

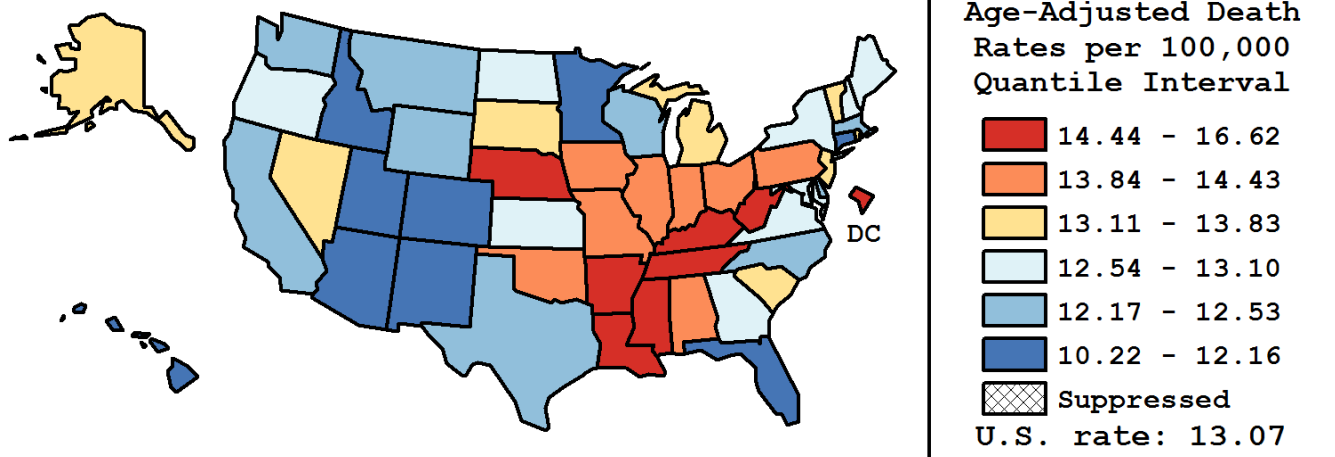
Table 6.27  
Cancer of the Colon and Rectum (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death<sup>a</sup> Rates By State, All Races, 2008-2012

Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) <sup>d</sup>	PD
TOTAL U.S.	13.07	0.04		
High Five States				
D.C.	16.62 <sup>b</sup>	1.00	01(01,19)	27.21 <sup>c</sup>
Mississippi	16.52 <sup>b</sup>	0.43	02(01,05)	26.38 <sup>c</sup>
Arkansas	15.28 <sup>b</sup>	0.41	03(01,14)	16.96 <sup>c</sup>
Kentucky	15.17 <sup>b</sup>	0.34	04(02,13)	16.09 <sup>c</sup>
Louisiana	15.14 <sup>b</sup>	0.34	05(02,13)	15.82 <sup>c</sup>
Low Five States				
Idaho	11.82	0.53	47(21,51)	-9.57
Arizona	11.33 <sup>b</sup>	0.25	48(41,50)	-13.29 <sup>c</sup>
Connecticut	11.05 <sup>b</sup>	0.30	49(42,51)	-15.45 <sup>c</sup>
Hawaii	10.68 <sup>b</sup>	0.50	50(39,51)	-18.29 <sup>c</sup>
Utah	10.22 <sup>b</sup>	0.43	51(46,51)	-21.79 <sup>c</sup>

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Alabama	14.13	0.31	11(05,24)	8.17	Montana	12.46	0.63	35(10,50)	-4.67
Alaska	13.74	1.09	19(01,50)	5.16	Nebraska	14.59	0.51	08(02,26)	11.64 <sup>c</sup>
Arizona	11.33 <sup>b</sup>	0.25	48(41,50)	-13.29 <sup>c</sup>	Nevada	13.83	0.46	17(04,35)	5.86
Arkansas	15.28 <sup>b</sup>	0.41	03(01,14)	16.96 <sup>c</sup>	New Hampshire	13.03	0.56	27(06,48)	-0.25
California	12.19 <sup>b</sup>	0.11	42(32,46)	-6.72	New Jersey	13.79	0.22	18(08,26)	5.56
Colorado	11.83 <sup>b</sup>	0.30	45(30,50)	-9.48	New Mexico	12.16	0.45	43(20,50)	-6.97
Connecticut	11.05 <sup>b</sup>	0.30	49(42,51)	-15.45 <sup>c</sup>	New York	13.01	0.14	28(20,35)	-0.45
Delaware	12.20	0.65	39(11,51)	-6.64	North Carolina	12.30 <sup>b</sup>	0.21	37(28,47)	-5.85
D.C.	16.62 <sup>b</sup>	1.00	01(01,19)	27.21 <sup>c</sup>	North Dakota	13.08	0.77	26(03,50)	0.07
Florida	12.06 <sup>b</sup>	0.13	44(33,47)	-7.69	Ohio	14.06 <sup>b</sup>	0.19	13(07,23)	7.56
Georgia	13.10	0.23	25(17,36)	0.24	Oklahoma	14.43 <sup>b</sup>	0.36	09(03,23)	10.41 <sup>c</sup>
Hawaii	10.68 <sup>b</sup>	0.50	50(39,51)	-18.29 <sup>c</sup>	Oregon	12.83	0.33	31(17,45)	-1.79
Idaho	11.82	0.53	47(21,51)	-9.57	Pennsylvania	14.11 <sup>b</sup>	0.18	12(07,22)	8.00
Illinois	14.00 <sup>b</sup>	0.19	14(07,23)	7.15	Rhode Island	13.11	0.60	24(05,48)	0.31
Indiana	13.95	0.27	15(06,26)	6.76	South Carolina	13.39	0.31	20(10,35)	2.50
Iowa	14.35	0.37	10(03,24)	9.79	South Dakota	13.18	0.70	23(03,49)	0.87
Kansas	12.84	0.39	30(13,46)	-1.75	Tennessee	14.76 <sup>b</sup>	0.28	07(03,17)	12.93 <sup>c</sup>
Kentucky	15.17 <sup>b</sup>	0.34	04(02,13)	16.09 <sup>c</sup>	Texas	12.53 <sup>b</sup>	0.14	34(26,42)	-4.11
Louisiana	15.14 <sup>b</sup>	0.34	05(02,13)	15.82 <sup>c</sup>	Utah	10.22 <sup>b</sup>	0.43	51(46,51)	-21.79 <sup>c</sup>
Maine	12.78	0.52	32(10,48)	-2.17	Vermont	13.30	0.80	21(03,49)	1.77
Maryland	12.76	0.27	33(19,44)	-2.38	Virginia	12.93	0.24	29(18,40)	-1.06
Massachusetts	12.19 <sup>b</sup>	0.24	41(27,48)	-6.68	Washington	12.20	0.25	40(26,48)	-6.66
Michigan	13.24	0.21	22(16,34)	1.36	West Virginia	14.99 <sup>b</sup>	0.48	06(01,21)	14.73 <sup>c</sup>
Minnesota	11.82 <sup>b</sup>	0.27	46(32,49)	-9.52	Wisconsin	12.31	0.26	36(24,47)	-5.79
Mississippi	16.52 <sup>b</sup>	0.43	02(01,05)	26.38 <sup>c</sup>	Wyoming	12.22	0.90	38(06,51)	-6.51
Missouri	13.90	0.27	16(07,27)	6.35					



<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.

<sup>d</sup> Rank of state level death rate and the 95% confidence intervals (low, high) for the rank.

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.