

Table 17.1

Mesothelioma

Age-Adjusted SEER Cancer Incidence Rates^a, 1980-2011

By Race, Sex and Year of Diagnosis

Race/Sex	Year of Diagnosis															
	1980- 1981	1982- 1983	1984- 1985	1986- 1987	1988- 1989	1990- 1991	1992- 1993	1994- 1995	1996- 1997	1998- 1999	2000- 2001	2002- 2003	2004- 2005	2006- 2007	2008- 2009	2010- 2011
All Races																
Both Sexes	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0
Males																
All Ages	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.7	1.8	1.8
Ages 0-54	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Ages 55-64	3.7	3.7	4.5	3.5	3.1	4.4	3.7	3.3	4.2	3.7	2.6	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.1
Ages 65-74	8.2	7.2	8.6	8.3	11.9	9.5	10.7	10.3	9.0	9.8	9.3	7.8	8.7	8.0	7.3	6.1
Ages 75-84	10.0	11.7	12.0	12.6	12.7	17.2	16.1	17.9	15.2	16.8	19.5	17.2	17.8	14.4	15.4	18.9
Ages 85+	-	-	-	-	12.8	12.0	20.5	12.4	15.8	15.9	14.4	13.5	19.8	15.6	22.5	15.4
Females																
All Ages	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Ages 0-54	-	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Ages 55-64	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.0	-	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.8	-	-	0.9	0.8	0.6	0.7	0.6
Ages 65-74	-	2.1	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.4	1.8
Ages 75-84	-	2.0	3.1	2.3	1.7	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.0	2.8	2.7	3.2	3.8	2.3	3.0
Ages 85+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.9	-	-	-	3.1	2.9
Whites																
Both Sexes	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1
Males	1.7	1.7	2.0	1.8	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.2	1.9	2.1	2.0
Females	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4
Blacks																
Both Sexes	-	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4
Males	-	-	-	-	-	1.5	1.3	1.8	1.1	1.4	-	-	0.9	-	-	-
Females	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

^a SEER 9 areas (San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, and Atlanta).
Rates are per 100,000 and are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130).
- Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 16 cases for the time interval.