14,989 | 18,448 | 21,009 | 11,418 | 2,470 | 116 | 8 | 7 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,799 | 5 | 146 | 363 | 1,328 | 1,490 | 1,583 | 708 | 168 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 342 | 0 | 7 | 34 | 109 | 88 | 73 | 23 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 675 | 3 | 33 | 61 | 221 | 155 | 145 | 39 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,689 | 1 | 54 | 131 | 494 | 452 | 388 | 134 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 3,093 | 1 | 52 | 137 | 504 | 795 | 977 | 512 | 109 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 33,743 | 84 | 1140 | 2,046 | 6,944 | 8,209 | 9,318 | 4,952 | 1,004 | 42 | 1 | 3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 9,057 | 67 | 638 | 989 | 2,717 | 2,038 | 1,570 | 844 | 183 | 9 | 0 | 2 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 9,344 | 9 | 224 | 492 | 1,810 | 2,422 | 2,701 | 1,387 | 289 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 6,913 | 5 | 157 | 291 | 1,229 | 1,705 | 2,150 | 1,121 | 243 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 1,955 | 1 | 28 | 69 | 281 | 493 | 668 | 361 | 54 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 3,569 | 0 | 36 | 79 | 349 | 796 | 1,334 | 797 | 167 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 2,905 | 2 | 57 | 126 | 558 | 755 | 895 | 442 | 68 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 26,120 | 28 | 513 | 1,144 | 4,456 | 6,412 | 7,785 | 4,655 | 1,071 | 48 | 6 | 2 |
| MONTGOMERY | 13,529 | 5 | 170 | 337 | 1,612 | 3,071 | 4,643 | 2,979 | 675 | 32 | 4 | 1 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 12,591 | 23 | 343 | 807 | 2,844 | 3,341 | 3,142 | 1,676 | 396 | 16 | 2 | 1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 4,298 | 2 | 108 | 262 | 960 | 1,077 | 1,175 | 594 | 112 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| CALVERT | 1,057 | 1 | 27 | 62 | 196 | 255 | 313 | 163 | 39 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 1,889 | 1 | 45 | 105 | 421 | 480 | 525 | 263 | 43 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 1,352 | 0 | 36 | 95 | 343 | 342 | 337 | 168 | 30 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,905 | 5 | 178 | 376 | 1,301 | 1,260 | 1,148 | 509 | 115 | 11 | 1 | 1 |
| CECIL | 1,219 | 2 | 43 | 80 | 319 | 325 | 300 | 123 | 26 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 167 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 46 | 45 | 38 | 16 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 501 | 0 | 16 | 24 | 94 | 126 | 146 | 77 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 419 | 1 | 18 | 33 | 134 | 107 | 82 | 34 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 341 | 0 | 10 | 25 | 82 | 84 | 90 | 46 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| DORCHESTER | 348 | 0 | 20 | 35 | 103 | 77 | 70 | 34 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 1,182 | 1 | 42 | 105 | 337 | 303 | 259 | 105 | 27 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 259 | 1 | 13 | 24 | 89 | 65 | 46 | 15 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 469 | 0 | 11 | 38 | 97 | 128 | 117 | 59 | 16 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

TABLE 11B. BIRTHS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AGE OF MOTHER - WHITE | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 43,941 | 20 | 801 | 1,865 | 7,790 | 10,766 | 13,619 | 7,386 | 1,610 | 75 | 6 | 3 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,248 | 4 | 123 | 329 | 1,178 | 1,350 | 1,454 | 645 | 158 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 340 | 0 | 7 | 34 | 109 | 87 | 73 | 22 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 650 | 3 | 31 | 56 | 212 | 154 | 140 | 37 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,568 | 0 | 51 | 117 | 449 | 422 | 368 | 126 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 2,690 | 1 | 34 | 122 | 408 | 687 | 873 | 460 | 100 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 20,834 | 10 | 386 | 818 | 3,488 | 5,169 | 6,633 | 3,559 | 737 | 32 | 1 | 1 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 2,413 | 3 | 82 | 144 | 575 | 583 | 603 | 338 | 82 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 6,064 | 3 | 116 | 272 | 1,055 | 1,561 | 1,869 | 971 | 208 | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 5,601 | 3 | 101 | 205 | 929 | 1,367 | 1,819 | 950 | 216 | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 1,862 | 1 | 26 | 61 | 266 | 476 | 641 | 341 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 2,471 | 0 | 20 | 43 | 223 | 540 | 934 | 579 | 122 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 2,423 | 0 | 41 | 93 | 440 | 642 | 767 | 380 | 59 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,857 | 2 | 144 | 308 | 1,485 | 2,422 | 3,625 | 2,300 | 542 | 24 | 4 | 1 |
| MONTGOMERY | 8,265 | 1 | 83 | 170 | 852 | 1,724 | 2,989 | 1,965 | 455 | 21 | 4 | 1 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 2,592 | 1 | 61 | 138 | 633 | 698 | 636 | 335 | 87 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 3,140 | 0 | 61 | 159 | 685 | 817 | 889 | 444 | 81 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| CALVERT | 912 | 0 | 20 | 52 | 156 | 226 | 279 | 145 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 1,121 | 0 | 20 | 48 | 248 | 314 | 316 | 148 | 23 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 1,107 | 0 | 21 | 59 | 281 | 277 | 294 | 151 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 3,862 | 4 | 87 | 251 | 954 | 1,008 | 1,018 | 438 | 92 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| CECIL | 1,119 | 2 | 35 | 71 | 296 | 293 | 282 | 117 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 142 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 41 | 39 | 33 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 455 | 0 | 11 | 21 | 84 | 112 | 139 | 70 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 329 | 1 | 10 | 25 | 100 | 84 | 72 | 29 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 271 | 0 | 5 | 14 | 57 | 70 | 80 | 41 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| DORCHESTER | 222 | 0 | 4 | 18 | 68 | 42 | 56 | 29 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 813 | 0 | 12 | 64 | 200 | 222 | 219 | 80 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 152 | 1 | 5 | 11 | 42 | 45 | 34 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 359 | 0 | 3 | 18 | 66 | 101 | 103 | 50 | 15 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

TABLE 11C. BIRTHS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AGE OF MOTHER - WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 39,170 | 16 | 635 | 1,570 | 6,446 | 9,419 | 12,583 | 6,913 | 1,509 | 70 | 6 | 3 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,030 | 4 | 120 | 311 | 1,105 | 1,292 | 1,406 | 629 | 156 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 339 | 0 | 7 | 34 | 109 | 86 | 73 | 22 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 647 | 3 | 31 | 56 | 210 | 153 | 140 | 37 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,541 | 0 | 50 | 116 | 438 | 417 | 360 | 125 | 33 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 2,503 | 1 | 32 | 105 | 348 | 636 | 833 | 445 | 98 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 19,603 | 8 | 322 | 742 | 3,128 | 4,807 | 6,396 | 3,451 | 715 | 32 | 1 | 1 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 2,139 | 2 | 62 | 122 | 479 | 502 | 567 | 323 | 79 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 5,814 | 2 | 106 | 254 | 991 | 1,485 | 1,812 | 955 | 200 | 8 | 0 | 1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 5,157 | 3 | 77 | 182 | 807 | 1,228 | 1,730 | 910 | 209 | 10 | 1 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 1,839 | 1 | 25 | 58 | 261 | 468 | 639 | 337 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 2,292 | 0 | 15 | 36 | 172 | 499 | 888 | 554 | 118 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 2,362 | 0 | 37 | 90 | 418 | 625 | 760 | 372 | 59 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 7,894 | 1 | 52 | 137 | 680 | 1,585 | 2,958 | 1,987 | 469 | 20 | 4 | 1 |
| MONTGOMERY | 6,282 | 0 | 29 | 67 | 365 | 1,179 | 2,491 | 1,729 | 400 | 17 | 4 | 1 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 1,612 | 1 | 23 | 70 | 315 | 406 | 467 | 258 | 69 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 3,007 | 0 | 61 | 146 | 655 | 783 | 852 | 427 | 80 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| CALVERT | 882 | 0 | 20 | 50 | 151 | 216 | 271 | 140 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 1,060 | 0 | 20 | 41 | 238 | 296 | 298 | 142 | 22 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 1,065 | 0 | 21 | 55 | 266 | 271 | 283 | 145 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 3,636 | 3 | 80 | 234 | 878 | 952 | 971 | 419 | 89 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| CECIL | 1,105 | 2 | 35 | 70 | 292 | 289 | 280 | 114 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 126 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 35 | 35 | 29 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 436 | 0 | 10 | 20 | 78 | 107 | 136 | 67 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 297 | 1 | 9 | 21 | 84 | 78 | 69 | 27 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 239 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 50 | 58 | 73 | 39 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| DORCHESTER | 200 | 0 | 4 | 17 | 58 | 38 | 51 | 27 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 761 | 0 | 10 | 61 | 185 | 211 | 203 | 77 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 137 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 38 | 43 | 29 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 335 | 0 | 2 | 17 | 58 | 93 | 101 | 47 | 14 | 2 | 1 | 0 |

TABLE 11D. BIRTHS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AGE OF MOTHER - BLACK | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 24,244 | 98 | 1,184 | 2,090 | 6,144 | 5,806 | 5,261 | 2,958 | 668 | 29 | 2 | 4 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 363 | 1 | 22 | 31 | 122 | 84 | 62 | 32 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 19 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 97 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 41 | 23 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 247 | 0 | 17 | 14 | 74 | 60 | 49 | 25 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 11,070 | 74 | 736 | 1,191 | 3,233 | 2,526 | 1,989 | 1,088 | 222 | 9 | 0 | 2 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 6,359 | 64 | 552 | 835 | 2,085 | 1,377 | 884 | 460 | 95 | 5 | 0 | 2 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 2,644 | 6 | 98 | 205 | 667 | 681 | 596 | 320 | 70 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 1,021 | 2 | 52 | 80 | 261 | 239 | 237 | 127 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 51 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 10 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 613 | 0 | 16 | 34 | 99 | 134 | 177 | 127 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 382 | 2 | 16 | 31 | 111 | 84 | 85 | 44 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,894 | 20 | 297 | 658 | 2,216 | 2,770 | 2,861 | 1,658 | 395 | 16 | 2 | 1 |
| MONTGOMERY | 2,642 | 4 | 60 | 107 | 429 | 661 | 752 | 507 | 116 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 8,252 | 16 | 237 | 551 | 1,787 | 2,109 | 2,109 | 1,151 | 279 | 10 | 2 | 1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 997 | 2 | 44 | 99 | 249 | 216 | 239 | 125 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| CALVERT | 116 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 38 | 23 | 23 | 14 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 674 | 1 | 24 | 54 | 154 | 142 | 183 | 98 | 16 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 207 | 0 | 15 | 35 | 57 | 51 | 33 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 920 | 1 | 85 | 111 | 324 | 210 | 110 | 55 | 21 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| CECIL | 81 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 19 | 25 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 24 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 33 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 68 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 26 | 18 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 50 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 21 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| DORCHESTER | 119 | 0 | 15 | 17 | 34 | 33 | 12 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 342 | 1 | 29 | 41 | 131 | 69 | 37 | 21 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 104 | 0 | 8 | 13 | 47 | 20 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 99 | 0 | 8 | 16 | 31 | 23 | 11 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 11E. BIRTHS BY AGE OF MOTHER, RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AGE OF MOTHER - ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 4,343 | 0 | 12 | 44 | 396 | 1,220 | 1,676 | 835 | 149 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 159 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 20 | 48 | 59 | 28 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 132 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 42 | 47 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 1,573 | 0 | 5 | 17 | 151 | 440 | 645 | 275 | 39 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 200 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 31 | 52 | 72 | 36 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 544 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 66 | 155 | 221 | 86 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 251 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 30 | 88 | 81 | 42 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 36 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 15 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 458 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 19 | 114 | 217 | 87 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 84 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 25 | 39 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 2,420 | 0 | 4 | 22 | 199 | 674 | 918 | 497 | 99 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1,871 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 125 | 489 | 742 | 411 | 86 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 549 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 74 | 185 | 176 | 86 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 119 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 17 | 33 | 35 | 20 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| CALVERT | 24 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 61 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 16 | 17 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 34 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 13 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 72 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 25 | 19 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CECIL | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| DORCHESTER | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 11F. BIRTHS BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AGE OF MOTHER - HISPANIC, ALL RACES ¹ | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 6,966 | 10 | 254 | 475 | 1,964 | 1,967 | 1,469 | 680 | 142 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 232 | 0 | 3 | 19 | 76 | 62 | 53 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 29 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 7 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 199 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 63 | 53 | 45 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 1,395 | 2 | 68 | 82 | 406 | 417 | 270 | 123 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 342 | 1 | 21 | 26 | 112 | 109 | 45 | 22 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 288 | 1 | 11 | 18 | 75 | 92 | 64 | 19 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 470 | 0 | 24 | 24 | 129 | 146 | 97 | 41 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 27 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 196 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 56 | 44 | 52 | 27 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 72 | 0 | 6 | 3 | 26 | 18 | 9 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 4,910 | 7 | 170 | 332 | 1,359 | 1,380 | 1,052 | 497 | 109 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| MONTGOMERY | 2,713 | 1 | 82 | 151 | 686 | 743 | 657 | 319 | 70 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 2,197 | 6 | 88 | 181 | 673 | 637 | 395 | 178 | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 161 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 35 | 40 | 44 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| CALVERT | 35 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 81 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 15 | 22 | 24 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 45 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 15 | 8 | 12 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 268 | 1 | 12 | 26 | 88 | 68 | 50 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CECIL | 19 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 17 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 23 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 45 | 0 | 2 | 7 | 23 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 42 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 9 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| DORCHESTER | 23 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 58 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 17 | 14 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 15 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 26 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

¹ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

**TABLE 11G. GENERAL FERTILITY RATES * AND BIRTH RATES ** BY AGE OF MOTHER,
RACE OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | General fertility rate | AGE OF MOTHER - ALL RACES | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | Under 15 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 |
| MARYLAND..... | 62.3 | 0.6 | 33.3 | 86.0 | 110.0 | 104.0 | 50.3 | 10.2 | 0.5 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 61.1 | 0.3 | 33.0 | 88.2 | 119.0 | 102.5 | 40.0 | 9.0 | 0.5 |
| GARRETT..... | 57.0 | *** | 41.3 | 108.7 | 109.3 | 71.9 | 22.7 | 6.8 | *** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 46.9 | *** | 34.9 | 72.1 | 81.8 | 69.7 | 17.8 | 7.3 | *** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 62.9 | *** | 45.0 | 119.3 | 118.4 | 86.0 | 26.8 | 6.3 | *** |
| FREDERICK..... | 65.0 | *** | 24.8 | 73.6 | 132.4 | 124.8 | 54.0 | 11.1 | 0.7 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 60.0 | 0.9 | 35.9 | 83.4 | 103.5 | 99.5 | 47.5 | 8.9 | 0.4 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 63.0 | 2.9 | 71.1 | 108.3 | 88.1 | 67.3 | 36.2 | 7.1 | 0.4 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 55.8 | 0.3 | 27.0 | 71.6 | 98.7 | 96.3 | 45.6 | 8.8 | 0.3 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 64.2 | 0.3 | 27.5 | 85.1 | 121.2 | 114.8 | 52.3 | 10.8 | 0.5 |
| CARROLL..... | 55.8 | *** | 16.3 | 53.7 | 122.2 | 126.8 | 51.5 | 7.2 | *** |
| HOWARD..... | 61.3 | *** | 12.9 | 55.2 | 106.8 | 131.0 | 65.8 | 12.6 | 1.0 |
| HARFORD..... | 58.2 | *** | 22.6 | 80.8 | 123.7 | 110.3 | 44.3 | 6.3 | *** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 67.3 | 0.4 | 28.4 | 87.1 | 116.6 | 113.9 | 61.6 | 13.4 | 0.6 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 70.0 | 0.2 | 17.7 | 72.9 | 115.7 | 134.3 | 76.5 | 15.9 | 0.8 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 64.5 | 0.7 | 38.9 | 97.9 | 117.4 | 93.1 | 45.7 | 10.5 | 0.5 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 60.8 | *** | 31.9 | 91.1 | 121.0 | 102.8 | 42.4 | 7.9 | 0.6 |
| CALVERT..... | 55.7 | *** | 27.6 | 74.0 | 111.5 | 106.1 | 42.7 | 9.6 | *** |
| CHARLES..... | 61.0 | *** | 30.4 | 93.0 | 123.4 | 101.6 | 42.0 | 6.9 | 0.9 |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 65.1 | *** | 38.0 | 102.1 | 125.6 | 101.8 | 42.7 | 7.5 | *** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 57.3 | 0.3 | 38.5 | 91.1 | 106.1 | 87.2 | 33.4 | 6.9 | 0.7 |
| CECIL..... | 59.8 | *** | 38.3 | 107.7 | 111.8 | 86.1 | 31.7 | 6.6 | *** |
| KENT..... | 41.8 | *** | 20.1 | 53.2 | 91.1 | 79.0 | 25.4 | 7.3 | *** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 56.1 | *** | 29.0 | 76.5 | 117.9 | 100.9 | 41.9 | 8.1 | *** |
| CAROLINE..... | 65.4 | *** | 47.8 | 138.0 | 117.6 | 81.7 | 30.0 | 7.6 | *** |
| TALBOT..... | 56.4 | *** | 35.5 | 96.7 | 109.1 | 94.1 | 39.7 | *** | *** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 58.8 | *** | 54.9 | 119.6 | 93.2 | 73.8 | 31.1 | 7.6 | *** |
| WICOMICO..... | 60.4 | *** | 42.7 | 86.1 | 105.2 | 94.9 | 33.6 | 7.8 | *** |
| SOMERSET..... | 49.6 | *** | 33.1 | 64.9 | 95.7 | 77.7 | 22.6 | *** | *** |
| WORCESTER..... | 51.6 | *** | 36.9 | 77.2 | 95.7 | 77.1 | 34.2 | 8.4 | *** |

*Total births per 1,000 women ages 15-44.

**Live births per 1,000 women in specified age group.

***Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are subject to instability.

**TABLE 11H. GENERAL FERTILITY RATES * AND BIRTH RATES ** BY AGE OF MOTHER,
RACE OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | General fertility rate | AGE OF MOTHER - WHITE | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | Under 15 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 |
| MARYLAND..... | 59.0 | 0.2 | 22.7 | 73.7 | 106.6 | 110.8 | 52.1 | 10.3 | 0.5 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 59.9 | *** | 32.1 | 85.5 | 117.3 | 101.5 | 39.3 | 9.0 | 0.4 |
| GARRETT..... | 57.0 | *** | 41.8 | 109.7 | 108.8 | 72.2 | 21.9 | 6.8 | *** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 47.2 | *** | 35.2 | 74.0 | 84.0 | 68.6 | 17.3 | 7.1 | *** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 62.4 | *** | 44.1 | 116.6 | 120.2 | 86.4 | 26.7 | 6.6 | *** |
| FREDERICK..... | 62.9 | *** | 22.9 | 67.3 | 128.1 | 124.6 | 53.8 | 11.2 | 0.6 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 57.6 | 0.2 | 21.5 | 68.5 | 104.5 | 109.9 | 51.6 | 9.7 | 0.4 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 55.9 | *** | 40.6 | 84.0 | 72.2 | 72.9 | 47.0 | 11.4 | *** |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 53.7 | *** | 21.2 | 61.6 | 98.7 | 104.7 | 47.7 | 8.9 | 0.3 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 64.1 | *** | 23.4 | 79.3 | 120.5 | 119.7 | 54.7 | 11.6 | 0.6 |
| CARROLL..... | 55.5 | *** | 15.3 | 53.2 | 124.2 | 127.2 | 50.6 | 6.9 | *** |
| HOWARD..... | 59.7 | *** | 9.7 | 51.1 | 104.6 | 134.3 | 67.0 | 12.5 | 1.1 |
| HARFORD..... | 56.1 | *** | 19.5 | 74.9 | 122.3 | 109.0 | 43.9 | 6.2 | *** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 62.7 | *** | 16.5 | 67.6 | 102.6 | 125.9 | 69.3 | 14.2 | 0.6 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 65.7 | *** | 12.8 | 61.7 | 105.6 | 138.7 | 77.9 | 15.7 | 0.7 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 54.7 | *** | 26.1 | 77.7 | 95.9 | 87.8 | 42.0 | 9.5 | *** |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 59.7 | *** | 25.5 | 86.2 | 124.4 | 106.4 | 43.1 | 7.5 | *** |
| CALVERT..... | 56.0 | *** | 26.3 | 68.9 | 114.2 | 109.9 | 44.4 | 9.7 | *** |
| CHARLES..... | 58.8 | *** | 21.9 | 86.8 | 137.4 | 104.2 | 39.4 | 5.7 | *** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 64.1 | *** | 28.8 | 99.3 | 120.4 | 105.6 | 46.2 | 7.3 | *** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 55.2 | *** | 30.1 | 86.3 | 102.9 | 91.4 | 34.2 | 6.6 | 0.6 |
| CECIL..... | 57.8 | *** | 35.0 | 105.5 | 106.8 | 84.8 | 31.4 | 5.9 | *** |
| KENT..... | 42.7 | *** | 15.8 | 55.9 | 98.2 | 80.1 | 27.1 | *** | *** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 55.9 | *** | 26.0 | 77.1 | 113.1 | 103.6 | 41.6 | 8.8 | *** |
| CAROLINE..... | 60.2 | *** | 39.8 | 121.5 | 108.0 | 81.8 | 29.6 | 7.1 | *** |
| TALBOT..... | 54.3 | *** | 23.9 | 84.9 | 109.9 | 102.3 | 42.6 | *** | *** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 55.0 | *** | 34.9 | 116.6 | 76.1 | 85.4 | 37.8 | 5.9 | *** |
| WICOMICO..... | 56.1 | *** | 29.8 | 68.5 | 103.7 | 109.1 | 34.9 | 6.2 | *** |
| SOMERSET..... | 57.4 | *** | 40.1 | 96.6 | 108.7 | 81.9 | 17.6 | *** | *** |
| WORCESTER..... | 48.1 | *** | 20.5 | 66.1 | 88.5 | 78.6 | 35.0 | 9.6 | *** |

*Total births per 1,000 women ages 15-44.

** Live Births per 1,000 Women in specified age group.

***Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since rates are subject to instability.

**TABLE 11I. GENERAL FERTILITY RATES * AND BIRTH RATES ** BY AGE OF MOTHER,
RACE OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | General fertility rate | AGE OF MOTHER - BLACK | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | Under 15 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 |
| MARYLAND..... | 63.1 | 1.4 | 53.0 | 105.3 | 106.7 | 80.9 | 41.3 | 9.1 | 0.4 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 69.9 | *** | 51.2 | 126.3 | 117.6 | 84.7 | 35.9 | 10.6 | *** |
| GARRETT..... | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 37.3 | *** | 36.3 | 40.9 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 72.2 | *** | 65.5 | 174.5 | 97.0 | 55.3 | 27.4 | *** | *** |
| FREDERICK..... | 74.4 | *** | 51.2 | 133.6 | 139.9 | 96.5 | 39.5 | 13.6 | *** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 63.4 | 2.3 | 65.8 | 113.9 | 100.3 | 70.3 | 35.3 | 6.8 | 0.3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 66.0 | 3.6 | 82.4 | 120.6 | 99.1 | 62.1 | 29.3 | 5.2 | 0.3 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 57.1 | 0.8 | 42.7 | 97.1 | 93.6 | 69.7 | 37.4 | 8.8 | *** |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 63.1 | *** | 48.9 | 120.3 | 116.7 | 84.6 | 38.4 | 7.0 | *** |
| CARROLL..... | 61.2 | *** | 44.2 | 68.0 | 103.8 | 88.5 | 73.0 | *** | *** |
| HOWARD..... | 64.2 | *** | 33.0 | 95.0 | 114.1 | 102.1 | 62.5 | 12.2 | *** |
| HARFORD..... | 69.5 | *** | 48.3 | 128.3 | 120.7 | 99.4 | 40.8 | 7.8 | *** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 62.5 | 0.7 | 37.0 | 93.4 | 112.7 | 90.9 | 48.1 | 11.6 | 0.5 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 73.1 | *** | 32.4 | 96.0 | 125.9 | 110.7 | 69.6 | 16.1 | 1.0 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 59.7 | 0.7 | 38.1 | 92.8 | 109.1 | 85.4 | 42.3 | 10.3 | 0.4 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 62.3 | *** | 53.8 | 108.8 | 103.6 | 86.9 | 38.3 | 7.1 | *** |
| CALVERT..... | 49.0 | *** | 33.7 | 114.5 | 86.5 | 66.3 | 29.0 | *** | *** |
| CHARLES..... | 62.4 | *** | 47.2 | 101.4 | 97.1 | 92.9 | 43.1 | 8.3 | *** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 73.0 | *** | 89.8 | 130.1 | 143.3 | 76.2 | 25.9 | *** | *** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 64.5 | *** | 67.4 | 109.2 | 113.2 | 60.7 | 24.7 | 8.4 | *** |
| CECIL..... | 111.3 | *** | 107.9 | 163.8 | 227.3 | 130.8 | 44.6 | *** | *** |
| KENT..... | 39.4 | *** | 38.5 | 47.6 | 67.4 | 79.4 | *** | *** | *** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 51.8 | *** | 56.9 | 79.4 | 131.1 | 67.6 | *** | *** | *** |
| CAROLINE..... | 78.4 | *** | 57.8 | 192.6 | 150.0 | 79.6 | *** | *** | *** |
| TALBOT..... | 51.8 | *** | 67.4 | 135.5 | 66.7 | 38.2 | *** | *** | *** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 66.0 | *** | 88.6 | 125.5 | 133.6 | 42.9 | *** | *** | *** |
| WICOMICO..... | 73.7 | *** | 87.1 | 145.7 | 102.8 | 55.6 | 27.1 | 12.1 | *** |
| SOMERSET..... | 41.6 | *** | 29.8 | 51.4 | 77.8 | 66.7 | 25.3 | *** | *** |
| WORCESTER..... | 65.2 | *** | 81.1 | 126.5 | 127.8 | 58.8 | 32.3 | *** | *** |

*Total births per 1,000 women ages 15-44.

** Live Births per 1,000 Women in specified age group.

***Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since rates are subject to instability.

**TABLE 11J. GENERAL FERTILITY RATES * AND BIRTH RATES ** BY AGE OF MOTHER,
HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | General fertility rate | AGE OF MOTHER - HISPANIC**** | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | Under 15 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 |
| MARYLAND..... | 108.3 | 1.0 | 81.0 | 187.7 | 167.6 | 123.2 | 60.5 | 14.2 | 0.7 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 107.8 | *** | 57.9 | 211.7 | 174.2 | 146.0 | 44.5 | *** | *** |
| GARRETT..... | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| ALLEGANY..... | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 67.4 | *** | *** | 177.4 | 109.4 | 112.7 | *** | *** | *** |
| FREDERICK..... | 126.8 | *** | 81.6 | 253.0 | 195.6 | 159.6 | 55.9 | *** | *** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 101.9 | *** | 76.3 | 177.5 | 166.3 | 104.7 | 52.9 | 13.4 | *** |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 115.9 | *** | 125.3 | 183.9 | 177.8 | 84.0 | 46.7 | 17.2 | *** |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 73.8 | *** | 51.2 | 113.6 | 125.0 | 86.5 | 29.6 | 14.3 | *** |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 146.6 | *** | 104.1 | 257.0 | 264.0 | 152.8 | 75.5 | 17.6 | *** |
| CARROLL..... | 59.5 | *** | *** | 103.9 | 105.3 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| HOWARD..... | 90.2 | *** | 41.4 | 195.1 | 118.3 | 116.6 | 67.7 | *** | *** |
| HARFORD..... | 72.3 | *** | 53.6 | 171.1 | 113.9 | 56.3 | 52.9 | *** | *** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 108.5 | 1.0 | 82.4 | 188.8 | 165.2 | 123.8 | 62.4 | 15.2 | *** |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 97.2 | *** | 60.3 | 165.7 | 157.3 | 127.4 | 62.0 | 14.4 | *** |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 126.6 | 2.2 | 121.1 | 220.1 | 175.3 | 118.4 | 63.3 | 17.0 | *** |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 101.1 | *** | 62.3 | 140.6 | 186.0 | 186.4 | 70.3 | *** | *** |
| CALVERT..... | 83.1 | *** | *** | 74.6 | 140.8 | 156.9 | 97.8 | *** | *** |
| CHARLES..... | 106.7 | *** | 69.0 | 128.2 | 239.1 | 208.7 | 57.1 | *** | *** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 109.0 | *** | *** | 230.8 | 153.8 | 171.4 | 63.2 | *** | *** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 161.3 | *** | 129.3 | 235.9 | 224.4 | 204.1 | 83.7 | *** | *** |
| CECIL..... | 56.7 | *** | *** | 90.9 | 84.7 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| KENT..... | 239.4 | *** | *** | 230.8 | *** | 833.3 | *** | *** | *** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 277.1 | *** | *** | 428.6 | 470.6 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| CAROLINE..... | 266.3 | *** | 360.0 | 676.5 | 140.0 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| TALBOT..... | 222.2 | *** | 421.1 | 157.9 | 615.4 | 189.2 | *** | *** | *** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 211.0 | *** | *** | 500.0 | *** | 263.2 | *** | *** | *** |
| WICOMICO..... | 125.8 | *** | 63.8 | 146.6 | 194.4 | 301.9 | *** | *** | *** |
| SOMERSET..... | 159.6 | *** | *** | *** | *** | 416.7 | *** | *** | *** |
| WORCESTER..... | 173.3 | *** | *** | 363.6 | 266.7 | *** | *** | *** | *** |

*Total births per 1,000 women ages 15-44.

** Live Births per 1,000 Women in specified age group.

***Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since rates are subject to instability.

****Includes all birth rates to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 12. BIRTHS BY BIRTH ORDER, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, AND AGE OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, AND BIRTH ORDER ¹ | AGE OF MOTHER | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|----------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ALL RACES² | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 74,865 | 124 | 2,085 | 4,191 | 14,989 | 18,448 | 21,009 | 11,418 | 2,470 | 124 | 7 |
| FIRST CHILD | 31,177 | 121 | 1,863 | 3,275 | 7,616 | 7,799 | 7,030 | 2,845 | 584 | 41 | 3 |
| SECOND | 23,952 | 3 | 193 | 739 | 4,758 | 5,844 | 7,730 | 3,896 | 762 | 26 | 1 |
| THIRD | 11,751 | 0 | 22 | 144 | 1,859 | 2,896 | 3,755 | 2,564 | 492 | 19 | 0 |
| FOURTH | 4,663 | 0 | 2 | 23 | 538 | 1,185 | 1,427 | 1,199 | 276 | 13 | 0 |
| FIFTH | 1,667 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 125 | 435 | 537 | 414 | 148 | 6 | 0 |
| SIXTH | 742 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 136 | 255 | 229 | 77 | 8 | 1 |
| SEVENTH | 306 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 55 | 92 | 105 | 43 | 3 | 0 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 306 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 31 | 90 | 105 | 71 | 8 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 301 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 48 | 67 | 93 | 61 | 17 | 0 | 2 |
| WHITE³ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 43,941 | 20 | 801 | 1,865 | 7,790 | 10,766 | 13,619 | 7,386 | 1,610 | 81 | 3 |
| FIRST CHILD | 18,448 | 20 | 729 | 1,520 | 4,211 | 4,922 | 4,743 | 1,887 | 385 | 30 | 1 |
| SECOND | 14,608 | 0 | 65 | 299 | 2,444 | 3,482 | 5,191 | 2,609 | 500 | 18 | 0 |
| THIRD | 6,819 | 0 | 3 | 37 | 859 | 1,552 | 2,366 | 1,675 | 318 | 9 | 0 |
| FOURTH | 2,472 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 200 | 553 | 802 | 722 | 184 | 6 | 0 |
| FIFTH | 749 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 34 | 150 | 251 | 218 | 90 | 6 | 0 |
| SIXTH | 336 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 45 | 121 | 116 | 43 | 4 | 0 |
| SEVENTH | 138 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 37 | 59 | 28 | 3 | 0 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 133 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 27 | 51 | 47 | 5 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 238 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 35 | 48 | 81 | 49 | 15 | 0 | 2 |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 39,170 | 16 | 635 | 1,570 | 6,446 | 9,419 | 12,583 | 6,913 | 1,509 | 76 | 3 |
| FIRST CHILD | 16,453 | 16 | 579 | 1,293 | 3,507 | 4,431 | 4,439 | 1,788 | 369 | 30 | 1 |
| SECOND | 13,167 | 0 | 49 | 238 | 2,015 | 3,036 | 4,863 | 2,475 | 474 | 17 | 0 |
| THIRD | 6,004 | 0 | 3 | 31 | 693 | 1,295 | 2,135 | 1,544 | 295 | 8 | 0 |
| FOURTH | 2,155 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 165 | 442 | 706 | 662 | 170 | 6 | 0 |
| FIFTH | 638 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 29 | 120 | 210 | 196 | 79 | 4 | 0 |
| SIXTH | 277 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 39 | 93 | 97 | 39 | 3 | 0 |
| SEVENTH | 124 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 32 | 54 | 26 | 3 | 0 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 124 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 26 | 49 | 42 | 5 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 228 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 31 | 45 | 79 | 48 | 15 | 0 | 2 |
| BLACK³ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 24,244 | 98 | 1,184 | 2,090 | 6,144 | 5,806 | 5,261 | 2,958 | 668 | 31 | 4 |
| FIRST CHILD | 9,779 | 95 | 1,048 | 1,566 | 2,844 | 1,939 | 1,455 | 673 | 151 | 6 | 2 |
| SECOND | 7,056 | 3 | 117 | 396 | 1,962 | 1,788 | 1,727 | 863 | 193 | 6 | 1 |
| THIRD | 4,031 | 0 | 16 | 105 | 901 | 1,094 | 1,080 | 693 | 135 | 7 | 0 |
| FOURTH | 1,850 | 0 | 2 | 18 | 309 | 555 | 513 | 370 | 77 | 6 | 0 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 12. BIRTHS BY BIRTH ORDER, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, AND AGE OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, AND BIRTH ORDER ¹ | AGE OF MOTHER | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15-17 | 18-19 | 20-24 | 25-29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| BLACK³ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FIFTH | 793 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 81 | 260 | 240 | 166 | 45 | 0 | 0 |
| SIXTH | 366 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 27 | 86 | 125 | 94 | 30 | 3 | 1 |
| SEVENTH | 154 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 42 | 53 | 38 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 165 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 27 | 61 | 51 | 22 | 3 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 50 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER³ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 4,343 | 0 | 12 | 44 | 396 | 1,220 | 1,676 | 835 | 149 | 11 | 0 |
| FIRST CHILD | 2,098 | 0 | 8 | 40 | 266 | 743 | 739 | 253 | 45 | 4 | 0 |
| SECOND | 1,562 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 103 | 360 | 663 | 368 | 60 | 2 | 0 |
| THIRD | 445 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 18 | 84 | 189 | 123 | 26 | 3 | 0 |
| FOURTH | 156 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 22 | 58 | 60 | 9 | 1 | 0 |
| FIFTH | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 16 | 14 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| SIXTH | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| SEVENTH | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HISPANIC⁴ | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 6,966 | 10 | 254 | 475 | 1,964 | 1,967 | 1,469 | 680 | 142 | 5 | 0 |
| FIRST CHILD | 2,772 | 10 | 225 | 369 | 981 | 670 | 379 | 120 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| SECOND | 2,129 | 0 | 27 | 96 | 663 | 659 | 468 | 178 | 37 | 1 | 0 |
| THIRD | 1,254 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 244 | 411 | 355 | 199 | 34 | 1 | 0 |
| FOURTH | 498 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 57 | 160 | 154 | 106 | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| FIFTH | 189 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 46 | 71 | 37 | 19 | 2 | 0 |
| SIXTH | 84 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 33 | 32 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| SEVENTH | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

¹ Based on current live birth plus all previous live births.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 13. NUMBER AND PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF BIRTHS BY LIVE BIRTH ORDER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | LIVE BIRTH ORDER ¹ | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-----------|------------|-------------------|------|------|-----|-----------|
| | NUMBER OF BIRTHS | | | | | | | PERCENT OF BIRTHS | | | | |
| | ALL BIRTHS | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5 or more | Not stated | 1st | 2nd | 3rd | 4th | 5 or more |
| MARYLAND | 74,865 | 31,177 | 23,952 | 11,751 | 4,663 | 3,021 | 301 | 41.6 | 32.0 | 15.7 | 6.2 | 4.0 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,799 | 2,359 | 2,004 | 910 | 329 | 194 | 3 | 40.7 | 34.6 | 15.7 | 5.7 | 3.3 |
| GARRETT | 342 | 132 | 122 | 53 | 21 | 14 | 0 | 38.6 | 35.7 | 15.5 | 6.1 | 4.1 |
| ALLEGANY | 675 | 305 | 230 | 97 | 26 | 17 | 0 | 45.2 | 34.1 | 14.4 | 3.9 | 2.5 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,689 | 685 | 565 | 254 | 106 | 78 | 1 | 40.6 | 33.5 | 15.0 | 6.3 | 4.6 |
| FREDERICK | 3,093 | 1,237 | 1,087 | 506 | 176 | 85 | 2 | 40.0 | 35.1 | 16.4 | 5.7 | 2.7 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 33,743 | 14,054 | 10,567 | 5,240 | 2,100 | 1,530 | 252 | 41.7 | 31.3 | 15.5 | 6.2 | 4.5 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 9,057 | 3,668 | 2,424 | 1,398 | 721 | 796 | 50 | 40.5 | 26.8 | 15.4 | 8.0 | 8.8 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 9,344 | 4,016 | 3,037 | 1,392 | 517 | 249 | 133 | 43.0 | 32.5 | 14.9 | 5.5 | 2.7 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 6,913 | 2,959 | 2,265 | 1,068 | 373 | 238 | 10 | 42.8 | 32.8 | 15.4 | 5.4 | 3.4 |
| CARROLL | 1,955 | 736 | 672 | 345 | 120 | 64 | 18 | 37.6 | 34.4 | 17.6 | 6.1 | 3.3 |
| HOWARD | 3,569 | 1,530 | 1,203 | 547 | 185 | 92 | 12 | 42.9 | 33.7 | 15.3 | 5.2 | 2.6 |
| HARFORD | 2,905 | 1,145 | 966 | 490 | 184 | 91 | 29 | 39.4 | 33.3 | 16.9 | 6.3 | 3.1 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 26,120 | 11,112 | 8,455 | 4,047 | 1,572 | 903 | 31 | 42.5 | 32.4 | 15.5 | 6.0 | 3.5 |
| MONTGOMERY | 13,529 | 5,809 | 4,605 | 2,003 | 709 | 388 | 15 | 42.9 | 34.0 | 14.8 | 5.2 | 2.9 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 12,591 | 5,303 | 3,850 | 2,044 | 863 | 515 | 16 | 42.1 | 30.6 | 16.2 | 6.9 | 4.1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 4,298 | 1,643 | 1,299 | 805 | 339 | 201 | 11 | 38.2 | 30.2 | 18.7 | 7.9 | 4.7 |
| CALVERT | 1,057 | 343 | 279 | 254 | 103 | 69 | 9 | 32.5 | 26.4 | 24.0 | 9.7 | 6.5 |
| CHARLES | 1,889 | 790 | 601 | 306 | 131 | 60 | 1 | 41.8 | 31.8 | 16.2 | 6.9 | 3.2 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 1,352 | 510 | 419 | 245 | 105 | 72 | 1 | 37.7 | 31.0 | 18.1 | 7.8 | 5.3 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,905 | 2,009 | 1,627 | 749 | 323 | 193 | 4 | 41.0 | 33.2 | 15.3 | 6.6 | 3.9 |
| CECIL | 1,219 | 490 | 396 | 186 | 83 | 63 | 1 | 40.2 | 32.5 | 15.3 | 6.8 | 5.2 |
| KENT | 167 | 59 | 67 | 25 | 11 | 5 | 0 | 35.3 | 40.1 | 15.0 | 6.6 | 3.0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 501 | 207 | 182 | 69 | 25 | 17 | 1 | 41.3 | 36.3 | 13.8 | 5.0 | 3.4 |
| CAROLINE | 419 | 155 | 138 | 84 | 31 | 10 | 1 | 37.0 | 32.9 | 20.0 | 7.4 | 2.4 |
| TALBOT | 341 | 157 | 112 | 43 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 46.0 | 32.8 | 12.6 | 6.7 | 1.5 |
| DORCHESTER | 348 | 142 | 114 | 53 | 22 | 17 | 0 | 40.8 | 32.8 | 15.2 | 6.3 | 4.9 |
| WICOMICO | 1,182 | 501 | 384 | 178 | 76 | 43 | 0 | 42.4 | 32.5 | 15.1 | 6.4 | 3.6 |
| SOMERSET | 259 | 103 | 79 | 33 | 23 | 21 | 0 | 39.8 | 30.5 | 12.7 | 8.9 | 8.1 |
| WORCESTER | 469 | 195 | 155 | 78 | 29 | 12 | 0 | 41.6 | 33.0 | 16.6 | 6.2 | 2.6 |

¹ Based on current live birth plus all previous live births to the mother.

TABLE 14. BIRTHS BY PLURALITY, AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER | TOTAL BIRTHS | SINGLE BIRTHS | PLURAL BIRTHS | RATIO OF PLURAL BIRTHS PER 1,000 TOTAL BIRTHS |
|------------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---|
| ALL RACES¹ | | | | |
| | 74,865 | 71,990 | 2,875 | 38.4 |
| UNDER 15 | 124 | 124 | 0 | * |
| 15-17 | 2,085 | 2,058 | 27 | 12.9 |
| 18-19 | 4,191 | 4,112 | 79 | 18.8 |
| 20-24 | 14,989 | 14,616 | 373 | 24.9 |
| 25-29 | 18,448 | 17,807 | 641 | 34.7 |
| 30-34 | 21,009 | 20,054 | 955 | 45.5 |
| 35-39 | 11,418 | 10,798 | 620 | 54.3 |
| 40-44 | 2,470 | 2,308 | 162 | 65.6 |
| 45 & OVER | 124 | 106 | 18 | 145.2 |
| NOT STATED | 7 | 7 | 0 | * |
| WHITE² | | | | |
| | 43,941 | 42,127 | 1,814 | 41.3 |
| UNDER 15 | 20 | 20 | 0 | * |
| 15-17 | 801 | 790 | 11 | 13.7 |
| 18-19 | 1,865 | 1,837 | 28 | 15.0 |
| 20-24 | 7,790 | 7,616 | 174 | 22.3 |
| 25-29 | 10,766 | 10,394 | 372 | 34.6 |
| 30-34 | 13,619 | 12,980 | 639 | 46.9 |
| 35-39 | 7,386 | 6,940 | 446 | 60.4 |
| 40-44 | 1,610 | 1,482 | 128 | 79.5 |
| 45 & OVER | 81 | 65 | 16 | 197.5 |
| NOT STATED | 3 | 3 | 0 | * |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | |
| | 39,170 | 37,479 | 1,691 | 43.2 |
| UNDER 15 | 16 | 16 | 0 | * |
| 15-17 | 635 | 626 | 9 | 14.2 |
| 18-19 | 1,570 | 1,544 | 26 | 16.6 |
| 20-24 | 6,446 | 6,294 | 152 | 23.6 |
| 25-29 | 9,419 | 9,090 | 329 | 34.9 |
| 30-34 | 12,583 | 11,978 | 605 | 48.1 |
| 35-39 | 6,913 | 6,479 | 434 | 62.8 |
| 40-44 | 1,509 | 1,389 | 120 | 79.5 |
| 45 & OVER | 76 | 60 | 16 | 210.5 |
| NOT STATED | 3 | 3 | 0 | * |
| BLACK² | | | | |
| | 24,244 | 23,344 | 900 | 37.1 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 14. BIRTHS BY PLURALITY, AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER | TOTAL BIRTHS | SINGLE BIRTHS | PLURAL BIRTHS | RATIO OF PLURAL BIRTHS PER 1,000 TOTAL BIRTHS |
|--|--------------|---------------|---------------|---|
| BLACK² | | | | |
| UNDER 15 | 98 | 98 | 0 | * |
| 15-17 | 1,184 | 1,168 | 16 | 13.5 |
| 18-19 | 2,090 | 2,045 | 45 | 21.5 |
| 20-24 | 6,144 | 5,951 | 193 | 31.4 |
| 25-29 | 5,806 | 5,578 | 228 | 39.3 |
| 30-34 | 5,261 | 5,010 | 251 | 47.7 |
| 35-39 | 2,958 | 2,810 | 148 | 50.0 |
| 40-44 | 668 | 651 | 17 | 25.4 |
| 45 & OVER | 31 | 29 | 2 | * |
| NOT STATED | 4 | 4 | 0 | * |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER² | | | | |
| | 4,343 | 4,231 | 112 | 25.8 |
| UNDER 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 15-17 | 12 | 12 | 0 | * |
| 18-19 | 44 | 44 | 0 | * |
| 20-24 | 396 | 396 | 0 | * |
| 25-29 | 1,220 | 1,196 | 24 | 19.7 |
| 30-34 | 1,676 | 1,624 | 52 | 31.0 |
| 35-39 | 835 | 811 | 24 | 28.7 |
| 40-44 | 149 | 137 | 12 | 80.5 |
| 45 & OVER | 11 | 11 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| HISPANIC³ | | | | |
| | 6,966 | 6,796 | 170 | 24.4 |
| UNDER 15 | 10 | 10 | 0 | * |
| 15-17 | 254 | 250 | 4 | * |
| 18-19 | 475 | 471 | 4 | * |
| 20-24 | 1,964 | 1,938 | 26 | 13.2 |
| 25-29 | 1,967 | 1,907 | 60 | 30.5 |
| 30-34 | 1,469 | 1,420 | 49 | 33.4 |
| 35-39 | 680 | 664 | 16 | 23.5 |
| 40-44 | 142 | 131 | 11 | 77.5 |
| 45 & OVER | 5 | 5 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

* Ratios based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such ratios based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 15. BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁴ | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ | TOTAL ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ |
| | | TOTAL ² | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ² | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| MARYLAND | 26,062 | 10,283 | 8,216 | 14,251 | 333 | 3,215 | 34.8 | 23.4 | 21.0 | 58.8 | 7.7 | 46.2 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 1,749 | 1,505 | 1,415 | 221 | 14 | 95 | 30.2 | 28.7 | 28.1 | 60.9 | 8.8 | 40.9 |
| GARRETT | 91 | 91 | 91 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26.6 | 26.8 | 26.8 | * | * | * |
| ALLEGANY | 305 | 288 | 286 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 45.2 | 44.3 | 44.2 | 78.9 | * | * |
| WASHINGTON | 666 | 588 | 576 | 74 | 3 | 12 | 39.4 | 37.5 | 37.4 | 76.3 | * | 41.4 |
| FREDERICK | 687 | 538 | 462 | 132 | 9 | 81 | 22.2 | 20.0 | 18.5 | 53.4 | 6.8 | 40.7 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 12,610 | 4,662 | 4,114 | 7,680 | 128 | 632 | 37.4 | 22.4 | 21.0 | 69.4 | 8.1 | 45.3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 6,182 | 885 | 724 | 5,206 | 31 | 206 | 68.3 | 36.7 | 33.8 | 81.9 | 15.5 | 60.2 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 3,004 | 1,461 | 1,351 | 1,451 | 44 | 127 | 32.1 | 24.1 | 23.2 | 54.9 | 8.1 | 44.1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 1,748 | 1,154 | 980 | 554 | 27 | 181 | 25.3 | 20.6 | 19.0 | 54.3 | 10.8 | 38.5 |
| CARROLL | 364 | 335 | 327 | 23 | 5 | 9 | 18.6 | 18.0 | 17.8 | 45.1 | 13.9 | 33.3 |
| HOWARD | 574 | 313 | 249 | 234 | 18 | 70 | 16.1 | 12.7 | 10.9 | 38.2 | 3.9 | 35.7 |
| HARFORD | 738 | 514 | 483 | 212 | 3 | 39 | 25.4 | 21.2 | 20.4 | 55.5 | * | 54.2 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 8,418 | 2,134 | 872 | 5,118 | 176 | 2,280 | 32.2 | 19.7 | 11.0 | 47.0 | 7.3 | 46.4 |
| MONTGOMERY | 2,842 | 1,321 | 520 | 1,070 | 106 | 1,153 | 21.0 | 16.0 | 8.3 | 40.5 | 5.7 | 42.5 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 5,576 | 813 | 352 | 4,048 | 70 | 1,127 | 44.3 | 31.4 | 21.8 | 49.1 | 12.8 | 51.3 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 1,330 | 784 | 748 | 521 | 10 | 44 | 30.9 | 25.0 | 24.9 | 52.3 | 8.4 | 27.3 |
| CALVERT | 293 | 222 | 212 | 66 | 4 | 11 | 27.7 | 24.3 | 24.0 | 56.9 | * | 31.4 |
| CHARLES | 625 | 298 | 280 | 312 | 2 | 25 | 33.1 | 26.6 | 26.4 | 46.3 | * | 30.9 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 412 | 264 | 256 | 143 | 4 | 8 | 30.5 | 23.8 | 24.0 | 69.1 | * | 17.8 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,955 | 1,198 | 1,067 | 711 | 5 | 164 | 39.9 | 31.0 | 29.3 | 77.3 | 6.9 | 61.2 |
| CECIL | 396 | 340 | 335 | 51 | 0 | 9 | 32.5 | 30.4 | 30.3 | 63.0 | * | 47.4 |
| KENT | 66 | 50 | 38 | 16 | 0 | 12 | 39.5 | 35.2 | 30.2 | 66.7 | * | 70.6 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 127 | 99 | 90 | 25 | 0 | 11 | 25.3 | 21.8 | 20.6 | 75.8 | * | 47.8 |
| CAROLINE | 195 | 126 | 102 | 50 | 2 | 36 | 46.5 | 38.3 | 34.3 | 73.5 | * | 80.0 |
| TALBOT | 128 | 76 | 56 | 42 | 1 | 29 | 37.5 | 28.0 | 23.4 | 84.0 | * | 69.0 |
| DORCHESTER | 193 | 84 | 73 | 107 | 1 | 12 | 55.5 | 37.8 | 36.5 | 89.9 | * | 52.2 |
| WICOMICO | 511 | 250 | 225 | 256 | 1 | 29 | 43.2 | 30.8 | 29.6 | 74.9 | * | 50.0 |
| SOMERSET | 140 | 57 | 47 | 83 | 0 | 10 | 54.1 | 37.5 | 34.3 | 79.8 | * | 66.7 |
| WORCESTER | 199 | 116 | 101 | 81 | 0 | 16 | 42.4 | 32.3 | 30.1 | 81.8 | * | 61.5 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁴ Percent of total births in the specified racial or Hispanic group.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 16. BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN BY AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003.

| AGE OF MOTHER | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁴ | | | | | |
|------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ | TOTAL ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ |
| | | TOTAL ² | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ² | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| ALL AGES | 26,062 | 10,283 | 8,216 | 14,251 | 333 | 3,215 | 34.8 | 23.4 | 21.0 | 58.8 | 7.7 | 46.2 |
| UNDER 15 | 124 | 20 | 16 | 98 | 0 | 10 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | * | 100.0 |
| 15 - 17 | 1,992 | 735 | 584 | 1,165 | 9 | 234 | 95.5 | 91.8 | 92.0 | 98.4 | 75.0 | 92.1 |
| 18 - 19 | 3,660 | 1,487 | 1,276 | 1,984 | 24 | 362 | 87.3 | 79.7 | 81.3 | 94.9 | 54.5 | 76.2 |
| 20 - 24 | 9,471 | 4,014 | 3,227 | 4,961 | 95 | 1,172 | 63.2 | 51.5 | 50.1 | 80.7 | 24.0 | 59.7 |
| 25 - 29 | 5,402 | 1,981 | 1,478 | 3,030 | 84 | 791 | 29.3 | 18.4 | 15.7 | 52.2 | 6.9 | 40.2 |
| 30 - 34 | 3,314 | 1,233 | 953 | 1,854 | 71 | 442 | 15.8 | 9.1 | 7.6 | 35.2 | 4.2 | 30.1 |
| 35 - 39 | 1,648 | 609 | 508 | 941 | 35 | 160 | 14.4 | 8.2 | 7.3 | 31.8 | 4.2 | 23.5 |
| 40 - 44 | 424 | 192 | 163 | 206 | 12 | 43 | 17.2 | 11.9 | 10.8 | 30.8 | 8.1 | 30.3 |
| 45 & OVER | 21 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 16.9 | 11.1 | 10.5 | 29.0 | * | * |
| NOT STATED | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 85.7 | * | * | * | * | * |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁴ Percent of total births in the specified racial or Hispanic group.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 17. BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN BY BIRTH ORDER, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003.

| BIRTH ORDER ¹ | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁵ | | | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ | TOTAL ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ |
| | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| TOTAL | 26,062 | 10,283 | 8,216 | 14,251 | 333 | 3,215 | 34.8 | 23.4 | 21.0 | 58.8 | 7.7 | 46.2 |
| FIRST CHILD | 12,810 | 5,508 | 4,493 | 6,578 | 194 | 1,517 | 41.1 | 29.9 | 27.3 | 67.3 | 9.2 | 54.7 |
| SECOND | 6,734 | 2,590 | 2,035 | 3,718 | 86 | 885 | 28.1 | 17.7 | 15.5 | 52.7 | 5.5 | 41.6 |
| THIRD | 3,523 | 1,276 | 990 | 2,028 | 31 | 468 | 30.0 | 18.7 | 16.5 | 50.3 | 7.0 | 37.3 |
| FOURTH | 1,618 | 550 | 428 | 979 | 13 | 196 | 34.7 | 22.2 | 19.9 | 52.9 | 8.3 | 39.4 |
| FIFTH | 706 | 168 | 127 | 490 | 5 | 83 | 42.4 | 22.4 | 19.9 | 61.8 | 11.6 | 43.9 |
| SIXTH | 312 | 87 | 56 | 212 | 1 | 44 | 42.0 | 25.9 | 20.2 | 57.9 | * | 52.4 |
| SEVENTH | 136 | 29 | 22 | 104 | 1 | 9 | 44.4 | 21.0 | 17.7 | 67.5 | * | 52.9 |
| EIGHT OR MORE | 136 | 21 | 18 | 112 | 0 | 5 | 44.4 | 15.8 | 14.5 | 67.9 | * | 41.7 |
| NOT STATED | 87 | 54 | 47 | 30 | 2 | 8 | 28.9 | 22.7 | 20.6 | 60.0 | * | 72.7 |

¹ Based on current live birth plus all previous live births.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁵ Percent of total births in the specified racial or Hispanic group.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 18. NUMBER OF BIRTHS BY AGE, EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER | YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY MOTHER | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------|----------|-------------|------------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | 0-8 YEARS | 9-11 YEARS | 12 YEARS | 13-15 YEARS | 16 YEARS OR MORE | NOT STATED |
| ALL RACES¹ | | | | | | | |
| ALL AGES | 74,865 | 2,796 | 7,034 | 21,124 | 14,571 | 28,375 | 965 |
| UNDER 15 | 124 | 95 | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 19 | 6,276 | 412 | 2,587 | 2,688 | 467 | 0 | 122 |
| 15 - 17 | 2,085 | 210 | 1,423 | 392 | 7 | 0 | 53 |
| 18 - 19 | 4,191 | 202 | 1,164 | 2,296 | 460 | 0 | 69 |
| 20 - 24 | 14,989 | 730 | 2,240 | 6,842 | 3,505 | 1,465 | 207 |
| 25 - 29 | 18,448 | 676 | 1,112 | 5,078 | 4,281 | 7,073 | 228 |
| 30 - 34 | 21,009 | 550 | 680 | 3,958 | 3,783 | 11,800 | 238 |
| 35 - 39 | 11,418 | 270 | 314 | 2,065 | 2,070 | 6,564 | 135 |
| 40 & OVER | 2,594 | 63 | 71 | 492 | 463 | 1,473 | 32 |
| NOT STATED | 7 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| WHITE² | | | | | | | |
| ALL AGES | 43,941 | 1,514 | 3,239 | 10,973 | 8,314 | 19,561 | 340 |
| UNDER 15 | 20 | 12 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 19 | 2,666 | 196 | 1,078 | 1,155 | 203 | 0 | 34 |
| 15 - 17 | 801 | 82 | 537 | 164 | 4 | 0 | 14 |
| 18 - 19 | 1,865 | 114 | 541 | 991 | 199 | 0 | 20 |
| 20 - 24 | 7,790 | 439 | 1,150 | 3,553 | 1,783 | 793 | 72 |
| 25 - 29 | 10,766 | 378 | 515 | 2,658 | 2,490 | 4,636 | 89 |
| 30 - 34 | 13,619 | 313 | 327 | 2,193 | 2,285 | 8,412 | 89 |
| 35 - 39 | 7,386 | 143 | 123 | 1,143 | 1,258 | 4,676 | 43 |
| 40 & OVER | 1,691 | 33 | 38 | 271 | 295 | 1,044 | 10 |
| NOT STATED | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | | | | |
| ALL AGES | 39,170 | 539 | 2,532 | 9,478 | 7,594 | 18,819 | 208 |
| UNDER 15 | 16 | 10 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 19 | 2,205 | 87 | 898 | 1,018 | 183 | 0 | 19 |
| 15 - 17 | 635 | 42 | 450 | 131 | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| 18 - 19 | 1,570 | 45 | 448 | 887 | 179 | 0 | 11 |
| 20 - 24 | 6,446 | 137 | 907 | 3,037 | 1,588 | 738 | 39 |
| 25 - 29 | 9,419 | 111 | 370 | 2,226 | 2,252 | 4,413 | 47 |
| 30 - 34 | 12,583 | 113 | 235 | 1,916 | 2,119 | 8,136 | 64 |
| 35 - 39 | 6,913 | 67 | 84 | 1,036 | 1,175 | 4,524 | 27 |
| 40 & OVER | 1,585 | 14 | 32 | 245 | 277 | 1,008 | 9 |
| NOT STATED | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| BLACK² | | | | | | | |
| ALL AGES | 24,244 | 481 | 3,208 | 8,784 | 5,333 | 5,978 | 460 |
| UNDER 15 | 98 | 79 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 18. NUMBER OF BIRTHS BY AGE, EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| RACE AND AGE OF MOTHER | YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED BY MOTHER | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------|------------|----------|-------------|------------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | 0-8 YEARS | 9-11 YEARS | 12 YEARS | 13-15 YEARS | 16 YEARS OR MORE | NOT STATED |
| BLACK² | | | | | | | |
| 15 - 19 | 3,274 | 139 | 1,379 | 1,439 | 240 | 0 | 77 |
| 15 - 17 | 1,184 | 107 | 823 | 215 | 3 | 0 | 36 |
| 18 - 19 | 2,090 | 32 | 556 | 1,224 | 237 | 0 | 41 |
| 20 - 24 | 6,144 | 82 | 930 | 2,951 | 1,519 | 564 | 98 |
| 25 - 29 | 5,806 | 75 | 441 | 2,030 | 1,491 | 1,677 | 92 |
| 30 - 34 | 5,261 | 54 | 275 | 1,412 | 1,247 | 2,162 | 111 |
| 35 - 39 | 2,958 | 38 | 138 | 764 | 689 | 1,262 | 67 |
| 40 & OVER | 699 | 14 | 25 | 187 | 145 | 313 | 15 |
| NOT STATED | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER² | | | | | | | |
| ALL AGES | 4,343 | 77 | 147 | 728 | 667 | 2,639 | 85 |
| UNDER 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 19 | 56 | 0 | 15 | 28 | 10 | 0 | 3 |
| 15 - 17 | 12 | 0 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 18 - 19 | 44 | 0 | 8 | 24 | 10 | 0 | 2 |
| 20 - 24 | 396 | 11 | 27 | 139 | 123 | 88 | 8 |
| 25 - 29 | 1,220 | 21 | 38 | 206 | 221 | 705 | 29 |
| 30 - 34 | 1,676 | 29 | 40 | 225 | 195 | 1,163 | 24 |
| 35 - 39 | 835 | 13 | 26 | 103 | 98 | 580 | 15 |
| 40 & OVER | 160 | 3 | 1 | 27 | 20 | 103 | 6 |
| NOT STATED | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| HISPANIC³ | | | | | | | |
| ALL AGES | 6,966 | 1,709 | 1,125 | 2,115 | 930 | 876 | 211 |
| UNDER 15 | 10 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 19 | 729 | 190 | 288 | 198 | 30 | 0 | 23 |
| 15 - 17 | 254 | 65 | 139 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 18 - 19 | 475 | 125 | 149 | 157 | 30 | 0 | 14 |
| 20 - 24 | 1,964 | 501 | 368 | 702 | 266 | 65 | 62 |
| 25 - 29 | 1,967 | 471 | 260 | 612 | 301 | 263 | 60 |
| 30 - 34 | 1,469 | 356 | 129 | 412 | 212 | 321 | 39 |
| 35 - 39 | 680 | 153 | 63 | 159 | 100 | 180 | 25 |
| 40 & OVER | 147 | 32 | 13 | 32 | 21 | 47 | 2 |
| NOT STATED | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 19A. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO WOMEN RECEIVING FIRST TRIMESTER PRENATAL CARE BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁴ | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ | TOTAL ¹ | WHITE | | BLACK ² | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | HISPANIC ³ |
| | | TOTAL ² | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ² | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| MARYLAND | 61,834 | 38,780 | 35,357 | 17,806 | 3,710 | 4,818 | 83.7 | 89.0 | 90.9 | 75.2 | 86.5 | 70.1 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 4,866 | 4,468 | 4,356 | 249 | 126 | 122 | 84.4 | 85.6 | 87.1 | 69.9 | 79.7 | 52.8 |
| GARRETT | 287 | 286 | 285 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 84.7 | 84.9 | 84.8 | * | * | * |
| ALLEGANY | 548 | 531 | 529 | 11 | 5 | 2 | 81.3 | 81.8 | 81.9 | 57.9 | 100.0 | * |
| WASHINGTON | 1,440 | 1,354 | 1,340 | 69 | 15 | 14 | 86.0 | 87.0 | 87.6 | 72.6 | 75.0 | 48.3 |
| FREDERICK | 2,591 | 2,297 | 2,202 | 169 | 105 | 105 | 84.3 | 85.8 | 88.4 | 69.8 | 80.2 | 53.0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 28,859 | 19,019 | 18,060 | 8,265 | 1,378 | 1,071 | 86.3 | 91.8 | 92.6 | 75.9 | 88.3 | 77.6 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 6,566 | 1,972 | 1,820 | 4,367 | 170 | 191 | 73.8 | 82.7 | 85.9 | 70.1 | 85.0 | 57.5 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 8,214 | 5,547 | 5,355 | 2,144 | 457 | 216 | 88.5 | 92.0 | 92.6 | 81.9 | 84.9 | 76.1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 6,246 | 5,146 | 4,760 | 852 | 215 | 409 | 90.9 | 92.3 | 92.8 | 84.4 | 87.0 | 87.0 |
| CARROLL | 1,864 | 1,782 | 1,765 | 44 | 33 | 20 | 95.9 | 96.2 | 96.5 | 88.0 | 91.7 | 74.1 |
| HOWARD | 3,370 | 2,354 | 2,191 | 562 | 429 | 179 | 94.8 | 95.7 | 96.1 | 91.8 | 94.1 | 91.3 |
| HARFORD | 2,599 | 2,218 | 2,169 | 296 | 74 | 56 | 90.0 | 92.0 | 92.3 | 78.1 | 88.1 | 77.8 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 20,429 | 9,274 | 7,187 | 7,846 | 2,053 | 3,319 | 79.9 | 86.4 | 92.0 | 74.5 | 86.0 | 68.6 |
| MONTGOMERY | 11,371 | 7,237 | 5,789 | 1,969 | 1,610 | 1,978 | 85.1 | 88.5 | 93.1 | 76.0 | 87.1 | 73.7 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 9,058 | 2,037 | 1,398 | 5,877 | 443 | 1,341 | 74.2 | 79.6 | 87.5 | 74.0 | 82.3 | 62.3 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 3,453 | 2,588 | 2,486 | 744 | 88 | 124 | 82.0 | 83.9 | 84.0 | 76.6 | 76.5 | 81.6 |
| CALVERT | 875 | 769 | 750 | 84 | 19 | 23 | 86.6 | 87.9 | 88.1 | 78.5 | 82.6 | 79.3 |
| CHARLES | 1,506 | 931 | 878 | 503 | 45 | 68 | 80.7 | 83.6 | 83.3 | 76.0 | 76.3 | 86.1 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 1,072 | 888 | 858 | 157 | 24 | 33 | 80.2 | 80.9 | 81.2 | 77.7 | 72.7 | 75.0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,227 | 3,431 | 3,268 | 702 | 65 | 182 | 86.7 | 89.4 | 90.5 | 76.5 | 91.5 | 67.9 |
| CECIL | 1,082 | 992 | 979 | 72 | 12 | 16 | 89.9 | 89.9 | 89.8 | 90.0 | 100.0 | 84.2 |
| KENT | 146 | 126 | 116 | 19 | 1 | 11 | 88.0 | 89.4 | 92.8 | 79.2 | * | 64.7 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 454 | 417 | 403 | 27 | 7 | 16 | 90.6 | 91.6 | 92.4 | 81.8 | 87.5 | 69.6 |
| CAROLINE | 363 | 296 | 272 | 56 | 3 | 28 | 87.1 | 90.2 | 91.9 | 83.6 | * | 62.2 |
| TALBOT | 299 | 242 | 224 | 43 | 9 | 23 | 88.5 | 90.0 | 94.5 | 86.0 | 100.0 | 54.8 |
| DORCHESTER | 294 | 199 | 180 | 88 | 6 | 20 | 85.0 | 90.5 | 90.9 | 73.9 | 100.0 | 87.0 |
| WICOMICO | 1,000 | 728 | 688 | 251 | 18 | 42 | 84.7 | 89.8 | 90.6 | 73.4 | 85.7 | 72.4 |
| SOMERSET | 209 | 129 | 121 | 77 | 3 | 8 | 80.7 | 84.9 | 88.3 | 74.0 | * | 53.3 |
| WORCESTER | 380 | 302 | 285 | 69 | 6 | 18 | 81.4 | 84.6 | 85.6 | 69.7 | 85.7 | 69.2 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁴ Percentages exclude births for which timing of prenatal care was unknown.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 19B. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO WOMEN RECEIVING LATE OR NO PRENATAL CARE BY RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁵ | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ | TOTAL ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ |
| | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| MARYLAND | 2,837 | 953 | 686 | 1,578 | 138 | 437 | 3.8 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 6.7 | 3.2 | 6.4 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 162 | 128 | 98 | 26 | 7 | 31 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.0 | 7.3 | 4.4 | 13.4 |
| GARRETT | 6 | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.8 | * | * | * |
| ALLEGANY | 19 | 19 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2.8 | 2.9 | 2.9 | * | * | * |
| WASHINGTON | 29 | 24 | 21 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 1.4 | * | * | * |
| FREDERICK | 108 | 79 | 52 | 22 | 6 | 28 | 3.5 | 2.9 | 2.1 | 9.1 | 4.6 | 14.1 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 999 | 322 | 268 | 619 | 43 | 66 | 3.0 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 5.7 | 2.8 | 4.8 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 567 | 100 | 69 | 455 | 7 | 38 | 6.4 | 4.2 | 3.3 | 7.3 | 3.5 | 11.4 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 211 | 86 | 76 | 98 | 18 | 14 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 3.7 | 3.3 | 4.9 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 116 | 70 | 61 | 37 | 9 | 9 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 1.9 |
| CARROLL | 13 | 12 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.5 | * | * | * |
| HOWARD | 28 | 10 | 9 | 10 | 8 | 1 | 0.8 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 1.8 | * |
| HARFORD | 64 | 44 | 43 | 18 | 1 | 2 | 2.2 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 4.7 | * | * |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 1,375 | 312 | 151 | 841 | 78 | 312 | 5.4 | 2.9 | 1.9 | 8.0 | 3.3 | 6.5 |
| MONTGOMERY | 461 | 192 | 105 | 192 | 46 | 117 | 3.5 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 7.4 | 2.5 | 4.4 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 914 | 120 | 46 | 649 | 32 | 195 | 7.5 | 4.7 | 2.9 | 8.2 | 5.9 | 9.1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 174 | 109 | 104 | 52 | 8 | 8 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 3.5 | 5.4 | 7.0 | 5.3 |
| CALVERT | 23 | 15 | 13 | 6 | 1 | 3 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 5.6 | * | * |
| CHARLES | 81 | 34 | 33 | 38 | 5 | 3 | 4.3 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 5.7 | 8.5 | * |
| SAINT MARY'S | 70 | 60 | 58 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 4.0 | * | * |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 127 | 82 | 65 | 40 | 2 | 20 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 4.4 | * | 7.5 |
| CECIL | 23 | 22 | 22 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 2.0 | * | * | * |
| KENT | 7 | 7 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4.2 | 5.0 | * | * | * | * |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 9 | 8 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.6 | * | * | * |
| CAROLINE | 8 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1.9 | 1.8 | * | * | * | * |
| TALBOT | 9 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 2.7 | 2.2 | * | * | * | * |
| DORCHESTER | 12 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 3.5 | 2.7 | * | 5.0 | * | * |
| WICOMICO | 29 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 4.1 | * | * |
| SOMERSET | 11 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 4.2 | 3.9 | * | 4.8 | * | * |
| WORCESTER | 19 | 7 | 6 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 4.1 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 11.1 | * | * |

¹ Late care refers to care beginning in the third trimester.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁵ Percentages exclude births for which timing of prenatal care was unknown.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 20. BIRTHS BY BIRTH WEIGHT, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, AND TRIMESTER OF ONSET OF PRENATAL CARE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE AND TRIMESTER OF FIRST PRENATAL VISIT | BIRTH WEIGHT | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | UNDER 1,000 GRAMS | 1,000-1,499 GRAMS | 1,500-1,999 GRAMS | 2,000-2,499 GRAMS | 2,500-2,999 GRAMS | 3,000-3,499 GRAMS | 3,500-3,999 GRAMS | 4,000 GRAMS & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ALL RACES¹ | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 74,865 | 820 | 620 | 1,361 | 4,024 | 13,263 | 28,086 | 20,077 | 6,593 | 21 |
| FIRST TRIMESTER | 61,834 | 617 | 478 | 1,053 | 3,149 | 10,500 | 23,107 | 17,164 | 5,760 | 6 |
| SECOND TRIMESTER | 9,185 | 94 | 86 | 183 | 579 | 1,920 | 3,572 | 2,121 | 630 | 0 |
| THIRD TRIMESTER | 1,903 | 5 | 9 | 34 | 119 | 438 | 771 | 426 | 101 | 0 |
| NO CARE | 934 | 47 | 23 | 52 | 108 | 215 | 307 | 141 | 40 | 1 |
| NOT STATED | 1,009 | 57 | 24 | 39 | 69 | 190 | 329 | 225 | 62 | 14 |
| WHITE² | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 43,941 | 281 | 272 | 619 | 1,949 | 6,462 | 16,037 | 13,428 | 4,880 | 13 |
| FIRST TRIMESTER | 38,780 | 236 | 227 | 544 | 1,646 | 5,512 | 14,154 | 12,036 | 4,423 | 2 |
| SECOND TRIMESTER | 3,856 | 26 | 27 | 45 | 211 | 684 | 1,440 | 1,053 | 370 | 0 |
| THIRD TRIMESTER | 704 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 41 | 150 | 266 | 188 | 49 | 0 |
| NO CARE | 249 | 11 | 6 | 13 | 28 | 59 | 70 | 50 | 12 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 352 | 7 | 9 | 11 | 23 | 57 | 107 | 101 | 26 | 11 |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 39,170 | 250 | 240 | 556 | 1,746 | 5,683 | 14,104 | 12,095 | 4,483 | 13 |
| FIRST TRIMESTER | 35,357 | 214 | 202 | 501 | 1,522 | 4,967 | 12,775 | 11,044 | 4,130 | 2 |
| SECOND TRIMESTER | 2,839 | 21 | 21 | 32 | 148 | 518 | 1,021 | 795 | 283 | 0 |
| THIRD TRIMESTER | 488 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 34 | 107 | 173 | 131 | 37 | 0 |
| NO CARE | 198 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 23 | 44 | 53 | 41 | 11 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 288 | 5 | 8 | 10 | 19 | 47 | 82 | 84 | 22 | 11 |
| BLACK² | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 24,244 | 507 | 319 | 644 | 1,710 | 5,437 | 9,235 | 5,043 | 1,341 | 8 |
| FIRST TRIMESTER | 17,806 | 357 | 229 | 432 | 1,210 | 3,887 | 6,791 | 3,852 | 1,044 | 4 |
| SECOND TRIMESTER | 4,288 | 66 | 56 | 126 | 315 | 1,052 | 1,652 | 818 | 203 | 0 |
| THIRD TRIMESTER | 972 | 4 | 6 | 23 | 66 | 239 | 403 | 194 | 37 | 0 |
| NO CARE | 606 | 33 | 14 | 37 | 75 | 140 | 206 | 72 | 28 | 1 |
| NOT STATED | 572 | 47 | 14 | 26 | 44 | 119 | 183 | 107 | 29 | 3 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER² | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 4,343 | 17 | 15 | 62 | 254 | 954 | 1,842 | 995 | 204 | 0 |
| FIRST TRIMESTER | 3,710 | 13 | 13 | 53 | 216 | 834 | 1,545 | 859 | 177 | 0 |
| SECOND TRIMESTER | 443 | 2 | 0 | 6 | 28 | 79 | 214 | 97 | 17 | 0 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 20. BIRTHS BY BIRTH WEIGHT, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, AND TRIMESTER OF ONSET OF PRENATAL CARE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| RACE AND TRIMESTER OF FIRST PRENATAL VISIT | BIRTH WEIGHT | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | UNDER 1,000 GRAMS | 1,000-1,499 GRAMS | 1,500-1,999 GRAMS | 2,000-2,499 GRAMS | 2,500-2,999 GRAMS | 3,000-3,499 GRAMS | 3,500-3,999 GRAMS | 4,000 GRAMS & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | | | | | | | | | | |
| THIRD TRIMESTER | 104 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 25 | 47 | 18 | 6 | 0 |
| NO CARE | 34 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 8 | 12 | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 52 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 24 | 11 | 4 | 0 |
| HISPANIC ³ | | | | | | | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 6,966 | 46 | 45 | 99 | 300 | 1,184 | 2,854 | 1,892 | 546 | 0 |
| FIRST TRIMESTER | 4,818 | 31 | 33 | 67 | 190 | 797 | 1,953 | 1,358 | 389 | 0 |
| SECOND TRIMESTER | 1,614 | 6 | 9 | 19 | 86 | 276 | 679 | 410 | 129 | 0 |
| THIRD TRIMESTER | 337 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 12 | 70 | 147 | 81 | 20 | 0 |
| NO CARE | 100 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 25 | 36 | 19 | 1 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 97 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 16 | 39 | 24 | 7 | 0 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 21A. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF LOW BIRTH WEIGHT INFANTS BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁵ | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ | TOTAL ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ |
| | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| MARYLAND | 6,825 | 3,121 | 2,792 | 3,180 | 348 | 490 | 9.1 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 13.1 | 8.0 | 7.0 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 434 | 377 | 365 | 47 | 8 | 13 | 7.5 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 12.9 | 5.0 | 5.6 |
| GARRETT | 41 | 41 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12.0 | 12.1 | 12.1 | * | * | * |
| ALLEGANY | 64 | 58 | 58 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 9.5 | 8.9 | 9.0 | 31.6 | * | * |
| WASHINGTON | 129 | 117 | 116 | 11 | 1 | 1 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 7.5 | 11.3 | * | * |
| FREDERICK | 200 | 161 | 150 | 30 | 7 | 12 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 12.1 | 5.3 | 6.0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 3,273 | 1,525 | 1,450 | 1,606 | 119 | 83 | 9.7 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 14.5 | 7.6 | 5.9 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 1,241 | 224 | 208 | 996 | 12 | 23 | 13.7 | 9.3 | 9.7 | 15.7 | 6.0 | 6.7 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 867 | 462 | 450 | 345 | 53 | 12 | 9.3 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 13.0 | 9.7 | 4.2 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 565 | 401 | 367 | 141 | 18 | 35 | 8.2 | 7.2 | 7.1 | 13.8 | 7.2 | 7.4 |
| CARROLL | 136 | 132 | 130 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 7.1 | * | * | * |
| HOWARD | 263 | 157 | 149 | 73 | 33 | 8 | 7.4 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 11.9 | 7.2 | 4.1 |
| HARFORD | 201 | 149 | 146 | 48 | 3 | 3 | 6.9 | 6.1 | 6.2 | 12.6 | * | * |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 2,353 | 725 | 504 | 1,279 | 204 | 369 | 9.0 | 6.7 | 6.4 | 11.7 | 8.4 | 7.5 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1,046 | 562 | 405 | 268 | 161 | 212 | 7.7 | 6.8 | 6.4 | 10.1 | 8.6 | 7.8 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 1,307 | 163 | 99 | 1,011 | 43 | 157 | 10.4 | 6.3 | 6.1 | 12.3 | 7.8 | 7.1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 343 | 213 | 204 | 118 | 8 | 13 | 8.0 | 6.8 | 6.8 | 11.8 | 6.7 | 8.1 |
| CALVERT | 78 | 58 | 55 | 17 | 2 | 4 | 7.4 | 6.4 | 6.2 | 14.7 | * | * |
| CHARLES | 157 | 82 | 78 | 71 | 1 | 7 | 8.3 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 10.5 | * | 8.6 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 108 | 73 | 71 | 30 | 5 | 2 | 8.0 | 6.6 | 6.7 | 14.5 | 14.7 | * |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 422 | 281 | 269 | 130 | 9 | 12 | 8.6 | 7.3 | 7.4 | 14.1 | 12.5 | 4.5 |
| CECIL | 99 | 85 | 83 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 8.1 | 7.6 | 7.5 | 11.1 | * | * |
| KENT | 15 | 10 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 9.0 | 7.0 | 7.9 | 20.8 | * | * |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 26 | 25 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5.2 | 5.5 | 5.7 | * | * | * |
| CAROLINE | 35 | 25 | 22 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 8.4 | 7.6 | 7.4 | 11.8 | * | * |
| TALBOT | 23 | 11 | 9 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 6.7 | 4.1 | 3.8 | 20.0 | * | * |
| DORCHESTER | 32 | 14 | 14 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 9.2 | 6.3 | 7.0 | 15.1 | * | * |
| WICOMICO | 108 | 57 | 54 | 50 | 1 | 3 | 9.1 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 14.6 | * | * |
| SOMERSET | 38 | 24 | 24 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 14.7 | 15.8 | 17.5 | 13.5 | * | * |
| WORCESTER | 46 | 30 | 28 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 9.8 | 8.4 | 8.4 | 15.2 | * | * |

¹ Weighing 2,499 grams or less.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁵ Percent of total births in the specified racial or Hispanic group.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 21B. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF VERY LOW BIRTH WEIGHT INFANTS BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER | | | | | | PERCENT ⁵ | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | ALL RACES ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ | TOTAL ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ |
| | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | | | TOTAL ³ | NON-HISPANIC | | | |
| MARYLAND | 1,440 | 553 | 490 | 826 | 32 | 91 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.4 | 0.7 | 1.3 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 85 | 66 | 65 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 4.1 | * | * |
| GARRETT | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| ALLEGANY | 14 | 11 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.7 | * | * | * |
| WASHINGTON | 24 | 21 | 21 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 1.4 | * | * | * |
| FREDERICK | 43 | 30 | 29 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 3.6 | * | * |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 683 | 265 | 250 | 397 | 11 | 18 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.6 | 0.7 | 1.3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 280 | 36 | 34 | 242 | 1 | 4 | 3.1 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 3.8 | * | * |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 163 | 77 | 74 | 80 | 2 | 3 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 3.0 | * | * |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 129 | 78 | 70 | 46 | 0 | 9 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 4.5 | * | 1.9 |
| CARROLL | 18 | 18 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.9 | * | * | * |
| HOWARD | 59 | 33 | 32 | 18 | 8 | 1 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 2.9 | 1.7 | * |
| HARFORD | 34 | 23 | 23 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 2.9 | * | * |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 503 | 131 | 88 | 339 | 16 | 67 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 3.1 | 0.7 | 1.4 |
| MONTGOMERY | 184 | 95 | 61 | 69 | 13 | 45 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 2.6 | 0.7 | 1.7 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 319 | 36 | 27 | 270 | 3 | 22 | 2.5 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 3.3 | * | 1.0 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 89 | 45 | 43 | 43 | 1 | 2 | 2.1 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 4.3 | * | * |
| CALVERT | 15 | 9 | 9 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 5.2 | * | * |
| CHARLES | 50 | 23 | 22 | 27 | 0 | 1 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 4.0 | * | * |
| SAINT MARY'S | 24 | 13 | 12 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 1.8 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 4.8 | * | * |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 80 | 46 | 44 | 32 | 2 | 2 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 3.5 | * | * |
| CECIL | 13 | 13 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.2 | * | * | * |
| KENT | 7 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4.2 | * | * | * | * | * |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 4 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| CAROLINE | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1.4 | * | * | * | * | * |
| TALBOT | 8 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2.3 | * | * | * | * | * |
| DORCHESTER | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1.7 | * | * | * | * | * |
| WICOMICO | 26 | 9 | 8 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 4.7 | * | * |
| SOMERSET | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| WORCESTER | 7 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1.5 | * | * | * | * | * |

¹ Weighing 1,499 grams or less.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

⁵ Percent of total births in the specified racial or Hispanic group.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 22. BIRTHS BY PLURALITY, BIRTH WEIGHT OF INFANT AND RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE | SINGLE BIRTHS | | | | | PLURAL BIRTHS | | | | |
|--|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| | TOTAL SINGLE BIRTHS | BIRTH WEIGHT | | | | TOTAL PLURAL BIRTHS | BIRTH WEIGHT | | | |
| | | 2499 GMS. & UNDER | 2500 GMS. & OVER | NOT STATED | PERCENT 2499 GMS. & UNDER | | 2499 GMS. & UNDER | 2500 GMS. & OVER | NOT STATED | PERCENT 2499 GMS. & UNDER |
| ALL RACES ¹ | 71,990 | 5,131 | 66,839 | 20 | 7.1 | 2,875 | 1,694 | 1,180 | 1 | 58.9 |
| WHITE ² | 42,127 | 2,105 | 40,009 | 13 | 5.0 | 1,814 | 1,016 | 798 | 0 | 56.0 |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | 37,479 | 1,851 | 35,615 | 13 | 4.9 | 1,691 | 941 | 750 | 0 | 55.6 |
| BLACK ² | 23,344 | 2,596 | 20,741 | 7 | 11.1 | 900 | 584 | 315 | 1 | 64.9 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ² | 4,231 | 284 | 3,947 | 0 | 6.7 | 112 | 64 | 48 | 0 | 57.1 |
| HISPANIC ³ | 6,796 | 389 | 6,407 | 0 | 5.7 | 170 | 101 | 69 | 0 | 59.4 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 23. BIRTHS BY MONTH OF BIRTH, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, AND SEX OF INFANT, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE OF MOTHER AND SEX OF INFANT | ALL MONTHS | MONTH OF BIRTH | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | JAN. | FEB. | MAR. | APR. | MAY | JUN. | JUL. | AUG. | SEP. | OCT. | NOV. | DEC. |
| ALL RACES¹ | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTH SEXES | 74,865 | 6,019 | 5,571 | 6,222 | 6,059 | 6,433 | 6,079 | 6,633 | 6,625 | 6,571 | 6,537 | 5,835 | 6,281 |
| MALE | 38,531 | 3,072 | 2,858 | 3,199 | 3,080 | 3,324 | 3,193 | 3,358 | 3,408 | 3,366 | 3,422 | 2,964 | 3,287 |
| FEMALE | 36,334 | 2,947 | 2,713 | 3,023 | 2,979 | 3,109 | 2,886 | 3,275 | 3,217 | 3,205 | 3,115 | 2,871 | 2,994 |
| WHITE² | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTH SEXES | 43,941 | 3,492 | 3,265 | 3,691 | 3,589 | 3,903 | 3,639 | 3,959 | 3,846 | 3,893 | 3,846 | 3,306 | 3,512 |
| MALE | 22,573 | 1,771 | 1,661 | 1,880 | 1,804 | 2,008 | 1,916 | 2,009 | 1,998 | 1,997 | 2,015 | 1,664 | 1,850 |
| FEMALE | 21,368 | 1,721 | 1,604 | 1,811 | 1,785 | 1,895 | 1,723 | 1,950 | 1,848 | 1,896 | 1,831 | 1,642 | 1,662 |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTH SEXES | 39,170 | 3,106 | 2,891 | 3,312 | 3,215 | 3,509 | 3,236 | 3,521 | 3,442 | 3,436 | 3,445 | 2,919 | 3,138 |
| MALE | 20,154 | 1,581 | 1,471 | 1,704 | 1,621 | 1,826 | 1,711 | 1,791 | 1,790 | 1,759 | 1,798 | 1,464 | 1,638 |
| FEMALE | 19,016 | 1,525 | 1,420 | 1,608 | 1,594 | 1,683 | 1,525 | 1,730 | 1,652 | 1,677 | 1,647 | 1,455 | 1,500 |
| BLACK² | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTH SEXES | 24,244 | 2,019 | 1,860 | 2,015 | 1,932 | 1,928 | 1,912 | 2,151 | 2,148 | 2,093 | 2,063 | 1,994 | 2,129 |
| MALE | 12,504 | 1,049 | 982 | 1,039 | 1,010 | 1,005 | 993 | 1,072 | 1,095 | 1,066 | 1,059 | 1,027 | 1,107 |
| FEMALE | 11,740 | 970 | 878 | 976 | 922 | 923 | 919 | 1,079 | 1,053 | 1,027 | 1,004 | 967 | 1,022 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER² | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTH SEXES | 4,343 | 345 | 338 | 344 | 356 | 417 | 352 | 339 | 376 | 370 | 384 | 321 | 401 |
| MALE | 2,242 | 167 | 168 | 180 | 172 | 217 | 186 | 176 | 185 | 191 | 213 | 170 | 217 |
| FEMALE | 2,101 | 178 | 170 | 164 | 184 | 200 | 166 | 163 | 191 | 179 | 171 | 151 | 184 |
| HISPANIC³ | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| BOTH SEXES | 6,966 | 545 | 484 | 533 | 550 | 570 | 562 | 607 | 631 | 651 | 638 | 590 | 605 |
| MALE | 3,553 | 272 | 242 | 265 | 272 | 272 | 296 | 309 | 322 | 333 | 353 | 297 | 320 |
| FEMALE | 3,413 | 273 | 242 | 268 | 278 | 298 | 266 | 298 | 309 | 318 | 285 | 293 | 285 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

**TABLE 24. BIRTHS BY PLURALITY, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER,
AND LENGTH OF GESTATION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹**

| RACE AND LENGTH OF GESTATION | TOTAL BIRTHS | SINGLE BIRTHS | PLURAL BIRTHS | RATIO OF PLURAL BIRTHS PER 1,000 TOTAL BIRTHS |
|------------------------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---|
| ALL RACES² | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 74,865 | 71,990 | 2,875 | 38.4 |
| UNDER 20 | 40 | 27 | 13 | 325.0 |
| 20 - 27 | 714 | 573 | 141 | 197.5 |
| 28 - 31 | 776 | 571 | 205 | 264.2 |
| 32 - 35 | 3,534 | 2,623 | 911 | 257.8 |
| 36 | 3,165 | 2,647 | 518 | 163.7 |
| 37 - 39 | 40,430 | 39,378 | 1,052 | 26.0 |
| 40 | 19,170 | 19,145 | 25 | 1.3 |
| 41 | 6,246 | 6,246 | 0 | * |
| 42 OR MORE | 539 | 539 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 251 | 241 | 10 | 39.8 |
| WHITE³ | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 43,941 | 42,127 | 1,814 | 41.3 |
| UNDER 20 | 12 | 7 | 5 | 416.7 |
| 20 - 27 | 237 | 181 | 56 | 236.3 |
| 28 - 31 | 347 | 220 | 127 | 366.0 |
| 32 - 35 | 1,828 | 1,246 | 582 | 318.4 |
| 36 | 1,764 | 1,418 | 346 | 196.1 |
| 37 - 39 | 23,610 | 22,926 | 684 | 29.0 |
| 40 | 11,615 | 11,605 | 10 | 0.9 |
| 41 | 4,054 | 4,054 | 0 | * |
| 42 OR MORE | 342 | 342 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 132 | 128 | 4 | * |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 39,170 | 37,479 | 1,691 | 43.2 |
| UNDER 20 | 12 | 7 | 5 | 416.7 |
| 20 - 27 | 212 | 159 | 53 | 250.0 |
| 28 - 31 | 310 | 199 | 111 | 358.1 |
| 32 - 35 | 1,646 | 1,103 | 543 | 329.9 |
| 36 | 1,590 | 1,260 | 330 | 207.5 |
| 37 - 39 | 21,060 | 20,423 | 637 | 30.2 |
| 40 | 10,280 | 10,270 | 10 | 1.0 |
| 41 | 3,638 | 3,638 | 0 | * |
| 42 OR MORE | 300 | 300 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 122 | 120 | 2 | * |
| BLACK³ | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 24,244 | 23,344 | 900 | 37.1 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 24. BIRTHS BY PLURALITY, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, AND LENGTH OF GESTATION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹ — Continued

| RACE AND LENGTH OF GESTATION | TOTAL BIRTHS | SINGLE BIRTHS | PLURAL BIRTHS | RATIO OF PLURAL BIRTHS PER 1,000 TOTAL BIRTHS |
|--|--------------|---------------|---------------|---|
| BLACK³ | | | | |
| UNDER 20 | 24 | 17 | 7 | 291.7 |
| 20 - 27 | 453 | 372 | 81 | 178.8 |
| 28 - 31 | 385 | 317 | 68 | 176.6 |
| 32 - 35 | 1,448 | 1,161 | 287 | 198.2 |
| 36 | 1,145 | 997 | 148 | 129.3 |
| 37 - 39 | 12,929 | 12,635 | 294 | 22.7 |
| 40 | 5,878 | 5,867 | 11 | 1.9 |
| 41 | 1,713 | 1,713 | 0 | * |
| 42 OR MORE | 167 | 167 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 102 | 98 | 4 | * |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER³ | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 4,343 | 4,231 | 112 | 25.8 |
| UNDER 20 | 2 | 2 | 0 | * |
| 20 - 27 | 9 | 8 | 1 | * |
| 28 - 31 | 25 | 21 | 4 | * |
| 32 - 35 | 153 | 124 | 29 | 189.5 |
| 36 | 167 | 153 | 14 | 83.8 |
| 37 - 39 | 2,612 | 2,552 | 60 | 23.0 |
| 40 | 1,076 | 1,074 | 2 | * |
| 41 | 272 | 272 | 0 | * |
| 42 OR MORE | 13 | 13 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 14 | 12 | 2 | * |
| HISPANIC⁴ | | | | |
| ALL BIRTHS | 6,966 | 6,796 | 170 | 24.4 |
| UNDER 20 | 2 | 1 | 1 | * |
| 20 - 27 | 38 | 34 | 4 | * |
| 28 - 31 | 58 | 36 | 22 | 379.3 |
| 32 - 35 | 275 | 223 | 52 | 189.1 |
| 36 | 260 | 236 | 24 | 92.3 |
| 37 - 39 | 3,734 | 3,669 | 65 | 17.4 |
| 40 | 1,924 | 1,924 | 0 | * |
| 41 | 606 | 606 | 0 | * |
| 42 OR MORE | 57 | 57 | 0 | * |
| NOT STATED | 12 | 10 | 2 | * |

¹ Gestation is a clinical estimate in weeks.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

* Ratios based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such ratios based on small numbers are unstable.

TABLE 25. NUMBER AND PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS DELIVERED BY CESAREAN SECTION BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL RACES ¹ | | WHITE ² | | WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | BLACK ² | | HISPANIC ³ | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| | NUMBER | PERCENT OF TOTAL DELIVERIES | NUMBER | PERCENT OF TOTAL DELIVERIES | NUMBER | PERCENT OF TOTAL DELIVERIES | NUMBER | PERCENT OF TOTAL DELIVERIES | NUMBER | PERCENT OF TOTAL DELIVERIES |
| MARYLAND | 21,486 | 28.7 | 12,128 | 27.6 | 10,912 | 27.9 | 7,618 | 31.4 | 1700 | 24.4 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 1,457 | 25.1 | 1,288 | 24.5 | 1,237 | 24.6 | 118 | 32.5 | 54 | 23.3 |
| GARRETT | 69 | 20.2 | 68 | 20.0 | 68 | 20.1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | * |
| ALLEGANY | 211 | 31.3 | 199 | 30.6 | 198 | 30.6 | 9 | 47.4 | 1 | * |
| WASHINGTON | 407 | 24.1 | 378 | 24.1 | 372 | 24.1 | 23 | 23.7 | 6 | 20.7 |
| FREDERICK | 770 | 24.9 | 643 | 23.9 | 599 | 23.9 | 86 | 34.8 | 47 | 23.6 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 9,497 | 28.1 | 5,833 | 28.0 | 5,521 | 28.2 | 3,171 | 28.6 | 354 | 25.4 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 2,351 | 26.0 | 570 | 23.6 | 507 | 23.7 | 1,721 | 27.1 | 79 | 23.1 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 2,630 | 28.1 | 1,676 | 27.6 | 1,619 | 27.8 | 795 | 30.1 | 67 | 23.3 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 2,067 | 29.9 | 1,669 | 29.8 | 1,539 | 29.8 | 302 | 29.6 | 139 | 29.6 |
| CARROLL | 591 | 30.2 | 559 | 30.0 | 555 | 30.2 | 17 | 33.3 | 4 | * |
| HOWARD | 1,110 | 31.1 | 748 | 30.3 | 707 | 30.8 | 225 | 36.7 | 45 | 23.0 |
| HARFORD | 748 | 25.7 | 611 | 25.2 | 594 | 25.1 | 111 | 29.1 | 20 | 27.8 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 7,851 | 30.1 | 3,022 | 27.8 | 2,268 | 28.7 | 3,710 | 34.1 | 1182 | 24.1 |
| MONTGOMERY | 3,965 | 29.3 | 2,319 | 28.1 | 1,807 | 28.8 | 928 | 35.1 | 697 | 25.7 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 3,886 | 30.9 | 703 | 27.1 | 461 | 28.6 | 2,782 | 33.7 | 485 | 22.1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 1,242 | 28.9 | 880 | 28.0 | 844 | 28.1 | 320 | 32.1 | 41 | 25.5 |
| CALVERT | 301 | 28.5 | 254 | 27.9 | 244 | 27.7 | 35 | 30.2 | 10 | 28.6 |
| CHARLES | 554 | 29.3 | 317 | 28.3 | 302 | 28.5 | 213 | 31.6 | 20 | 24.7 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 387 | 28.6 | 309 | 27.9 | 298 | 28.0 | 72 | 34.8 | 11 | 24.4 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,439 | 29.3 | 1,105 | 28.6 | 1,042 | 28.7 | 299 | 32.5 | 69 | 25.7 |
| CECIL | 319 | 26.2 | 283 | 25.3 | 279 | 25.2 | 29 | 35.8 | 5 | 26.3 |
| KENT | 44 | 26.3 | 36 | 25.4 | 31 | 24.6 | 8 | 33.3 | 5 | 29.4 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 133 | 26.5 | 123 | 27.0 | 117 | 26.8 | 8 | 24.2 | 6 | 26.1 |
| CAROLINE | 95 | 22.7 | 78 | 23.7 | 73 | 24.6 | 15 | 22.1 | 5 | 11.1 |
| TALBOT | 70 | 20.5 | 57 | 21.0 | 52 | 21.8 | 9 | 18.0 | 7 | 16.7 |
| DORCHESTER | 72 | 20.7 | 46 | 20.7 | 42 | 21.0 | 25 | 21.0 | 4 | * |
| WICOMICO | 444 | 37.6 | 300 | 36.9 | 278 | 36.5 | 131 | 38.3 | 25 | 43.1 |
| SOMERSET | 89 | 34.4 | 56 | 36.8 | 52 | 38.0 | 31 | 29.8 | 4 | * |
| WORCESTER | 173 | 36.9 | 126 | 35.1 | 118 | 35.2 | 43 | 43.4 | 8 | 30.8 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

³ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

* Percentages based on <5 events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages based on small numbers are unstable.

**TABLE 26. BIRTHS BY MATERNAL AGE, RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN, METHOD OF DELIVERY
AND PERCENTAGE OF INFANTS DELIVERED BY CESAREAN SECTION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN AND METHOD OF DELIVERY | TOTAL | MATERNAL AGE | | | | | | | |
|---|--------|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------|---------------|
| | | UNDER 15 YEARS | 15-19 YEARS | 20-24 YEARS | 25-29 YEARS | 30-34 YEARS | 35-39 YEARS | 40 YEARS AND OVER | NOT STATED |
| | | NUMBER OF BIRTHS | | | | | | | |
| ALL RACES* | | | | | | | | | |
| VAGINAL..... | 53,379 | 100 | 5,029 | 11,641 | 13,557 | 14,349 | 7,218 | 1,479 | 6 |
| CESAREAN SECTION..... | 21,486 | 24 | 1,247 | 3,348 | 4,891 | 6,660 | 4,200 | 1,115 | 1 |
| WHITE** | | | | | | | | | |
| VAGINAL..... | 31,813 | 19 | 2,216 | 6,201 | 8,059 | 9,476 | 4,834 | 1,005 | 3 |
| CESAREAN SECTION..... | 12,128 | 1 | 450 | 1,589 | 2,707 | 4,143 | 2,552 | 686 | 0 |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | | | | | | |
| VAGINAL..... | 28,258 | 15 | 1,822 | 5,107 | 7,058 | 8,774 | 4,535 | 944 | 3 |
| CESAREAN SECTION..... | 10,912 | 1 | 383 | 1,339 | 2,361 | 3,809 | 2,378 | 641 | 0 |
| BLACK** | | | | | | | | | |
| VAGINAL..... | 16,626 | 77 | 2,530 | 4,567 | 4,059 | 3,340 | 1,694 | 356 | 3 |
| CESAREAN SECTION..... | 7,618 | 21 | 744 | 1,577 | 1,747 | 1,921 | 1,264 | 343 | 1 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER** | | | | | | | | | |
| VAGINAL..... | 3,133 | 0 | 48 | 325 | 925 | 1,220 | 528 | 87 | 0 |
| CESAREAN SECTION..... | 1,210 | 0 | 8 | 71 | 295 | 456 | 307 | 73 | 0 |
| HISPANIC*** | | | | | | | | | |
| VAGINAL..... | 5,266 | 8 | 620 | 1,612 | 1,486 | 1,005 | 444 | 91 | 0 |
| CESAREAN SECTION..... | 1,700 | 2 | 109 | 352 | 481 | 464 | 236 | 56 | 0 |
| | | PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS BY CESAREAN SECTION | | | | | | | |
| ALL RACES*..... | 28.7 | 19.4 | 19.9 | 22.3 | 26.5 | 31.7 | 36.8 | 43.0 | **** |
| WHITE**..... | 27.6 | **** | 16.9 | 20.4 | 25.1 | 30.4 | 34.6 | 40.6 | **** |
| WHITE, NON-HISPANIC..... | 27.9 | **** | 17.4 | 20.8 | 25.1 | 30.3 | 34.4 | 40.4 | **** |
| BLACK**..... | 31.4 | 21.4 | 22.7 | 25.7 | 30.1 | 36.5 | 42.7 | 49.1 | **** |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER**..... | 27.9 | **** | 14.3 | 17.9 | 24.2 | 27.2 | 36.8 | 45.6 | **** |
| HISPANIC***..... | 24.4 | **** | 15.0 | 17.9 | 24.5 | 31.6 | 34.7 | 38.1 | **** |

*Includes races categorized as 'other'.

**Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

***Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

****Percentages based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such percentages are likely to be unstable.

TABLE 27. BIRTHS OCCURRING IN MARYLAND BY RACE AND HISPANIC ORIGIN OF MOTHER, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF OCCURRENCE, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL RACES ² | WHITE | | BLACK ³ | AMERICAN INDIAN ³ | ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER ³ | HISPANIC ⁴ |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | | TOTAL ³ | WHITE, NON-HISPANIC | | | | |
| MARYLAND | 70,783 | 43,367 | 38,662 | 21,329 | 190 | 4,226 | 6,460 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,415 | 4,980 | 4,782 | 279 | 12 | 135 | 204 |
| GARRETT | 263 | 262 | 261 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| ALLEGANY | 1,039 | 1,012 | 1,008 | 19 | 1 | 7 | 4 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,875 | 1,762 | 1,735 | 86 | 1 | 23 | 29 |
| FREDERICK | 2,238 | 1,944 | 1,778 | 174 | 10 | 104 | 170 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 34,681 | 21,755 | 20,521 | 11,130 | 98 | 1,551 | 1,384 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 13,933 | 5,478 | 5,012 | 7,707 | 36 | 611 | 566 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 9,591 | 7,166 | 6,996 | 1,953 | 40 | 408 | 191 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 5,083 | 4,273 | 3,915 | 675 | 10 | 117 | 370 |
| CARROLL | 1,277 | 1,220 | 1,202 | 38 | 2 | 15 | 20 |
| HOWARD | 3,500 | 2,566 | 2,379 | 549 | 10 | 367 | 196 |
| HARFORD | 1,297 | 1,052 | 1,017 | 208 | 0 | 33 | 41 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 23,765 | 11,362 | 8,416 | 8,485 | 62 | 2,391 | 4,492 |
| MONTGOMERY | 17,601 | 9,556 | 7,209 | 4,833 | 45 | 2,180 | 3,388 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 6,164 | 1,806 | 1,207 | 3,652 | 17 | 211 | 1,104 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,967 | 2,297 | 2,189 | 571 | 14 | 78 | 120 |
| CALVERT | 931 | 804 | 774 | 99 | 1 | 27 | 31 |
| CHARLES | 1,101 | 754 | 712 | 299 | 11 | 32 | 50 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 935 | 739 | 703 | 173 | 2 | 19 | 39 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 3,955 | 2,973 | 2,754 | 864 | 4 | 71 | 260 |
| CECIL | 602 | 535 | 523 | 45 | 2 | 18 | 16 |
| KENT | 262 | 223 | 193 | 34 | 0 | 2 | 34 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 1,005 | 732 | 648 | 227 | 1 | 18 | 108 |
| DORCHESTER | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 2,079 | 1,480 | 1,387 | 555 | 0 | 33 | 102 |
| SOMERSET | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

¹ Resident and non-resident births occurring within Maryland by place of birth.

² Includes races categorized as 'other'.

³ Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race.

⁴ Includes all births to mothers of Hispanic origin of any race.

TABLE 28. BIRTHS TO RESIDENTS OF MARYLAND BY PLACE OF OCCURRENCE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF RESIDENCY, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | AREA OF OCCURRENCE OF BIRTH | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------|
| | ALL BIRTHS | STATE OF MARYLAND | | | | DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | OTHER STATES |
| | | STATE TOTAL | MARYLAND CO. SAME AS RESIDENCE | MARYLAND CO. OTHER THAN RESIDENCE | BALTIMORE CITY | | |
| MARYLAND | 74,865 | 67,366 | 37,475 | 16,064 | 13,827 | 5,826 | 1,673 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 5,799 | 5,524 | 4,123 | 1,293 | 108 | 42 | 233 |
| GARRETT | 342 | 293 | 204 | 88 | 1 | 0 | 49 |
| ALLEGANY | 675 | 638 | 630 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 37 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,689 | 1,618 | 1,388 | 176 | 54 | 1 | 70 |
| FREDERICK | 3,093 | 2,975 | 1,901 | 1,023 | 51 | 41 | 77 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 33,743 | 33,504 | 13,552 | 6,609 | 13,343 | 114 | 125 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 9,057 | 9,031 | 0 | 1,753 | 7,278 | 12 | 14 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 9,344 | 9,320 | 5,333 | 495 | 3,492 | 5 | 19 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 6,913 | 6,811 | 3,830 | 1,280 | 1,701 | 57 | 45 |
| CARROLL | 1,955 | 1,939 | 975 | 741 | 223 | 3 | 13 |
| HOWARD | 3,569 | 3,517 | 2,312 | 746 | 459 | 35 | 17 |
| HARFORD | 2,905 | 2,886 | 1,102 | 1,594 | 190 | 2 | 17 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 26,120 | 19,991 | 15,402 | 4,427 | 162 | 5,482 | 647 |
| MONTGOMERY | 13,529 | 11,039 | 10,722 | 268 | 49 | 2,217 | 273 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 12,591 | 8,952 | 4,680 | 4,159 | 113 | 3,265 | 374 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 4,298 | 4,020 | 2,310 | 1,593 | 117 | 185 | 93 |
| CALVERT | 1,057 | 1,020 | 641 | 341 | 38 | 24 | 13 |
| CHARLES | 1,889 | 1,670 | 810 | 815 | 45 | 147 | 72 |
| ST MARY'S | 1,352 | 1,330 | 859 | 437 | 34 | 14 | 8 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,905 | 4,327 | 2,088 | 2,142 | 97 | 3 | 575 |
| CECIL | 1,219 | 721 | 525 | 183 | 13 | 0 | 498 |
| KENT | 167 | 156 | 131 | 20 | 5 | 1 | 10 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 501 | 493 | 3 | 475 | 15 | 0 | 8 |
| CAROLINE | 419 | 397 | 1 | 377 | 19 | 1 | 21 |
| TALBOT | 341 | 337 | 282 | 43 | 12 | 0 | 4 |
| DORCHESTER | 348 | 344 | 1 | 328 | 15 | 0 | 4 |
| WICOMICO | 1,182 | 1,167 | 1,143 | 14 | 10 | 0 | 15 |
| SOMERSET | 259 | 254 | 1 | 251 | 2 | 1 | 4 |
| WORCESTER | 469 | 458 | 1 | 451 | 6 | 0 | 11 |

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MORTALITY***

**TABLE 29. INFANT DEATHS AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES BY RACE,
MARYLAND, SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.**

| YEAR | NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS | | | INFANT MORTALITY RATES* | | |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------|-------|-------|
| | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK |
| 1940..... | 1,593 | 1,062 | - | 49.2 | 41.7 | - |
| 1950..... | 1,476 | 965 | - | 26.4 | 22.1 | - |
| 1960..... | 2,122 | 1,341 | - | 27.4 | 22.3 | - |
| 1970..... | 1,322 | 841 | 473 | 19.1 | 16.0 | 30.4 |
| 1980..... | 844 | 462 | 375 | 14.1 | 11.4 | 21.6 |
| 1990..... | 771 | 337 | 424 | 9.6 | 6.4 | 17.2 |
| 1994..... | 652 | 272 | 361 | 8.8 | 6.0 | 15.2 |
| 1995..... | 631 | 272 | 343 | 8.7 | 6.0 | 15.3 |
| 1996..... | 602 | 256 | 330 | 8.4 | 5.9 | 14.5 |
| 1997..... | 606 | 225 | 362 | 8.6 | 5.3 | 16.1 |
| 1998..... | 618 | 235 | 367 | 8.6 | 5.5 | 15.4 |
| 1999..... | 596 | 223 | 349 | 8.3 | 5.1 | 14.7 |
| 2000..... | 550 | 215 | 320 | 7.4 | 4.7 | 13.0 |
| 2001..... | 587 | 244 | 325 | 8.0 | 5.5 | 13.6 |
| 2002..... | 556 | 238 | 302 | 7.6 | 5.4 | 12.7 |
| 2003..... | 610 | 236 | 356 | 8.1 | 5.4 | 14.7 |

*Per 1,000 live births. Since 1989, infant deaths based on race of decedent; live births based on race of mother.

**TABLE 30. NEONATAL DEATHS AND NEONATAL MORTALITY RATES
BY RACE, MARYLAND, SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.**

| YEAR | NUMBER OF NEONATAL DEATHS | | | NEONATAL MORTALITY RATES* | | |
|-----------|---------------------------|-------|-------|---------------------------|-------|-------|
| | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK |
| 1940..... | 935 | 654 | - | 28.9 | 25.7 | - |
| 1950..... | 1,048 | 726 | - | 18.7 | 16.7 | - |
| 1960..... | 1,561 | 1,043 | - | 20.1 | 17.4 | - |
| 1970..... | 972 | 638 | 331 | 14.0 | 12.1 | 21.3 |
| 1980..... | 612 | 333 | 274 | 10.2 | 8.2 | 15.8 |
| 1990..... | 508 | 215 | 290 | 6.3 | 4.1 | 11.8 |
| 1994..... | 446 | 187 | 247 | 6.0 | 4.1 | 10.4 |
| 1995..... | 431 | 178 | 242 | 6.0 | 3.9 | 10.8 |
| 1996..... | 414 | 159 | 243 | 5.8 | 3.6 | 10.7 |
| 1997..... | 436 | 154 | 264 | 6.2 | 3.6 | 11.7 |
| 1998..... | 452 | 174 | 265 | 6.3 | 4.1 | 11.1 |
| 1999..... | 417 | 150 | 249 | 5.8 | 3.4 | 10.5 |
| 2000..... | 407 | 158 | 240 | 5.5 | 3.5 | 9.8 |
| 2001..... | 434 | 187 | 233 | 5.9 | 4.2 | 9.7 |
| 2002..... | 399 | 174 | 213 | 5.5 | 3.9 | 8.9 |
| 2003..... | 435 | 164 | 256 | 5.8 | 3.7 | 10.6 |

*Per 1,000 live births. Since 1989, infant deaths based on race of decedent; live births based on race of mother.

TABLE 31. POSTNEONATAL DEATHS AND POSTNEONATAL MORALITY RATES BY RACE, MARYLAND, SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.

| YEAR | POSTNEONATAL DEATHS | | | POSTNEONATAL MORALITY RATES* | | |
|-----------|---------------------|-------|-------|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK |
| 1940..... | 658 | 408 | - | 20.3 | 16.0 | - |
| 1950..... | 428 | 239 | - | 7.7 | 5.4 | - |
| 1960..... | 561 | 298 | - | 7.2 | 5.0 | - |
| 1970..... | 350 | 203 | 142 | 5.0 | 3.9 | 9.1 |
| 1980..... | 232 | 129 | 101 | 3.9 | 3.2 | 5.8 |
| 1990..... | 263 | 122 | 134 | 3.3 | 2.3 | 5.4 |
| 1994..... | 206 | 85 | 114 | 2.8 | 1.9 | 4.8 |
| 1995..... | 200 | 94 | 101 | 2.8 | 2.1 | 4.5 |
| 1996..... | 188 | 97 | 87 | 2.6 | 2.2 | 3.8 |
| 1997..... | 170 | 71 | 98 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 4.4 |
| 1998..... | 166 | 61 | 102 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 4.3 |
| 1999..... | 179 | 73 | 100 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 4.2 |
| 2000..... | 143 | 57 | 80 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 3.3 |
| 2001..... | 153 | 57 | 92 | 2.1 | 1.3 | 3.8 |
| 2002..... | 157 | 64 | 89 | 2.1 | 1.5 | 3.7 |
| 2003..... | 175 | 72 | 100 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 4.1 |

*Per 1,000 live births. Since 1989, infant deaths based on race of decedent; live births based on race of mother.

TABLE 32. FETAL DEATHS AND FETAL DEATH RATES BY RACE, MARYLAND, SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.

| YEAR | FETAL DEATHS | | | | FETAL DEATH RATES* | | |
|-----------|--------------|-------|-------|------------|--------------------|-------|-------|
| | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK | NOT STATED | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK |
| 1940..... | 1,352 | 860 | - | 0 | 40.1 | 32.7 | - |
| 1950..... | 1,102 | 728 | - | 0 | 19.3 | 16.4 | - |
| 1960..... | 1,224 | 811 | - | 0 | 15.2 | 13.3 | - |
| 1970..... | 931 | 628 | - | 0 | 13.2 | 11.8 | - |
| 1980..... | 494 | 274 | - | 0 | 8.2 | 6.7 | - |
| 1990..... | 566 | 263 | - | 31 | 7.0 | 5.0 | - |
| 1994..... | 632 | 303 | - | 33 | 8.5 | 6.9 | - |
| 1995..... | 622 | 301 | 294 | 0 | 8.5 | 6.6 | 12.9 |
| 1996..... | 562 | 261 | 288 | 0 | 7.8 | 5.9 | 12.5 |
| 1997..... | 651 | 314 | 298 | 0 | 9.2 | 7.4 | 13.1 |
| 1998..... | 679 | 293 | 359 | 0 | 9.4 | 6.8 | 14.9 |
| 1999..... | 682 | 281 | 382 | 0 | 9.4 | 6.4 | 15.8 |
| 2000..... | 658 | 289 | 337 | 0 | 8.8 | 6.3 | 13.5 |
| 2001..... | 654 | 300 | 337 | 0 | 8.9 | 6.8 | 13.9 |
| 2002..... | 659 | 280 | 358 | 0 | 8.9 | 6.3 | 14.8 |
| 2003..... | 637 | 268 | 344 | 0 | 8.4 | 6.1 | 14.0 |

*Fetal death rates are per 1,000 total deliveries (live births plus fetal deaths).

Note: Prior to 1999, fetal deaths excluded out-of-state occurrences.

TABLE 33. INFANT DEATHS AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES BY RACE, HISPANIC ORIGIN, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS | | | | INFANT MORTALITY RATES*** | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC** | ALL RACES | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC** |
| MARYLAND..... | 610 | 236 | 356 | 42 | 8.1 | 5.4 | 14.7 | 6.0 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 32 | 26 | 6 | 0 | 5.5 | 5.0 | 16.5 | **** |
| GARRETT..... | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 6 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 8.9 | 7.7 | **** | **** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 13 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 7.7 | 7.0 | **** | **** |
| FREDERICK..... | 10 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 3.2 | 2.6 | **** | **** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 292 | 106 | 181 | 9 | 8.7 | 5.1 | 16.4 | 6.5 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 120 | 8 | 111 | 2 | 13.2 | 3.3 | 17.5 | **** |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 74 | 36 | 37 | 0 | 7.9 | 5.9 | 14.0 | **** |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 56 | 31 | 23 | 4 | 8.1 | 5.5 | 22.5 | **** |
| CARROLL..... | 8 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 4.1 | 4.3 | **** | **** |
| HOWARD..... | 17 | 8 | 8 | 1 | 4.8 | 3.2 | 13.1 | **** |
| HARFORD..... | 17 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 5.9 | 6.2 | **** | **** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 223 | 69 | 143 | 30 | 8.5 | 6.4 | 13.1 | 6.1 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 69 | 42 | 20 | 15 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 7.6 | 5.5 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 154 | 27 | 123 | 15 | 12.2 | 10.4 | 14.9 | 6.8 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 28 | 14 | 14 | 1 | 6.5 | 4.5 | 14.0 | **** |
| CALVERT..... | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| CHARLES..... | 14 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 7.4 | 6.2 | 10.4 | **** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 10 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 7.4 | 4.5 | 24.2 | **** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 35 | 21 | 12 | 2 | 7.1 | 5.4 | 13.0 | **** |
| CECIL..... | 9 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 7.4 | 8.0 | **** | **** |
| KENT..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| CAROLINE..... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| TALBOT..... | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WICOMICO..... | 9 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 7.6 | **** | 17.5 | **** |
| SOMERSET..... | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WORCESTER..... | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |

*Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the death certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the reported race of the decedent.

**Includes all deaths to persons of Hispanic origin of any race.

***Infant mortality rates are per 1,000 live births by race or Hispanic origin of mother.

****Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are likely to be unstable.

TABLE 34. NEONATAL DEATHS, NEONATAL MORTALITY RATES, POSTNEONATAL DEATHS, AND POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY RATES BY RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER OF NEONATAL DEATHS | | | | NEONATAL MORTALITY RATES*** | | | | NUMBER OF POSTNEONATAL DEATHS | | | | POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY RATES*** | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------|--------|------------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|------------|-------------------------------|--------|--------|------------|---------------------------------|--------|--------|------------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC** | ALL RACES | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC** | ALL RACES | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC** | ALL RACES | WHITE* | BLACK* | HISPANIC** |
| MARYLAND..... | 435 | 164 | 256 | 29 | 5.8 | 3.7 | 10.6 | 4.2 | 175 | 72 | 100 | 13 | 2.3 | 1.6 | 4.1 | 1.9 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 24 | 20 | 4 | 0 | 4.1 | 3.8 | **** | **** | 8 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 1.4 | 1.1 | **** | **** |
| GARRETT..... | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 10 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 5.9 | 5.7 | **** | **** | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| FREDERICK..... | 9 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2.9 | 2.6 | **** | **** | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 201 | 71 | 126 | 5 | 6.0 | 3.4 | 11.4 | 3.6 | 91 | 35 | 55 | 4 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 5.0 | **** |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 80 | 5 | 74 | 1 | 8.8 | 2.1 | 11.6 | **** | 40 | 3 | 37 | 1 | 4.4 | **** | 5.8 | **** |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 54 | 26 | 28 | 0 | 5.8 | 4.3 | 10.6 | **** | 20 | 10 | 9 | 0 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 3.4 | **** |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 35 | 18 | 15 | 2 | 5.1 | 3.2 | 14.7 | **** | 21 | 13 | 8 | 2 | 3.0 | 2.3 | 7.8 | **** |
| CARROLL..... | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 3.1 | 3.2 | **** | **** | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| HOWARD..... | 13 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 3.6 | **** | 13.1 | **** | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| HARFORD..... | 13 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 4.5 | 5.0 | **** | **** | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 167 | 50 | 108 | 22 | 6.4 | 4.6 | 9.9 | 4.5 | 56 | 19 | 35 | 8 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 3.2 | 1.6 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 53 | 32 | 15 | 12 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 5.7 | 4.4 | 16 | 10 | 5 | 3 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.9 | **** |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 114 | 18 | 93 | 10 | 9.1 | 6.9 | 11.3 | 4.6 | 40 | 9 | 30 | 5 | 3.2 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 2.3 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 22 | 12 | 10 | 1 | 5.1 | 3.8 | 10.0 | **** | 6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1.4 | **** | **** | **** |
| CALVERT..... | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| CHARLES..... | 10 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 5.3 | 4.5 | 7.4 | **** | 4 | 2 | 2 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 9 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 6.7 | 4.5 | **** | **** | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 21 | 11 | 8 | 1 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 8.7 | **** | 14 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 2.9 | 2.6 | **** | **** |
| CECIL..... | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 4.1 | 4.5 | **** | **** | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| KENT..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| CAROLINE..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| TALBOT..... | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WICOMICO..... | 6 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 5.1 | **** | **** | **** | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| SOMERSET..... | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WORCESTER..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |

*Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the death certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the reported race of the decedent.

**Includes all deaths to persons of Hispanic origin of any race.

***Rates are per 1,000 live births by race or Hispanic origin of mother.

****Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are likely to be unstable.

TABLE 34a. NUMBER OF DEATHS, MORTALITY RATES AND PERCENTAGE OF DEATHS ATTRIBUTED TO THE TEN LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE FOR INFANT, NEONATAL AND POSTNEONATAL DEATHS, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RANK | | INFANT DEATHS | | | NEONATAL DEATHS | | | POSTNEONATAL DEATHS | | |
|------------------|---|---------------|--------|----------------------|-----------------|--------|----------------------|---------------------|-------|----------------------|
| | | NUMBER | RATE* | PERCENT DISTRIBUTION | NUMBER | RATE* | PERCENT DISTRIBUTION | NUMBER | RATE* | PERCENT DISTRIBUTION |
| ALL RACES | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birth weight (P07)..... | 138 | 184.3 | 22.6 | 135 | 180.3 | 31.0 | 3 | ** | 1.7 |
| 2 | Congenital abnormalities (Q00-Q99)..... | 99 | 132.2 | 16.2 | 75 | 100.2 | 17.2 | 24 | 32.1 | 13.7 |
| 3 | Sudden infant death syndrome (R95)..... | 56 | 74.8 | 9.2 | 7 | ** | 1.6 | 49 | 65.5 | 28.0 |
| 4 | Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy (P01)..... | 56 | 74.8 | 9.2 | 56 | 74.8 | 12.9 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 5 | Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes (P02)..... | 29 | 38.7 | 4.8 | 29 | 38.7 | 6.7 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 6 | Respiratory distress of newborn (P22)..... | 24 | 32.1 | 3.9 | 23 | 30.7 | 5.3 | 1 | ** | 0.6 |
| 7 | Bacterial sepsis of newborn (P36)..... | 19 | 25.4 | 3.1 | 15 | 20.0 | 3.4 | 4 | ** | 2.3 |
| 8 | Necrotizing enterocolitis of newborn (P77)..... | 16 | 21.4 | 2.6 | 7 | 9.4 | 1.6 | 9 | 12.0 | 5.1 |
| 9 | Accidents (V01-X59, Y85-Y86)..... | 12 | 16.0 | 2.0 | 2 | ** | 0.5 | 10 | 13.4 | 5.7 |
| 9 | Diseases of circulatory system (I00-I99)..... | 12 | 16.0 | 2.0 | 5 | 6.7 | 1.1 | 7 | 9.4 | 4.0 |
| | All other causes (residual)..... | 149 | 199.0 | 24.4 | 81 | 108.2 | 18.6 | 68 | 90.8 | 38.9 |
| | All causes..... | 610 | 814.8 | 100.0 | 435 | 581.0 | 100.0 | 175 | 233.8 | 100.0 |
| WHITE | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Congenital abnormalities (Q00-Q99)..... | 51 | 116.1 | 21.6 | 36 | 81.9 | 22.0 | 15 | 34.1 | 20.8 |
| 2 | Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birth weight (P07)..... | 50 | 113.8 | 21.2 | 50 | 113.8 | 30.5 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 3 | Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy (P01)..... | 22 | 50.1 | 9.3 | 22 | 50.1 | 13.4 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 4 | Sudden infant death syndrome (R95)..... | 21 | 47.8 | 8.9 | 3 | ** | 1.8 | 18 | 41.0 | 25.0 |
| 5 | Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes (P02)..... | 9 | 20.5 | 3.8 | 9 | 20.5 | 5.5 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 6 | Necrotizing enterocolitis of newborn (P77)..... | 8 | 18.2 | 3.4 | 4 | ** | 2.4 | 4 | ** | 5.6 |
| 7 | Atelectasis (P28-P281)..... | 5 | 11.4 | 2.1 | 4 | ** | 2.4 | 1 | ** | 1.4 |
| 8 | Bacterial sepsis of newborn (P36)..... | 4 | ** | 1.7 | 3 | ** | 1.8 | 1 | ** | 1.4 |
| 8 | Diseases of circulatory system (I00-I99)..... | 4 | ** | 1.7 | 2 | ** | 1.2 | 2 | ** | 2.8 |
| 10 | Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09)..... | 3 | ** | 1.3 | 0 | ** | 0.0 | 4 | ** | 5.6 |
| | All other causes (residual)..... | 59 | 134.3 | 25.0 | 31 | 70.5 | 18.9 | 27 | 61.4 | 37.5 |
| | All causes..... | 236 | 537.1 | 100.0 | 164 | 373.2 | 100.0 | 72 | 163.9 | 100.0 |
| BLACK | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | Disorders relating to short gestation and unspecified low birth weight (P07)..... | 87 | 358.9 | 24.4 | 84 | 346.5 | 32.8 | 3 | ** | 3.0 |
| 2 | Congenital abnormalities (Q00-Q99)..... | 41 | 169.1 | 11.5 | 32 | 132.0 | 12.5 | 9 | 37.1 | 9.0 |
| 3 | Sudden infant death syndrome (R95)..... | 35 | 144.4 | 9.8 | 4 | ** | 1.6 | 31 | 127.9 | 31.0 |
| 4 | Newborn affected by maternal complications of pregnancy (P01)..... | 32 | 132.0 | 9.0 | 32 | 132.0 | 12.5 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 5 | Newborn affected by complications of placenta, cord and membranes (P02)..... | 20 | 82.5 | 5.6 | 20 | 82.5 | 7.8 | 0 | ** | 0.0 |
| 6 | Respiratory distress of newborn (P22)..... | 20 | 82.5 | 5.6 | 19 | 78.4 | 7.4 | 1 | ** | 1.0 |
| 7 | Bacterial sepsis of newborn (P36)..... | 15 | 61.9 | 4.2 | 12 | 49.5 | 4.7 | 3 | ** | 3.0 |
| 8 | Necrotizing enterocolitis of newborn (P77)..... | 8 | 33.0 | 2.2 | 3 | ** | 1.2 | 5 | 20.6 | 5.0 |
| 8 | Accidents (V01-X59, Y85-Y86)..... | 8 | 10.7 | 2.2 | 1 | ** | 0.4 | 7 | 28.9 | 7.0 |
| 8 | Neonatal hemorrhage (P50-P52, P54)..... | 8 | 10.7 | 2.2 | 6 | 24.7 | 2.3 | 2 | ** | 2.0 |
| | All other causes (residual)..... | 82 | 338.2 | 23.0 | 43 | 177.4 | 16.8 | 39 | 160.9 | 39.0 |
| | All causes..... | 356 | 1468.4 | 100.0 | 256 | 1055.9 | 100.0 | 100 | 412.5 | 100.0 |

*Per 100,000 live born infants in specified group.

**Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are likely to be unstable.

**TABLE 35. FETAL DEATHS AND FETAL DEATH RATES BY RACE,
REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER OF FETAL DEATHS | | | FETAL DEATH RATES* | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK |
| MARYLAND..... | 637 | 268 | 344 | 8.4 | 6.1 | 14.0 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 42 | 32 | 9 | 7.2 | 6.1 | 24.2 |
| GARRETT..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | ** | ** | ** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 3 | 2 | 1 | ** | ** | ** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 20 | 16 | 4 | 11.7 | 10.1 | ** |
| FREDERICK..... | 18 | 13 | 4 | 5.8 | 4.8 | ** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 287 | 121 | 158 | 8.4 | 5.8 | 14.1 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 119 | 20 | 99 | 13.0 | 8.2 | 15.3 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 70 | 36 | 32 | 7.4 | 5.9 | 12.0 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 43 | 31 | 10 | 6.2 | 5.5 | 9.7 |
| CARROLL..... | 7 | 7 | 0 | 3.6 | 3.7 | ** |
| HOWARD..... | 28 | 14 | 11 | 7.8 | 5.6 | 17.6 |
| HARFORD..... | 20 | 13 | 6 | 6.8 | 5.3 | 15.5 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 245 | 77 | 153 | 9.3 | 7.0 | 13.8 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 105 | 60 | 33 | 7.7 | 7.2 | 12.3 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 140 | 17 | 120 | 11.0 | 6.5 | 14.3 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 25 | 15 | 10 | 5.8 | 4.8 | 9.9 |
| CALVERT..... | 5 | 3 | 2 | 4.7 | ** | ** |
| CHARLES..... | 16 | 9 | 7 | 8.4 | 8.0 | 10.3 |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 4 | 3 | 1 | ** | ** | ** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 38 | 23 | 14 | 7.7 | 5.9 | 15.0 |
| CECIL..... | 11 | 9 | 2 | 8.9 | 8.0 | ** |
| KENT..... | 2 | 2 | 0 | ** | ** | ** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 3 | 2 | 0 | ** | ** | ** |
| CAROLINE..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | ** | ** | ** |
| TALBOT..... | 2 | 2 | 0 | ** | ** | ** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | ** | ** | ** |
| WICOMICO..... | 13 | 6 | 7 | 10.9 | 7.3 | 20.1 |
| SOMERSET..... | 0 | 0 | 0 | ** | ** | ** |
| WORCESTER..... | 4 | 1 | 3 | ** | ** | ** |

*Fetal death rates are per 1,000 total deliveries (live births plus fetal deaths).

**Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are likely to be unstable.

**TABLE 35A. PERINATAL DEATHS AND PERINATAL DEATH RATES BY RACE,
REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER OF PERINATAL DEATHS* | | | PERINATAL DEATH RATES** | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------------------------|-------|-------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK |
| MARYLAND..... | 621 | 262 | 339 | 8.3 | 5.9 | 13.9 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 37 | 29 | 7 | 6.4 | 5.5 | 19.1 |
| GARRETT..... | 3 | 3 | 0 | *** | *** | *** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 5 | 3 | 2 | 7.4 | *** | *** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 14 | 12 | 2 | 8.3 | 7.6 | *** |
| FREDERICK..... | 15 | 11 | 3 | 4.8 | 4.1 | *** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 283 | 115 | 164 | 8.4 | 5.5 | 14.7 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 116 | 13 | 103 | 12.7 | 5.4 | 16.1 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 66 | 34 | 32 | 7.0 | 5.6 | 12.1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 49 | 30 | 17 | 7.1 | 5.3 | 16.6 |
| CARROLL..... | 9 | 9 | 0 | 4.6 | 4.8 | *** |
| HOWARD..... | 21 | 10 | 9 | 5.9 | 4.0 | 14.6 |
| HARFORD..... | 22 | 19 | 3 | 7.5 | 7.8 | *** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 238 | 84 | 142 | 9.1 | 7.7 | 13.0 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 96 | 60 | 27 | 7.1 | 7.2 | 10.2 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 142 | 24 | 115 | 11.2 | 9.2 | 13.9 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 31 | 17 | 14 | 7.2 | 5.4 | 14.0 |
| CALVERT..... | 6 | 3 | 3 | 5.7 | *** | *** |
| CHARLES..... | 15 | 8 | 7 | 7.9 | 7.1 | 10.4 |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 10 | 6 | 4 | 7.4 | 5.4 | *** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 32 | 17 | 12 | 6.5 | 4.4 | 13.0 |
| CECIL..... | 8 | 8 | 0 | 6.5 | 7.1 | *** |
| KENT..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | *** | *** | *** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 2 | 1 | 0 | *** | *** | *** |
| CAROLINE..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | *** | *** | *** |
| TALBOT..... | 4 | 2 | 1 | *** | *** | *** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | *** | *** | *** |
| WICOMICO..... | 10 | 4 | 6 | 8.4 | *** | 17.4 |
| SOMERSET..... | 1 | 0 | 0 | *** | *** | *** |
| WORCESTER..... | 3 | 1 | 2 | *** | *** | *** |

*Perinatal deaths are fetal deaths occurring at 28 or more weeks gestation plus infant deaths occurring among infants under seven days of age.

**Per 1000 fetal deaths of 28 or more weeks gestation plus infant deaths under seven days of age.

***Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are likely to be unstable.

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**TABLE 36. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY RACE,
MARYLAND, SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.**

| YEAR | NUMBER OF DEATHS | | | DEATH RATES* | | |
|-----------|------------------|--------|--------|--------------|-------|-------|
| | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK | TOTAL | WHITE | BLACK |
| 1940..... | 21,883 | 16,943 | - | 11.9 | 11.1 | - |
| 1950..... | 22,450 | 17,811 | - | 9.0 | 8.7 | - |
| 1960..... | 27,992 | 22,447 | - | 9.0 | 8.7 | - |
| 1970..... | 32,790 | 26,290 | 6,448 | 8.3 | 8.2 | 9.2 |
| 1980..... | 34,025 | 26,828 | 7,056 | 8.1 | 8.5 | 7.3 |
| 1990..... | 38,384 | 28,897 | 9,172 | 8.0 | 8.4 | 7.6 |
| 1994..... | 40,939 | 29,839 | 10,508 | 8.2 | 8.5 | 8.0 |
| 1995..... | 41,681 | 30,274 | 10,953 | 8.3 | 8.7 | 8.1 |
| 1996..... | 41,903 | 30,415 | 11,052 | 8.3 | 8.7 | 8.0 |
| 1997..... | 41,681 | 30,303 | 10,878 | 8.2 | 8.7 | 7.8 |
| 1998..... | 41,970 | 30,449 | 11,003 | 8.2 | 8.7 | 7.7 |
| 1999..... | 42,908 | 31,100 | 11,236 | 8.3 | 8.9 | 7.7 |
| 2000..... | 43,602 | 31,603 | 11,349 | 8.2 | 8.9 | 7.5 |
| 2001..... | 43,673 | 31,523 | 11,528 | 8.1 | 8.8 | 7.4 |
| 2002..... | 43,917 | 31,583 | 11,720 | 8.0 | 8.7 | 7.5 |
| 2003..... | 44,364 | 31,853 | 11,838 | 8.1 | 8.7 | 7.5 |

*Per 1,000 population.

TABLE 37. DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.¹

| TOTAL | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 954.5 | 951.9 | 939.5 | 917.4 | 904.9 | 907.2 | 905.9 | 890.2 | 863.1 | 850.4 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 820.7 | 829.1 | 828.1 | 818.2 | 817.4 | 829.7 | 823.2 | 810.9 | 804.6 | 805.3 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 885.6 | 869.7 | 845.0 | 875.5 | 877.2 | 836.8 | 789.7 | 804.4 | 729.1 | 830.4 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 37.6 | 41.2 | 37.1 | 33.1 | 31.1 | 30.1 | 28.5 | 34.6 | 30.4 | 26.5 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 22.4 | 21.4 | 20.2 | 19.2 | 15.8 | 16.9 | 17.4 | 17.0 | 15.7 | 16.6 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 104.7 | 105.4 | 101.2 | 94.6 | 93.4 | 95.6 | 91.6 | 92.6 | 94.7 | 101.5 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 168.9 | 169.6 | 153.8 | 126.1 | 125.4 | 120.5 | 116.2 | 121.1 | 116.8 | 117.8 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 262.7 | 285.2 | 248.5 | 230.2 | 217.9 | 222.7 | 223.4 | 226.0 | 224.1 | 222.5 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 467.9 | 470.0 | 456.9 | 445.0 | 439.8 | 452.0 | 445.1 | 435.7 | 453.4 | 446.0 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 1,179.8 | 1,161.1 | 1,146.8 | 1,113.0 | 1,099.1 | 1,056.7 | 993.0 | 940.9 | 942.7 | 903.1 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 2,659.6 | 2,650.8 | 2,657.5 | 2,608.7 | 2,546.0 | 2,528.9 | 2,519.3 | 2,412.3 | 2,341.1 | 2,328.6 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 6,167.3 | 6,102.7 | 6,025.1 | 5,923.0 | 5,896.9 | 5,869.0 | 5,898.0 | 5,703.4 | 5,681.9 | 5,560.0 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 15,384.3 | 15,289.7 | 15,493.8 | 15,349.4 | 15,192.6 | 15,630.5 | 16,027.9 | 16,297.4 | 14,889.2 | 14,622.9 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 37 (continued). DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, SELECTED YEARS, 1994-2003.¹

| WHITE | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 880.6 | 879.1 | 867.4 | 849.5 | 839.7 | 842.8 | 849.2 | 834.5 | 809.0 | 797.0 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 855.9 | 867.4 | 872.2 | 868.9 | 873.2 | 890.6 | 893.0 | 880.4 | 872.8 | 873.1 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 591.9 | 603.4 | 579.8 | 516.4 | 554.6 | 520.2 | 501.4 | 540.3 | 515.5 | 530.0 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 26.8 | 32.1 | 20.4 | 22.9 | 21.1 | 21.1 | 24.5 | 25.4 | 27.0 | 20.2 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 18.4 | 16.8 | 15.1 | 13.2 | 11.1 | 12.6 | 13.8 | 12.8 | 9.5 | 13.1 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 70.9 | 72.9 | 67.2 | 63.1 | 61.4 | 72.3 | 73.4 | 73.1 | 76.5 | 74.1 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 102.4 | 108.0 | 92.2 | 84.8 | 81.6 | 89.0 | 75.2 | 83.6 | 85.0 | 91.0 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 166.7 | 187.4 | 153.8 | 159.5 | 147.0 | 154.2 | 161.3 | 162.1 | 168.0 | 167.9 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 368.7 | 364.7 | 360.9 | 356.0 | 340.0 | 360.8 | 351.4 | 348.3 | 354.7 | 352.2 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 1,058.4 | 1,042.5 | 1,012.0 | 983.7 | 951.3 | 910.8 | 870.7 | 809.8 | 828.8 | 776.8 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 2,497.7 | 2,475.6 | 2,525.5 | 2,420.1 | 2,426.3 | 2,389.0 | 2,362.7 | 2,319.0 | 2,209.2 | 2,223.3 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 6,029.9 | 5,958.7 | 5,844.6 | 5,790.1 | 5,754.4 | 5,705.2 | 5,789.0 | 5,565.7 | 5,580.9 | 5,465.2 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 15,479.9 | 15,509.8 | 15,695.0 | 15,456.4 | 15,387.2 | 15,713.5 | 16,333.0 | 16,480.0 | 15,039.7 | 14,803.5 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 37 (continued). DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.¹

| BLACK | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 1,227.6 | 1,236.5 | 1,224.6 | 1,183.8 | 1,161.8 | 1,164.9 | 1,120.3 | 1,107.6 | 1,086.9 | 1,069.6 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 799.8 | 815.9 | 806.0 | 778.8 | 770.4 | 772.6 | 752.9 | 743.9 | 749.3 | 750.9 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 1,571.2 | 1,505.0 | 1,481.8 | 1,641.9 | 1,601.2 | 1,401.0 | 1,370.5 | 1,360.7 | 1,149.3 | 1,406.0 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 66.2 | 63.7 | 70.0 | 55.8 | 50.9 | 44.1 | 40.5 | 50.2 | 35.2 | 39.7 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 31.9 | 32.5 | 31.9 | 33.3 | 26.4 | 26.8 | 23.2 | 25.8 | 26.7 | 23.8 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 186.0 | 180.3 | 178.1 | 167.6 | 165.7 | 153.3 | 136.6 | 137.0 | 139.1 | 162.4 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 332.7 | 325.6 | 304.4 | 225.6 | 226.8 | 196.7 | 211.5 | 208.9 | 199.8 | 188.0 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 528.4 | 564.0 | 512.1 | 428.7 | 404.2 | 404.7 | 393.5 | 395.9 | 381.4 | 373.4 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 818.1 | 843.7 | 792.0 | 752.5 | 765.1 | 750.3 | 737.9 | 719.7 | 758.3 | 740.0 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 1,689.1 | 1,659.4 | 1,702.8 | 1,636.3 | 1,696.9 | 1,611.7 | 1,462.5 | 1,449.5 | 1,403.6 | 1,397.5 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 3,546.6 | 3,620.9 | 3,433.0 | 3,559.9 | 3,217.1 | 3,214.5 | 3,335.8 | 2,965.0 | 3,066.2 | 2,956.2 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 7,073.7 | 7,186.4 | 7,345.2 | 6,921.1 | 7,009.5 | 7,146.5 | 6,757.8 | 6,769.9 | 6,629.2 | 6,511.8 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 14,942.1 | 14,615.0 | 15,151.9 | 15,474.9 | 15,191.1 | 16,181.3 | 15,073.0 | 15,971.5 | 14,981.4 | 14,627.1 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 37 (continued). DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.¹

| WHITE MALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 1,084.4 | 1,083.8 | 1,072.0 | 1,024.8 | 1,005.1 | 1,011.8 | 1,008.0 | 991.0 | 955.7 | 946.9 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 850.7 | 859.9 | 865.1 | 844.5 | 845.3 | 863.2 | 862.1 | 856.7 | 849.5 | 859.2 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 627.8 | 669.3 | 643.5 | 531.7 | 628.2 | 624.1 | 499.5 | 595.5 | 581.3 | 609.3 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 27.8 | 30.7 | 20.4 | 23.4 | 17.1 | 19.4 | 26.6 | 31.5 | 28.6 | 17.6 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 23.1 | 21.4 | 17.7 | 13.9 | 15.8 | 17.3 | 16.5 | 12.4 | 12.5 | 15.4 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 101.5 | 102.9 | 88.8 | 80.9 | 89.1 | 101.7 | 109.4 | 101.2 | 105.1 | 99.2 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 149.8 | 155.8 | 127.4 | 117.7 | 113.4 | 118.7 | 105.2 | 121.7 | 117.5 | 131.1 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 232.8 | 261.8 | 199.5 | 219.5 | 192.2 | 207.0 | 220.6 | 210.8 | 219.5 | 223.5 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 471.9 | 456.5 | 458.9 | 448.5 | 426.6 | 454.3 | 439.7 | 451.2 | 445.5 | 449.0 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 1,330.1 | 1,275.5 | 1,249.5 | 1,190.1 | 1,153.5 | 1,112.6 | 1,040.3 | 966.1 | 1,036.8 | 949.2 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 3,190.4 | 3,087.0 | 3,232.5 | 3,070.8 | 3,000.5 | 2,961.0 | 2,921.7 | 2,834.7 | 2,625.2 | 2,686.0 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 7,495.3 | 7,387.0 | 7,292.3 | 6,962.0 | 6,899.9 | 6,884.0 | 6,901.0 | 6,679.4 | 6,679.6 | 6,649.9 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 17,545.8 | 18,301.9 | 18,447.1 | 17,539.1 | 17,311.7 | 17,614.1 | 18,024.9 | 18,220.1 | 16,418.8 | 16,021.3 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 37 (continued). DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.¹

| WHITE FEMALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 733.5 | 735.1 | 723.4 | 721.7 | 718.0 | 717.3 | 730.8 | 717.2 | 696.5 | 681.1 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 860.9 | 874.6 | 879.2 | 892.8 | 900.2 | 917.1 | 922.7 | 903.3 | 895.1 | 886.4 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 552.0 | 534.7 | 512.6 | 499.6 | 476.7 | 411.1 | 503.3 | 482.9 | 446.9 | 448.0 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 25.8 | 33.6 | 20.5 | 22.5 | 25.3 | 23.1 | 22.2 | 18.9 | 25.4 | 23.0 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 13.5 | 11.9 | 12.4 | 12.4 | 6.1 | 7.7 | 11.0 | 13.1 | 6.4 | 10.7 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 38.8 | 41.3 | 44.3 | 44.0 | 32.2 | 41.4 | 35.5 | 43.4 | 46.1 | 47.1 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 53.9 | 58.8 | 55.9 | 50.8 | 49.3 | 58.8 | 45.6 | 45.7 | 52.6 | 50.9 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 100.1 | 112.1 | 107.5 | 98.5 | 101.4 | 100.8 | 102.4 | 113.9 | 117.0 | 112.8 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 264.8 | 272.0 | 261.5 | 261.7 | 252.0 | 265.8 | 265.2 | 248.0 | 266.3 | 258.1 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 799.4 | 819.7 | 783.9 | 784.8 | 755.8 | 714.7 | 708.8 | 659.9 | 629.9 | 612.0 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 1,950.5 | 1,988.2 | 1,958.7 | 1,894.5 | 1,961.3 | 1,920.0 | 1,895.9 | 1,880.5 | 1,855.3 | 1,830.0 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 5,131.7 | 5,065.9 | 4,925.9 | 5,036.4 | 5,009.3 | 4,943.4 | 5,073.3 | 4,835.7 | 4,858.6 | 4,688.0 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 14,775.7 | 14,542.5 | 14,723.1 | 14,705.6 | 14,665.8 | 14,987.5 | 15,665.2 | 15,785.1 | 14,456.6 | 14,255.4 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 37 (continued). DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.¹

| BLACK MALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 1,593.4 | 1,597.0 | 1,571.3 | 1,470.9 | 1,432.5 | 1,416.6 | 1,410.9 | 1,390.6 | 1,335.6 | 1,321.2 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 952.8 | 979.8 | 949.3 | 895.8 | 874.8 | 867.1 | 832.7 | 826.0 | 815.0 | 829.2 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 1,793.9 | 1,633.0 | 1,662.2 | 1,846.9 | 1,757.1 | 1,520.2 | 1,515.8 | 1,347.2 | 1,168.2 | 1,562.9 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 75.9 | 58.8 | 85.5 | 53.1 | 56.8 | 50.2 | 25.3 | 57.7 | 24.5 | 46.3 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 37.1 | 32.6 | 36.4 | 38.6 | 35.0 | 33.8 | 28.4 | 28.7 | 31.5 | 30.9 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 307.4 | 299.3 | 289.9 | 275.7 | 261.5 | 267.0 | 230.4 | 223.8 | 239.3 | 265.2 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 490.7 | 497.2 | 451.0 | 335.4 | 329.2 | 290.4 | 316.2 | 312.1 | 285.6 | 260.7 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 799.7 | 892.6 | 725.0 | 616.0 | 576.1 | 556.2 | 508.1 | 535.9 | 503.2 | 496.5 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 1,182.1 | 1,180.6 | 1,104.5 | 1,018.0 | 1,055.7 | 1,063.9 | 992.0 | 984.3 | 998.7 | 1,005.2 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 2,164.7 | 2,148.7 | 2,332.0 | 2,125.0 | 2,106.1 | 2,088.9 | 1,902.5 | 1,872.2 | 1,803.6 | 1,834.2 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 4,362.3 | 4,658.4 | 4,287.7 | 4,554.4 | 4,007.3 | 3,876.3 | 4,157.6 | 3,663.5 | 3,797.3 | 3,759.2 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 9,151.3 | 9,177.8 | 9,181.8 | 8,692.1 | 8,754.3 | 8,688.7 | 8,400.5 | 8,515.4 | 8,095.5 | 7,886.2 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 17,612.1 | 15,898.3 | 17,526.6 | 15,461.2 | 15,613.4 | 16,103.4 | 17,797.6 | 18,330.6 | 16,381.9 | 15,622.1 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 37 (continued). DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR ALL CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE, SEX, AND AGE, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.¹

| BLACK FEMALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| ALL AGES, AGE ADJUSTED | 965.6 | 969.4 | 972.5 | 964.9 | 957.5 | 971.2 | 924.6 | 914.4 | 912.1 | 888.7 |
| ALL AGES, CRUDE | 663.2 | 670.0 | 678.4 | 674.7 | 677.6 | 688.4 | 682.8 | 671.7 | 691.4 | 682.1 |
| UNDER 1 YEAR | 1,337.6 | 1,365.7 | 1,297.6 | 1,432.0 | 1,441.2 | 1,278.5 | 1,221.8 | 1,374.4 | 1,129.4 | 1,242.4 |
| 1-4 YEARS | 56.2 | 68.6 | 54.1 | 58.6 | 44.9 | 37.9 | 56.2 | 42.5 | 46.3 | 33.0 |
| 5-14 YEARS | 26.5 | 32.4 | 27.3 | 27.9 | 17.5 | 19.5 | 17.8 | 22.8 | 21.7 | 16.4 |
| 15-24 YEARS | 65.8 | 62.0 | 67.4 | 60.3 | 71.4 | 41.3 | 47.0 | 52.5 | 40.1 | 60.0 |
| 25-34 YEARS | 195.8 | 177.7 | 178.1 | 130.9 | 138.9 | 116.0 | 122.6 | 120.9 | 126.5 | 125.5 |
| 35-44 YEARS | 304.1 | 291.6 | 334.6 | 272.3 | 259.7 | 277.2 | 297.2 | 277.9 | 279.4 | 270.5 |
| 45-54 YEARS | 510.7 | 561.5 | 531.2 | 532.3 | 523.2 | 488.8 | 534.9 | 508.7 | 566.3 | 528.1 |
| 55-64 YEARS | 1,296.5 | 1,255.5 | 1,184.0 | 1,233.1 | 1,361.6 | 1,222.8 | 1,105.9 | 1,108.6 | 1,084.2 | 1,050.4 |
| 65-74 YEARS | 2,938.0 | 2,840.8 | 2,785.0 | 2,805.2 | 2,618.7 | 2,709.1 | 2,739.8 | 2,454.5 | 2,533.8 | 2,373.1 |
| 75-84 YEARS | 5,882.4 | 6,029.2 | 6,256.4 | 5,858.2 | 5,940.6 | 6,225.4 | 5,837.4 | 5,770.9 | 5,794.6 | 5,739.6 |
| 85 YEARS & OVER | 13,880.3 | 14,104.5 | 14,204.0 | 15,480.5 | 15,022.3 | 16,213.9 | 14,136.4 | 15,132.9 | 14,477.0 | 14,252.1 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

TABLE 38. AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| ALL RACES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ALL CAUSES | 954.5 | 951.9 | 939.5 | 917.4 | 904.9 | 907.2 | 905.9 | 890.2 | 863.1 | 850.4 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 287.4 | 277.9 | 272.2 | 266.8 | 258.6 | 258.5 | 260.1 | 254.5 | 238.4 | 233.8 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 232.4 | 230.3 | 226.1 | 220.9 | 218.7 | 211.0 | 208.8 | 204.3 | 201.4 | 194.3 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 66.1 | 67.0 | 66.0 | 63.1 | 62.1 | 62.4 | 63.0 | 60.5 | 56.5 | 53.3 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 41.4 | 39.1 | 42.0 | 42.4 | 39.3 | 41.7 | 40.8 | 39.3 | 39.0 | 38.7 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 31.2 | 31.1 | 32.0 | 30.7 | 31.2 | 29.7 | 31.3 | 29.0 | 29.7 | 27.7 |
| ACCIDENTS | 29.6 | 30.0 | 30.8 | 29.0 | 28.3 | 25.0 | 21.9 | 25.2 | 24.8 | 26.5 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 11.3 | 11.6 | 11.2 | 10.8 | 10.5 | 10.8 | 11.1 | 12.5 | 12.9 | 12.8 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 20.8 | 23.0 | 24.0 | 23.5 | 25.8 | 25.3 | 24.0 | 20.2 | 23.0 | 23.3 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 17.3 | 17.6 | 17.0 | 18.0 | 19.2 | 20.7 | 20.0 | 20.2 | 20.1 | 21.0 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 15.2 | 16.1 | 16.5 | 16.5 | 15.4 | 15.2 | 17.9 | 21.0 | 17.9 | 17.2 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 24.2 | 25.4 | 20.6 | 11.4 | 9.8 | 10.7 | 9.9 | 10.0 | 10.5 | 11.1 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 13.7 | 13.5 | 13.5 | 13.0 | 11.9 | 12.2 | 12.2 | 12.0 | 12.5 | 11.2 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 12.5 | 12.4 | 11.8 | 10.7 | 11.1 | 10.1 | 9.6 | 9.5 | 10.0 | 10.2 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 9.3 | 9.2 | 9.3 | 8.7 | 9.2 | 9.5 | 8.6 | 8.9 | 8.1 | 7.9 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 10.5 | 10.0 | 9.9 | 10.1 | 9.6 | 8.4 | 9.0 | 8.3 | 8.7 | 8.7 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 7.3 | 7.1 | 6.8 | 7.7 | 7.9 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 6.8 | 6.1 | 6.7 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 38 (continued). AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| WHITE | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ALL CAUSES | 880.6 | 879.1 | 867.4 | 849.5 | 839.7 | 842.8 | 849.2 | 834.5 | 809.0 | 797.0 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 278.1 | 271.5 | 263.3 | 254.9 | 247.5 | 247.6 | 249.7 | 244.6 | 229.5 | 223.9 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 220.4 | 218.6 | 217.2 | 209.0 | 210.1 | 203.7 | 201.6 | 196.6 | 194.7 | 186.9 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 61.9 | 63.0 | 62.3 | 59.1 | 58.6 | 58.2 | 59.2 | 57.7 | 54.3 | 49.9 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 43.7 | 42.1 | 44.2 | 45.3 | 41.4 | 45.0 | 44.2 | 43.0 | 42.5 | 42.6 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 26.3 | 24.9 | 26.3 | 25.1 | 25.5 | 23.3 | 25.2 | 23.6 | 24.8 | 22.7 |
| ACCIDENTS | 28.5 | 29.3 | 28.9 | 28.3 | 27.2 | 25.4 | 22.0 | 24.5 | 23.9 | 26.2 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 11.4 | 11.7 | 10.6 | 10.8 | 9.9 | 11.5 | 11.1 | 12.2 | 12.4 | 12.9 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 20.3 | 21.7 | 22.5 | 23.0 | 25.3 | 25.5 | 23.5 | 19.1 | 22.6 | 22.7 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 14.4 | 15.0 | 14.2 | 14.9 | 15.2 | 17.2 | 16.1 | 17.1 | 16.1 | 17.6 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 16.7 | 17.2 | 18.3 | 17.9 | 16.1 | 16.2 | 19.3 | 21.9 | 18.2 | 17.9 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 7.7 | 8.6 | 5.6 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.6 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 11.1 | 10.1 | 10.5 | 10.3 | 9.6 | 9.1 | 9.5 | 9.4 | 9.9 | 8.8 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.3 | 2.5 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 3.0 | 2.4 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 8.1 | 8.3 | 8.4 | 8.3 | 9.0 | 9.1 | 9.1 | 8.9 | 8.5 | 8.3 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 11.3 | 11.2 | 11.3 | 11.9 | 10.8 | 9.7 | 10.7 | 9.9 | 10.3 | 10.6 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.5 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 3.8 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.9 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 38 (continued). AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| BLACK | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| ALL CAUSES | 1,227.6 | 1,236.5 | 1,224.6 | 1,183.8 | 1,161.8 | 1,164.9 | 1,120.3 | 1,107.6 | 1,086.9 | 1,069.6 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 328.1 | 315.1 | 317.3 | 324.6 | 315.9 | 310.5 | 307.3 | 304.7 | 285.1 | 286.2 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 290.4 | 294.3 | 279.0 | 285.0 | 266.3 | 254.6 | 246.0 | 244.2 | 241.8 | 234.3 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 84.2 | 82.3 | 82.0 | 75.7 | 74.2 | 78.7 | 76.7 | 69.7 | 64.0 | 67.0 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 30.7 | 25.4 | 31.7 | 31.7 | 32.4 | 30.1 | 28.2 | 25.7 | 28.2 | 25.5 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 54.2 | 59.1 | 58.4 | 57.3 | 56.9 | 58.1 | 57.1 | 52.5 | 51.5 | 49.9 |
| ACCIDENTS | 34.1 | 34.0 | 37.2 | 31.9 | 31.9 | 26.0 | 21.8 | 28.3 | 27.5 | 27.5 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 12.1 | 11.1 | 13.3 | 11.1 | 12.8 | 9.8 | 11.0 | 13.5 | 14.4 | 13.0 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 21.5 | 28.4 | 29.7 | 25.2 | 28.2 | 24.5 | 25.4 | 24.9 | 25.0 | 25.3 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 30.8 | 29.4 | 30.1 | 31.4 | 35.7 | 37.5 | 37.0 | 33.2 | 37.0 | 36.2 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 8.0 | 11.5 | 7.4 | 9.8 | 13.7 | 11.3 | 12.9 | 18.0 | 18.4 | 14.8 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 69.9 | 73.7 | 62.0 | 36.9 | 31.2 | 33.8 | 31.8 | 31.9 | 33.2 | 34.0 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 25.7 | 28.5 | 27.8 | 25.3 | 22.3 | 26.4 | 23.4 | 22.2 | 23.8 | 21.2 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 33.4 | 33.6 | 32.1 | 29.6 | 30.0 | 27.0 | 25.2 | 24.1 | 25.7 | 27.6 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 12.7 | 11.9 | 12.2 | 10.4 | 10.3 | 10.8 | 7.6 | 8.9 | 7.9 | 7.5 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 8.1 | 6.7 | 6.4 | 5.8 | 6.9 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 4.3 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 14.9 | 14.0 | 14.3 | 15.9 | 15.2 | 12.1 | 12.9 | 12.4 | 10.2 | 12.1 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 38 (continued). AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| WHITE MALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| ALL CAUSES | 1,084.4 | 1,083.8 | 1,072.0 | 1,024.8 | 1,005.1 | 1,011.8 | 1,008.0 | 991.0 | 955.7 | 946.9 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 352.0 | 338.7 | 338.5 | 314.3 | 308.1 | 303.6 | 305.3 | 299.2 | 282.6 | 272.8 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 277.3 | 271.0 | 273.7 | 255.0 | 256.6 | 252.2 | 247.1 | 240.4 | 235.8 | 228.5 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 61.5 | 67.4 | 65.9 | 60.5 | 59.4 | 62.1 | 59.9 | 57.0 | 52.1 | 48.1 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 53.9 | 53.9 | 55.2 | 54.6 | 45.3 | 54.4 | 49.9 | 47.1 | 43.5 | 45.6 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 29.8 | 27.6 | 31.6 | 29.0 | 28.6 | 26.6 | 28.4 | 28.8 | 28.6 | 28.0 |
| ACCIDENTS | 38.5 | 41.4 | 39.0 | 38.2 | 38.4 | 35.0 | 32.0 | 34.6 | 33.8 | 38.7 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 14.8 | 16.4 | 14.6 | 14.3 | 14.2 | 15.6 | 16.4 | 17.1 | 17.0 | 18.9 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 26.0 | 27.4 | 28.6 | 28.8 | 33.7 | 30.3 | 30.3 | 23.5 | 28.9 | 29.3 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 14.4 | 16.8 | 15.7 | 16.2 | 14.8 | 19.3 | 18.1 | 19.8 | 18.3 | 19.1 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 15.2 | 17.8 | 16.3 | 17.8 | 13.3 | 14.3 | 16.0 | 17.8 | 15.2 | 13.6 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 14.1 | 15.1 | 8.9 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 3.3 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 3.7 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 14.0 | 14.9 | 14.0 | 14.4 | 12.2 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 13.4 | 13.4 | 12.1 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 5.4 | 5.1 | 4.2 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.9 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 12.0 | 13.1 | 12.0 | 11.4 | 12.5 | 11.8 | 12.7 | 12.3 | 12.1 | 10.8 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 20.5 | 19.8 | 18.9 | 20.1 | 18.1 | 16.8 | 18.5 | 16.6 | 17.3 | 17.5 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 3.9 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 4.7 | 4.5 | 3.8 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 4.6 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 38 (continued). AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| WHITE FEMALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ALL CAUSES | 733.5 | 735.1 | 723.4 | 721.7 | 718.0 | 717.3 | 730.8 | 717.2 | 696.5 | 681.1 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 223.4 | 220.8 | 209.1 | 209.2 | 201.3 | 203.8 | 207.5 | 203.0 | 188.9 | 186.5 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 186.4 | 188.3 | 182.8 | 180.4 | 180.8 | 173.6 | 172.7 | 168.4 | 167.1 | 158.6 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 60.4 | 59.4 | 59.9 | 56.9 | 57.9 | 55.2 | 57.8 | 56.7 | 54.1 | 50.1 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 39.1 | 36.4 | 38.9 | 40.8 | 39.5 | 39.8 | 41.6 | 41.4 | 42.4 | 40.8 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 23.4 | 23.0 | 22.8 | 22.5 | 23.1 | 20.4 | 22.9 | 19.8 | 21.9 | 18.6 |
| ACCIDENTS | 19.5 | 19.6 | 20.3 | 19.9 | 17.4 | 16.6 | 12.9 | 15.8 | 15.3 | 15.6 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 7.9 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 7.6 | 5.9 | 7.4 | 6.1 | 7.7 | 7.8 | 7.5 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 17.4 | 18.4 | 19.3 | 20.0 | 20.6 | 22.6 | 19.7 | 16.6 | 18.6 | 19.0 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 13.9 | 14.0 | 13.2 | 14.0 | 15.7 | 16.1 | 14.7 | 15.4 | 14.7 | 16.7 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 17.0 | 17.0 | 19.4 | 17.9 | 17.0 | 17.0 | 20.6 | 23.5 | 19.7 | 20.1 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 1.5 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 1.4 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 9.1 | 7.9 | 8.5 | 8.4 | 8.1 | 7.7 | 8.2 | 7.0 | 7.9 | 6.9 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 2.5 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 1.0 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 5.0 | 4.4 | 5.1 | 5.4 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 5.8 | 6.0 | 5.3 | 6.0 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 3.6 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 3.4 | 4.0 | 3.6 | 3.9 | 4.3 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 4.3 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 4.4 | 3.0 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 3.1 | 3.2 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 38 (continued). AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| BLACK MALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| ALL CAUSES | 1,593.4 | 1,597.0 | 1,571.3 | 1,470.9 | 1,432.5 | 1,416.6 | 1,410.9 | 1,390.6 | 1,335.6 | 1,321.2 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 407.3 | 382.2 | 389.2 | 383.4 | 381.7 | 351.1 | 376.1 | 365.8 | 338.7 | 355.1 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 409.6 | 406.4 | 389.4 | 390.4 | 343.9 | 339.3 | 332.5 | 327.2 | 316.7 | 299.6 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 95.5 | 92.5 | 91.4 | 76.9 | 80.5 | 84.2 | 78.3 | 80.0 | 65.6 | 66.3 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 43.3 | 37.0 | 42.6 | 46.3 | 41.2 | 44.6 | 38.0 | 33.2 | 36.3 | 32.2 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 51.5 | 59.1 | 58.8 | 54.9 | 52.3 | 57.8 | 60.4 | 54.3 | 50.6 | 54.2 |
| ACCIDENTS | 47.3 | 42.5 | 49.4 | 41.4 | 44.5 | 39.8 | 33.1 | 44.3 | 42.7 | 42.3 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 19.6 | 16.3 | 21.0 | 16.1 | 19.0 | 14.6 | 16.4 | 21.4 | 21.8 | 20.8 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 28.2 | 37.9 | 38.4 | 31.6 | 37.2 | 29.8 | 36.7 | 30.3 | 35.3 | 35.6 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 37.1 | 33.4 | 32.6 | 36.3 | 43.4 | 40.9 | 44.4 | 43.9 | 43.7 | 39.3 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 7.9 | 7.1 | 5.4 | 6.0 | 10.1 | 8.6 | 14.4 | 17.9 | 16.1 | 12.1 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 116.6 | 125.8 | 98.9 | 58.7 | 48.3 | 51.7 | 48.7 | 51.1 | 47.5 | 53.4 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 29.0 | 32.5 | 36.8 | 29.0 | 25.2 | 31.4 | 26.5 | 30.5 | 27.1 | 20.6 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 60.5 | 59.5 | 57.3 | 53.7 | 54.1 | 49.9 | 46.7 | 44.0 | 48.2 | 49.6 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 18.6 | 17.2 | 17.1 | 15.8 | 14.7 | 16.9 | 10.7 | 14.1 | 11.0 | 11.1 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 15.0 | 12.3 | 11.1 | 11.1 | 13.5 | 8.7 | 8.9 | 8.5 | 9.0 | 8.2 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 16.4 | 15.3 | 16.3 | 17.4 | 16.7 | 12.8 | 14.7 | 12.6 | 9.6 | 13.7 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 38 (continued). AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR SELECTED CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 1994-2003.^{1,2}

| BLACK FEMALES | 1994 | 1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| ALL CAUSES | 965.6 | 969.4 | 972.5 | 964.9 | 957.5 | 971.2 | 924.6 | 914.4 | 912.1 | 888.7 |
| DISEASES OF THE HEART | 272.4 | 262.7 | 266.7 | 276.5 | 266.6 | 275.1 | 261.4 | 261.5 | 247.1 | 238.5 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 218.6 | 224.7 | 208.0 | 218.8 | 216.7 | 201.0 | 196.4 | 195.8 | 198.4 | 196.2 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 77.4 | 74.7 | 75.7 | 73.4 | 68.9 | 73.7 | 73.7 | 63.7 | 61.9 | 65.7 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 23.6 | 18.9 | 25.4 | 22.7 | 27.2 | 21.6 | 23.9 | 22.4 | 23.7 | 22.0 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 55.3 | 58.6 | 57.7 | 57.0 | 58.5 | 56.8 | 55.1 | 51.0 | 51.7 | 46.8 |
| ACCIDENTS | 21.5 | 23.4 | 22.5 | 22.0 | 19.7 | 15.9 | 13.0 | 15.9 | 15.8 | 15.6 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 6.5 | 6.8 | 6.9 | 7.0 | 7.5 | 5.6 | 6.7 | 6.8 | 8.4 | 6.4 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 17.5 | 22.3 | 23.8 | 21.0 | 22.3 | 21.4 | 18.7 | 21.3 | 18.9 | 18.8 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 26.2 | 26.1 | 27.3 | 28.0 | 30.6 | 34.2 | 33.2 | 27.4 | 31.9 | 33.9 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 7.0 | 12.4 | 7.8 | 10.9 | 14.2 | 12.7 | 12.7 | 17.6 | 19.0 | 16.1 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE | 30.6 | 30.1 | 31.2 | 18.8 | 16.9 | 18.9 | 18.2 | 16.5 | 21.8 | 18.4 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME, AND NEPHROSIS | 22.6 | 26.0 | 22.8 | 22.1 | 20.2 | 23.1 | 21.3 | 17.9 | 21.8 | 21.6 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 9.0 | 9.9 | 9.4 | 7.5 | 8.3 | 6.1 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 5.3 | 7.7 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 8.1 | 7.5 | 8.0 | 6.1 | 6.8 | 5.8 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 5.1 | 4.4 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 2.3 | 1.7 | 2.7 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 1.1 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 13.1 | 12.6 | 12.3 | 14.3 | 13.6 | 11.4 | 11.0 | 12.3 | 10.8 | 10.5 |

¹ Age-adjusted to the projected 2000 U.S. population.

² ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

TABLE 39. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER OF DEATHS | | | | | | DEATH RATES ¹ | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------|--------|--------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--------|--------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | AMERICAN INDIAN | ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER | SOME OTHER RACE | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK |
| MARYLAND | 44,364 | 31,853 | 11,838 | 36 | 618 | 19 | 805.3 | 873.1 | 750.9 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 3,993 | 3,829 | 156 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 879.2 | 919.1 | 523.5 |
| GARRETT | 296 | 295 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 985.1 | 989.9 | 0.0 |
| ALLEGANY | 901 | 875 | 23 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1223.1 | 1265.3 | 570.4 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,358 | 1,304 | 53 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 992.7 | 1051.4 | 472.6 |
| FREDERICK | 1,438 | 1,355 | 80 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 673.0 | 699.8 | 556.0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 23,400 | 16,418 | 6,779 | 13 | 186 | 4 | 909.8 | 936.4 | 938.3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 7,853 | 2,855 | 4,964 | 7 | 26 | 1 | 1249.1 | 1408.2 | 1204.4 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 7,717 | 6,616 | 1,028 | 5 | 67 | 1 | 992.9 | 1158.0 | 589.8 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,567 | 3,107 | 428 | 1 | 30 | 1 | 704.1 | 737.8 | 616.4 |
| CARROLL | 1,283 | 1,248 | 33 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 786.1 | 795.8 | 822.1 |
| HOWARD | 1,327 | 1,090 | 190 | 0 | 47 | 0 | 502.1 | 552.4 | 481.4 |
| HARFORD | 1,653 | 1,502 | 136 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 712.0 | 736.1 | 587.9 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,837 | 6,597 | 3,814 | 15 | 401 | 10 | 616.6 | 736.5 | 548.9 |
| MONTGOMERY | 5,559 | 4,538 | 723 | 7 | 286 | 5 | 605.0 | 698.4 | 510.1 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 5,278 | 2,059 | 3,091 | 8 | 115 | 5 | 629.3 | 837.3 | 558.8 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,013 | 1,614 | 382 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 649.5 | 675.6 | 601.8 |
| CALVERT | 538 | 454 | 83 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 639.6 | 625.5 | 805.0 |
| CHARLES | 844 | 620 | 210 | 5 | 9 | 0 | 634.4 | 703.2 | 514.8 |
| ST MARY'S | 631 | 540 | 89 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 680.3 | 691.1 | 719.6 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,121 | 3,395 | 707 | 2 | 12 | 5 | 992.8 | 987.3 | 1074.4 |
| CECIL | 714 | 692 | 21 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 769.8 | 784.9 | 596.3 |
| KENT | 247 | 206 | 41 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1255.1 | 1257.3 | 1325.1 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 366 | 319 | 47 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 829.8 | 795.2 | 1358.4 |
| CAROLINE | 311 | 259 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1007.7 | 986.1 | 1176.5 |
| TALBOT | 394 | 306 | 84 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1136.4 | 1048.2 | 1653.2 |
| DORCHESTER | 393 | 281 | 111 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1283.8 | 1282.3 | 1326.5 |
| WICOMICO | 832 | 639 | 186 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 952.2 | 979.9 | 916.4 |
| SOMERSET | 291 | 216 | 73 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1143.6 | 1466.7 | 700.0 |
| WORCESTER | 573 | 477 | 94 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1155.1 | 1139.1 | 1287.1 |

¹ Per 100,000 population.

TABLE 39A. NUMBER OF DEATHS BY AGE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND | 44,364 | 610 | 77 | 129 | 753 | 849 | 2,022 | 3,642 | 4,989 | 7,557 | 12,396 | 11,332 | 8 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 3,993 | 32 | 4 | 17 | 45 | 54 | 113 | 266 | 418 | 666 | 1,246 | 1,132 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 296 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 9 | 16 | 31 | 54 | 87 | 88 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 901 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 9 | 25 | 50 | 97 | 134 | 289 | 279 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,358 | 13 | 2 | 5 | 18 | 21 | 32 | 90 | 147 | 238 | 415 | 377 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 1,438 | 10 | 0 | 9 | 14 | 22 | 47 | 110 | 143 | 240 | 455 | 388 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 23,400 | 292 | 34 | 64 | 398 | 459 | 1,182 | 2,018 | 2,654 | 3,944 | 6,582 | 5,767 | 6 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 7,853 | 120 | 14 | 34 | 176 | 217 | 623 | 958 | 1,046 | 1,282 | 1,880 | 1,498 | 5 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 7,717 | 74 | 7 | 6 | 109 | 124 | 250 | 499 | 726 | 1,198 | 2,468 | 2,255 | 1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,567 | 56 | 5 | 11 | 40 | 60 | 137 | 271 | 412 | 717 | 1,007 | 851 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 1,283 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 18 | 12 | 53 | 66 | 117 | 219 | 373 | 413 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 1,327 | 17 | 3 | 7 | 34 | 22 | 59 | 95 | 159 | 224 | 334 | 373 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 1,653 | 17 | 3 | 4 | 21 | 24 | 60 | 129 | 194 | 304 | 520 | 377 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,837 | 223 | 31 | 30 | 216 | 229 | 487 | 909 | 1,213 | 1,788 | 2,838 | 2,871 | 2 |
| MONTGOMERY | 5,559 | 69 | 9 | 11 | 57 | 75 | 175 | 349 | 446 | 780 | 1,630 | 1,958 | 0 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 5,278 | 154 | 22 | 19 | 159 | 154 | 312 | 560 | 767 | 1,008 | 1,208 | 913 | 2 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,013 | 28 | 4 | 8 | 35 | 50 | 114 | 157 | 263 | 367 | 545 | 442 | 0 |
| CALVERT | 538 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 14 | 33 | 44 | 66 | 87 | 144 | 131 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 844 | 14 | 3 | 2 | 14 | 21 | 44 | 70 | 116 | 154 | 243 | 163 | 0 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 631 | 10 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 15 | 37 | 43 | 81 | 126 | 158 | 148 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,121 | 35 | 4 | 10 | 59 | 57 | 126 | 292 | 441 | 792 | 1,185 | 1,120 | 0 |
| CECIL | 714 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 17 | 25 | 52 | 94 | 147 | 181 | 171 | 0 |
| KENT | 247 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 14 | 21 | 36 | 70 | 97 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 366 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 | 29 | 45 | 60 | 116 | 95 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 311 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 22 | 24 | 69 | 103 | 74 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 394 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 22 | 31 | 69 | 128 | 125 | 0 |
| DORCHESTER | 393 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 12 | 31 | 44 | 74 | 98 | 120 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 832 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 16 | 12 | 26 | 65 | 89 | 161 | 241 | 211 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 291 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 7 | 26 | 35 | 58 | 83 | 72 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 573 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 26 | 31 | 58 | 118 | 165 | 155 | 0 |

TABLE 40. DEATHS BY MONTH OF DEATH AND RACE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RACE | ALL DEATHS | MONTH OF DEATH | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | JAN. | FEB. | MAR. | APR. | MAY | JUNE | JULY | AUG. | SEP. | OCT. | NOV. | DEC. |
| ALL RACES | 44,364 | 4,028 | 3,730 | 3,777 | 3,625 | 3,677 | 3,510 | 3,541 | 3,439 | 3,398 | 3,649 | 3,611 | 4,379 |
| WHITE | 31,853 | 2,899 | 2,744 | 2,714 | 2,635 | 2,618 | 2,467 | 2,519 | 2,416 | 2,472 | 2,557 | 2,623 | 3,189 |
| BLACK | 11,838 | 1,084 | 932 | 1,004 | 942 | 1,010 | 980 | 954 | 969 | 878 | 1,020 | 932 | 1,133 |
| ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER | 618 | 41 | 50 | 51 | 44 | 49 | 61 | 63 | 44 | 46 | 69 | 51 | 49 |

TABLE 41. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY AGE, SEX AND RACE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| SEX AND RACE | ALL AGES | NUMBER OF DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|----------|-------------------------|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|
| | | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ALL DEATHS..... | 44,364 | 610 | 77 | 129 | 753 | 849 | 2,022 | 3,642 | 4,989 | 7,557 | 12,396 | 11,332 | 8 |
| WHITE..... | 31,853 | 236 | 36 | 63 | 343 | 407 | 995 | 1,966 | 3,098 | 5,354 | 9,856 | 9,496 | 3 |
| BLACK..... | 11,838 | 356 | 39 | 62 | 389 | 418 | 993 | 1,613 | 1,791 | 2,073 | 2,385 | 1,714 | 5 |
| MALE--ALL DEATHS..... | 21,867 | 351 | 41 | 82 | 570 | 578 | 1,279 | 2,245 | 2,946 | 4,152 | 5,876 | 3,739 | 8 |
| WHITE..... | 15,383 | 138 | 16 | 38 | 238 | 293 | 659 | 1,235 | 1,850 | 2,972 | 4,751 | 3,190 | 3 |
| BLACK..... | 6,120 | 202 | 23 | 41 | 317 | 268 | 601 | 973 | 1,041 | 1,109 | 1,039 | 501 | 5 |
| FEMALE--ALL DEATHS..... | 22,497 | 259 | 36 | 47 | 183 | 271 | 743 | 1,397 | 2,043 | 3,405 | 6,520 | 7,593 | 0 |
| WHITE..... | 16,470 | 98 | 20 | 25 | 105 | 114 | 336 | 731 | 1,248 | 2,382 | 5,105 | 6,306 | 0 |
| BLACK..... | 5,718 | 154 | 16 | 21 | 72 | 150 | 392 | 640 | 750 | 964 | 1,346 | 1,213 | 0 |

| DEATH RATES* BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------|--------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| ALL DEATHS..... | 805.3 | 830.4 | 26.5 | 16.6 | 101.5 | 117.8 | 222.5 | 446.0 | 903.1 | 2328.5 | 5560.0 | 14622.9 |
| WHITE..... | 873.1 | 530.0 | 20.2 | 13.1 | 74.1 | 91.0 | 167.9 | 352.2 | 776.8 | 2223.3 | 5465.2 | 14803.5 |
| BLACK..... | 750.9 | 1406.0 | 39.7 | 23.8 | 162.4 | 188.0 | 373.4 | 740.0 | 1397.5 | 2956.2 | 6511.8 | 14627.1 |
| MALE--ALL DEATHS..... | 820.3 | 938.9 | 27.7 | 20.6 | 150.2 | 164.7 | 291.0 | 575.1 | 1117.0 | 2832.2 | 6743.3 | 15799.0 |
| WHITE..... | 859.2 | 609.3 | 17.6 | 15.4 | 99.2 | 131.1 | 223.5 | 449.0 | 949.2 | 2685.9 | 6649.9 | 16021.3 |
| BLACK..... | 829.2 | 1562.9 | 46.3 | 30.9 | 265.2 | 260.6 | 496.5 | 1005.2 | 1834.2 | 3759.2 | 7886.1 | 15622.1 |
| FEMALE--ALL DEATHS..... | 791.2 | 717.9 | 25.2 | 12.4 | 50.5 | 73.3 | 158.3 | 327.8 | 707.7 | 1913.6 | 4800.8 | 14105.8 |
| WHITE..... | 886.4 | 448.0 | 23.0 | 10.7 | 47.1 | 50.9 | 112.8 | 258.1 | 612.0 | 1830.0 | 4688.0 | 14255.4 |
| BLACK..... | 682.1 | 1242.4 | 33.0 | 16.4 | 60.0 | 125.5 | 270.5 | 528.1 | 1050.4 | 2373.1 | 5739.6 | 14252.1 |

*Per 100,000 population.

TABLE 42. DEATHS AND DEATH RATES FOR FIFTEEN LEADING CAUSES BY SEX AND RACE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| RANK* | CAUSES OF DEATH** | NUMBER OF DEATHS | | | | | | | | |
|-------|--|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| | | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
| | | TOTAL | MALE | FEMALE | TOTAL | MALE | FEMALE | TOTAL | MALE | FEMALE |
| | All causes..... | 44,364 | 21,867 | 22,497 | 31,853 | 15,383 | 16,470 | 11,838 | 6,120 | 5,718 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 12,071 | 5,871 | 6,200 | 9,041 | 4,347 | 4,694 | 2,885 | 1,434 | 1,451 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 10,251 | 5,201 | 5,050 | 7,486 | 3,842 | 3,644 | 2,576 | 1,270 | 1,306 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Disease..... | 2,725 | 1,019 | 1,706 | 2,023 | 735 | 1,288 | 659 | 262 | 397 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 1,973 | 856 | 1,117 | 1,704 | 725 | 979 | 255 | 120 | 135 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 1,442 | 703 | 739 | 911 | 466 | 445 | 509 | 227 | 282 |
| 6. | Accidents..... | 1,431 | 966 | 465 | 987 | 659 | 328 | 397 | 276 | 121 |
| 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 1,184 | 583 | 601 | 918 | 435 | 483 | 252 | 138 | 114 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 1,091 | 468 | 623 | 707 | 303 | 404 | 370 | 161 | 209 |
| 9. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 858 | 235 | 623 | 730 | 200 | 530 | 118 | 31 | 87 |
| 10. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 637 | 446 | 191 | 97 | 70 | 27 | 537 | 375 | 162 |
| 11. | Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome, and Nephrosis..... | 578 | 275 | 303 | 354 | 187 | 167 | 215 | 81 | 134 |
| 12. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 555 | 468 | 87 | 86 | 68 | 18 | 458 | 392 | 66 |
| 13. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 482 | 383 | 99 | 399 | 315 | 84 | 65 | 55 | 10 |
| 14. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 440 | 278 | 162 | 330 | 201 | 129 | 103 | 72 | 31 |
| 15. | Essential Hypertension and Hypertensive Renal Disease..... | 438 | 177 | 261 | 258 | 103 | 155 | 175 | 71 | 104 |

| RANK | | DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION | | | | | | | | |
|------|--|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | All causes..... | 805.3 | 820.3 | 791.2 | 873.1 | 859.2 | 886.4 | 750.9 | 829.2 | 682.1 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 219.1 | 220.2 | 218.1 | 247.8 | 242.8 | 252.6 | 183.0 | 194.3 | 173.1 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 186.1 | 195.1 | 177.6 | 205.2 | 214.6 | 196.1 | 163.4 | 172.1 | 155.8 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Disease..... | 49.5 | 38.2 | 60.0 | 55.4 | 41.1 | 69.3 | 41.8 | 35.5 | 47.4 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 35.8 | 32.1 | 39.3 | 46.7 | 40.5 | 52.7 | 16.2 | 16.3 | 16.1 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 26.2 | 26.4 | 26.0 | 25.0 | 26.0 | 24.0 | 32.3 | 30.8 | 33.6 |
| 6. | Accidents..... | 26.0 | 36.2 | 16.4 | 27.1 | 36.8 | 17.7 | 25.2 | 37.4 | 14.4 |
| 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 21.5 | 21.9 | 21.1 | 25.2 | 24.3 | 26.0 | 16.0 | 18.7 | 13.6 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 19.8 | 17.6 | 21.9 | 19.4 | 16.9 | 21.7 | 23.5 | 21.8 | 24.9 |
| 9. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 15.6 | 8.8 | 21.9 | 20.0 | 11.2 | 28.5 | 7.5 | 4.2 | 10.4 |
| 10. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 11.6 | 16.7 | 6.7 | 2.7 | 3.9 | 1.5 | 34.1 | 50.8 | 19.3 |
| 11. | Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome, and Nephrosis..... | 10.5 | 10.3 | 10.7 | 9.7 | 10.4 | 9.0 | 13.6 | 11.0 | 16.0 |
| 12. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 10.1 | 17.6 | 3.1 | 2.4 | 3.8 | 1.0 | 29.1 | 53.1 | 7.9 |
| 13. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 8.7 | 14.4 | 3.5 | 10.9 | 17.6 | 4.5 | 4.1 | 7.5 | 1.2 |
| 14. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 8.0 | 10.4 | 5.7 | 9.0 | 11.2 | 6.9 | 6.5 | 9.8 | 3.7 |
| 15. | Essential Hypertension and Hypertensive Renal Disease..... | 8.0 | 6.6 | 9.2 | 7.1 | 5.8 | 8.3 | 11.1 | 9.6 | 12.4 |

*Ranking for all races.

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TABLE 43A. THE EIGHT* LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| All ages | | | |
|--------------------------|---|---------------|----------------|
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 44,364 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 12,071 | 27.2 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 10,251 | 23.1 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 2,725 | 6.1 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 1,973 | 4.4 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 1,442 | 3.3 |
| 6. | Accidents..... | 1,431 | 3.2 |
| 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 1,184 | 2.7 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 1,091 | 2.5 |
| 1-4 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 77 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 17 | 22.1 |
| 5-14 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 129 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 42 | 32.6 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 18 | 14.0 |
| 15-24 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 753 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 222 | 29.5 |
| 2. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 221 | 29.3 |
| 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 36 | 4.8 |
| 4. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 25 | 3.3 |
| 25-44 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 2,871 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 370 | 12.9 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 344 | 12.0 |
| 3. | Accidents..... | 334 | 11.6 |
| 4. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 328 | 11.4 |
| 5. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 231 | 8.0 |
| 6. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 157 | 5.5 |
| 7. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 73 | 2.5 |
| 8. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 53 | 1.8 |
| 45-64 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 8,631 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 2,840 | 32.9 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 2,028 | 23.5 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 323 | 3.7 |
| 4. | Accidents..... | 321 | 3.7 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 306 | 3.5 |
| 6. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 284 | 3.3 |
| 7. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 226 | 2.6 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 214 | 2.5 |
| 65 years and over | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 31,285 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 9,644 | 30.8 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 6,990 | 22.3 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 2,343 | 7.5 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 1,717 | 5.5 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 1,078 | 3.4 |
| 6. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 1,018 | 3.3 |
| 7. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 843 | 2.7 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 831 | 2.7 |

*Leading causes are shown only if there were ten or more deaths in a given category.

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TABLE 43B. THE EIGHT* LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY RACE AND AGE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| <u>White, all ages</u> | | | | <u>Black, all ages</u> | | | |
|---------------------------------|---|---------------|----------------|---------------------------------|---|---------------|----------------|
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 31,853 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 11,838 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 9,042 | 28.4 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 2,885 | 24.4 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 7,486 | 23.5 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 2,576 | 21.8 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 2,023 | 6.4 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 659 | 5.6 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 1,704 | 5.3 | 4. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 537 | 4.5 |
| 5. | Accidents..... | 987 | 3.1 | 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 509 | 4.3 |
| 6. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 918 | 2.9 | 6. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 458 | 3.9 |
| 7. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 911 | 2.9 | 7. | Accidents..... | 397 | 3.4 |
| 8. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 730 | 2.3 | 8. | Septicemia..... | 370 | 3.1 |
| <u>White, 1-4 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, 1-4 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 36 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 39 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 12 | 33.3 | 1. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 6 | 15.4 |
| 2. | Congenital Malformations..... | 5 | 13.9 | 2. | Accidents..... | 5 | 12.8 |
| <u>White, 5-14 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, 5-14 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 63 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 62 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 24 | 38.1 | 1. | Accidents..... | 16 | 25.8 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 10 | 15.9 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 8 | 12.9 |
| 3. | Congenital Malformations..... | 5 | 7.9 | 3. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 7 | 11.3 |
| <u>White, 15-24 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, 15-24 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 343 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 389 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 143 | 41.7 | 1. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 201 | 51.7 |
| 2. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 47 | 13.7 | 2. | Accidents..... | 72 | 18.5 |
| 3. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 18 | 5.2 | 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 19 | 4.9 |
| 4. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 17 | 5.0 | 3. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 19 | 4.9 |
| 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 14 | 4.1 | 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 10 | 2.6 |
| 6. | Congenital Malformations..... | 6 | 1.7 | 6. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 5 | 1.3 |
| <u>White, 25-44 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, 25-44 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 1,402 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 1,411 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 206 | 14.7 | 1. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 267 | 18.9 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 206 | 14.7 | 2. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 192 | 13.6 |
| 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 180 | 12.8 | 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 157 | 11.1 |
| 4. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 132 | 9.4 | 4. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 149 | 10.6 |
| 5. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 59 | 4.2 | 5. | Accidents..... | 117 | 8.3 |
| 6. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 51 | 3.6 | 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 35 | 2.5 |
| 7. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 34 | 2.4 | 7. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 32 | 2.3 |
| 8. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 17 | 1.2 | 8. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 24 | 1.7 |
| <u>White, 45-64 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, 45-64 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 5,064 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 3,404 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 1,814 | 35.8 | 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 960 | 28.2 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 1,204 | 23.8 | 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 791 | 23.2 |
| 3. | Accidents..... | 196 | 3.9 | 3. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 249 | 7.3 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 177 | 3.5 | 4. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 172 | 5.1 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 170 | 3.4 | 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 132 | 3.9 |
| 6. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 144 | 2.8 | 6. | Accidents..... | 111 | 3.3 |
| 7. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 138 | 2.7 | 7. | Septicemia..... | 106 | 3.1 |
| 8. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 132 | 2.6 | 8. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 60 | 1.8 |
| <u>White, 65 years and over</u> | | | | <u>Black, 65 years and over</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 24,706 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 6,172 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 7,631 | 30.9 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 1,908 | 30.9 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 5,438 | 22.0 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 1,445 | 23.4 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 1,864 | 7.5 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 448 | 7.3 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 1,515 | 6.1 | 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 337 | 5.5 |
| 5. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 839 | 3.4 | 5. | Septicemia..... | 233 | 3.8 |
| 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 724 | 2.9 | 6. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 189 | 3.1 |
| 7. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 716 | 2.9 | 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 166 | 2.7 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 588 | 2.4 | 8. | Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome, Nephrosis..... | 142 | 2.3 |

*Leading causes are shown only if there were five or more deaths in a given category.

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TABLE 43C. THE EIGHT* LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY SEX AND AGE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| <u>Male, all ages</u> | | | | <u>Female, all ages</u> | | | |
|--------------------------------|---|---------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---|---------------|----------------|
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 21,867 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 22,497 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 5,871 | 26.8 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 6,201 | 27.6 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 5,201 | 23.8 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 5,050 | 22.4 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 1,019 | 4.7 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 1,706 | 7.6 |
| 4. | Accidents..... | 966 | 4.4 | 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 1,117 | 5.0 |
| 5. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 856 | 3.9 | 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 739 | 3.3 |
| 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 703 | 3.2 | 6. | Septicemia..... | 623 | 2.8 |
| 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 583 | 2.7 | 6. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 623 | 2.8 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 468 | 2.1 | 8. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 601 | 2.7 |
| 8. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 468 | 2.1 | | | | |
| <u>Male, 1-4 years</u> | | | | <u>Female, 1-4 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 41 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 36 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 9 | 22.0 | 1. | Accidents..... | 8 | 22.2 |
| | | | | 2. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 6 | 16.7 |
| | | | | 3. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 5 | 13.9 |
| <u>Male, 5-14 years</u> | | | | <u>Female, 5-14 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 82 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 47 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 29 | 35.4 | 1. | Accidents..... | 13 | 27.7 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 11 | 13.4 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 7 | 14.9 |
| 3. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 6 | 7.3 | 3. | Congenital Malformations..... | 5 | 10.6 |
| 4. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 5 | 6.1 | | | | |
| <u>Male, 15-24 years</u> | | | | <u>Female, 15-24 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 570 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 183 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 203 | 35.6 | 1. | Accidents..... | 64 | 35.0 |
| 2. | Accidents..... | 158 | 27.7 | 2. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 18 | 9.8 |
| 3. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 60 | 10.5 | 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 13 | 7.1 |
| 4. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 23 | 4.0 | 4. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 12 | 6.6 |
| 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 16 | 2.8 | 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 9 | 4.9 |
| <u>Male, 25-44 years</u> | | | | <u>Female, 25-44 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 1,857 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 1,014 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 258 | 13.9 | 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 212 | 20.9 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 214 | 11.5 | 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 130 | 12.8 |
| 3. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 210 | 11.3 | 3. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 118 | 11.6 |
| 4. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 190 | 10.2 | 4. | Accidents..... | 76 | 7.5 |
| 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 158 | 8.5 | 5. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 41 | 4.0 |
| 6. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 130 | 7.0 | 6. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 27 | 2.7 |
| 7. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 52 | 2.8 | 7. | Septicemia..... | 22 | 2.2 |
| 8. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 37 | 2.0 | 8. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 21 | 2.1 |
| <u>Male, 45-64 years</u> | | | | <u>Female, 45-64 years</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 5,191 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 3,440 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 1,464 | 28.2 | 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 1,376 | 40.0 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 1,377 | 26.5 | 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 651 | 18.9 |
| 3. | Accidents..... | 224 | 4.3 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 150 | 4.4 |
| 4. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 218 | 4.2 | 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 115 | 3.3 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 191 | 3.7 | 5. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 106 | 3.1 |
| 6. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 173 | 3.3 | 6. | Septicemia..... | 99 | 2.9 |
| 7. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 153 | 2.9 | 7. | Accidents..... | 97 | 2.8 |
| 8. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 120 | 2.3 | 8. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 66 | 1.9 |
| <u>Male, 65 years and over</u> | | | | <u>Female, 65 years and over</u> | | | |
| <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> | <u>Rank</u> | | <u>Number</u> | <u>Percent</u> |
| | All Causes..... | 13,767 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 17,518 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 4,245 | 30.8 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 5,399 | 30.8 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 3,549 | 25.8 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 3,441 | 19.6 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 810 | 5.9 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 1,533 | 8.8 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 722 | 5.2 | 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 995 | 5.7 |
| 5. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 489 | 3.6 | 5. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 614 | 3.5 |
| 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 471 | 3.4 | 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 607 | 3.5 |
| 7. | Septicemia..... | 334 | 2.4 | 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 529 | 3.0 |
| 8. | Accidents..... | 280 | 2.0 | 8. | Septicemia..... | 497 | 2.8 |

*Leading causes are shown only if there were five or more deaths in a given category.

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TABLE 43D. THE EIGHT* LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG MALES BY RACE AND AGE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| <u>White male, all ages</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, all ages</u> | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|--------|---------|---------------------------------------|---|--------|---------|
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 15,383 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 6,120 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 4,347 | 28.3 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 1,434 | 23.4 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 3,842 | 25.0 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 1,270 | 20.8 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 735 | 4.8 | 3. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 392 | 6.4 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 725 | 4.7 | 4. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 375 | 6.1 |
| 5. | Accidents..... | 659 | 4.3 | 5. | Accidents..... | 276 | 4.5 |
| 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 466 | 3.0 | 6. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 262 | 4.3 |
| 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 435 | 2.8 | 7. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 227 | 3.7 |
| 8. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 315 | 2.0 | 8. | Septicemia..... | 161 | 2.6 |
| <u>White male, 1-4 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, 1-4 years</u> | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 16 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 23 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 6 | 37.5 | | | | |
| <u>White male, 5-14 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, 5-14 years</u> | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 38 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 41 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 16 | 42.1 | 1. | Accidents..... | 12 | 29.3 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 6 | 15.8 | 2. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 6 | 14.6 |
| | | | | 3. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 5 | 12.2 |
| <u>White male, 15-24 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, 15-24 years</u> | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 238 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 317 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 97 | 40.8 | 1. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 184 | 58.0 |
| 2. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 37 | 15.5 | 2. | Accidents..... | 57 | 18.0 |
| 3. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 17 | 7.1 | 3. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 18 | 5.7 |
| 4. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 12 | 5.0 | 4. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 11 | 3.5 |
| 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 8 | 3.4 | 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 7 | 2.2 |
| <u>White male, 25-44 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, 25-44 years</u> | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 952 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 869 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 166 | 17.4 | 1. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 165 | 19.0 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 117 | 12.3 | 2. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 161 | 18.5 |
| 3. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 108 | 11.3 | 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 93 | 10.7 |
| 4. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 103 | 10.8 | 4. | Accidents..... | 86 | 9.9 |
| 5. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 44 | 4.6 | 5. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 48 | 5.5 |
| 6. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 34 | 3.6 | 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 24 | 2.8 |
| 7. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 26 | 2.7 | 7. | Cerebrovascular Disease..... | 20 | 2.3 |
| 8. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 12 | 1.3 | 8. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 19 | 2.2 |
| <u>White male, 45-64 years</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, 45-64 years</u> | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 3,085 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 2,014 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 958 | 31.1 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 495 | 24.6 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 857 | 27.8 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 480 | 23.8 |
| 3. | Accidents..... | 140 | 4.5 | 3. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 195 | 9.7 |
| 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 110 | 3.6 | 4. | Cerebrovascular Disease..... | 88 | 4.4 |
| 5. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 104 | 3.4 | 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 78 | 3.9 |
| 6. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 98 | 3.2 | 6. | Accidents..... | 73 | 3.6 |
| 7. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 93 | 3.0 | 7. | Septicemia..... | 64 | 3.2 |
| 8. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 81 | 2.6 | 8. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 47 | 2.3 |
| <u>White male, 65 years and over</u> | | | | <u>Black, male, 65 years and over</u> | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 10,913 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 2,649 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 3,355 | 30.7 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 829 | 31.3 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 2,766 | 25.3 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 728 | 27.5 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 645 | 5.9 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 151 | 5.7 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 626 | 5.7 | 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 121 | 4.6 |
| 5. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 399 | 3.7 | 5. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 86 | 3.2 |
| 6. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 344 | 3.2 | 6. | Septicemia..... | 84 | 3.2 |
| 7. | Septicemia..... | 248 | 2.3 | 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 80 | 3.0 |
| 8. | Accidents..... | 232 | 2.1 | 8. | Essential Hypertension..... | 50 | 1.9 |

*Leading causes are shown only if there were five or more deaths in a given category.

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TABLE 43E. THE EIGHT* LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG FEMALES BY RACE AND AGE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| White female, all ages | | | | Black, female, all ages | | | |
|--|---|---------------|----------------|---|---|---------------|----------------|
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes | 16,470 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 5,718 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 4,695 | 28.5 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 1,451 | 25.4 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 3,644 | 22.1 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 1,306 | 22.8 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 1,288 | 7.8 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 397 | 6.9 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 979 | 5.9 | 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 282 | 4.9 |
| 5. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 530 | 3.2 | 5. | Septicemia..... | 209 | 3.7 |
| 6. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 483 | 2.9 | 5. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 162 | 2.8 |
| 7. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 445 | 2.7 | 7. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 135 | 2.4 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 404 | 2.5 | 8. | Nephritis Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis..... | 134 | 2.3 |
| White female, 1-4 years | | | | Black, female, 1-4 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 20 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 16 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 6 | 30.0 | | | | |
| White female, 5-14 years | | | | Black, female, 5-14 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 25 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 21 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 6 | 24.0 | | | | |
| White female, 15-24 years | | | | Black, female, 15-24 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 105 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 72 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Accidents..... | 46 | 43.8 | 1. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 17 | 23.6 |
| 2. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 10 | 9.5 | 2. | Accidents..... | 15 | 20.8 |
| 3. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 6 | 5.7 | 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 8 | 11.1 |
| 4. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 5 | 4.8 | | | | |
| White female, 25-44 years | | | | Black, female, 25-44 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 450 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 542 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 103 | 22.9 | 1. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 102 | 18.8 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 63 | 14.0 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 101 | 18.6 |
| 3. | Accidents..... | 40 | 8.9 | 3. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 64 | 11.8 |
| 4. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 24 | 5.3 | 4. | Accidents..... | 31 | 5.7 |
| 5. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 17 | 3.8 | 4. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 31 | 5.7 |
| 6. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 15 | 3.3 | 6. | Septicemia..... | 16 | 3.0 |
| 7. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 8 | 1.8 | 7. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 12 | 2.2 |
| 7. | Assault (Homicide)..... | 8 | 1.8 | 8. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 11 | 2.0 |
| White female, 45-64 years | | | | Black, female, 45-64 years | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes..... | 1,979 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 1,390 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 856 | 43.3 | 1. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 480 | 34.5 |
| 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 347 | 17.5 | 2. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 296 | 21.3 |
| 3. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 84 | 4.2 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 84 | 6.0 |
| 4. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 63 | 3.2 | 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 54 | 3.9 |
| 5. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 60 | 3.0 | 4. | Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Disease..... | 54 | 3.9 |
| 6. | Accidents..... | 56 | 2.8 | 6. | Septicemia..... | 42 | 3.0 |
| 7. | Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)..... | 34 | 1.7 | 7. | Accidents..... | 38 | 2.7 |
| 7. | Chronic Liver Disease and Cirrhosis..... | 34 | 1.7 | 8. | Nephritis Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis..... | 33 | 2.4 |
| White female, 65 years and over | | | | Black, female, 65 years and over | | | |
| Rank | | Number | Percent | Rank | | Number | Percent |
| | All Causes | 13,793 | 100.0 | | All Causes..... | 3,523 | 100.0 |
| 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 4,276 | 31.0 | 1. | Diseases of the Heart..... | 1,079 | 30.6 |
| 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 2,672 | 19.4 | 2. | Malignant Neoplasms..... | 717 | 20.4 |
| 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 1,219 | 8.8 | 3. | Cerebrovascular Diseases..... | 297 | 8.4 |
| 4. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 889 | 6.4 | 4. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 216 | 6.1 |
| 5. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 521 | 3.8 | 5. | Septicemia..... | 149 | 4.2 |
| 6. | Influenza and Pneumonia..... | 440 | 3.2 | 6. | Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases..... | 103 | 2.9 |
| 7. | Diabetes Mellitus..... | 380 | 2.8 | 7. | Nephritis Nephrotic Syndrome and Nephrosis..... | 93 | 2.6 |
| 8. | Septicemia..... | 340 | 2.5 | 8. | Alzheimer's Disease..... | 94 | 2.7 |

*Leading causes are shown only if there were five or more deaths in a given category.

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TABLE 44. LEADING CAUSES* OF DEATH AMONG ADOLESCENTS BY AGE, RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| | NUMBER OF DEATHS BY RACE AND SEX | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------|--------|------------|------|--------|------------|-------|--------|
| | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| 10-14 years | | | | | | | | | |
| All causes..... | 79 | 56 | 23 | 38 | 24 | 14 | 38 | 30 | 8 |
| Accidents..... | 24 | 20 | 4 | 13 | 10 | 3 | 10 | 10 | 0 |
| Malignant neoplasms..... | 14 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 3 |
| Assault (homicide)..... | 6 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide).... | 5 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 15-19 years | | | | | | | | | |
| All causes..... | 296 | 207 | 89 | 144 | 87 | 57 | 145 | 117 | 28 |
| Accidents..... | 102 | 63 | 39 | 71 | 40 | 31 | 29 | 23 | 6 |
| Assault (homicide)..... | 83 | 76 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 76 | 70 | 6 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide).... | 24 | 18 | 6 | 19 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Diseases of the heart..... | 13 | 9 | 4 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 1 |
| Malignant neoplasms..... | 12 | 7 | 5 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 2 |
| 10-14 years | | | | | | | | | |
| | DEATH RATES PER 100,000 POPULATION BY RACE AND SEX | | | | | | | | |
| All causes..... | 19.3 | 26.7 | 11.5 | 15.1 | 18.5 | 11.4 | 27.5 | 42.6 | 11.8 |
| Accidents..... | 5.9 | 9.5 | *** | 5.2 | 7.7 | *** | 7.2 | 14.2 | *** |
| Malignant neoplasms..... | 3.4 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 2.8 | *** | *** | 5.1 | *** | *** |
| Assault (homicide)..... | 1.5 | 2.4 | *** | *** | *** | *** | 3.6 | 7.1 | *** |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide).... | 1.2 | 2.4 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| 15-19 years | | | | | | | | | |
| All causes..... | 76.5 | 104.2 | 47.3 | 59.3 | 69.3 | 48.6 | 116.1 | 185.2 | 45.4 |
| Accidents..... | 26.4 | 31.7 | 20.7 | 29.2 | 31.9 | 26.4 | 23.2 | 36.4 | 9.7 |
| Assault (homicide)..... | 21.5 | 38.3 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 4.8 | *** | 60.8 | 110.8 | 9.7 |
| Intentional self-harm (suicide).... | 6.2 | 9.1 | 3.2 | 7.8 | 11.1 | 4.3 | *** | *** | *** |
| Diseases of the heart..... | 3.4 | 4.5 | *** | 2.9 | *** | *** | 4.8 | 7.9 | *** |
| Malignant neoplasms..... | 3.1 | 3.5 | 2.7 | 2.9 | *** | *** | 4.0 | *** | *** |

*Leading causes are shown only if there were five or more total deaths in a given age group.

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***Rates based on fewer than five events in the numerator are not presented since such rates are subject to instability.

TABLE 45. NUMBER OF VIOLENT DEATHS AMONG ADOLESCENTS AGES 10-19 YEARS BY CAUSE OF DEATH, AND RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ACCIDENTS | | | ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | | | INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|-------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------|---------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES | WHITE | BLACK |
| MARYLAND | 126 | 84 | 39 | 89 | 8 | 81 | 29 | 23 | 4 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 11 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| GARRETT | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 5 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 60 | 37 | 21 | 60 | 2 | 58 | 13 | 9 | 3 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 16 | 1 | 15 | 47 | 0 | 47 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 18 | 15 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 10 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| CARROLL | 6 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 6 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 0 |
| HARFORD | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 31 | 17 | 13 | 24 | 3 | 21 | 6 | 4 | 1 |
| MONTGOMERY | 9 | 7 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 22 | 10 | 12 | 18 | 2 | 16 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 7 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 0 |
| CALVERT | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 17 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| CECIL | 6 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| KENT | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| DORCHESTER | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 4 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| SOMERSET | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ALL CAUSES | 44,364 | 610 | 77 | 129 | 753 | 849 | 2,022 | 3,642 | 4,989 | 7,557 | 12,396 | 11,332 | 8 |
| SALMONELLA INFECTIONS | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SHIGELLOSIS AND AMEBIASIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CERTAIN OTHER INTESTINAL INFECTIONS | 70 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 28 | 23 | 0 |
| TUBERCULOSIS, ALL FORMS | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| RESPIRATORY TUBERCULOSIS | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| OTHER TUBERCULOSIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WHOOPING COUGH | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SCARLET FEVER AND ERYSIPELAS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTION | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 1,091 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 27 | 83 | 131 | 192 | 348 | 291 | 0 |
| SYPHILIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ACUTE POLIOMYELITIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ARTHROPOD-BORNE VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MEASLES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| VIRAL HEPATITIS | 100 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 37 | 20 | 14 | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS | 637 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 56 | 272 | 214 | 70 | 16 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| MALARIA | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OTHER INFECTIOUS AND PARASITIC DISEASES | 148 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 13 | 28 | 25 | 17 | 36 | 19 | 0 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 10,251 | 0 | 8 | 18 | 25 | 55 | 315 | 1,000 | 1,840 | 2,596 | 2,996 | 1,398 | 0 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| LIP, ORAL CAVITY AND PHARYNX | 130 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 10 | 44 | 36 | 21 | 14 | 0 |
| ESOPHAGUS | 249 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 33 | 56 | 65 | 68 | 25 | 0 |
| STOMACH | 210 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 27 | 33 | 39 | 66 | 32 | 0 |
| COLON, RECTUM, AND ANUS | 1,015 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 26 | 90 | 153 | 253 | 321 | 167 | 0 |
| LIVER AND INTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCTS | 254 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 53 | 47 | 58 | 58 | 30 | 0 |
| PANCREAS | 615 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 52 | 107 | 166 | 185 | 96 | 0 |
| LARYNX | 85 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 25 | 23 | 22 | 6 | 0 |
| TRACHEA, BRONCHUS AND LUNG | 3,012 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 51 | 242 | 605 | 929 | 911 | 270 | 0 |
| MELANOMA OF SKIN | 134 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 20 | 25 | 26 | 39 | 12 | 0 |
| BREAST | 827 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 65 | 143 | 164 | 166 | 167 | 113 | 0 |
| CERVIX UTERI | 63 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 13 | 15 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 0 |
| CORPUS UTERI AND OF UTERUS, PART UNSPECIFIED | 129 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 16 | 29 | 33 | 32 | 17 | 0 |
| OVARY | 244 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 38 | 45 | 57 | 57 | 33 | 0 |
| PROSTATE | 536 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 31 | 103 | 236 | 158 | 0 |
| KIDNEY AND RENAL PELVIS | 186 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 44 | 46 | 50 | 25 | 0 |
| BLADDER | 238 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 14 | 26 | 51 | 87 | 56 | 0 |
| MENINGES, BRAIN AND OTHER PARTS OF NERVOUS SYSTEM | 230 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 24 | 46 | 45 | 48 | 41 | 11 | 0 |
| LYMPHOID, HEMATOPOIETIC AND RELATED TISSUE | 962 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 11 | 41 | 66 | 126 | 226 | 314 | 163 | 0 |
| HODGKIN'S DISEASE | 29 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 0 |
| NON-HODGKIN'S LYMPHOMA | 356 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 14 | 25 | 50 | 78 | 119 | 65 | 0 |
| LEUKEMIA | 341 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 19 | 20 | 37 | 78 | 112 | 59 | 0 |
| MULTIPLE MYELOMA AND OTHER IMMUNOPROLIFERATIVE NEOPLASMS ... | 235 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 36 | 67 | 77 | 35 | 0 |
| OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF LYMPHOID HEMATOPOIETIC AND RELATED TISSUE | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| ALL OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 1,132 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 9 | 40 | 106 | 220 | 261 | 312 | 166 | 0 |
| IN SITU NEOPLASMS, BENIGN NEOPLASMS AND NEOPLASMS OF UNCERTAIN BEHAVIOR | 235 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 18 | 26 | 48 | 79 | 52 | 0 |
| ANEMIAS | 105 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 14 | 30 | 36 | 0 |

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TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 1,442 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 17 | 36 | 91 | 215 | 330 | 465 | 283 | 0 |
| NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 20 | 0 |
| MALNUTRITION | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 19 | 0 |
| OTHER NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| MENINGITIS | 14 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| PARKINSON'S DISEASE | 324 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 39 | 171 | 105 | 0 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 858 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 56 | 301 | 486 | 0 |
| MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES | 15,780 | 12 | 6 | 8 | 43 | 88 | 324 | 942 | 1,533 | 2,438 | 4,833 | 5,551 | 2 |
| DISEASES OF HEART | 12,071 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 36 | 72 | 272 | 779 | 1,249 | 1,951 | 3,562 | 4,131 | 2 |
| ACUTE RHEUMATIC FEVER AND RHEUMATIC HEART DISEASES | 68 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 10 | 21 | 21 | 0 |
| HYPERTENSIVE HEART DISEASE | 722 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 43 | 115 | 116 | 114 | 142 | 179 | 0 |
| HYPERTENSIVE HEART & RENAL DISEASE | 52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 18 | 0 |
| ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | 8,684 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 12 | 106 | 504 | 902 | 1,480 | 2,694 | 2,981 | 2 |
| ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION | 3,141 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 44 | 194 | 367 | 597 | 980 | 953 | 1 |
| OTHER ACUTE ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 0 |
| OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | 5,528 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 61 | 309 | 534 | 880 | 1,712 | 2,021 | 1 |
| ATHEROSCLEROTIC CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE | 2,406 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 47 | 210 | 310 | 338 | 685 | 805 | 1 |
| ALL OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | 3,122 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 99 | 224 | 542 | 1,027 | 1,216 | 0 |
| OTHER HEART DISEASES | 2,545 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 31 | 46 | 116 | 157 | 213 | 338 | 695 | 932 | 0 |
| ACUTE AND SUBACUTE ENDOCARDITIS | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 2 | 0 |
| DISEASES OF PERICARDIUM AND ACUTE MYOCARDITIS | 18 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| HEART FAILURE | 681 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 12 | 29 | 66 | 205 | 362 | 0 |
| ALL OTHER FORMS OF HEART DISEASE | 1,816 | 9 | 3 | 3 | 29 | 40 | 105 | 137 | 179 | 267 | 477 | 567 | 0 |

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TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ESSENTIAL (PRIMARY) HYPERTENSION AND HYPERTENSIVE RENAL DISEASE | 438 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 23 | 33 | 80 | 150 | 145 | 0 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 2,725 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 11 | 37 | 111 | 212 | 313 | 935 | 1,095 | 0 |
| ATHEROSCLEROSIS | 142 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 11 | 40 | 82 | 0 |
| OTHER DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM | 404 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 7 | 26 | 35 | 83 | 146 | 98 | 0 |
| AORTIC ANEURYSM AND DISSECTION | 235 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 17 | 19 | 56 | 88 | 46 | 0 |
| OTHER DISEASES OF ARTERIES, ARTERIOLES, AND CAPILLARIES | 169 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 16 | 27 | 58 | 52 | 0 |
| OTHER DISORDERS OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM | 91 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 10 | 14 | 11 | 7 | 21 | 17 | 0 |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 1,184 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 33 | 55 | 60 | 144 | 375 | 499 | 0 |
| INFLUENZA | 18 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 0 |
| PNEUMONIA | 1,166 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 32 | 54 | 60 | 142 | 370 | 491 | 0 |
| OTHER ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY INFECTIONS | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| ACUTE BRONCHITIS AND BRONCHIOLITIS | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| UNSPECIFIED ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY INFECTION | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 1,973 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 13 | 46 | 180 | 472 | 751 | 494 | 0 |
| BRONCHITIS, CHRONIC AND UNSPECIFIED | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| EMPHYSEMA | 255 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 27 | 78 | 95 | 52 | 0 |
| ASTHMA | 87 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 14 | 15 | 12 | 9 | 12 | 0 |
| OTHER CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 1,619 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 28 | 136 | 380 | 644 | 426 | 0 |
| PNEUMOCONIOSES AND CHEMICAL EFFECTS | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| PNEUMONITIS DUE TO SOLIDS AND LIQUIDS | 418 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 9 | 25 | 43 | 138 | 193 | 0 |
| OTHER DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM | 414 | 4 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 6 | 27 | 39 | 82 | 156 | 85 | 0 |
| PEPTIC ULCER | 69 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 10 | 25 | 17 | 0 |

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TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------|----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| DISEASES OF APPENDIX | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| HERNIA | 26 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 9 | 6 | 0 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 440 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 67 | 107 | 94 | 86 | 61 | 18 | 0 |
| ALCOHOLIC LIVER DISEASE | 159 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 34 | 57 | 28 | 30 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 281 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 33 | 50 | 66 | 56 | 55 | 18 | 0 |
| CHOLELITHIASES AND OTHER DISORDERS OF THE GALLBLADDER | 38 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 10 | 14 | 10 | 0 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME AND NEPHROSIS | 578 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 36 | 61 | 122 | 175 | 164 | 0 |
| ACUTE AND RAPIDLY PROGRESSIVE NEPHRITIC AND NEPHROTIC SYNDROME | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| CHRONIC GLOMERULONEPHRITIS, NEPHRITIS AND NEPHRITIS NOT SPECIFIED AS ACUTE OR CHRONIC, AND RENAL SCLEROSIS UNSPECIFIED | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| RENAL FAILURES | 564 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 13 | 34 | 59 | 117 | 172 | 162 | 0 |
| OTHER DISORDERS OF KIDNEY | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| INFECTIONS OF KIDNEY | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| HYPERPLASIA OF PROSTATE | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| INFLAMMATORY DISEASES OF FEMALE PELVIC ORGANS | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH, AND THE PUERPERIUM | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PREGNANCY WITH ABORTIVE OUTCOME | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OTHER COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH, AND THE PUERPERIUM | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 356 | 354 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS, DEFORMATIONS AND CHROMOSOMAL ABNORMALITIES | 173 | 99 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 11 | 8 | 10 | 4 | 7 | 7 | 0 |
| SYMPTOMS, SIGNS, AND ABNORMAL CLINICAL AND LABORATORY FINDINGS, NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED ² | 260 | 76 | 3 | 7 | 16 | 15 | 34 | 21 | 14 | 15 | 30 | 28 | 1 |
| ALL OTHER DISEASES (RESIDUAL) | 3,932 | 27 | 8 | 13 | 32 | 67 | 160 | 331 | 340 | 554 | 1,076 | 1,324 | 0 |
| ACCIDENTS | 1,431 | 12 | 17 | 42 | 222 | 153 | 181 | 186 | 135 | 149 | 174 | 159 | 1 |
| TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS | 758 | 1 | 6 | 27 | 176 | 124 | 112 | 114 | 66 | 63 | 49 | 19 | 1 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 701 | 1 | 6 | 26 | 166 | 114 | 100 | 105 | 61 | 56 | 47 | 18 | 1 |
| OTHER LAND TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS | 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| WATER, AIR AND SPACE, AND OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 18 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS | 673 | 11 | 11 | 15 | 46 | 29 | 69 | 72 | 69 | 86 | 125 | 140 | 0 |
| FALLS | 315 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 22 | 30 | 49 | 90 | 101 | 0 |
| DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| DROWNING AND SUBMERSION | 64 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| EXPOSURE TO SMOKE, FIRE AND FLAMES | 57 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 0 |
| POISONING AND EXPOSURE TO NOXIOUS SUBSTANCES | 84 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 8 | 23 | 14 | 8 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 150 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 7 | 15 | 19 | 17 | 14 | 24 | 29 | 0 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 482 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 72 | 71 | 86 | 103 | 51 | 44 | 38 | 12 | 0 |
| BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 238 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 38 | 28 | 33 | 44 | 27 | 31 | 27 | 8 | 0 |
| BY OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MEANS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 244 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 34 | 43 | 53 | 59 | 24 | 13 | 11 | 4 | 0 |

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TABLE 46. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY AGE, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | DEATHS BY AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|----|-----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | ALL AGES | <1 | 1-4 | 5-14 | 15-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65-74 | 75-84 | 85 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 555 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 221 | 142 | 89 | 43 | 17 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 0 |
| BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 391 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 179 | 107 | 62 | 23 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| BY OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MEANS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 164 | 9 | 9 | 3 | 42 | 35 | 27 | 20 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| LEGAL INTERVENTION | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| EVENTS OF UNDETERMINED INTENT | 708 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 69 | 112 | 268 | 204 | 33 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED EVENTS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 705 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 67 | 112 | 267 | 204 | 33 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 4 |
| OPERATIONS OF WAR AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| COMPLICATIONS OF MEDICAL/SURGICAL CARE | 55 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 15 | 9 | 0 |
| INJURY BY FIREARMS | 643 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 223 | 137 | 98 | 69 | 35 | 34 | 32 | 8 | 0 |
| DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS | 819 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 74 | 124 | 292 | 242 | 47 | 25 | 6 | 6 | 2 |
| ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS | 274 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 58 | 101 | 47 | 42 | 11 | 1 | 0 |
| INJURY AT WORK | 86 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 11 | 15 | 20 | 13 | 9 | 6 | 3 | 0 |

¹ ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

² Includes Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

TABLE 47. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003.

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|---|------------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|------------|-------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| ALL CAUSES | 44,364 | 21,867 | 22,497 | 31,853 | 15,383 | 16,470 | 11,838 | 6,120 | 5,718 |
| SALMONELLA INFECTIONS | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SHIGELLOSIS AND AMEBIASIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CERTAIN OTHER INTESTINAL INFECTIONS | 70 | 28 | 42 | 55 | 22 | 33 | 14 | 5 | 9 |
| TUBERCULOSIS, ALL FORMS | 8 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| RESPIRATORY TUBERCULOSIS | 8 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| OTHER TUBERCULOSIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| WHOOPING COUGH | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| SCARLET FEVER AND ERYSIPELAS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTION | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| SEPTICEMIA | 1,091 | 468 | 623 | 707 | 303 | 404 | 370 | 161 | 209 |
| SYPHILIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ACUTE POLIOMYELITIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ARTHROPOD-BORNE VIRAL ENCEPHALITIS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MEASLES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| VIRAL HEPATITIS | 100 | 63 | 37 | 57 | 34 | 23 | 39 | 28 | 11 |
| HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS | 637 | 446 | 191 | 97 | 70 | 27 | 537 | 375 | 162 |
| MALARIA | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| OTHER INFECTIOUS AND PARASITIC DISEASES | 148 | 80 | 68 | 93 | 51 | 42 | 52 | 28 | 24 |
| MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 10,251 | 5,201 | 5,050 | 7,486 | 3,842 | 3,644 | 2,576 | 1,270 | 1,306 |
| LIP, ORAL CAVITY AND PHARYNX | 130 | 96 | 34 | 95 | 71 | 24 | 34 | 25 | 9 |
| ESOPHAGUS | 249 | 182 | 67 | 193 | 139 | 54 | 54 | 41 | 13 |
| STOMACH | 210 | 123 | 87 | 128 | 74 | 54 | 72 | 44 | 28 |
| COLON, RECTUM, AND ANUS | 1,015 | 496 | 519 | 708 | 361 | 347 | 291 | 130 | 161 |

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TABLE 47. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|---|------------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|------------|------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| LIVER AND INTRAHEPATIC BILE DUCTS | 254 | 169 | 85 | 149 | 100 | 49 | 82 | 56 | 26 |
| PANCREAS | 615 | 288 | 327 | 452 | 220 | 232 | 152 | 63 | 89 |
| LARYNX | 85 | 69 | 16 | 56 | 45 | 11 | 29 | 24 | 5 |
| TRACHEA, BRONCHUS AND LUNG | 3,012 | 1,662 | 1,350 | 2,234 | 1,211 | 1,023 | 728 | 422 | 306 |
| MELANOMA OF SKIN | 134 | 86 | 48 | 126 | 83 | 43 | 6 | 3 | 3 |
| BREAST | 827 | 12 | 815 | 549 | 7 | 542 | 266 | 5 | 261 |
| CERVIX UTERI | 63 | 0 | 63 | 31 | 0 | 31 | 27 | 0 | 27 |
| CORPUS UTERI AND OF UTERUS, PART UNSPECIFIED | 129 | 0 | 129 | 87 | 0 | 87 | 39 | 0 | 39 |
| OVARY | 244 | 0 | 244 | 191 | 0 | 191 | 43 | 0 | 43 |
| PROSTATE | 536 | 536 | 0 | 359 | 359 | 0 | 171 | 171 | 0 |
| KIDNEY AND RENAL PELVIS | 186 | 101 | 85 | 132 | 77 | 55 | 50 | 22 | 28 |
| BLADDER | 238 | 161 | 77 | 203 | 143 | 60 | 33 | 17 | 16 |
| MENINGES, BRAIN AND OTHER PARTS OF NERVOUS SYSTEM | 230 | 145 | 85 | 199 | 126 | 73 | 30 | 19 | 11 |
| LYMPHOID, HEMATOPOIETIC AND RELATED TISSUE | 962 | 498 | 464 | 761 | 402 | 359 | 189 | 87 | 102 |
| HODGKIN'S DISEASE | 29 | 14 | 15 | 23 | 12 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| NON-HODGKIN'S LYMPHOMA | 356 | 187 | 169 | 308 | 161 | 147 | 45 | 23 | 22 |
| LEUKEMIA | 341 | 189 | 152 | 275 | 152 | 123 | 59 | 31 | 28 |
| MULTIPLE MYELOMA AND OTHER IMMUNOPROLIFERATIVE NEOPLASMS ... | 235 | 108 | 127 | 154 | 77 | 77 | 79 | 31 | 48 |
| OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF LYMPHOID HEMATOPOIETIC AND RELATED TISSUE | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ALL OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | 1,132 | 577 | 555 | 833 | 424 | 409 | 280 | 141 | 139 |
| IN SITU NEOPLASMS, BENIGN NEOPLASMS AND NEOPLASMS OF UNCERTAIN BEHAVIOR | 235 | 116 | 119 | 184 | 94 | 90 | 50 | 21 | 29 |
| ANEMIAS | 105 | 46 | 59 | 58 | 19 | 39 | 47 | 27 | 20 |
| DIABETES MELLITUS | 1,442 | 703 | 739 | 911 | 466 | 445 | 509 | 227 | 282 |
| NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES | 40 | 13 | 27 | 26 | 9 | 17 | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| MALNUTRITION | 39 | 13 | 26 | 25 | 9 | 16 | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| OTHER NUTRITIONAL DEFICIENCIES | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| MENINGITIS | 14 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 3 |

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TABLE 47. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|--|------------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| PARKINSON'S DISEASE | 324 | 190 | 134 | 295 | 183 | 112 | 27 | 6 | 21 |
| ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | 858 | 235 | 623 | 730 | 200 | 530 | 118 | 31 | 87 |
| MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES | 15,780 | 7,326 | 8,454 | 11,737 | 5,384 | 6,353 | 3,843 | 1,822 | 2,021 |
| DISEASES OF HEART | 12,071 | 5,871 | 6,200 | 9,041 | 4,347 | 4,694 | 2,885 | 1,434 | 1,451 |
| ACUTE RHEUMATIC FEVER AND | | | | | | | | | |
| RHEUMATIC HEART DISEASES | 68 | 15 | 53 | 53 | 13 | 40 | 13 | 2 | 11 |
| HYPERTENSIVE HEART DISEASE | 722 | 366 | 356 | 427 | 200 | 227 | 287 | 160 | 127 |
| HYPERTENSIVE HEART & RENAL DISEASE .. | 52 | 27 | 25 | 24 | 13 | 11 | 26 | 12 | 14 |
| ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | 8,684 | 4,314 | 4,370 | 6,641 | 3,280 | 3,361 | 1,938 | 965 | 973 |
| ACUTE MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION | 3,141 | 1,597 | 1,544 | 2,445 | 1,247 | 1,198 | 656 | 320 | 336 |
| OTHER ACUTE ISCHEMIC HEART | | | | | | | | | |
| DISEASE | 15 | 4 | 11 | 12 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC ISCHEMIC | | | | | | | | | |
| HEART DISEASE | 5,528 | 2,713 | 2,815 | 4,184 | 2,030 | 2,154 | 1,279 | 644 | 635 |
| ATHEROSCLEROTIC | | | | | | | | | |
| CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE | 2,406 | 1,198 | 1,208 | 1,740 | 827 | 913 | 639 | 351 | 288 |
| ALL OTHER FORMS OF CHRONIC | | | | | | | | | |
| ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | 3,122 | 1,515 | 1,607 | 2,444 | 1,203 | 1,241 | 640 | 293 | 347 |
| OTHER HEART DISEASES | 2,545 | 1,149 | 1,396 | 1,896 | 841 | 1,055 | 621 | 295 | 326 |
| ACUTE AND SUBACUTE | | | | | | | | | |
| ENDOCARDITIS | 30 | 19 | 11 | 18 | 12 | 6 | 11 | 6 | 5 |
| DISEASES OF PERICARDIUM AND | | | | | | | | | |
| ACUTE MYOCARDITIS | 18 | 4 | 14 | 10 | 2 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 6 |
| HEART FAILURE | 681 | 281 | 400 | 553 | 229 | 324 | 122 | 52 | 70 |
| ALL OTHER FORMS OF HEART | | | | | | | | | |
| DISEASE | 1,816 | 845 | 971 | 1,315 | 598 | 717 | 480 | 235 | 245 |
| ESSENTIAL (PRIMARY) HYPERTENSION AND | | | | | | | | | |
| HYPERTENSIVE RENAL DISEASE | 438 | 177 | 261 | 258 | 103 | 155 | 175 | 71 | 104 |
| CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASES | 2,725 | 1,019 | 1,706 | 2,023 | 735 | 1,288 | 659 | 262 | 397 |
| ATHEROSCLEROSIS | 142 | 59 | 83 | 113 | 41 | 72 | 27 | 17 | 10 |
| OTHER DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY | | | | | | | | | |
| SYSTEM | 404 | 200 | 204 | 302 | 158 | 144 | 97 | 38 | 59 |
| AORTIC ANEURYSM AND DISSECTION | 235 | 135 | 100 | 190 | 111 | 79 | 42 | 21 | 21 |
| OTHER DISEASES OF ARTERIES, | | | | | | | | | |
| ARTERIOLES, AND CAPILLARIES | 169 | 65 | 104 | 112 | 47 | 65 | 55 | 17 | 38 |
| OTHER DISORDERS OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM | 91 | 36 | 55 | 52 | 22 | 30 | 38 | 14 | 24 |

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TABLE 47. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|---|------------|------|--------|------------|------|--------|------------|------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | 1,184 | 583 | 601 | 918 | 435 | 483 | 252 | 138 | 114 |
| INFLUENZA | 18 | 7 | 11 | 16 | 6 | 10 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| PNEUMONIA | 1,166 | 576 | 590 | 902 | 429 | 473 | 251 | 137 | 114 |
| OTHER ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY | | | | | | | | | |
| INFECTIONS | 5 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ACUTE BRONCHITIS AND BRONCHIOLITIS | 3 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| UNSPECIFIED ACUTE LOWER RESPIRATORY | | | | | | | | | |
| INFECTION | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | 1,973 | 856 | 1,117 | 1,704 | 725 | 979 | 255 | 120 | 135 |
| BRONCHITIS, CHRONIC AND UNSPECIFIED | 12 | 4 | 8 | 11 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| EMPHYSEMA | 255 | 138 | 117 | 220 | 119 | 101 | 34 | 18 | 16 |
| ASTHMA | 87 | 33 | 54 | 39 | 15 | 24 | 47 | 17 | 30 |
| OTHER CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY | | | | | | | | | |
| DISEASES | 1,619 | 681 | 938 | 1,434 | 588 | 846 | 173 | 84 | 89 |
| PNEUMOCONIOSES AND CHEMICAL EFFECTS | 14 | 14 | 0 | 12 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| PNEUMONITIS DUE TO SOLIDS AND LIQUIDS | 418 | 222 | 196 | 327 | 167 | 160 | 82 | 48 | 34 |
| OTHER DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM | 414 | 208 | 206 | 321 | 162 | 159 | 79 | 42 | 37 |
| PEPTIC ULCER | 69 | 27 | 42 | 45 | 18 | 27 | 21 | 9 | 12 |
| DISEASES OF APPENDIX | 7 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| HERNIA | 26 | 7 | 19 | 18 | 5 | 13 | 7 | 2 | 5 |
| CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | 440 | 278 | 162 | 330 | 201 | 129 | 103 | 72 | 31 |
| ALCOHOLIC LIVER DISEASE | 159 | 113 | 46 | 113 | 81 | 32 | 41 | 28 | 13 |
| OTHER CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND | | | | | | | | | |
| CIRRHOSIS | 281 | 165 | 116 | 217 | 120 | 97 | 62 | 44 | 18 |
| CHOLELITHIASES AND OTHER DISORDERS OF | | | | | | | | | |
| THE GALLBLADDER | 38 | 12 | 26 | 32 | 11 | 21 | 5 | 1 | 4 |
| NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME AND | | | | | | | | | |
| NEPHROSIS | 578 | 275 | 303 | 354 | 187 | 167 | 215 | 81 | 134 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 47. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|--|------------|-------|--------|------------|-------|--------|------------|------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| ACUTE AND RAPIDLY PROGRESSIVE NEPHRITIC AND NEPHROTIC SYNDROME | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CHRONIC GLOMERULONEPHRITIS, NEPHRITIS AND NEPHRITIS NOT SPECIFIED AS ACUTE OR CHRONIC, AND RENAL SCLEROSIS UNSPECIFIED | 12 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| RENAL FAILURES | 564 | 270 | 294 | 344 | 183 | 161 | 211 | 80 | 131 |
| OTHER DISORDERS OF KIDNEY | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| INFECTIONS OF KIDNEY | 9 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| HYPERPLASIA OF PROSTATE | 6 | 6 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| INFLAMMATORY DISEASES OF FEMALE PELVIC ORGANS | 4 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH, AND THE PUERPERIUM | 19 | 0 | 19 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 10 | 0 | 10 |
| PREGNANCY WITH ABORTIVE OUTCOME | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| OTHER COMPLICATIONS OF PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH, AND THE PUERPERIUM | 18 | 0 | 18 | 9 | 0 | 9 | 9 | 0 | 9 |
| CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | 356 | 206 | 150 | 127 | 76 | 51 | 222 | 128 | 94 |
| CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS, DEFORMATIONS AND CHROMOSOMAL ABNORMALITIES | 173 | 88 | 85 | 106 | 47 | 59 | 58 | 33 | 25 |
| SYMPTOMS, SIGNS, AND ABNORMAL CLINICAL AND LABORATORY FINDINGS, NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED ² | 260 | 150 | 110 | 144 | 80 | 64 | 113 | 69 | 44 |
| ALL OTHER DISEASES (RESIDUAL) | 3,932 | 1,608 | 2,324 | 2,928 | 1,168 | 1,760 | 959 | 424 | 535 |
| ACCIDENTS | 1,431 | 966 | 465 | 987 | 659 | 328 | 397 | 276 | 121 |
| TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS | 758 | 543 | 215 | 517 | 368 | 149 | 213 | 159 | 54 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | 701 | 497 | 204 | 471 | 332 | 139 | 202 | 149 | 53 |
| OTHER LAND TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS | 39 | 31 | 8 | 29 | 22 | 7 | 10 | 9 | 1 |
| WATER, AIR AND SPACE, AND OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED TRANSPORT ACCIDENTS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 18 | 15 | 3 | 17 | 14 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 47. DEATHS FROM 113 SELECTED CAUSES, INJURY BY FIREARMS, DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS, ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS, AND INJURY AT WORK BY RACE AND SEX, MARYLAND, 2003. — Continued

| CAUSES OF DEATH ¹ | ALL RACES | | | WHITE | | | BLACK | | |
|---|------------|------|--------|------------|------|--------|------------|------|--------|
| | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE | BOTH SEXES | MALE | FEMALE |
| NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS | 673 | 423 | 250 | 470 | 291 | 179 | 184 | 117 | 67 |
| FALLS | 315 | 179 | 136 | 259 | 145 | 114 | 47 | 26 | 21 |
| DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 3 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| DROWNING AND SUBMERSION | 64 | 58 | 6 | 44 | 39 | 5 | 17 | 16 | 1 |
| EXPOSURE TO SMOKE, FIRE AND FLAMES | 57 | 28 | 29 | 31 | 13 | 18 | 26 | 15 | 11 |
| POISONING AND EXPOSURE TO NOXIOUS SUBSTANCES | 84 | 55 | 29 | 34 | 25 | 9 | 48 | 30 | 18 |
| OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED NONTRANSPORT ACCIDENTS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 150 | 100 | 50 | 100 | 67 | 33 | 45 | 29 | 16 |
| INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | 482 | 383 | 99 | 399 | 315 | 84 | 65 | 55 | 10 |
| BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 238 | 214 | 24 | 197 | 176 | 21 | 38 | 35 | 3 |
| BY OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MEANS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 244 | 169 | 75 | 202 | 139 | 63 | 27 | 20 | 7 |
| ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | 555 | 468 | 87 | 86 | 68 | 18 | 458 | 392 | 66 |
| BY DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 391 | 358 | 33 | 44 | 35 | 9 | 341 | 317 | 24 |
| BY OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED MEANS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 164 | 110 | 54 | 42 | 33 | 9 | 117 | 75 | 42 |
| LEGAL INTERVENTION | 10 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 7 | 0 |
| EVENTS OF UNDETERMINED INTENT | 708 | 512 | 196 | 441 | 315 | 126 | 262 | 192 | 70 |
| DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| OTHER AND UNSPECIFIED EVENTS AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 705 | 510 | 195 | 439 | 314 | 125 | 261 | 191 | 70 |
| OPERATIONS OF WAR AND THEIR SEQUELAE | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| COMPLICATIONS OF MEDICAL/SURGICAL CARE | 55 | 20 | 35 | 37 | 16 | 21 | 16 | 3 | 13 |
| INJURY BY FIREARMS | 643 | 584 | 59 | 247 | 215 | 32 | 387 | 360 | 27 |
| DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS | 819 | 571 | 248 | 525 | 367 | 158 | 287 | 198 | 89 |
| ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS | 274 | 201 | 73 | 189 | 136 | 53 | 78 | 60 | 18 |
| INJURY AT WORK | 86 | 77 | 9 | 51 | 46 | 5 | 30 | 26 | 4 |

¹ ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

² Includes Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

TABLE 48. DEATHS FROM SELECTED CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL CAUSES OF DEATH | TUBERCULOSIS | SEPTICEMIA | HUMAN IMMUNO-DEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) DISEASE |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------|------------|---|
| MARYLAND | 44,364 | 8 | 1091 | 637 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 3,993 | 0 | 63 | 13 |
| GARRETT | 296 | 0 | 6 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 901 | 0 | 21 | 1 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,358 | 0 | 16 | 8 |
| FREDERICK | 1,438 | 0 | 20 | 4 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 23,400 | 3 | 670 | 475 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 7,853 | 0 | 316 | 390 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 7,717 | 1 | 212 | 59 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,567 | 1 | 64 | 15 |
| CARROLL | 1,283 | 1 | 18 | 2 |
| HOWARD | 1,327 | 0 | 33 | 5 |
| HARFORD | 1,653 | 0 | 27 | 4 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,837 | 4 | 250 | 114 |
| MONTGOMERY | 5,559 | 3 | 132 | 27 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 5,278 | 1 | 118 | 87 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,013 | 0 | 29 | 12 |
| CALVERT | 538 | 0 | 3 | 6 |
| CHARLES | 844 | 0 | 17 | 5 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 631 | 0 | 9 | 1 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,121 | 1 | 79 | 23 |
| CECIL | 714 | 0 | 11 | 5 |
| KENT | 247 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 366 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 311 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| TALBOT | 394 | 0 | 8 | 3 |
| DORCHESTER | 393 | 0 | 11 | 3 |
| WICOMICO | 832 | 1 | 16 | 5 |
| SOMERSET | 291 | 0 | 6 | 2 |
| WORCESTER | 573 | 0 | 13 | 3 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 48. DEATHS FROM SELECTED CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹ — Continued

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| | TOTAL MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF STOMACH | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF COLON, RECTUM AND ANUS | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF PANCREAS | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF TRACHEA, BRONCHUS AND LUNG | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF BREAST | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF CERVIX UTERI, CORPUS UTERI AND OVARY | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF PROSTATE |
| MARYLAND | 10,251 | 210 | 1,015 | 615 | 3,012 | 827 | 436 | 536 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 910 | 10 | 75 | 50 | 276 | 76 | 45 | 41 |
| GARRETT | 70 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 20 | 7 | 4 | 3 |
| ALLEGANY | 204 | 2 | 20 | 9 | 68 | 17 | 13 | 10 |
| WASHINGTON | 301 | 3 | 16 | 13 | 103 | 23 | 11 | 15 |
| FREDERICK | 335 | 4 | 37 | 25 | 85 | 29 | 17 | 13 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 5,275 | 104 | 525 | 315 | 1,642 | 402 | 216 | 273 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 1,605 | 34 | 155 | 78 | 511 | 136 | 59 | 99 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 1,777 | 24 | 184 | 106 | 557 | 126 | 70 | 93 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 885 | 21 | 88 | 64 | 275 | 65 | 44 | 33 |
| CARROLL | 304 | 10 | 29 | 23 | 89 | 22 | 13 | 17 |
| HOWARD | 298 | 7 | 36 | 22 | 71 | 22 | 15 | 17 |
| HARFORD | 406 | 8 | 33 | 22 | 139 | 31 | 15 | 14 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 2,560 | 72 | 253 | 161 | 628 | 240 | 125 | 145 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1,352 | 38 | 120 | 95 | 296 | 119 | 75 | 81 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 1,208 | 34 | 133 | 66 | 332 | 121 | 50 | 64 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 524 | 10 | 72 | 23 | 148 | 44 | 14 | 31 |
| CALVERT | 148 | 1 | 18 | 9 | 39 | 16 | 4 | 9 |
| CHARLES | 221 | 6 | 34 | 10 | 65 | 19 | 6 | 11 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 155 | 3 | 20 | 4 | 44 | 9 | 4 | 11 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 982 | 14 | 90 | 66 | 318 | 65 | 36 | 46 |
| CECIL | 166 | 0 | 14 | 6 | 55 | 13 | 5 | 10 |
| KENT | 56 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 14 | 8 | 2 | 3 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 82 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| CAROLINE | 73 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 25 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| TALBOT | 105 | 1 | 10 | 8 | 31 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| DORCHESTER | 94 | 2 | 9 | 11 | 32 | 4 | 5 | 1 |
| WICOMICO | 180 | 3 | 15 | 13 | 64 | 16 | 9 | 5 |
| SOMERSET | 78 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 29 | 6 | 4 | 4 |
| WORCESTER | 148 | 1 | 12 | 11 | 45 | 9 | 3 | 12 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 48. DEATHS FROM SELECTED CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹ — Continued

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | | | | DIABETES MELLITUS | ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS OF URINARY TRACT | NON-HODGKIN'S LYMPHOMA | LEUKEMIA | OTHER MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | | | TOTAL MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES |
| MARYLAND | 433 | 356 | 341 | 2,470 | 1,442 | 858 | 15,780 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 43 | 45 | 36 | 213 | 134 | 91 | 1,563 |
| GARRETT | 4 | 7 | 2 | 17 | 18 | 8 | 118 |
| ALLEGANY | 10 | 8 | 7 | 40 | 21 | 14 | 383 |
| WASHINGTON | 14 | 16 | 12 | 75 | 54 | 18 | 508 |
| FREDERICK | 15 | 14 | 15 | 81 | 41 | 51 | 554 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 206 | 171 | 177 | 1,244 | 720 | 438 | 8,189 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 52 | 35 | 44 | 402 | 259 | 80 | 2,627 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 86 | 70 | 67 | 394 | 198 | 175 | 2,788 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 24 | 25 | 26 | 220 | 134 | 78 | 1,225 |
| CARROLL | 13 | 15 | 7 | 66 | 34 | 59 | 471 |
| HOWARD | 13 | 7 | 15 | 73 | 44 | 24 | 465 |
| HARFORD | 18 | 19 | 18 | 89 | 51 | 22 | 613 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 115 | 91 | 88 | 642 | 365 | 183 | 3,805 |
| MONTGOMERY | 67 | 60 | 49 | 352 | 160 | 122 | 1,985 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 48 | 31 | 39 | 290 | 205 | 61 | 1,820 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 24 | 13 | 15 | 130 | 65 | 32 | 703 |
| CALVERT | 8 | 3 | 2 | 39 | 13 | 9 | 196 |
| CHARLES | 11 | 7 | 9 | 43 | 31 | 11 | 285 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 5 | 3 | 4 | 48 | 21 | 12 | 222 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 45 | 36 | 25 | 241 | 158 | 114 | 1,520 |
| CECIL | 8 | 6 | 5 | 44 | 28 | 22 | 233 |
| KENT | 2 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 98 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 3 | 5 | 3 | 21 | 12 | 6 | 136 |
| CAROLINE | 1 | 3 | 1 | 21 | 13 | 18 | 95 |
| TALBOT | 5 | 8 | 2 | 28 | 10 | 8 | 149 |
| DORCHESTER | 2 | 2 | 3 | 23 | 17 | 3 | 160 |
| WICOMICO | 11 | 5 | 3 | 36 | 30 | 16 | 326 |
| SOMERSET | 5 | 3 | 2 | 14 | 9 | 11 | 115 |
| WORCESTER | 8 | 3 | 5 | 39 | 33 | 20 | 208 |

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TABLE 48. DEATHS FROM SELECTED CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹ — Continued

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | MAJOR CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---|---------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | DISEASES OF HEART | | | | ESSENTIAL HYPERTENSION AND HYPERTENSIVE RENAL DISEASE | CEREBRO-VASCULAR DISEASES | ATHERO-SCLEROSIS | OTHER DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM |
| | TOTAL DISEASES OF THE HEART | HYPERTENSIVE HEART DISEASE | ISCHEMIC HEART DISEASE | OTHER DISEASES OF HEART | | | | |
| MARYLAND | 12,071 | 774 | 8,684 | 2,613 | 438 | 2,725 | 142 | 404 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 1,182 | 70 | 860 | 252 | 39 | 292 | 14 | 36 |
| GARRETT | 88 | 1 | 66 | 21 | 1 | 24 | 1 | 4 |
| ALLEGANY | 298 | 9 | 215 | 74 | 6 | 71 | 4 | 4 |
| WASHINGTON | 382 | 23 | 285 | 74 | 12 | 92 | 8 | 14 |
| FREDERICK | 414 | 37 | 294 | 83 | 20 | 105 | 1 | 14 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 6,213 | 408 | 4,479 | 1,326 | 189 | 1,514 | 62 | 211 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 2,027 | 210 | 1,426 | 391 | 74 | 451 | 15 | 60 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 2,089 | 87 | 1,549 | 453 | 53 | 548 | 29 | 69 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 927 | 48 | 639 | 240 | 31 | 223 | 7 | 37 |
| CARROLL | 358 | 10 | 272 | 76 | 8 | 86 | 8 | 11 |
| HOWARD | 348 | 10 | 259 | 79 | 10 | 92 | 0 | 15 |
| HARFORD | 464 | 43 | 334 | 87 | 13 | 114 | 3 | 19 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 2,937 | 226 | 2,026 | 685 | 151 | 595 | 34 | 88 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1,502 | 90 | 1,041 | 371 | 73 | 342 | 19 | 49 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 1,435 | 136 | 985 | 314 | 78 | 253 | 15 | 39 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 542 | 29 | 384 | 129 | 22 | 102 | 18 | 19 |
| CALVERT | 149 | 12 | 101 | 36 | 4 | 37 | 3 | 3 |
| CHARLES | 211 | 6 | 148 | 57 | 12 | 44 | 10 | 8 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 182 | 11 | 135 | 36 | 6 | 21 | 5 | 8 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,197 | 41 | 935 | 221 | 37 | 222 | 14 | 50 |
| CECIL | 191 | 6 | 152 | 33 | 4 | 27 | 2 | 9 |
| KENT | 64 | 2 | 51 | 11 | 6 | 22 | 0 | 6 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 100 | 2 | 79 | 19 | 4 | 23 | 2 | 7 |
| CAROLINE | 76 | 3 | 56 | 17 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 1 |
| TALBOT | 89 | 9 | 55 | 25 | 4 | 47 | 3 | 6 |
| DORCHESTER | 133 | 4 | 102 | 27 | 1 | 18 | 5 | 3 |
| WICOMICO | 276 | 7 | 227 | 42 | 8 | 33 | 1 | 8 |
| SOMERSET | 101 | 3 | 79 | 19 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| WORCESTER | 167 | 5 | 134 | 28 | 5 | 27 | 0 | 9 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 48. DEATHS FROM SELECTED CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹ — Continued

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | PEPTIC ULCER | CHRONIC LIVER DISEASE AND CIRRHOSIS | NEPHRITIS, NEPHROTIC SYNDROME AND NEPHROSIS | PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH, AND THE PUERPERIUM | CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD | CONGENITAL ABNORMALITIES |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|--|--------------------------|
| MARYLAND | 1,184 | 1,973 | 69 | 440 | 578 | 19 | 356 | 173 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 103 | 248 | 12 | 45 | 42 | 2 | 19 | 19 |
| GARRETT | 5 | 15 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| ALLEGANY | 17 | 57 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| WASHINGTON | 46 | 94 | 2 | 13 | 25 | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| FREDERICK | 35 | 82 | 5 | 16 | 9 | 1 | 7 | 9 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 642 | 1,020 | 23 | 227 | 316 | 8 | 167 | 74 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 188 | 275 | 12 | 69 | 139 | 3 | 66 | 25 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 253 | 360 | 6 | 69 | 90 | 2 | 48 | 17 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 101 | 194 | 1 | 55 | 34 | 3 | 25 | 16 |
| CARROLL | 31 | 68 | 0 | 6 | 18 | 0 | 5 | 5 |
| HOWARD | 34 | 51 | 3 | 11 | 15 | 0 | 11 | 3 |
| HARFORD | 35 | 72 | 1 | 17 | 20 | 0 | 12 | 8 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 313 | 365 | 20 | 95 | 146 | 7 | 133 | 64 |
| MONTGOMERY | 194 | 225 | 10 | 38 | 71 | 1 | 33 | 28 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 119 | 140 | 10 | 57 | 75 | 6 | 100 | 36 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 34 | 114 | 2 | 24 | 28 | 0 | 22 | 5 |
| CALVERT | 12 | 27 | 0 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 13 | 51 | 1 | 11 | 15 | 0 | 10 | 2 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 9 | 36 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 8 | 3 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 92 | 226 | 12 | 49 | 46 | 2 | 15 | 11 |
| CECIL | 13 | 56 | 0 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 3 |
| KENT | 7 | 11 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 9 | 22 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 8 | 17 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| TALBOT | 10 | 15 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| DORCHESTER | 2 | 20 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| WICOMICO | 17 | 47 | 2 | 10 | 13 | 0 | 5 | 1 |
| SOMERSET | 7 | 13 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| WORCESTER | 19 | 25 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 48. DEATHS FROM SELECTED CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.¹ — Continued

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME | SYMPTOMS, SIGNS AND ABNORMAL CLINICAL AND LAB FINDINGS ² | ALL OTHER DISEASES (RESIDUAL) | EXTERNAL CAUSES | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| | | | | ACCIDENTS | | INTENTIONAL SELF-HARM (SUICIDE) | ASSAULT (HOMICIDE) | ALL OTHER EXTERNAL CAUSES |
| | | | | MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS | ALL OTHER ACCIDENTS | | | |
| MARYLAND | 56 | 204 | 6,059 | 701 | 730 | 482 | 555 | 718 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 2 | 4 | 490 | 73 | 64 | 53 | 7 | 36 |
| GARRETT | 0 | 0 | 27 | 13 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| ALLEGANY | 2 | 2 | 109 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 14 |
| WASHINGTON | 0 | 1 | 184 | 21 | 26 | 18 | 2 | 7 |
| FREDERICK | 0 | 1 | 170 | 30 | 26 | 26 | 4 | 12 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 37 | 86 | 3,292 | 282 | 355 | 241 | 326 | 534 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 15 | 36 | 987 | 64 | 141 | 44 | 239 | 273 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 7 | 26 | 1,193 | 84 | 93 | 71 | 48 | 140 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 11 | 12 | 484 | 55 | 64 | 45 | 23 | 42 |
| CARROLL | 0 | 3 | 173 | 27 | 14 | 20 | 2 | 22 |
| HOWARD | 2 | 4 | 232 | 18 | 16 | 30 | 9 | 19 |
| HARFORD | 2 | 5 | 223 | 34 | 27 | 31 | 5 | 38 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10 | 91 | 1,529 | 205 | 189 | 107 | 199 | 83 |
| MONTGOMERY | 1 | 34 | 871 | 75 | 83 | 49 | 29 | 36 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 9 | 57 | 658 | 130 | 106 | 58 | 170 | 47 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 1 | 10 | 241 | 59 | 46 | 31 | 14 | 17 |
| CALVERT | 0 | 3 | 62 | 24 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 3 |
| CHARLES | 1 | 6 | 97 | 17 | 17 | 14 | 10 | 9 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 0 | 1 | 82 | 18 | 24 | 7 | 1 | 5 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 6 | 13 | 507 | 82 | 76 | 50 | 9 | 48 |
| CECIL | 1 | 4 | 80 | 26 | 15 | 17 | 3 | 13 |
| KENT | 0 | 0 | 35 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 1 | 1 | 52 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| CAROLINE | 0 | 2 | 46 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 4 |
| TALBOT | 0 | 1 | 51 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| DORCHESTER | 0 | 1 | 49 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 5 |
| WICOMICO | 2 | 1 | 109 | 20 | 11 | 12 | 1 | 7 |
| SOMERSET | 0 | 2 | 26 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| WORCESTER | 2 | 1 | 59 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 7 |

¹ ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

² Excludes Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

TABLE 49. DEATH RATES* FOR TEN LEADING CAUSES BY REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL CAUSES OF DEATH | DISEASES OF THE HEART | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | CEREBRO-VASCULAR DISEASE | CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | DIABETES MELLITUS | ACCIDENTS | INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | SEPTICEMIA | ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | HUMAN IMMUNO-DEFICIENCY VIRUS |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------------|------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| MARYLAND..... | 805.3 | 219.1 | 186.1 | 49.5 | 35.8 | 26.2 | 26.0 | 21.5 | 19.8 | 15.6 | 11.6 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 879.2 | 260.3 | 200.4 | 64.3 | 54.6 | 29.5 | 30.2 | 22.7 | 13.9 | 20.0 | *** |
| GARRETT..... | 985.1 | 292.9 | 233.0 | 79.9 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 1223.1 | 404.5 | 276.9 | 96.4 | 77.4 | 28.5 | *** | *** | 28.5 | *** | *** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 992.7 | 279.2 | 220.0 | 67.3 | 68.7 | 39.5 | 34.4 | 33.6 | *** | *** | *** |
| FREDERICK..... | 673.0 | 193.8 | 156.8 | 49.1 | 38.4 | 19.2 | 26.2 | 16.4 | 9.4 | 23.9 | *** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA..... | 909.8 | 241.6 | 205.1 | 58.9 | 39.7 | 28.0 | 24.8 | 25.0 | 26.0 | 17.0 | 18.5 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 1249.1 | 322.4 | 255.3 | 71.7 | 43.7 | 41.2 | 32.6 | 29.9 | 50.3 | 12.7 | 62.0 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 992.9 | 268.8 | 228.6 | 70.5 | 26.8 | 25.5 | 22.8 | 32.6 | 27.3 | 22.5 | 7.6 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 704.1 | 183.0 | 174.7 | 44.0 | 38.3 | 26.4 | 23.5 | 19.9 | 12.6 | 15.4 | *** |
| CARROLL..... | 786.1 | 219.4 | 186.3 | 52.7 | 41.7 | 20.8 | 25.1 | 19.0 | *** | 36.2 | *** |
| HOWARD..... | 502.1 | 131.7 | 112.8 | 34.8 | 19.3 | 16.6 | 12.9 | 12.9 | 12.5 | 9.1 | *** |
| HARFORD..... | 712.0 | 199.8 | 174.9 | 49.1 | 31.0 | 22.0 | 26.3 | 15.1 | 11.6 | 9.5 | *** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA..... | 616.6 | 167.1 | 145.7 | 33.9 | 20.8 | 20.8 | 22.4 | 17.8 | 14.2 | 10.4 | 6.5 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 605.0 | 163.5 | 147.1 | 37.2 | 24.5 | 17.4 | 17.2 | 21.1 | 14.4 | 13.3 | 2.9 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 629.3 | 171.1 | 144.0 | 30.2 | 16.7 | 24.4 | 28.1 | 14.2 | 14.1 | 7.3 | 10.4 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 649.5 | 174.9 | 169.1 | 32.9 | 36.8 | 21.0 | 33.9 | 11.0 | 9.4 | 10.3 | *** |
| CALVERT..... | 639.6 | 177.1 | 176.0 | 44.0 | 32.1 | *** | 34.5 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| CHARLES..... | 634.4 | 158.6 | 166.1 | 33.1 | 38.3 | 23.3 | 25.6 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 680.3 | 196.2 | 167.1 | 22.6 | 38.8 | 22.6 | 45.3 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 992.8 | 288.4 | 236.6 | 53.5 | 54.4 | 38.1 | 38.1 | 22.2 | 19.0 | 27.5 | 5.5 |
| CECIL..... | 769.8 | 205.9 | 179.0 | 29.1 | 60.4 | 30.2 | 44.2 | *** | *** | 23.7 | *** |
| KENT..... | 1255.1 | 325.2 | 284.6 | 111.8 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 829.8 | 226.7 | 185.9 | 52.1 | 49.9 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| CAROLINE..... | 1007.7 | 246.3 | 236.5 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| TALBOT..... | 1136.4 | 256.7 | 302.9 | 135.6 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 1283.8 | 434.5 | 307.1 | *** | 65.3 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| WICOMICO..... | 952.2 | 315.9 | 206.0 | 37.8 | 53.8 | 34.3 | 35.5 | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| SOMERSET..... | 1143.6 | 396.9 | 306.5 | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** | *** |
| WORCESTER..... | 1155.1 | 336.7 | 298.4 | 54.4 | 50.4 | 66.5 | *** | *** | *** | 40.3 | *** |

*Death rates are per 100,000 population.

**ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

*** Death rates not calculated for jurisdictions with fewer than 20 deaths.

TABLE 50. AGE-ADJUSTED* DEATH RATES*** FOR TEN LEADING CAUSES BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2001-2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL CAUSES OF DEATH | DISEASES OF THE HEART | MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS | CEREBRO-VASCULAR DISEASE | CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASES | DIABETES MELLITUS | ACCIDENTS | INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA | SEPTICEMIA | ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE | HUMAN IMMUNO-DEFICIENCY VIRUS |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------------------|------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| MARYLAND..... | 864.7 | 241.0 | 200.2 | 56.4 | 38.9 | 28.8 | 25.5 | 22.0 | 20.4 | 18.4 | 10.5 |
| NORTHWEST AREA..... | 852.6 | 262.4 | 193.6 | 61.7 | 51.5 | 30.7 | 26.7 | 19.5 | 11.4 | 17.0 | **** |
| GARRETT..... | 879.9 | 285.9 | 197.7 | 56.9 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| ALLEGANY..... | 876.1 | 290.0 | 191.9 | 64.8 | 56.4 | 25.7 | 24.9 | 18.8 | **** | **** | **** |
| WASHINGTON..... | 881.2 | 256.1 | 201.4 | 53.7 | 54.7 | 43.8 | 26.5 | 22.2 | **** | **** | **** |
| FREDERICK..... | 822.7 | 248.6 | 189.2 | 68.8 | 45.8 | 21.5 | 26.8 | 18.4 | **** | 26.8 | **** |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA... | 936.8 | 253.0 | 215.5 | 61.5 | 40.9 | 29.6 | 24.0 | 24.2 | 25.5 | 19.3 | 16.8 |
| BALTIMORE CITY..... | 1,220.6 | 315.8 | 256.2 | 67.2 | 42.2 | 41.6 | 30.7 | 27.9 | 42.5 | 14.5 | 59.2 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY..... | 868.1 | 231.7 | 211.0 | 61.6 | 39.0 | 23.8 | 21.7 | 23.9 | 22.5 | 19.2 | 6.3 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL..... | 871.8 | 243.3 | 206.4 | 59.1 | 47.0 | 30.0 | 23.3 | 23.3 | 20.0 | 22.1 | **** |
| CARROLL..... | 848.8 | 237.6 | 204.3 | 54.2 | 45.0 | 27.0 | 22.7 | 19.4 | **** | 38.9 | **** |
| HOWARD..... | 751.8 | 195.8 | 167.0 | 60.3 | 37.4 | 26.9 | 15.7 | 24.1 | 17.0 | 17.4 | **** |
| HARFORD..... | 854.0 | 265.4 | 195.1 | 60.7 | 37.8 | 24.1 | 26.5 | 21.8 | 14.5 | 19.8 | **** |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA... | 736.2 | 206.1 | 170.4 | 47.3 | 27.2 | 25.5 | 23.5 | 21.2 | 17.2 | 15.2 | 6.1 |
| MONTGOMERY..... | 623.3 | 170.0 | 149.2 | 42.9 | 26.5 | 19.0 | 17.3 | 20.5 | 13.8 | 15.5 | 2.6 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S..... | 886.9 | 260.0 | 200.2 | 52.5 | 27.4 | 35.0 | 30.6 | 21.6 | 22.1 | 14.6 | 10.1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA..... | 896.0 | 260.2 | 217.2 | 52.1 | 51.4 | 31.9 | 33.7 | 14.8 | 15.8 | 17.0 | **** |
| CALVERT..... | 869.4 | 238.2 | 226.2 | 56.0 | 54.9 | **** | 31.5 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| CHARLES..... | 930.7 | 270.2 | 224.1 | 50.7 | 47.0 | 38.8 | 32.6 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| SAINT MARY'S..... | 875.6 | 269.0 | 201.5 | 49.7 | 53.8 | **** | 36.7 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA..... | 894.9 | 258.5 | 213.8 | 52.8 | 46.2 | 32.0 | 35.7 | 19.4 | 14.4 | 24.7 | 5.4 |
| CECIL..... | 937.8 | 278.5 | 213.7 | 40.4 | 65.1 | 45.9 | 37.8 | **** | **** | 35.7 | **** |
| KENT..... | 827.5 | 194.9 | 201.4 | 74.8 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| QUEEN ANNE'S..... | 861.3 | 229.3 | 194.5 | 57.1 | 52.6 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| CAROLINE..... | 978.1 | 241.8 | 231.0 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| TALBOT..... | 769.3 | 181.0 | 192.8 | 76.4 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| DORCHESTER..... | 996.2 | 317.7 | 235.1 | 51.1 | 47.3 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WICOMICO..... | 923.1 | 285.4 | 217.6 | 44.5 | 41.0 | 33.3 | 35.0 | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| SOMERSET..... | 1,009.7 | 352.5 | 248.7 | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** | **** |
| WORCESTER..... | 846.2 | 260.7 | 214.1 | 45.9 | 32.5 | 32.9 | **** | **** | **** | **** | 3.8 |

*Adjusted to the projected 2000 population by the direct method. These rates should only be compared with other rates age-adjusted to the projected 2000 population.

**ICD-10 codes appear on page xiv.

***Per 100,000 population.

**** Age-adjusted death rates not calculated for jurisdictions with an average of fewer than 20 deaths.

TABLE 51. NUMBER OF DEATHS AMONG CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS AGES 1-19 BY AGE GROUP, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | 1-19 | 1-4 | 5-9 | 10-14 | 15-17 | 18-19 |
|----------------------------------|------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| MARYLAND | 502 | 77 | 50 | 79 | 128 | 168 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 41 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 11 | 9 |
| GARRETT | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| ALLEGANY | 8 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| WASHINGTON | 15 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 3 |
| FREDERICK | 15 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 3 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 254 | 34 | 23 | 41 | 68 | 88 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 113 | 14 | 12 | 22 | 28 | 37 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 56 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 18 | 25 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 34 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 10 |
| CARROLL | 12 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 4 |
| HOWARD | 25 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 5 | 10 |
| HARFORD | 14 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 140 | 31 | 17 | 13 | 31 | 48 |
| MONTGOMERY | 44 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 12 | 12 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 96 | 22 | 11 | 8 | 19 | 36 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 29 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 12 | 5 |
| CALVERT | 9 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 1 |
| CHARLES | 11 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 9 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 38 | 4 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 18 |
| CECIL | 10 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| KENT | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| CAROLINE | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| TALBOT | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| DORCHESTER | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| WICOMICO | 8 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| SOMERSET | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| WORCESTER | 6 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 |

TABLE 52. DEATHS OCCURRING IN INSTITUTIONS BY RACE, REGION, AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | NUMBER OF DEATHS OCCURRING IN HOSPITALS | | | NUMBER OF DEATHS OCCURRING IN NURSING HOMES | | | PERCENT OF ALL DEATHS OCCURRING IN HOSPITALS AND NURSING HOMES | | |
|----------------------------------|---|--------|-------|---|-------|-------|--|-------|-------|
| | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | BLACK |
| MARYLAND | 21,609 | 14,138 | 7,064 | 9,025 | 7,190 | 1,768 | 69.1 | 67.0 | 74.6 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 1,914 | 1,826 | 80 | 1,008 | 980 | 28 | 73.2 | 73.3 | 69.2 |
| GARRETT | 136 | 135 | 0 | 70 | 70 | 0 | 69.6 | 69.5 | 0.0 |
| ALLEGANY | 480 | 467 | 10 | 223 | 218 | 5 | 78.0 | 78.3 | 65.2 |
| WASHINGTON | 664 | 632 | 31 | 335 | 327 | 8 | 73.6 | 73.5 | 73.6 |
| FREDERICK | 634 | 592 | 39 | 380 | 365 | 15 | 70.5 | 70.6 | 67.5 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 11,244 | 7,096 | 4,032 | 4,471 | 3,530 | 930 | 67.2 | 64.7 | 73.2 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 4,452 | 1,390 | 3,037 | 1,184 | 552 | 631 | 71.8 | 68.0 | 73.9 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 3,265 | 2,674 | 558 | 1,758 | 1,581 | 169 | 65.1 | 64.3 | 70.7 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 1,669 | 1,416 | 231 | 650 | 573 | 77 | 65.0 | 64.0 | 72.0 |
| CARROLL | 489 | 472 | 16 | 349 | 342 | 7 | 65.3 | 65.2 | 69.7 |
| HOWARD | 594 | 467 | 102 | 217 | 190 | 25 | 61.1 | 60.3 | 66.8 |
| HARFORD | 775 | 677 | 88 | 313 | 292 | 21 | 65.8 | 64.5 | 80.1 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 5,694 | 3,067 | 2,365 | 2,136 | 1,510 | 573 | 72.3 | 69.4 | 77.0 |
| MONTGOMERY | 2,636 | 2,020 | 429 | 1,270 | 1,111 | 126 | 70.3 | 69.0 | 76.8 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 3,058 | 1,047 | 1,936 | 866 | 399 | 447 | 74.3 | 70.2 | 77.1 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 935 | 692 | 233 | 400 | 349 | 49 | 66.3 | 64.5 | 73.8 |
| CALVERT | 236 | 192 | 44 | 118 | 108 | 10 | 65.8 | 66.1 | 65.1 |
| CHARLES | 413 | 269 | 136 | 149 | 124 | 23 | 66.6 | 63.4 | 75.7 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 286 | 231 | 53 | 133 | 117 | 16 | 66.4 | 64.4 | 77.5 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,822 | 1,457 | 354 | 1,010 | 821 | 188 | 68.7 | 67.1 | 76.7 |
| CECIL | 312 | 301 | 11 | 132 | 126 | 6 | 62.2 | 61.7 | 81.0 |
| KENT | 95 | 76 | 19 | 69 | 56 | 13 | 66.4 | 64.1 | 78.0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 155 | 133 | 22 | 86 | 72 | 14 | 65.8 | 64.3 | 76.6 |
| CAROLINE | 127 | 107 | 19 | 85 | 67 | 18 | 68.2 | 67.2 | 74.0 |
| TALBOT | 159 | 127 | 29 | 118 | 87 | 31 | 70.3 | 69.9 | 71.4 |
| DORCHESTER | 182 | 129 | 53 | 99 | 74 | 25 | 71.5 | 72.2 | 70.3 |
| WICOMICO | 374 | 264 | 105 | 225 | 180 | 44 | 72.0 | 69.5 | 80.1 |
| SOMERSET | 129 | 87 | 41 | 84 | 64 | 20 | 73.2 | 69.9 | 83.6 |
| WORCESTER | 289 | 233 | 55 | 112 | 95 | 17 | 70.0 | 68.8 | 76.6 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

TABLE 53. DEATHS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE AND PLACE OF OCCURRENCE BY RACE, REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | DEATHS BY AREA OF RESIDENCE | | | DEATHS WITHIN MARYLAND BY AREA OF OCCURRENCE | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|--------|--|--------|--------|
| | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | BLACK | ALL RACES ¹ | WHITE | BLACK |
| MARYLAND | 44,364 | 31,853 | 11,838 | 41,738 | 30,316 | 10,824 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 3,993 | 3,829 | 156 | 3,732 | 3,578 | 148 |
| GARRETT | 296 | 295 | 0 | 262 | 262 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 901 | 875 | 23 | 844 | 819 | 22 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,358 | 1,304 | 53 | 1,280 | 1,226 | 53 |
| FREDERICK | 1,438 | 1,355 | 80 | 1,346 | 1,271 | 73 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 23,400 | 16,418 | 6,779 | 23,027 | 16,130 | 6,700 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 7,853 | 2,855 | 4,964 | 7,779 | 2,826 | 4,919 |
| BALTIMORE CO | 7,717 | 6,616 | 1,028 | 7,630 | 6,538 | 1,019 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,567 | 3,107 | 428 | 3,471 | 3,027 | 416 |
| CARROLL | 1,283 | 1,248 | 33 | 1,237 | 1,202 | 33 |
| HOWARD | 1,327 | 1,090 | 190 | 1,287 | 1,060 | 182 |
| HARFORD | 1,653 | 1,502 | 136 | 1,623 | 1,477 | 131 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,837 | 6,597 | 3,814 | 9,280 | 5,959 | 2,956 |
| MONTGOMERY | 5,559 | 4,538 | 723 | 5,023 | 4,141 | 622 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 5,278 | 2,059 | 3,091 | 4,257 | 1,818 | 2,334 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,013 | 1,614 | 382 | 1,781 | 1,439 | 329 |
| CALVERT | 538 | 454 | 83 | 489 | 417 | 71 |
| CHARLES | 844 | 620 | 210 | 743 | 552 | 181 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 631 | 540 | 89 | 549 | 470 | 77 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,121 | 3,395 | 707 | 3,918 | 3,210 | 691 |
| CECIL | 714 | 692 | 21 | 632 | 614 | 17 |
| KENT | 247 | 206 | 41 | 237 | 197 | 40 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 366 | 319 | 47 | 351 | 306 | 45 |
| CAROLINE | 311 | 259 | 50 | 286 | 237 | 48 |
| TALBOT | 394 | 306 | 84 | 385 | 297 | 84 |
| DORCHESTER | 393 | 281 | 111 | 382 | 271 | 110 |
| WICOMICO | 832 | 639 | 186 | 803 | 613 | 183 |
| SOMERSET | 291 | 216 | 73 | 288 | 214 | 73 |
| WORCESTER | 573 | 477 | 94 | 554 | 461 | 91 |

¹ Includes races categorized as 'other'.

TABLE 54. DEATHS TO RESIDENTS OF MARYLAND BY AREA OF OCCURRENCE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ALL AREAS OF OCCURRENCE | STATE OF MARYLAND | | | | DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | OTHER STATES AND COUNTRIES |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------------|
| | | STATE TOTALS | MD. COUNTY SAME AS RESIDENCE | MD. COUNTY OTHER THAN RESIDENCE | BALTIMORE CITY | | |
| MARYLAND | 44,364 | 41,738 | 26,945 | 4,798 | 9,995 | 1,595 | 1,031 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 3,993 | 3,732 | 3,406 | 226 | 100 | 55 | 206 |
| GARRETT | 296 | 262 | 208 | 52 | 2 | 0 | 34 |
| ALLEGANY | 901 | 844 | 815 | 22 | 7 | 1 | 56 |
| WASHINGTON | 1,358 | 1,280 | 1,199 | 37 | 44 | 12 | 66 |
| FREDERICK | 1,438 | 1,346 | 1,184 | 115 | 47 | 42 | 50 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA | 23,400 | 23,027 | 11,138 | 2,411 | 9,478 | 84 | 289 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 7,853 | 7,779 | 0 | 1,115 | 6,664 | 12 | 62 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 7,717 | 7,630 | 5,390 | 337 | 1,903 | 5 | 82 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,567 | 3,471 | 2,751 | 256 | 464 | 47 | 49 |
| CARROLL | 1,283 | 1,237 | 945 | 185 | 107 | 7 | 39 |
| HOWARD | 1,327 | 1,287 | 828 | 274 | 185 | 12 | 28 |
| HARFORD | 1,653 | 1,623 | 1,224 | 244 | 155 | 1 | 29 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA | 10,837 | 9,280 | 8,036 | 1,025 | 219 | 1,263 | 294 |
| MONTGOMERY | 5,559 | 5,023 | 4,720 | 218 | 85 | 410 | 126 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 5,278 | 4,257 | 3,316 | 807 | 134 | 853 | 168 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,013 | 1,781 | 1,400 | 332 | 49 | 179 | 53 |
| CALVERT | 538 | 489 | 405 | 72 | 12 | 38 | 11 |
| CHARLES | 844 | 743 | 546 | 181 | 16 | 73 | 28 |
| ST MARY'S | 631 | 549 | 449 | 79 | 21 | 68 | 14 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,121 | 3,918 | 2,965 | 804 | 149 | 14 | 189 |
| CECIL | 714 | 632 | 531 | 75 | 26 | 2 | 80 |
| KENT | 247 | 237 | 211 | 15 | 11 | 0 | 10 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 366 | 351 | 160 | 168 | 23 | 5 | 10 |
| CAROLINE | 311 | 286 | 141 | 130 | 15 | 0 | 25 |
| TALBOT | 394 | 385 | 334 | 30 | 21 | 1 | 8 |
| DORCHESTER | 393 | 382 | 305 | 61 | 16 | 1 | 10 |
| WICOMICO | 832 | 803 | 754 | 35 | 14 | 1 | 28 |
| SOMERSET | 291 | 288 | 152 | 133 | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| WORCESTER | 573 | 554 | 377 | 157 | 20 | 4 | 15 |

MARRIAGES

**TABLE 55. MARRIAGES BY RESIDENT STATUS AND TYPE OF CEREMONY, MARYLAND,
SELECTED YEARS, 1940-2003.**

| YEAR | NUMBER OF MARRIAGES | RESIDENCE* | | | TYPE OF CEREMONY | | |
|------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------|---------|------------------|--------|---------------|
| | | MARYLAND RESIDENTS | NON-RESIDENTS | | RELIGIOUS | CIVIL | PERCENT CIVIL |
| | | | NUMBER | PERCENT | | | |
| 1940 | 39,305 | - | - | - | 39,305 | - | - |
| 1950 | 49,467 | - | - | - | 49,467 | - | - |
| 1960 | 40,320 | 23,500 | 16,820 | 41.7 | 40,320 | - | - |
| 1970 | 52,237 | 35,656 | 16,581 | 31.7 | 36,073 | 16,164 | 30.9 |
| 1980 | 46,278 | 36,629 | 9,649 | 20.9 | 29,435 | 16,843 | 36.4 |
| 1990 | 46,316 | 38,080 | 8,236 | 17.8 | 29,202 | 17,114 | 37.0 |
| 1994 | 43,302 | 34,725 | 8,570 | 19.8 | 26,164 | 17,138 | 39.6 |
| 1995 | 43,291 | 34,824 | 8,467 | 19.6 | 25,931 | 17,360 | 40.1 |
| 1996 | 41,909 | 33,627 | 8,282 | 19.8 | 24,626 | 17,283 | 41.2 |
| 1997 | 42,896 | 34,885 | 8,011 | 18.7 | 23,851 | 19,045 | 44.4 |
| 1998 | 38,653 | 32,301 | 6,352 | 16.4 | 23,427 | 15,226 | 39.4 |
| 1999 | 39,466 | 33,512 | 5,954 | 15.1 | 23,781 | 15,685 | 39.7 |
| 2000 | 38,659 | 33,166 | 5,493 | 14.2 | 23,525 | 15,134 | 39.1 |
| 2001 | 39,081 | 33,418 | 5,561 | 14.2 | 21,862 | 17,219 | 44.1 |
| 2002 | 38,877 | 33,296 | 5,581 | 14.4 | 22,041 | 16,836 | 43.3 |
| 2003 | 38,176 | 33,040 | 5,136 | 13.5 | 21,602 | 16,574 | 43.4 |

* Not available before 1960.

TABLE 56. MARRIAGES BY RESIDENT STATUS AND TYPE OF CEREMONY, BY REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF OCCURRENCE, MARYLAND, 2003

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | MARRIAGES BY RESIDENCE ¹ | | | | TYPE OF CEREMONY | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------|-----------------------|
| | TOTAL | MARYLAND RESIDENTS ² | NON-RESIDENTS ³ | % OF NON-RESIDENTS | RELIGIOUS | CIVIL | % OF CIVIL CEREMONIES |
| MARYLAND | 38,176 | 33,040 | 5,136 | 13.5 | 21,602 | 16,574 | 43.4 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 3,428 | 2,827 | 601 | 17.5 | 2,159 | 1,269 | 37.0 |
| GARRETT | 307 | 199 | 108 | 35.2 | 194 | 113 | 36.8 |
| ALLEGANY | 565 | 440 | 125 | 22.1 | 352 | 213 | 37.7 |
| WASHINGTON | 951 | 773 | 178 | 18.7 | 559 | 392 | 41.2 |
| FREDERICK | 1,605 | 1,415 | 190 | 11.8 | 1,054 | 551 | 34.3 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA .. | 16,779 | 15,466 | 1,313 | 7.8 | 10,317 | 6,462 | 38.5 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 4,556 | 4,252 | 304 | 6.7 | 2,807 | 1,749 | 38.4 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 4,642 | 4,351 | 291 | 6.3 | 2,906 | 1,736 | 37.4 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 3,598 | 3,220 | 378 | 10.5 | 2,231 | 1,367 | 38.0 |
| CARROLL | 946 | 834 | 112 | 11.8 | 627 | 319 | 33.7 |
| HOWARD | 1,593 | 1,508 | 85 | 5.3 | 796 | 797 | 50.0 |
| HARFORD | 1,444 | 1,301 | 143 | 9.9 | 950 | 494 | 34.2 |
| NATIONAL CAPITOL AREA .. | 11,211 | 9,833 | 1,378 | 12.3 | 5,296 | 5,915 | 52.8 |
| MONTGOMERY | 6,272 | 5,388 | 884 | 14.1 | 2,904 | 3,368 | 53.7 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 4,939 | 4,445 | 494 | 10.0 | 2,392 | 2,547 | 51.6 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 2,011 | 1,899 | 112 | 5.6 | 1,139 | 872 | 43.4 |
| CALVERT | 505 | 475 | 30 | 5.9 | 303 | 202 | 40.0 |
| CHARLES | 878 | 835 | 43 | 4.9 | 459 | 419 | 47.7 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 628 | 589 | 39 | 6.2 | 377 | 251 | 40.0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 4,747 | 3,015 | 1,732 | 36.5 | 2,691 | 2,056 | 43.3 |
| CECIL | 1,736 | 640 | 1,096 | 63.1 | 656 | 1,080 | 62.2 |
| KENT | 187 | 132 | 55 | 29.4 | 117 | 70 | 37.4 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 442 | 373 | 69 | 15.6 | 360 | 82 | 18.6 |
| CAROLINE | 224 | 181 | 43 | 19.2 | 144 | 80 | 35.7 |
| TALBOT | 403 | 319 | 84 | 20.8 | 305 | 98 | 24.3 |
| DORCHESTER | 212 | 192 | 20 | 9.4 | 132 | 80 | 37.7 |
| WICOMICO | 617 | 554 | 63 | 10.2 | 352 | 265 | 42.9 |
| SOMERSET | 150 | 140 | 10 | 6.7 | 86 | 64 | 42.7 |
| WORCESTER | 776 | 484 | 292 | 37.6 | 539 | 237 | 30.5 |

¹ Marriages refer to the number of ceremonies performed in Maryland areas, not the number of persons married.

² One or both partners were residents of Maryland.

³ Both partners were non-residents of Maryland.

TABLE 57. MARRIAGES BY AGE AND PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF BRIDE, MARYLAND, 2003

| AGE OF BRIDE | ALL MARRIAGES | PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF BRIDE | | | |
|-------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|------------|
| | | NEVER MARRIED | WIDOWED | DIVORCED | NOT STATED |
| ALL AGES | 38,176 | 25,476 | 1,104 | 11,561 | 35 |
| UNDER 15 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 17 | 229 | 229 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 - 19 | 1,381 | 1,374 | 0 | 7 | 0 |
| 20 - 21 | 2,454 | 2,411 | 1 | 39 | 3 |
| 22 - 24 | 5,615 | 5,388 | 1 | 222 | 4 |
| 25 - 29 | 8,920 | 7,762 | 26 | 1,123 | 9 |
| 30 - 34 | 6,444 | 4,270 | 47 | 2,122 | 5 |
| 35 - 39 | 4,504 | 2,138 | 77 | 2,287 | 2 |
| 40 - 44 | 3,297 | 995 | 136 | 2,162 | 4 |
| 45 - 54 | 3,781 | 751 | 307 | 2,719 | 4 |
| 55 AND OVER | 1,549 | 156 | 509 | 880 | 4 |
| UNKNOWN | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 58. MARRIAGES BY AGE AND PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF GROOM, MARYLAND, 2003

| AGE OF GROOM | ALL MARRIAGES | PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF GROOM | | | |
|-----------------|---------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|------------|
| | | NEVER MARRIED | WIDOWED | DIVORCED | NOT STATED |
| ALL AGES | 38,176 | 24,827 | 1,049 | 12,250 | 50 |
| UNDER 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 - 17 | 40 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 - 19 | 577 | 577 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 - 21 | 1,497 | 1,490 | 0 | 5 | 2 |
| 22 - 24 | 4,259 | 4,145 | 1 | 105 | 8 |
| 25 - 29 | 8,791 | 8,031 | 9 | 740 | 11 |
| 30 - 34 | 7,033 | 5,281 | 26 | 1,715 | 11 |
| 35 - 39 | 5,010 | 2,649 | 40 | 2,314 | 7 |
| 40 - 44 | 3,796 | 1,403 | 65 | 2,326 | 2 |
| 45 - 54 | 4,487 | 1,000 | 181 | 3,302 | 4 |
| 55 & OVER | 2,686 | 211 | 727 | 1,743 | 5 |
| UNKNOWN | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 59. MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE AND GROOM, MARYLAND, 2003

| AGE OF GROOM | AGE OF BRIDE | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------------|----------|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | ALL AGES | UNDER 15 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| ALL AGES | 38,176 | 1 | 13 | 67 | 149 | 557 | 824 | 1,066 | 1,388 | 1,666 | 1,948 | 2,001 |
| UNDER 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | 32 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 13 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 18 | 198 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 24 | 74 | 35 | 15 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 1 |
| 19 | 379 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 31 | 86 | 104 | 52 | 20 | 19 | 22 | 11 |
| 20 | 581 | 0 | 2 | 11 | 23 | 83 | 122 | 118 | 97 | 41 | 27 | 11 |
| 21 | 916 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 26 | 80 | 118 | 163 | 173 | 123 | 75 | 43 |
| 22 | 1,190 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 50 | 118 | 166 | 210 | 237 | 146 | 74 |
| 23 | 1,464 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 41 | 84 | 129 | 195 | 276 | 286 | 158 |
| 24 | 1,605 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 30 | 58 | 94 | 159 | 209 | 252 | 284 |
| 25 | 1,836 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 30 | 40 | 81 | 131 | 149 | 259 | 304 |
| 26 | 1,840 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 11 | 42 | 50 | 97 | 120 | 184 | 264 |
| 27 | 1,801 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 12 | 19 | 39 | 59 | 86 | 160 | 170 |
| 28 | 1,747 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 9 | 23 | 28 | 52 | 82 | 109 | 161 |
| 29 | 1,567 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 13 | 24 | 25 | 58 | 84 | 105 |
| 30 - 34 | 7,033 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 19 | 24 | 74 | 103 | 175 | 226 | 270 |
| 35 - 39 | 5,010 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 10 | 15 | 33 | 49 | 70 | 93 |
| 40 - 44 | 3,796 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 13 | 21 | 23 | 36 |
| 45 - 49 | 2,676 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 10 | 9 |
| 50 - 54 | 1,811 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 5 |
| 55 AND OVER | 2,686 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| UNKNOWN | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 59. (CONTINUED). MARRIAGES BY AGE OF BRIDE AND AGE OF GROOM, MARYLAND, 2003

| AGE OF GROOM | AGE OF BRIDE | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30-34 | 35-39 | 40-44 | 45-49 | 50-54 | 55+ | UNKNOWN |
| ALL AGES | 1,998 | 1,957 | 1,865 | 1,622 | 1,478 | 6,444 | 4,504 | 3,297 | 2,356 | 1,425 | 1,549 | 1 |
| UNDER 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 17 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 18 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 19 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 21 | 23 | 18 | 16 | 7 | 10 | 16 | 10 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 22 | 30 | 34 | 30 | 12 | 14 | 40 | 9 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 23 | 85 | 48 | 44 | 18 | 10 | 55 | 20 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 24 | 149 | 106 | 55 | 44 | 41 | 84 | 22 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 25 | 288 | 173 | 110 | 62 | 47 | 111 | 32 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 26 | 282 | 259 | 162 | 93 | 61 | 154 | 38 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| 27 | 235 | 250 | 227 | 134 | 108 | 212 | 62 | 16 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 28 | 172 | 207 | 216 | 196 | 115 | 283 | 65 | 16 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 29 | 161 | 175 | 188 | 177 | 138 | 317 | 65 | 21 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| 30 - 34 | 388 | 465 | 551 | 542 | 596 | 2,440 | 797 | 255 | 72 | 20 | 9 | 0 |
| 35 - 39 | 99 | 132 | 184 | 184 | 202 | 1,607 | 1,451 | 592 | 209 | 54 | 18 | 0 |
| 40 - 44 | 46 | 50 | 48 | 85 | 93 | 701 | 1,096 | 974 | 437 | 107 | 44 | 0 |
| 45 - 49 | 16 | 18 | 22 | 31 | 27 | 241 | 514 | 732 | 686 | 257 | 93 | 0 |
| 50 - 54 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 14 | 6 | 98 | 192 | 376 | 510 | 413 | 169 | 0 |
| 55 AND OVER | 3 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 5 | 71 | 127 | 279 | 406 | 563 | 1,215 | 0 |
| UNKNOWN | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

TABLE 60. MARRIAGES BY PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS AND RESIDENCE OF BRIDE, MARYLAND, 2003

| RESIDENT STATUS OF BRIDE | ALL MARRIAGES | PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF BRIDE | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|----------------------|
| | | NEVER MARRIED | WIDOWED | DIVORCED | NOT STATED AND OTHER |
| TOTAL MARRIAGES | 38,176 | 25,476 | 1,104 | 11,561 | 35 |
| RESIDENT BRIDE | 31,870 | 21,156 | 903 | 9,785 | 26 |
| RESIDENT GROOM | 29,997 | 19,821 | 834 | 9,317 | 25 |
| NONRESIDENT GROOM | 1,873 | 1,335 | 69 | 468 | 1 |
| NONRESIDENT BRIDE | 6,306 | 4,320 | 201 | 1,776 | 9 |
| RESIDENT GROOM | 1,170 | 793 | 45 | 332 | 0 |
| NONRESIDENT GROOM | 5,136 | 3,527 | 156 | 1,444 | 9 |

TABLE 61. MARRIAGES BY PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS AND RESIDENCE OF GROOM, MARYLAND, 2003

| RESIDENT STATUS OF GROOM | ALL MARRIAGES | PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF GROOM | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|----------------------|
| | | NEVER MARRIED | WIDOWED | DIVORCED | NOT STATED AND OTHER |
| TOTAL MARRIAGES | 38,176 | 24,827 | 1,049 | 12,250 | 50 |
| RESIDENT GROOM | 31,167 | 20,116 | 821 | 10,190 | 40 |
| RESIDENT BRIDE | 29,997 | 19,374 | 773 | 9,811 | 39 |
| NONRESIDENT BRIDE | 1,170 | 742 | 48 | 379 | 1 |
| NONRESIDENT GROOM | 7,009 | 4,711 | 228 | 2,060 | 10 |
| RESIDENT BRIDE | 1,873 | 1,318 | 75 | 476 | 4 |
| NONRESIDENT BRIDE | 5,136 | 3,393 | 153 | 1,584 | 6 |

TABLE 62. MARRIAGES BY PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF BRIDE AND GROOM AND TYPE OF CEREMONY, MARYLAND, 2003

| TYPE OF CEREMONY AND PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF GROOM | ALL MARRIAGES | PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS OF BRIDE | | | |
|---|---------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------|----------------------|
| | | NEVER MARRIED | WIDOWED | DIVORCED | NOT STATED AND OTHER |
| TOTAL MARRIAGES | 38,176 | 25,476 | 1,104 | 11,561 | 35 |
| NEVER MARRIED | 24,827 | 20,449 | 226 | 4,132 | 20 |
| WIDOWED | 1,049 | 193 | 343 | 511 | 2 |
| DIVORCED | 12,250 | 4,800 | 533 | 6,909 | 8 |
| NOT STATED AND OTHER | 50 | 34 | 2 | 9 | 5 |
| RELIGIOUS CEREMONIES | 21,602 | 15,130 | 622 | 5,828 | 22 |
| NEVER MARRIED | 14,773 | 12,592 | 105 | 2,062 | 14 |
| WIDOWED | 636 | 87 | 246 | 302 | 1 |
| DIVORCED | 6,166 | 2,432 | 270 | 3,459 | 5 |
| NOT STATED AND OTHER | 27 | 19 | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| CIVIL CEREMONIES | 16,574 | 10,346 | 482 | 5,733 | 13 |
| NEVER MARRIED | 10,054 | 7,857 | 121 | 2,070 | 6 |
| WIDOWED | 413 | 106 | 97 | 209 | 1 |
| DIVORCED | 6,084 | 2,368 | 263 | 3,450 | 3 |
| NOT STATED AND OTHER | 23 | 15 | 1 | 4 | 3 |

**TABLE 63A. MARRIAGES BY PLACE
OF RESIDENCE OF BRIDE,
MARYLAND, 2003**

| PLACE OF RESIDENCE | BRIDE |
|----------------------------|--------|
| TOTAL | 38,176 |
| MARYLAND | 31,870 |
| PENNSYLVANIA | 1,402 |
| DELAWARE | 641 |
| VIRGINIA | 1,206 |
| WEST VIRGINIA | 242 |
| DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | 811 |
| NEW JERSEY | 434 |
| NEW YORK | 234 |
| OHIO | 72 |
| FLORIDA | 142 |
| OTHER STATES | 1,095 |
| FOREIGN COUNTRIES | 27 |
| NOT STATED | 0 |

**TABLE 63B. MARRIAGES BY PLACE
OF RESIDENCE OF GROOM,
MARYLAND, 2003**

| PLACE OF RESIDENCE | GROOM |
|----------------------------|--------|
| TOTAL | 38,176 |
| MARYLAND | 31,167 |
| PENNSYLVANIA | 1,465 |
| DELAWARE | 647 |
| VIRGINIA | 1,311 |
| WEST VIRGINIA | 231 |
| DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | 858 |
| NEW JERSEY | 461 |
| NEW YORK | 305 |
| OHIO | 97 |
| FLORIDA | 193 |
| OTHER STATES | 1,426 |
| FOREIGN COUNTRIES | 15 |
| NOT STATED | 0 |

DIVORCES

TABLE 64. ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS, MARYLAND, 1940-2003.

| YEAR | ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS | | |
|------|----------------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | ABSOLUTE DIVORCES | ANNULMENTS |
| 1940 | 3,227* | 3,203* | 24 |
| 1950 | 5,039 | 4,945* | 94 |
| 1960 | 5,320 | 5,213* | 107 |
| 1970 | 9,252 | 9,128 | 124 |
| 1980 | 17,494 | 17,438 | 56 |
| 1990 | 16,607 | 16,568 | 39 |
| 1994 | 16,759 | 16,735 | 24 |
| 1995 | 17,454 | 17,399 | 55 |
| 1996 | 16,930 | 16,892 | 38 |
| 1997 | 16,810 | 16,773 | 37 |
| 1998 | 16,667 | 16,640 | 27 |
| 1999 | 17,982 | 17,959 | 23 |
| 2000 | 17,514 | 17,492 | 22 |
| 2001 | 17,955 | 17,932 | 23 |
| 2002 | 18,449 | 18,425 | 24 |
| 2003 | 17,642 | 17,614 | 28 |

*Includes limited divorces.

**TABLE 65. ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY
REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF OCCURRENCE,
MARYLAND, 2003.**

| REGION AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISION | ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | ABSOLUTE DIVORCES | ANNULMENTS |
| MARYLAND STATE | 17,642 | 17,614 | 28 |
| NORTHWEST AREA | 1,456 | 1,454 | 2 |
| GARRETT | 64 | 64 | 0 |
| ALLEGANY | 185 | 185 | 0 |
| WASHINGTON | 405 | 405 | 0 |
| FREDERICK | 802 | 800 | 2 |
| BALTIMORE METRO AREA .. | 8,351 | 8,342 | 9 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 1,912 | 1,910 | 2 |
| BALTIMORE COUNTY | 2,381 | 2,381 | 0 |
| ANNE ARUNDEL | 2,061 | 2,057 | 4 |
| CARROLL | 443 | 443 | 0 |
| HOWARD | 759 | 758 | 1 |
| HARFORD | 795 | 793 | 2 |
| NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA ... | 5,487 | 5,473 | 14 |
| MONTGOMERY | 2,478 | 2,475 | 3 |
| PRINCE GEORGE'S | 3,009 | 2,998 | 11 |
| SOUTHERN AREA | 870 | 868 | 2 |
| CALVERT | 245 | 245 | 0 |
| CHARLES | 350 | 348 | 2 |
| SAINT MARY'S | 275 | 275 | 0 |
| EASTERN SHORE AREA | 1,478 | 1,477 | 1 |
| CECIL | 339 | 339 | 0 |
| KENT | 89 | 89 | 0 |
| QUEEN ANNE'S | 94 | 94 | 0 |
| CAROLINE | 142 | 142 | 0 |
| TALBOT | 138 | 138 | 0 |
| DORCHESTER | 107 | 107 | 0 |
| WICOMICO | 364 | 363 | 1 |
| SOMERSET | 69 | 69 | 0 |
| WORCESTER | 136 | 136 | 0 |

TABLE 66. ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY PLACE WHERE MARRIAGE WAS PERFORMED, SELECTED AREAS OF OCCURRENCE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| AREA OF OCCURRENCE | TOTAL NUMBER GRANTED | PLACE WHERE MARRIAGE WAS PERFORMED | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------------|------------|
| | | MARYLAND | DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA | VIRGINIA | REMAINDER OF U.S. | FOREIGN COUNTRIES | NOT STATED |
| MARYLAND STATE | 17,642 | 11,979 | 601 | 975 | 2,915 | 1,076 | 96 |
| BALTIMORE CITY | 1,912 | 1,576 | 5 | 55 | 196 | 69 | 11 |
| TOTAL COUNTIES | 15,730 | 10,403 | 596 | 920 | 2,719 | 1,007 | 85 |

**TABLE 67A. ABSOLUTE
DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS
BY AGE OF HUSBAND AT TIME
OF DECREE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| AGE AT TIME OF DECREE | HUSBAND |
|-------------------------|---------|
| ALL AGES | 17,642 |
| UNDER 20 YEARS | 5 |
| 20-24 YEARS | 402 |
| 25-29 YEARS | 1,505 |
| 30-34 YEARS | 2,782 |
| 35-39 YEARS | 3,236 |
| 40-44 YEARS | 3,223 |
| 45-49 YEARS | 2,439 |
| 50-54 YEARS | 1,728 |
| 55-59 YEARS | 1,061 |
| 60-64 YEARS | 476 |
| 65 YEARS AND OVER | 417 |
| NOT STATED | 368 |

**TABLE 67B. ABSOLUTE
DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS
BY AGE OF WIFE AT TIME OF
DECREE, MARYLAND, 2003.**

| AGE AT TIME OF DECREE | WIFE |
|-------------------------|--------|
| ALL AGES | 17,642 |
| UNDER 20 YEARS | 25 |
| 20-24 YEARS | 744 |
| 25-29 YEARS | 2,045 |
| 30-34 YEARS | 2,953 |
| 35-39 YEARS | 3,261 |
| 40-44 YEARS | 3,106 |
| 45-49 YEARS | 2,341 |
| 50-54 YEARS | 1,378 |
| 55-59 YEARS | 704 |
| 60-64 YEARS | 281 |
| 65 YEARS AND OVER | 177 |
| NOT STATED | 627 |

TABLE 68. ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY NUMBER OF CHILDREN REPORTED UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE AND DURATION OF MARRIAGE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| NUMBER OF CHILDREN REPORTED UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE | TOTAL NUMBER GRANTED | DURATION OF MARRIAGE IN YEARS | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|------------|
| | | UNDER 2 | 2-3 | 4-5 | 6-7 | 8-9 | 10-14 | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25 & OVER | NOT STATED |
| TOTAL | 17,642 | 474 | 2,033 | 2,623 | 2,132 | 1,688 | 3,242 | 2,228 | 1,508 | 1,706 | 8 |
| NONE | 9,426 | 393 | 1,479 | 1,597 | 1,177 | 782 | 1,256 | 667 | 686 | 1,387 | 2 |
| ONE | 3,778 | 52 | 389 | 621 | 514 | 420 | 753 | 487 | 354 | 188 | 0 |
| TWO | 3,237 | 17 | 129 | 302 | 336 | 366 | 919 | 738 | 341 | 87 | 2 |
| THREE | 949 | 10 | 28 | 80 | 78 | 104 | 257 | 258 | 102 | 29 | 3 |
| FOUR | 201 | 0 | 8 | 20 | 25 | 12 | 49 | 60 | 16 | 11 | 0 |
| FIVE | 38 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 15 | 5 | 3 | 0 |
| SIX OR MORE | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| NOT STATED | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

TABLE 69. ABSOLUTE DIVORCES AND ANNULMENTS BY NUMBER OF MARRIAGES OF HUSBAND AND NUMBER OF MARRIAGES OF WIFE, MARYLAND, 2003.

| NUMBER OF MARRIAGES OF HUSBAND | NUMBER OF MARRIAGES OF WIFE | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------------|------------|
| | TOTAL | ONE | TWO | THREE | FOUR OR MORE | NOT STATED |
| TOTAL | 17,642 | 11,728 | 3,397 | 658 | 121 | 1,738 |
| ONE | 11,763 | 9,722 | 1,566 | 218 | 23 | 234 |
| TWO | 3,399 | 1,586 | 1,391 | 277 | 60 | 85 |
| THREE | 672 | 206 | 297 | 120 | 26 | 23 |
| FOUR OR MORE | 109 | 19 | 57 | 21 | 7 | 5 |
| NOT STATED | 1,699 | 195 | 86 | 22 | 5 | 1,391 |

***COMPARATIVE
VITAL
STATISTICS***

**TABLE 70. SELECTED NATALITY DATA BY RACE FOR
MARYLAND AND THE UNITED STATES, 1994-2003.**

| YEAR | BIRTH RATES* | | | | | |
|-----------|-------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 14.8 | 15.2 | 13.0 | 14.4 | 18.1 | 19.5 |
| 1995..... | 14.3 | 14.8 | 12.9 | 14.2 | 16.7 | 18.2 |
| 1996..... | 14.1 | 14.7 | 12.5 | 14.1 | 16.6 | 17.8 |
| 1997..... | 13.8 | 14.5 | 12.1 | 13.9 | 16.1 | 17.7 |
| 1998..... | 14.0 | 14.6 | 12.2 | 14.0 | 16.7 | 17.7 |
| 1999..... | 13.9 | 14.5 | 12.5 | 13.9 | 16.4 | 17.4 |
| 2000..... | 14.0 | 14.4 | 12.8 | 13.9 | 16.3 | 17.0 |
| 2001..... | 13.6 | 14.1 | 12.3 | 13.7 | 15.4 | 16.3 |
| 2002..... | 13.4 | 13.9 | 12.2 | 13.5 | 15.2 | 15.7 |
| 2003..... | 13.6 | ** | 12.0 | ** | 15.4 | ** |
| YEAR | FERTILITY RATES**** | | | | | |
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 62.0 | 66.7 | 57.8 | 64.9 | 66.9 | 76.9 |
| 1995..... | 60.7 | 65.6 | 57.9 | 64.4 | 62.2 | 72.3 |
| 1996..... | 60.1 | 65.3 | 56.7 | 64.3 | 62.4 | 70.7 |
| 1997..... | 58.8 | 65.0 | 55.0 | 63.9 | 60.5 | 70.7 |
| 1998..... | 60.0 | 65.6 | 55.9 | 64.6 | 63.0 | 71.0 |
| 1999..... | 60.3 | 65.9 | 57.6 | 65.1 | 62.9 | 70.1 |
| 2000..... | 62.4 | 65.9 | 60.7 | 65.3 | 64.8 | 70.0 |
| 2001..... | 61.6 | 65.3 | 59.5 | 65.0 | 62.5 | 67.6 |
| 2002..... | 60.6 | 64.8 | 58.6 | 64.8 | 61.6 | 65.8 |
| 2003..... | 62.3 | 66.1 *** | 59.0 | 66.2 *** | 63.1 | 66.2 *** |
| YEAR | PERCENT LOW BIRTH WEIGHT***** | | | | | |
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 8.4 | 7.3 | 6.2 | 6.1 | 13.1 | 13.2 |
| 1995..... | 8.5 | 7.3 | 6.2 | 6.2 | 13.5 | 13.1 |
| 1996..... | 8.6 | 7.4 | 6.3 | 6.3 | 13.4 | 13.0 |
| 1997..... | 8.8 | 7.5 | 6.3 | 6.5 | 13.7 | 13.0 |
| 1998..... | 8.7 | 7.6 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 13.1 | 13.0 |
| 1999..... | 9.1 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 6.6 | 13.7 | 13.1 |
| 2000..... | 8.7 | 7.6 | 6.4 | 6.5 | 12.9 | 13.0 |
| 2001..... | 9.0 | 7.7 | 7.0 | 6.7 | 13.0 | 13.0 |
| 2002..... | 9.0 | 7.8 | 7.0 | 6.8 | 13.3 | 13.3 |
| 2003..... | 9.1 | 7.9 | 7.1 | ** | 13.1 | ** |

*Per 1,000 population.

**U.S. data not available.

***U.S. data are preliminary.

****Per 1,000 women aged 15-44.

*****Births weighing less than 2,500 grams.

**TABLE 70 (continued). SELECTED NATALITY DATA BY RACE
FOR MARYLAND AND THE UNITED STATES, 1994-2003.**

| YEAR | PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS TO UNMARRIED WOMEN | | | | | |
|-----------|---|---------|----------|------|----------|------|
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 33.8 | 32.6 | 19.1 | 25.4 | 64.2 | 70.4 |
| 1995..... | 33.4 | 32.2 | 19.5 | 25.3 | 63.8 | 69.9 |
| 1996..... | 33.6 | 32.4 | 19.6 | 25.7 | 63.1 | 69.8 |
| 1997..... | 33.5 | 32.4 | 19.9 | 25.8 | 61.6 | 69.2 |
| 1998..... | 34.4 | 32.8 | 20.6 | 26.3 | 61.8 | 69.1 |
| 1999..... | 34.9 | 33.0 | 21.7 | 26.8 | 62.5 | 68.9 |
| 2000..... | 34.6 | 33.2 | 22.6 | 27.1 | 61.1 | 68.5 |
| 2001..... | 34.4 | 33.5 | 22.9 | 27.7 | 59.8 | 68.4 |
| 2002..... | 34.8 | 34.0 | 23.5 | 28.4 | 59.7 | 68.0 |
| 2003..... | 34.8 | 34.6 | 23.4 | ** | 58.8 | ** |
| YEAR | PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS OF FOURTH OR HIGHER ORDER | | | | | |
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 9.0 | 10.5 | 7.5 | 9.5 | 12.3 | 15.3 |
| 1995..... | 8.9 | 10.3 | 7.7 | 9.4 | 11.6 | 15.0 |
| 1996..... | 8.8 | 10.3 | 7.5 | 9.5 | 11.8 | 14.8 |
| 1997..... | 9.4 | 10.5 | 7.9 | 9.6 | 12.5 | 14.9 |
| 1998..... | 9.8 | 10.5 | 8.2 | 9.7 | 13.0 | 14.9 |
| 1999..... | 10.2 | 10.5 | 8.9 | 9.7 | 13.5 | 14.9 |
| 2000..... | 10.2 | 10.6 | 8.9 | 9.9 | 13.6 | 15.0 |
| 2001..... | 10.2 | 10.7 | 8.8 | 10.0 | 13.5 | 15.0 |
| 2002..... | 10.3 | 10.8 | 9.1 | 10.1 | 13.3 | 15.2 |
| 2003..... | 10.3 | ** | 8.7 | ** | 13.7 | ** |
| YEAR | PERCENTAGE OF BIRTHS WITH LATE* OR NO PRENATAL CARE | | | | | |
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 3.4 | 4.4 | 1.7 | 3.6 | 6.8 | 8.2 |
| 1995..... | 3.0 | 4.2 | 1.6 | 3.5 | 6.3 | 7.6 |
| 1996..... | 2.6 | 4.0 | 1.4 | 3.3 | 5.2 | 7.3 |
| 1997..... | 2.6 | 3.9 | 1.4 | 3.2 | 5.0 | 7.3 |
| 1998..... | 2.9 | 3.9 | 1.7 | 3.3 | 5.1 | 7.0 |
| 1999..... | 3.1 | 3.8 | 1.8 | 3.2 | 5.7 | 6.6 |
| 2000..... | 3.1 | 3.9 | 1.8 | 3.3 | 5.7 | 6.7 |
| 2001..... | 3.7 | 3.7 | 2.4 | 3.2 | 6.1 | 6.5 |
| 2002..... | 3.6 | 3.6 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 6.1 | 6.2 |
| 2003..... | 3.8 | 3.5 *** | 2.2 | ** | 6.7 | ** |

*Care beginning in the third trimester of pregnancy.

**U.S. data not available.

***U.S. data are preliminary.

TABLE 71. SELECTED MORTALITY DATA BY RACE FOR MARYLAND AND THE UNITED STATES, 1994-2003.

| YEAR | DEATH RATES PER 1,000 POPULATION | | | | | |
|-----------|--|------|----------|------|----------|------|
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 8.2 | 8.8 | 8.5 | 9.0 | 8.0 | 8.6 |
| 1995..... | 8.3 | 8.8 | 8.7 | 9.1 | 8.1 | 8.6 |
| 1996..... | 8.3 | 8.7 | 8.7 | 9.1 | 8.0 | 8.4 |
| 1997..... | 8.2 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 9.0 | 7.8 | 8.1 |
| 1998..... | 8.2 | 8.6 | 8.7 | 9.0 | 7.7 | 8.1 |
| 1999..... | 8.3 | 8.8 | 8.9 | 9.2 | 7.7 | 8.2 |
| 2000..... | 8.2 | 8.5 | 8.9 | 9.0 | 7.5 | 7.8 |
| 2001..... | 8.1 | 8.5 | 8.8 | 9.0 | 7.5 | 7.7 |
| 2002..... | 8.0 | 8.5 | 8.7 | 9.0 | 7.5 | 7.7 |
| 2003..... | 8.1 | * | 8.7 | * | 7.5 | * |
| YEAR | INFANT MORTALITY RATES PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS | | | | | |
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 8.8 | 8.0 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 15.2 | 15.8 |
| 1995..... | 8.7 | 7.6 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 15.3 | 15.1 |
| 1996..... | 8.4 | 7.3 | 5.9 | 6.1 | 14.5 | 14.7 |
| 1997..... | 8.6 | 7.2 | 5.3 | 6.0 | 16.1 | 14.2 |
| 1998..... | 8.6 | 7.2 | 5.5 | 6.0 | 15.4 | 14.3 |
| 1999..... | 8.3 | 7.1 | 5.1 | 5.8 | 14.7 | 14.6 |
| 2000..... | 7.4 | 6.9 | 4.7 | 5.7 | 13.0 | 14.1 |
| 2001..... | 8.0 | 6.8 | 5.5 | 5.7 | 13.6 | 14.0 |
| 2002..... | 7.6 | 7.0 | 5.4 | 5.8 | 12.7 | 14.4 |
| 2003..... | 8.1 | * | 5.4 | * | 14.7 | * |
| YEAR | NEONATAL MORTALITY RATES PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS | | | | | |
| | ALL RACES | | WHITE | | BLACK | |
| | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. | MARYLAND | U.S. |
| 1994..... | 6.0 | 5.1 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 10.4 | 10.2 |
| 1995..... | 6.0 | 4.9 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 10.8 | 9.8 |
| 1996..... | 5.8 | 4.8 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 10.7 | 9.6 |
| 1997..... | 6.2 | 4.8 | 3.6 | 4.0 | 11.7 | 9.4 |
| 1998..... | 6.3 | 4.8 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 11.1 | 9.5 |
| 1999..... | 5.8 | 4.7 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 10.5 | 9.8 |
| 2000..... | 5.5 | 4.6 | 3.5 | 3.8 | 9.8 | 9.4 |
| 2001..... | 5.9 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 3.8 | 9.7 | 9.2 |
| 2002..... | 5.5 | 4.7 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 8.9 | 9.5 |
| 2003..... | 5.8 | * | 3.7 | * | 10.6 | * |

*U.S. data not available.

