

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	2012
Survival Time																						
1-year	80.8	80.3	82.3	82.3	82.9	82.3	85.0	81.6	82.8	85.0	81.7	83.0	83.3	83.1	82.3	85.3	82.2	85.2	84.9	87.0	84.8	82.6
2-year	67.8	67.7	70.5	72.0	73.3	71.2	74.4	70.0	74.4	74.9	72.6	75.2	75.4	75.8	73.4	76.8	74.5	75.9	76.9	79.4	79.2	
3-year	61.5	62.4	65.3	67.0	66.3	65.4	69.4	65.3	68.5	71.5	66.4	71.5	71.0	72.5	69.2	73.6	71.5	70.2	75.2	75.7		
4-year	58.5	58.6	61.8	63.1	63.3	62.5	66.8	62.1	65.6	67.2	63.1	67.8	68.2	69.9	66.2	70.2	69.6	67.6	72.7			
5-year	55.5	56.0	59.2	60.3	60.3	60.3	63.3	59.2	62.1	64.7	60.8	64.5	65.1	67.4	64.2	66.8	67.6	66.3				
6-year	53.0	52.9	56.2	57.8	58.0	58.9	60.7	57.6	59.7	63.3	59.3	62.8	63.3	64.1	63.0	64.0	66.6					
7-year	51.0	50.7	53.1	55.9	56.4	57.9	58.0	56.3	56.7	61.7	57.8	60.3	61.3	61.4	61.3	61.9						
8-year	48.4	49.2	51.5	53.2	54.5	55.1	56.8	55.7	54.1	59.7	56.2	58.0	60.1	61.4	60.3							
9-year	46.8	46.9	49.7	51.0	52.5	53.1	55.8	55.7	52.1	58.6	53.4	56.9	58.1	59.9								
10-year	44.8	45.7	48.5	48.9	51.2	51.2	53.4	54.2	50.0	56.8	50.7	55.4	57.3									
11-year	43.0	44.2	47.0	46.6	49.7	50.5	50.8	52.2	49.2	55.2	49.6	53.2										
12-year	41.4	42.3	45.1	45.7	47.6	49.4	49.4	50.5	47.2	53.8	47.2											
13-year	39.9	40.2	43.5	44.1	46.3	47.1	48.5	48.8	46.7	52.3												
14-year	38.6	39.1	42.0	42.9	45.1	44.2	48.4	46.7	46.1													
15-year	37.0	37.2	40.7	42.0	44.5	43.4	47.2	45.9														
16-year	35.9	35.9	39.4	41.0	43.5	42.4	46.1															
17-year	34.9	35.0	38.4	39.8	42.4	40.9																
18-year	33.6	34.1	36.8	38.8	41.0																	
19-year	32.6	33.0	35.9	37.2																		
20-year	31.2	32.4	35.6																			

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