

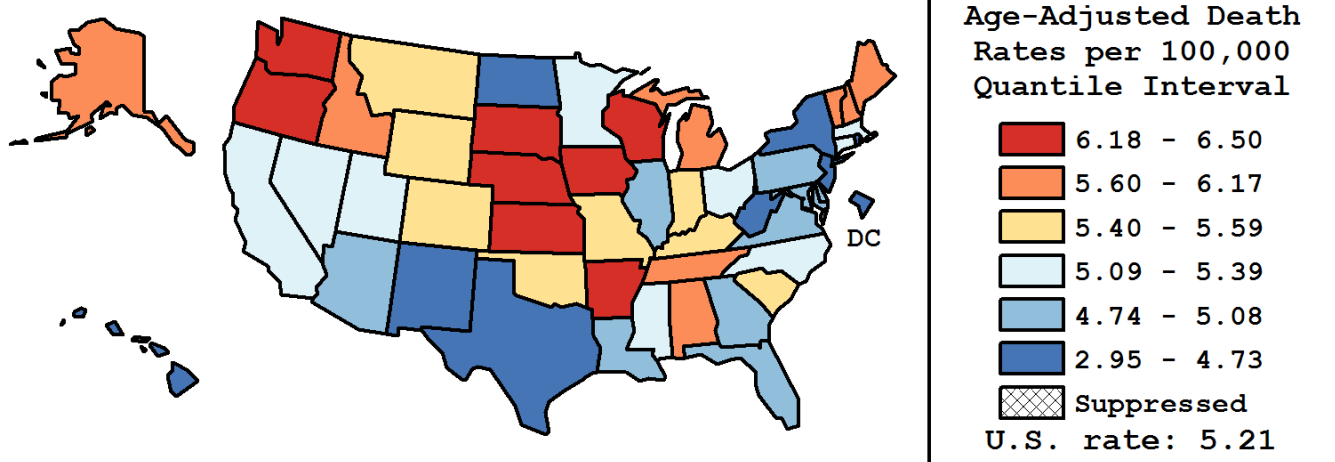
Table 3.19  
Cancer of the Brain and Other Nervous System (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death<sup>a</sup> Rates By State, All Races, 2007-2011

Males

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	5.21	0.03		
High Five States				
Iowa	6.50 <sup>b</sup>	0.29	(01)	24.74 <sup>c</sup>
Oregon	6.28 <sup>b</sup>	0.26	(02)	20.67 <sup>c</sup>
Washington	6.26 <sup>b</sup>	0.20	(03)	20.25 <sup>c</sup>
Wisconsin	6.26 <sup>b</sup>	0.21	(04)	20.16 <sup>c</sup>
Kansas	6.25	0.31	(05)	19.94 <sup>c</sup>
Low Five States				
New York	4.60 <sup>b</sup>	0.10	(47)	-11.59
New Mexico	4.52	0.30	(48)	-13.16
North Dakota	4.46	0.52	(49)	-14.42
D.C.	4.28	0.61	(50)	-17.86 <sup>c</sup>
Hawaii	2.95 <sup>b</sup>	0.29	(51)	-43.39 <sup>c</sup>

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
Alabama	5.96	0.23	(13)	14.44	Montana	5.41	0.45	(24)	3.90
Alaska	5.66	0.73	(15)	8.78	Nebraska	6.19	0.38	(08)	18.84 <sup>c</sup>
Arizona	4.77	0.18	(41)	-8.38	Nevada	5.30	0.30	(28)	1.84
Arkansas	6.23	0.30	(06)	19.65 <sup>c</sup>	New Hampshire	6.13	0.43	(10)	17.66 <sup>c</sup>
California	5.18	0.08	(33)	-0.62	New Jersey	4.68 <sup>b</sup>	0.15	(46)	-10.19
Colorado	5.48	0.23	(20)	5.15	New Mexico	4.52	0.30	(48)	-13.16
Connecticut	5.32	0.25	(27)	2.14	New York	4.60 <sup>b</sup>	0.10	(47)	-11.59
Delaware	4.95	0.48	(37)	-4.98	North Carolina	5.33	0.16	(26)	2.29
D.C.	4.28	0.61	(50)	-17.86 <sup>c</sup>	North Dakota	4.46	0.52	(49)	-14.42
Florida	4.93	0.10	(38)	-5.41	Ohio	5.25	0.14	(30)	0.80
Georgia	4.95	0.16	(36)	-4.86	Oklahoma	5.59	0.25	(18)	7.25
Hawaii	2.95 <sup>b</sup>	0.29	(51)	-43.39 <sup>c</sup>	Oregon	6.28 <sup>b</sup>	0.26	(02)	20.67 <sup>c</sup>
Idaho	6.05	0.41	(12)	16.21 <sup>c</sup>	Pennsylvania	5.07	0.12	(35)	-2.61
Illinois	4.83	0.13	(39)	-7.29	Rhode Island	4.73	0.43	(44)	-9.24
Indiana	5.46	0.19	(21)	4.78	South Carolina	5.59	0.23	(17)	7.34
Iowa	6.50 <sup>b</sup>	0.29	(01)	24.74 <sup>c</sup>	South Dakota	6.19	0.55	(07)	18.86 <sup>c</sup>
Kansas	6.25	0.31	(05)	19.94 <sup>c</sup>	Tennessee	5.65	0.20	(16)	8.58
Kentucky	5.55	0.23	(19)	6.51	Texas	4.72 <sup>b</sup>	0.10	(45)	-9.45
Louisiana	5.08	0.23	(34)	-2.39	Utah	5.23	0.32	(31)	0.43
Maine	6.13	0.41	(11)	17.66 <sup>c</sup>	Vermont	6.17	0.61	(09)	18.47 <sup>c</sup>
Maryland	4.74	0.19	(42)	-9.03	Virginia	4.80	0.16	(40)	-7.91
Massachusetts	5.22	0.18	(32)	0.16	Washington	6.26 <sup>b</sup>	0.20	(03)	20.25 <sup>c</sup>
Michigan	5.89 <sup>b</sup>	0.16	(14)	13.06	West Virginia	4.73	0.31	(43)	-9.13
Minnesota	5.39	0.21	(25)	3.58	Wisconsin	6.26 <sup>b</sup>	0.21	(04)	20.16 <sup>c</sup>
Mississippi	5.30	0.29	(29)	1.78	Wyoming	5.45	0.63	(23)	4.70
Missouri	5.45	0.19	(22)	4.70					



<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 15% 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.