

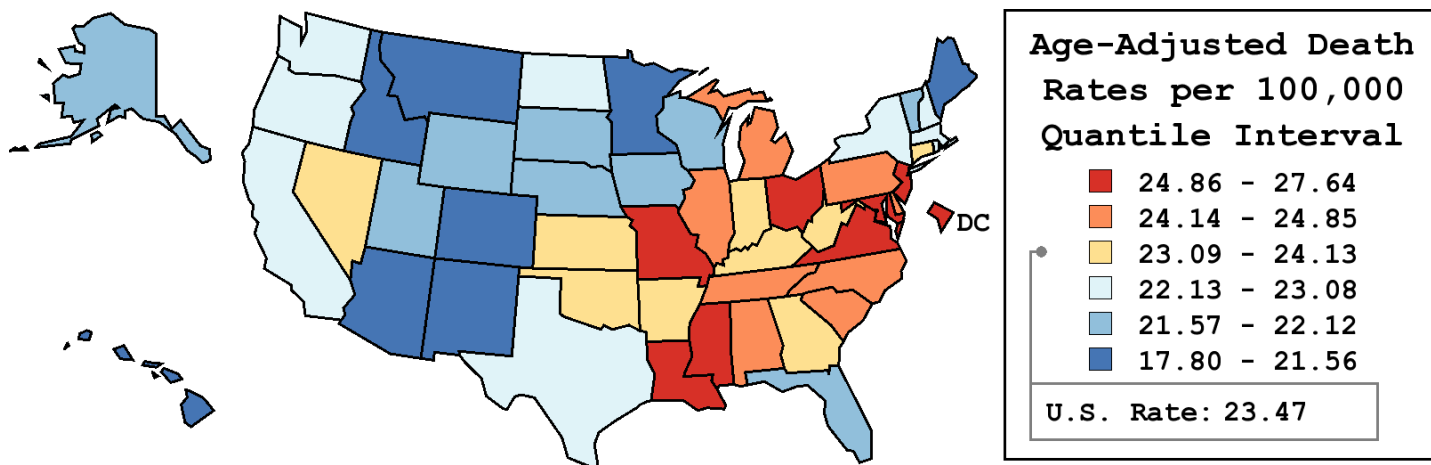
Table 4.24  
Cancer of the Female Breast (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death<sup>a</sup> Rates By State, All Races, 2004-2008

Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	23.47	0.05		
High Five States				
D.C.	27.64	1.28	(01)	17.79 <sup>c</sup>
Louisiana	26.81 <sup>b</sup>	0.47	(02)	14.23 <sup>c</sup>
New Jersey	26.45 <sup>b</sup>	0.32	(03)	12.71 <sup>c</sup>
Ohio	25.95 <sup>b</sup>	0.27	(04)	10.56 <sup>c</sup>
Maryland	25.57 <sup>b</sup>	0.40	(05)	8.96
Low Five States				
Idaho	21.19	0.75	(47)	-9.72
Arizona	20.97 <sup>b</sup>	0.35	(48)	-10.66 <sup>c</sup>
Montana	20.72	0.86	(49)	-11.71 <sup>c</sup>
Colorado	20.49 <sup>b</sup>	0.42	(50)	-12.69 <sup>c</sup>
Hawaii	17.80 <sup>b</sup>	0.69	(51)	-24.14 <sup>c</sup>

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Alabama	24.46	0.42	(11)	4.24	Montana	20.72	0.86	(49)	-11.71 <sup>c</sup>
Alaska	21.67	1.37	(43)	-7.65	Nebraska	21.98	0.66	(39)	-6.34
Arizona	20.97 <sup>b</sup>	0.35	(48)	-10.66 <sup>c</sup>	Nevada	23.54	0.62	(21)	0.29
Arkansas	23.96	0.53	(19)	2.11	New Hampshire	22.82	0.77	(27)	-2.76
California	22.53 <sup>b</sup>	0.16	(29)	-4.00	New Jersey	26.45 <sup>b</sup>	0.32	(03)	12.71 <sup>c</sup>
Colorado	20.49 <sup>b</sup>	0.42	(50)	-12.69 <sup>c</sup>	New Mexico	21.45	0.63	(46)	-8.60
Connecticut	23.25	0.46	(23)	-0.93	New York	23.08	0.20	(26)	-1.66
Delaware	24.26	0.98	(15)	3.37	North Carolina	24.35	0.31	(13)	3.77
D.C.	27.64	1.28	(01)	17.79 <sup>c</sup>	North Dakota	22.35	1.08	(32)	-4.78
Florida	21.89 <sup>b</sup>	0.19	(40)	-6.73	Ohio	25.95 <sup>b</sup>	0.27	(04)	10.56 <sup>c</sup>
Georgia	23.24	0.32	(24)	-0.99	Oklahoma	24.13	0.48	(17)	2.84
Hawaii	17.80 <sup>b</sup>	0.69	(51)	-24.14 <sup>c</sup>	Oregon	22.47	0.46	(30)	-4.24
Idaho	21.19	0.75	(47)	-9.72	Pennsylvania	24.85 <sup>b</sup>	0.25	(09)	5.88
Illinois	24.73 <sup>b</sup>	0.26	(10)	5.39	Rhode Island	22.18	0.81	(34)	-5.48
Indiana	24.04	0.36	(18)	2.42	South Carolina	24.26	0.44	(16)	3.36
Iowa	22.12	0.49	(35)	-5.73	South Dakota	21.78	0.96	(41)	-7.20
Kansas	23.10	0.54	(25)	-1.58	Tennessee	24.45	0.37	(12)	4.20
Kentucky	23.53	0.44	(22)	0.28	Texas	22.59 <sup>b</sup>	0.20	(28)	-3.74
Louisiana	26.81 <sup>b</sup>	0.47	(02)	14.23 <sup>c</sup>	Utah	22.09	0.65	(36)	-5.86
Maine	21.50	0.70	(45)	-8.37	Vermont	21.69	1.06	(42)	-7.59
Maryland	25.57 <sup>b</sup>	0.40	(05)	8.96	Virginia	25.06 <sup>b</sup>	0.34	(08)	6.77
Massachusetts	22.25 <sup>b</sup>	0.33	(33)	-5.18	Washington	22.43	0.36	(31)	-4.41
Michigan	24.35	0.29	(14)	3.77	West Virginia	23.93	0.63	(20)	1.99
Minnesota	21.56 <sup>b</sup>	0.39	(44)	-8.13	Wisconsin	22.07 <sup>b</sup>	0.37	(38)	-5.97
Mississippi	25.49 <sup>b</sup>	0.56	(06)	8.62	Wyoming	22.09	1.26	(37)	-5.88
Missouri	25.42 <sup>b</sup>	0.38	(07)	8.32					



<sup>a</sup> US Mortality Files, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130).  
<sup>b</sup> Difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is statistically significant (p<=.0002).  
<sup>c</sup> Absolute percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is 10% or more.  
SE Standard error of the rate.  
PD Percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate.  
- Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 16 cases for the time interval.