

Table 20.15
Cancer of the Oral Cavity and Pharynx (Invasive)

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

All Races, Females

Year of Diagnosis

	1975- 1979	1980- 1984	1985- 1989	1990- 1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Survival Time																					
1-year	80.8	80.1	82.2	82.2	83.1	82.2	84.8	81.1	82.9	84.9	81.6	82.7	83.5	82.8	82.4	85.1	82.2	84.9	84.8	87.1	85.0
2-year	67.7	67.7	70.6	72.1	73.4	71.2	74.4	70.1	74.4	74.7	72.6	75.2	75.5	75.8	73.1	76.8	74.5	75.8	76.6	79.4	
3-year	61.5	62.4	65.3	66.9	66.4	65.4	69.3	65.2	68.5	71.5	66.6	71.5	71.1	72.5	69.2	73.6	71.4	70.1	75.0		
4-year	58.5	58.6	61.9	63.1	63.3	62.5	66.9	61.9	65.6	67.2	63.0	67.8	68.1	69.9	66.3	70.3	69.6	67.4			
5-year	55.5	56.0	59.2	60.2	60.3	60.3	63.3	59.1	62.1	64.7	60.8	64.5	65.0	67.2	64.2	66.6	67.5				
6-year	53.0	53.0	56.2	57.7	57.9	58.9	60.6	57.5	59.7	63.3	59.3	62.8	63.3	64.0	63.0	63.8					
7-year	51.0	50.7	53.1	55.9	56.4	57.9	58.1	56.3	56.6	61.7	57.7	60.3	61.3	61.3	61.2						
8-year	48.4	49.2	51.6	53.2	54.4	55.2	56.7	55.6	54.0	59.9	56.1	57.9	60.0	61.2							
9-year	46.8	46.9	49.6	50.9	52.4	53.0	55.7	55.6	52.0	58.5	53.2	56.8	58.1								
10-year	44.8	45.7	48.4	48.9	51.2	51.2	53.3	54.1	49.9	56.7	50.4	55.2									
11-year	43.0	44.3	47.1	46.6	49.7	50.5	50.7	52.1	49.1	55.0	49.3										
12-year	41.4	42.4	45.2	45.7	47.6	49.4	49.3	50.4	47.0	53.7											
13-year	39.9	40.2	43.4	44.0	46.2	46.8	48.4	48.7	46.5												
14-year	38.7	39.1	42.0	42.9	45.0	44.0	48.2	46.6													
15-year	37.0	37.2	40.8	41.9	44.4	43.2	47.1														
16-year	35.9	36.0	39.4	40.9	43.4	42.1															
17-year	34.9	35.0	38.4	39.7	42.3																
18-year	33.6	34.1	36.8	38.6																	
19-year	32.6	33.0	35.9																		
20-year	31.3	32.4	35.6																		

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