Table 1.11 Median Age of Cancer Patients at Diagnosis<sup>a</sup>, 2003-2007 By Primary Cancer Site, Race and Sex

	All Races			Whites			Blacks			
Site	Total		Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	
All Sites	66.0	67.0	65.0	67.0	67.0	66.0	63.0	63.0	62.0	
Oral Cavity & Pharynx:	62.0	60.0	65.0	63.0	61.0	67.0	58.0	58.0	57.0	
Lip	69.0	67.0	74.0	69.0	68.0	74.0	59.0	61.0	-	
Tongue	61.0	60.0	64.0	61.0	60.0	65.0	59.0	59.0	56.0	
Salivary gland	65.0	67.0	61.0	67.0	68.0	63.5	54.0	59.0	50.0	
Floor of mouth	63.0	61.0	67.0	63.0	62.0	68.0	58.0	57.0	61.0	
Gum & other oral cavity	67.0	64.0	71.0	68.0	65.0	72.0	59.0	58.5	61.0	
Nasopharynx	55.0	55.0	56.0	59.0	57.0	62.0	50.0	50.0	49.5	
Tonsil	57.0	56.0	60.0	57.0	56.0	60.0	56.0	56.0	55.0	
Oropharynx	61.0	60.0	64.0	62.0	61.0	66.0	60.0	59.0	62.0	
Hypopharynx	65.0	65.0	66.0	66.0	65.0	67.0	62.0	62.0	62.0	
Other oral cavity & pharynx	64.0	62.0	68.0	64.0	62.0	70.0	61.0	61.0	62.0	
Digestive System:	70.0	68.0	72.0	71.0	68.0	73.0	65.0	64.0	67.0	
Esophagus	68.0	67.0	73.0	69.0	67.0	74.0	64.0	63.0	65.0	
Stomach	70.0	69.0	73.0	71.0	69.0	74.0	68.0	67.0	71.0	
Small intestine	66.0	65.0	68.0	67.0	66.0	69.0	63.0	63.0	63.5	
Colon & Rectum:	70.0	68.0	72.0	71.0	69.0	74.0	66.0	65.0	67.0	
Colon	72.0	70.0	74.0	73.0	71.0	75.0	67.0	66.0	68.0	
Rectum	66.0	65.0	67.0	67.0	66.0	68.0	62.0	62.0	63.0	
Anus, anal canal & anorectum	60.0	58.0	62.0	61.0	59.0	62.0	55.0	51.0	58.0	
Liver & intrahep. bile duct:	64.0	61.0	70.0	64.0	62.0	71.0	58.0	57.0	63.0	
Liver	63.0	61.0	70.0	64.0	61.0	71.0	58.0	57.0	62.0	
Intrahepatic bile duct	70.0	68.0	73.0	71.0	69.0	73.0	66.0	62.0	69.0	
Gallbladder	73.0	72.0	73.0	74.0	73.0	74.0	69.0	69.0	69.0	
Other biliary	73.0	72.0	74.0	74.0	72.0	75.0	67.0	65.0	68.0	
Pancreas	72.0	69.0	74.0	72.0	70.0	75.0	68.0	65.0	71.0	
Retroperitoneum	60.0	60.0	60.0	61.0	61.0	61.0	56.0	57.5	56.0	
Peritoneum, omentum & mesentery	68.0	62.0	68.0	68.0	63.0	68.0	65.0	56.0	66.5	
Other digestive system	72.0	71.0	74.0	73.0	71.0	75.0	65.0	64.0	66.0	
Respiratory System:	70.0	70.0	71.0	71.0	70.0	71.0	66.0	65.0	66.0	
Nose, nasal cavity &	64.0	62.0	66.0	65.0	64.0	67.0	57.0	56.0	60.0	
middle ear					0					
Larynx	65.0	65.0	65.0	66.0	66.0	66.0	62.0	62.0	62.0	
Lung & bronchus	71.0	70.0	71.0	71.0	71.0	72.0	66.0	66.0	67.0	
Pleura	73.0	73.5	67.0	73.0	73.0	71.0	-	-	-	
Trachea & other respiratory organs	46.0	38.0	58.0	48.0	38.0	63.0	44.0	43.0	45.0	
Bones & joints	41.0	40.0	43.0	42.0	41.0	43.0	36.0	34.0	37.0	
Soft tissue (including heart)	58.0	58.0	57.0	59.0	59.0	59.0	48.0	45.0	51.0	
Skin (excl. basal & squamous):	60.0	63.0	56.0	61.0	64.0	56.0	54.0	55.0	51.0	
Melanoma of the skin	60.0	63.0	55.0	60.0	63.0	55.0	64.0	65.0	63.0	
Other non-epithelial skin	70.0	71.0	68.0	72.0	73.0	70.0	47.0	48.0	46.0	
Breast	61.0	68.0	61.0	61.0	69.0	61.0	57.0	63.0	57.0	
Breast (in situ)	58.0	60.0	58.0	58.0	60.0	58.0	58.0	64.0	58.0	

SEER 17 areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, Atlanta, San Jose-Monterey, Los Angeles, Alaska Native Registry, Rural Georgia, California excluding SF/SJM/LA, Kentucky, Louisiana and New Jersey). Statistic could not be calculated. Less than 16 cases were diagnosed during the time

interval.

Table 1.11 - continued Median Age of Cancer Patients at  $Diagnosis^a$ , 2003-2007By Primary Cancer Site, Race and Sex

Site	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Female Genital System:	60.0	-	60.0	61.0	_	61.0	60.0	-	60.0
Cervix uteri	48.0	-	48.0	47.0	-	47.0	50.0	-	50.0
Corpus uteri	62.0	-	62.0	62.0	_	62.0	63.0	_	63.0
Uterus, NOS	67.0	-	67.0	69.0	-	69.0	65.0	-	65.0
Ovaryb	63.0	-	63.0	63.0	-	63.0	61.0	-	61.0
Vagina	68.0	-	68.0	69.0	-	69.0	61.0	-	61.0
Vulva	68.0	=	68.0	70.0	-	70.0	54.0	-	54.0
Other female genital system	61.0	-	61.0	63.0	-	63.0	52.5	-	52.5
Male Genital System:	67.0	67.0	-	67.0	67.0	-	64.0	64.0	-
Prostate	67.0	67.0	_	68.0	68.0	_	64.0	64.0	_
Testis	34.0	34.0	_	34.0	34.0	-	34.0	34.0	_
Penis	68.0	68.0	-	69.0	69.0	-	65.0	65.0	-
Other male genital system	66.5	66.5	-	67.0	67.0	-	57.0	57.0	-
Urinary System:	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	71.0	65.0	64.0	67.0
Urinary bladder	73.0	73.0	74.0	73.0	73.0	74.0	70.0	68.0	72.0
Kidney & renal pelvis	64.0	64.0	66.0	65.0	64.0	66.0	61.0	60.0	63.0
Ureter	75.0	74.0	76.0	75.0	74.0	77.0	70.0	69.0	71.5
Other urinary system	74.0	75.0	71.5	75.0	76.0	74.0	66.5	69.0	65.0
Eye & Orbit	60.0	60.0	59.0	61.0	61.0	60.0	3.5	22.0	2.0
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Brain & Nervous System:	56.0	55.0	57.0	57.0	56.0	59.0	50.5	51.0	50.0
Brain	57.0	56.0	58.0	57.0	57.0	59.0	51.0	51.0	50.0
Cranial nerves & other nervous system	47.0	45.0	49.0	47.0	45.0	49.0	50.0	51.5	50.0
Endocrine System:	49.0	53.0	48.0	49.0	53.0	48.0	50.0	52.5	49.0
Thyroid	49.0	53.0	47.0	49.0	54.0	47.0	50.0	54.0	49.0
Other endocrine & thymus	52.0	50.0	54.0	53.0	51.0	55.0	49.0	44.5	51.0
Lymphoma:	64.0	63.0	67.0	65.0	64.0	68.0	54.0	52.0	56.0
Hodgkin lymphoma	38.0	40.0	37.0	39.0	41.0	37.0	36.0	37.0	34.0
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	67.0	65.0	69.0	68.0	66.0	70.0	56.0	54.0	59.0
Myeloma	70.0	69.0	71.0	71.0	69.0	72.0	66.0	65.0	68.0
Leukemia:	66.0	65.0	68.0	67.0	66.0	69.0	60.0	59.0	61.0
Lymphocytic:	65.0	64.0	67.0	66.0	65.0	68.0	61.0	60.0	64.5
Acute lymphocytic	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	13.0	14.0	12.0	15.0
Chronic lymphocytic	72.0	70.0	74.0	72.0	71.0	74.0	68.0	66.0	71.0
Other lymphocytic	61.0	60.0	66.0	62.0	60.0	68.0	61.0	61.0	57.5
Myeloid & Monocytic:	66.0	66.0	67.0	68.0	67.0	68.0	58.0	58.0	58.0
Acute myeloid	67.0	67.0	67.0	68.0	68.0	68.0	59.0	58.0	61.0
Chronic myeloid	65.0	65.0	67.0	67.0	66.0	69.0	56.0	57.0	55.0
Acute monocytic	62.0	63.0	60.0	63.0	63.0	62.0	50.0	48.5	50.0
Other myeloid & monocytic	69.0	68.0	70.0	70.0	69.0	72.0	58.0	57.0	58.5
Other leukemia:	75.0	73.0	77.0	77.0	75.0	79.0	64.0	60.0	67.5
Other acute leukemia	76.0	73.0	77.5	77.0	75.0	79.0	65.0	57.0	74.0
Aleukemic, subleukemic & NOS	75.0	73.0	77.0	77.0	75.5	79.0	64.0	61.0	66.5
Kaposi Sarcoma	44.0	43.0	78.0	46.0	44.0	80.0	39.0	39.0	44.0
Mesothelioma	74.0	74.0	72.0	74.0	74.0	73.0	70.0	70.5	64.0
Ill-defined & unspecified	73.0	71.0	76.0	74.0	71.0	76.0	67.0	64.0	70.0

SEER 17 areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, Atlanta, San Jose-Monterey, Los Angeles, Alaska Native Registry, Rural Georgia, California excluding SF/SJM/LA, Kentucky, Louisiana and New Jersey).

Ovary excludes borderline cases or histologies 8442, 8451, 8462, 8472, and 8473.

Statistic could not be calculated. Less than 16 cases were diagnosed during the time

interval.

Table 1.13 Median Age of Cancer Patients at Death  $^{\rm a}$ , 2003-2007 By Primary Cancer Site, Race and Sex

	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
Site	Total	Males		Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
All Sites	73.0	72.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	74.0	68.0	68.0	68.0
Oral Cavity & Pharynx:	67.0	65.0	74.0	69.0	66.0	75.0	61.0	61.0	63.0
Lip	78.0	75.0	84.0	78.0	75.5	84.5	_	_	-
Tongue	66.0	64.0	73.0	67.0	64.0	74.0	61.0	61.0	60.5
Salivary gland	74.0	73.0	75.0	74.0	74.0	76.0	64.0	64.0	63.0
Floor of mouth	64.0	62.0	73.0	66.0	62.0	74.0	60.0	60.0	_
Gum & other oral cavity	73.0	68.0	80.0	75.0	69.0	80.0	62.0	60.0	69.0
Nasopharynx	63.0	61.0	67.0	65.0	63.0	70.0	57.0	56.0	60.0
Tonsil	61.0	60.0	67.0	62.0	60.0	68.0	58.0	57.0	61.0
Oropharynx	67.0	64.0	74.0	68.0	65.0	75.0	62.0	62.0	62.0
Hypopharynx	66.0	65.0	70.0	67.0	66.0	71.5	61.0	61.0	63.0
Other oral cavity & pharynx	68.0	66.0	72.0	69.0	67.0	72.0	62.0	62.0	65.0
Digestive System:	73.0	70.0	76.0	74.0	71.0	77.0	68.0	65.0	72.0
Esophagus	69.0	68.0	74.0	70.0	69.0	75.0	64.0	64.0	67.0
Stomach	73.0	71.0	76.0	74.0	72.0	77.0	70.0	68.0	74.0
Small intestine	71.0	70.0	74.0	72.0	71.0	75.0	65.0	65.0	65.0
Colon & Rectum	75.0	72.0	77.0	76.0	73.0	78.0	70.0	68.0	72.0
Anus, anal canal & anorectum	65.0	63.0	67.0	66.0	64.0	67.0	58.0	52.0	62.5
Liver & intrahep. bile duct:	69.0	66.0	74.0	70.5	68.0	75.0	61.0	59.0	69.0
Liver	68.0	65.0	75.0	70.0	67.0	76.0	60.0	58.0	69.0
Intrahepatic bile duct	72.0	71.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	74.0	68.0	67.0	69.0
Gallbladder	75.0	74.0	75.0	75.0	74.0	76.0	70.0	71.0	70.0
Other biliary	77.0	75.0	78.0	77.0	76.0	79.0	74.0	71.0	75.0
Pancreas	73.0	70.0	76.0	74.0	71.0	76.0	69.0	66.0	73.0
Retroperitoneum	70.0	68.0	73.0	71.0	69.0	74.0	62.0	58.0	65.0
Peritoneum, omentum & mesentery	72.0	68.0	72.0	72.0	68.0	73.0	68.0	64.5	69.0
Other digestive system	76.0	73.0	79.0	77.0	74.0	80.0	68.0	67.0	70.5
Respiratory System:	72.0	71.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	67.0	67.0	68.0
Nose, nasal cavity & middle ear	70.0	66.0	75.0	71.0	67.0	75.0	64.0	63.0	68.0
Larynx	68.0	68.0	70.0	69.0	69.0	71.0	65.0	64.0	65.0
Lung & bronchus	72.0	71.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	67.0	67.0	69.0
Pleura	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	75.0	69.0	69.0	69.0
Trachea & other	70.0	67.0	74.0	70.0	67.0	74.0	66.0	64.0	69.0
respiratory organs									
Bones & joints	58.0	55.0	64.0	60.0	56.0	66.0	50.0	46.5	56.0
Soft tissue (including heart)	65.0	65.0	65.0	66.0	66.0	67.0	55.0	53.0	57.0
Skin (excl. basal & squamous):	70.0	69.0	72.0	70.0	70.0	72.0	64.0	61.0	72.0
Melanoma of the skin	68.0	68.0	69.0	68.0	68.0	69.0	69.0	64.0	72.0
Other non-epithelial skin	76.0	74.0	81.0	77.0	75.0	81.0	61.0	59.0	71.0
Breast	68.0	72.0	68.0	70.0	73.0	70.0	61.0	66.0	60.5

US Mortality Files, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
Statistic could not be calculated. Less than 16 deaths occurred during the time interval.

## Table 1.13 - continued Median Age of Cancer Patients at Death $^{\rm a}$ , 2003-2007 By Primary Cancer Site, Race and Sex

	All Races			Whites			Blacks		
Site	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
Female Genital System:	70.0	_	70.0	71.0	_	71.0	67.0	_	67.0
Cervix uteri	57.0	_	57.0	57.0	_	57.0	57.0	_	57.0
Corpus uteri	72.0	_	72.0	73.0	_	73.0	70.0	_	70.0
Uterus, NOS	72.0	_	72.0	73.0	_	73.0	69.0	_	69.0
Ovary	72.0	_	71.0	71.0	_	73.0	68.0	_	68.0
Vagina	77.0	_	77.0	77.0	_	77.0	72.0	_	72.0
Vulva	79.0	_	79.0	77.0	_	77.0	66.0	_	66.0
Other female genital system	79.0	-	79.0	72.0	_	72.0	65.0	-	65.0
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Male Genital System:	80.0	80.0	-	81.0	81.0	-	77.0	77.0	-
Prostate	80.0	80.0	-	81.0	81.0	-	77.0	77.0	_
Testis	40.0	40.0	-	40.0	40.0	_	38.5	38.5	-
Penis	70.0	70.0	-	71.0	71.0	_	65.0	65.0	-
Other male genital system	75.0	75.0	_	76.0	76.0	-	69.0	69.0	-
Urinary System:	75.0	74.0	77.0	76.0	75.0	78.0	71.0	68.0	75.0
Urinary bladder	78.0	78.0	80.0	79.0	78.0	81.0	76.0	74.0	77.0
Kidney & renal pelvis	71.0	69.0	75.0	72.0	70.0	75.0	67.0	64.0	71.0
Ureter	78.0	77.0	80.0	78.0	77.0	80.0	73.0	73.0	73.0
Other urinary system	77.0	76.0	77.0	78.0	77.0	79.0	66.0	68.0	65.5
Eye & Orbit	69.0	67.5	71.0	70.0	68.0	71.0	54.0	54.5	53.0
Brain & Nervous System	64.0	62.0	66.0	64.0	63.0	66.0	58.0	56.0	60.0
Endocrine System:	69.0	66.0	71.0	69.0	67.0	72.0	63.0	56.0	66.0
Thyroid	74.0	71.0	76.0	74.0	71.0	76.0	70.0	67.0	72.0
Other endocrine & thymus	56.0	55.0	58.0	58.0	56.0	61.0	48.0	42.0	53.0
Lymphoma:	75.0	73.0	77.0	75.0	73.0	78.0	63.0	60.0	68.0
Hodgkin lymphoma	63.0	60.0	66.0	65.0	61.0	69.0	48.0	49.0	45.0
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	75.0	73.0	77.0	76.0	74.0	78.0	65.0	61.0	69.0
Myeloma	75.0	73.0	76.0	75.0	74.0	77.0	71.0	69.0	72.0
Leukemia:	74.0	73.0	76.0	75.0	74.0	77.0	68.0	66.0	70.0
Lymphocytic:	76.0	74.0	79.0	77.0	75.0	80.0	69.0	67.0	73.0
Acute lymphocytic	49.0	44.0	54.0	51.0	46.0	55.0	41.0	34.0	50.0
Chronic lymphocytic	79.0	77.0	82.0	79.0	77.0	82.0	73.0	71.0	76.0
Other lymphocytic	78.0	76.0	81.0	78.0	76.0	81.0	70.0	68.5	73.0
Myeloid & Monocytic:	72.0	72.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	74.0	64.0	64.0	65.0
Acute myeloid	72.0	71.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	65.0	64.0	65.0
Chronic myeloid	74.0	72.0	77.0	76.0	73.0	78.0	62.0	58.0	65.0
Acute monocytic	77.0	77.0	78.0	77.0	77.0	78.5	71.0	-	-
Other myeloid & monocytic	76.0	76.0	77.0	77.0	76.0	78.0	69.5	70.5	69.0
Other leukemia:	77.0	75.0	79.0	77.0	76.0	79.0	71.0	70.3	73.0
Other acute leukemia	76.0	75.0	78.0	77.0	76.0	78.0	72.0	70.0	73.0
Aleukemic, subleukemic & NOS	77.0	76.0	79.0	78.0	76.0	80.0	71.0	70.0	74.0
Ill-defined & unspecified	74.0	72.0	76.0	75.0	73.0	77.0	68.0	66.0	70.0

US Mortality Files, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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