

Table 20.12
Cancer of the Oral Cavity and Pharynx (Invasive)

SEER^a Relative Survival (Percent)
By Year of Diagnosis

All Races, Males and Females

Survival Time	Year of Diagnosis																				
	1975- 1979	1980- 1984	1985- 1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
1-year	80.3	80.0	81.3	82.0	81.8	80.3	82.0	83.7	83.4	82.2	84.2	81.5	84.1	85.3	83.3	84.2	84.4	84.8	83.8	85.6	85.1
2-year	66.3	66.3	68.0	69.9	69.5	69.0	68.8	72.1	71.9	70.3	71.4	70.4	72.6	73.7	73.3	73.2	75.0	75.5	74.3	75.4	
3-year	60.0	59.8	61.3	63.2	62.9	61.7	62.8	66.4	65.6	63.8	66.2	64.5	65.6	68.7	67.4	67.7	70.1	70.6	68.6		
4-year	56.0	55.7	57.4	59.9	58.2	57.0	58.6	62.1	61.8	60.1	62.2	60.2	62.0	64.9	62.8	64.3	67.3	66.5			
5-year	53.0	52.5	54.2	57.0	54.8	54.7	55.7	59.2	58.7	57.9	58.6	57.1	58.9	62.0	60.1	62.1	65.0				
6-year	50.6	49.8	51.7	54.9	52.1	52.2	53.4	56.3	56.1	55.4	56.1	55.8	56.1	60.1	58.2	59.8					
7-year	48.5	47.6	49.1	52.6	50.0	49.4	50.9	55.1	53.5	53.6	54.4	53.8	53.7	58.0	56.3						
8-year	46.3	46.0	47.0	50.9	48.6	47.2	48.8	51.9	51.3	51.2	53.1	52.7	51.9	55.6							
9-year	44.4	44.1	45.1	48.3	47.0	45.2	46.5	49.3	49.3	49.8	51.7	52.1	50.1								
10-year	42.4	42.4	43.4	46.5	45.2	43.7	45.0	47.0	47.7	47.6	49.9	50.9									
11-year	40.6	40.8	42.1	45.3	43.0	41.5	43.3	45.2	45.8	46.3	47.8										
12-year	39.1	39.4	40.6	44.3	40.8	40.3	42.5	44.0	44.0	45.4											
13-year	37.9	37.6	39.1	42.3	39.9	38.7	41.1	42.2	42.6												
14-year	36.8	36.6	37.8	41.0	38.9	37.3	40.0	40.3													
15-year	35.3	35.0	36.7	40.3	37.9	36.0	39.1														
16-year	34.0	33.9	35.6	39.8	36.0	35.3															
17-year	33.1	32.9	34.6	38.9	34.4																
18-year	32.0	31.9	33.2	38.0																	
19-year	31.3	30.3	31.9																		
20-year	30.1	29.8																			

^a Based on the SEER 9 areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, and Atlanta).