

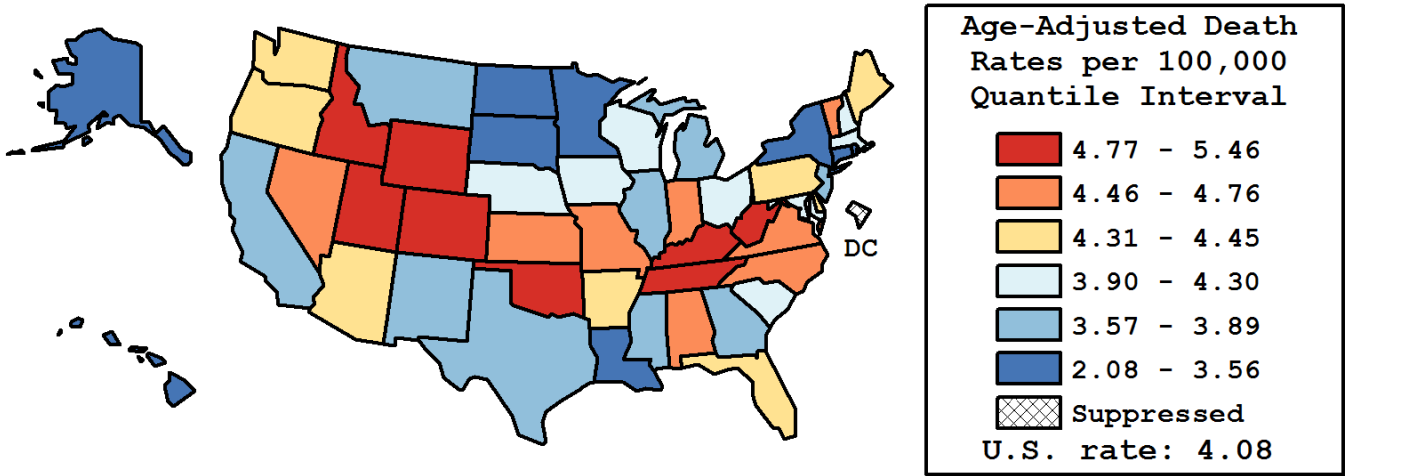
Table 16.19
Melanoma of the Skin (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death^a Rates By State, All Races, 2007-2011

Males

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
TOTAL U.S.	4.08	0.02		
High Five States				
Utah	5.46 ^b	0.34	(01)	33.81 ^c
Colorado	5.03 ^b	0.23	(02)	23.37 ^c
Idaho	4.96	0.38	(03)	21.69 ^c
Oklahoma	4.91	0.24	(04)	20.27 ^c
Kentucky	4.88 ^b	0.22	(05)	19.62 ^c
Low Five States				
South Dakota	3.32	0.40	(46)	-18.62 ^c
New York	3.24 ^b	0.09	(47)	-20.67 ^c
North Dakota	3.13	0.43	(48)	-23.26 ^c
Alaska	2.79	0.54	(49)	-31.61 ^c
Hawaii	2.08 ^b	0.24	(50)	-48.92 ^c

State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank	PD
Alabama	4.51	0.21	(15)	10.60	Montana	3.61	0.37	(41)	-11.47
Alaska	2.79	0.54	(49)	-31.61 ^c	Nebraska	3.95	0.30	(32)	-3.18
Arizona	4.38	0.17	(21)	7.50	Nevada	4.76	0.29	(09)	16.59 ^c
Arkansas	4.40	0.25	(20)	7.87	New Hampshire	3.96	0.36	(31)	-2.85
California	3.85	0.07	(35)	-5.63	New Jersey	3.74	0.14	(37)	-8.32
Colorado	5.03 ^b	0.23	(02)	23.37 ^c	New Mexico	3.89	0.29	(33)	-4.55
Connecticut	3.49	0.20	(43)	-14.48	New York	3.24 ^b	0.09	(47)	-20.67 ^c
Delaware	4.42	0.46	(19)	8.27	North Carolina	4.52	0.15	(12)	10.94
D.C.	-	-	(-)	-	North Dakota	3.13	0.43	(48)	-23.26 ^c
Florida	4.43 ^b	0.09	(18)	8.66	Ohio	4.30	0.13	(26)	5.34
Georgia	3.89	0.16	(34)	-4.70	Oklahoma	4.91	0.24	(04)	20.27 ^c
Hawaii	2.08 ^b	0.24	(50)	-48.92 ^c	Oregon	4.34	0.21	(23)	6.49
Idaho	4.96	0.38	(03)	21.69 ^c	Pennsylvania	4.33	0.12	(24)	6.17
Illinois	3.66 ^b	0.12	(39)	-10.25	Rhode Island	3.48	0.36	(44)	-14.79
Indiana	4.68	0.18	(10)	14.66	South Carolina	4.30	0.21	(25)	5.55
Iowa	4.15	0.23	(28)	1.69	South Dakota	3.32	0.40	(46)	-18.62 ^c
Kansas	4.52	0.26	(13)	10.74	Tennessee	4.77 ^b	0.19	(08)	16.97 ^c
Kentucky	4.88 ^b	0.22	(05)	19.62 ^c	Texas	3.82	0.09	(36)	-6.45
Louisiana	3.39 ^b	0.19	(45)	-16.87 ^c	Utah	5.46 ^b	0.34	(01)	33.81 ^c
Maine	4.45	0.36	(17)	9.01	Vermont	4.56	0.56	(11)	11.76
Maryland	4.08	0.19	(29)	0.06	Virginia	4.50	0.17	(16)	10.30
Massachusetts	4.26	0.17	(27)	4.37	Washington	4.37	0.17	(22)	7.14
Michigan	3.63 ^b	0.12	(40)	-11.09	West Virginia	4.81	0.32	(06)	17.91 ^c
Minnesota	3.56	0.17	(42)	-12.76	Wisconsin	4.07	0.17	(30)	-0.18
Mississippi	3.73	0.25	(38)	-8.57	Wyoming	4.79	0.62	(07)	17.43 ^c
Missouri	4.51	0.18	(14)	10.64					



^a 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).
^b Difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is statistically significant (p<=.0002).
^c 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.