

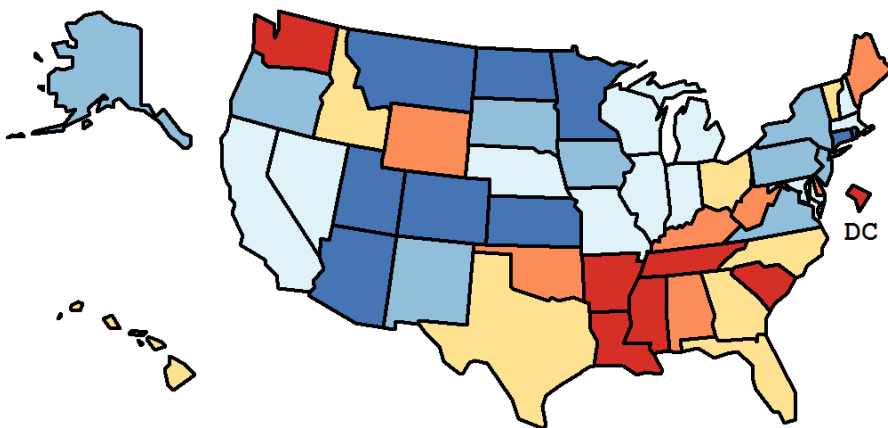
Table 20.24
Cancer of the Oral Cavity and Pharynx (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death^a Rates By State, All Races, 2008-2012

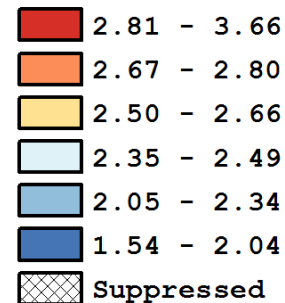
Males and Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) ^d	PD
TOTAL U.S.	2.45	0.01		
High Five States				
Mississippi	3.66 ^b	0.15	01(01,03)	49.18 ^c
D.C.	3.56	0.35	02(01,19)	45.18 ^c
Louisiana	3.22 ^b	0.12	03(01,09)	31.45 ^c
Arkansas	3.05 ^b	0.14	04(02,16)	24.23 ^c
Tennessee	3.01 ^b	0.09	05(02,12)	22.95 ^c
Low Five States				
Kansas	1.98 ^b	0.11	47(31,51)	-19.17 ^c
Minnesota	1.97 ^b	0.08	48(36,50)	-19.45 ^c
Connecticut	1.93 ^b	0.10	49(37,51)	-21.20 ^c
Colorado	1.92 ^b	0.09	50(38,51)	-21.76 ^c
Utah	1.54 ^b	0.12	51(47,51)	-37.06 ^c

State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) ^d	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) ^d	PD
Alabama	2.70	0.10	12(05,30)	10.05	Montana	2.03	0.18	44(17,51)	-17.25 ^c
Alaska	2.06	0.29	42(06,51)	-15.97 ^c	Nebraska	2.47	0.16	26(07,45)	0.90
Arizona	2.00 ^b	0.08	45(36,50)	-18.62 ^c	Nevada	2.36	0.13	31(10,46)	-3.71
Arkansas	3.05 ^b	0.14	04(02,16)	24.23 ^c	New Hampshire	2.42	0.18	29(05,48)	-1.28
California	2.46	0.04	28(17,34)	0.21	New Jersey	2.06 ^b	0.06	41(34,49)	-15.81 ^c
Colorado	1.92 ^b	0.09	50(38,51)	-21.76 ^c	New Mexico	2.32	0.14	35(10,48)	-5.44
Connecticut	1.93 ^b	0.10	49(37,51)	-21.20 ^c	New York	2.18 ^b	0.04	38(32,45)	-11.07
Delaware	2.74	0.23	10(02,43)	11.66	North Carolina	2.60	0.07	17(08,31)	6.09
D.C.	3.56	0.35	02(01,19)	45.18 ^c	North Dakota	2.04	0.23	43(09,51)	-16.76 ^c
Florida	2.66 ^b	0.05	15(08,23)	8.46	Ohio	2.53	0.06	20(11,33)	3.05
Georgia	2.53	0.08	19(10,35)	3.15	Oklahoma	2.67	0.11	14(05,35)	8.94
Hawaii	2.61	0.18	16(03,43)	6.29	Oregon	2.34	0.10	34(14,44)	-4.61
Idaho	2.50	0.18	22(04,46)	1.92	Pennsylvania	2.20 ^b	0.05	37(30,45)	-10.35
Illinois	2.41	0.06	30(16,38)	-1.58	Rhode Island	2.00	0.18	46(16,51)	-18.62 ^c
Indiana	2.35	0.08	32(16,42)	-4.04	South Carolina	2.88 ^b	0.11	07(03,18)	17.64 ^c
Iowa	2.17	0.11	39(22,50)	-11.67	South Dakota	2.12	0.22	40(09,51)	-13.58
Kansas	1.98 ^b	0.11	47(31,51)	-19.17 ^c	Tennessee	3.01 ^b	0.09	05(02,12)	22.95 ^c
Kentucky	2.80	0.11	08(03,25)	14.36	Texas	2.54	0.05	18(12,31)	3.62
Louisiana	3.22 ^b	0.12	03(01,09)	31.45 ^c	Utah	1.54 ^b	0.12	51(47,51)	-37.06 ^c
Maine	2.69	0.18	13(03,39)	9.70	Vermont	2.52	0.26	21(03,50)	2.67
Maryland	2.35	0.09	33(14,42)	-4.14	Virginia	2.29	0.07	36(20,43)	-6.43
Massachusetts	2.49	0.08	25(10,37)	1.52	Washington	2.92 ^b	0.09	06(02,15)	18.99 ^c
Michigan	2.49	0.07	23(12,36)	1.65	West Virginia	2.70	0.15	11(03,36)	10.08
Minnesota	1.97 ^b	0.08	48(36,50)	-19.45 ^c	Wisconsin	2.49	0.09	24(10,38)	1.64
Mississippi	3.66 ^b	0.15	01(01,03)	49.18 ^c	Wyoming	2.75	0.30	09(01,49)	12.14
Missouri	2.47	0.09	27(11,37)	0.83					



Age-Adjusted Death
Rates per 100,000
Quantile Interval



^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 ($p \leq .0002$).

^c Absolute percent difference between state rate and total U.S. rate is 15% or more.

^d 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.