

Table 16.15
Melanoma of the Skin (Invasive)

SEER Incidence and U.S. Mortality
Age-Adjusted Rates and Trends^a
By Race/Ethnicity and Sex

SEER Incidence	SEER 18 Areas ^b			SEER 13 Areas ^b			SEER 9 Areas ^b		
	Rate 2011-2015			Trend 2006-2015 ^c			Trend 2006-2015 ^d		
	Rate per 100,000 persons			AAPC (%)			AAPC (%)		
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females
RACE/ETHNICITY									
All Races	22.8	29.8	17.7	1.7*	1.8*	1.7	1.5*	1.6*	1.9
White	27.3	35.2	21.5	1.7	1.4*	1.4	1.7*	1.7*	1.9*
White Hispanic ^e	4.9	5.2	4.9	1.0*	1.2*	0.8	-	-	-
White Non-Hispanic ^e	32.5	41.2	26.1	1.7*	1.7*	1.8*	-	-	-
Black	1.1	1.1	1.0	-1.0	-2.5*	0.0	-0.2	-0.5	-0.1
Asian/Pacific Islander	1.4	1.7	1.3	0.6	1.1*	0.2	-	-	-
Amer Ind/Alaska Nat ^f	5.2	5.0	5.5	2.9*	2.2	3.3*	-	-	-
Hispanic ^e	4.8	5.1	4.8	0.9*	1.3*	0.6	-	-	-
U.S. Mortality ^g									
	Rate 2011-2015			Trend 2006-2015 ^h					
	Rate per 100,000 persons			AAPC (%)					
	Total	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females			
RACE/ETHNICITY									
All Races	2.6	3.9	1.6	-1.2*	-1.2	-1.4*			
White	3.0	4.5	1.9	-1.0	-1.0	-0.4*			
White Hispanic ^e	0.8	1.0	0.6	-0.4	-0.2	-0.6			
White Non-Hispanic ^e	3.3	4.8	2.0	-0.8	-0.8	-0.2			
Black	0.4	0.5	0.3	-1.2*	-0.2	-1.9*			
Asian/Pacific Islander	0.3	0.4	0.3	-1.0	-1.7*	-0.3			
Amer Ind/Alaska Nat									
Total U.S.	0.6	0.7	0.4	-0.5	0.2	-0.8			
CHSDA Counties	0.8	1.1	0.5	0.0	1.5	-			
Non-CHSDA Counties	0.4	-	-	-0.1	-	-			
Hispanic ^e	0.7	1.0	0.6	-0.4	-0.3	-0.6			

The AAPC is the Average Annual Percent Change over the time interval. The AAPCs are calculated by the Joinpoint Regression Program Version 4.6, February 2018, National Cancer Institute.

- Statistic not shown. Rate based on less than 16 cases for the time interval.

Trend based on less than 10 cases for at least one year within the time interval.

a Rates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130). Trends are based on rates age-adjusted to the 2000 US Std Population (19 age groups - Census P25-1130).

b The SEER 9 areas are San Francisco, Connecticut, Detroit, Hawaii, Iowa, New Mexico, Seattle, Utah, and Atlanta.

The SEER 13 areas comprise the SEER 9 areas plus San Jose-Monterey, Los Angeles, the Alaska Native Registry, and Rural Georgia.

The SEER 18 areas comprise the SEER 13 areas plus California excluding SF/SJM/LA, Kentucky, Louisiana, New Jersey, and Georgia excluding ATL/RG.

c The 2006-2015 AAPC estimates are based on a Joinpoint analysis with up to 4 Joinpoints over diagnosis years 1992-2015.

d The 2006-2015 AAPC estimates are based on a Joinpoint analysis with up to 5 Joinpoints over diagnosis years 1975-2015.

e Hispanic and Non-Hispanic are not mutually exclusive from whites, blacks, Asian/Pacific Islanders, and American Indians/Alaska Natives. Incidence data for Hispanics and Non-Hispanics are based on NHIA and exclude cases from the Alaska Native Registry. The 2006-2015 Hispanic and Non-Hispanic mortality trends exclude deaths from New Hampshire and Oklahoma.

f Incidence data for American Indian/Alaska Native are based on the CHSDA (Contract Health Service Delivery Area) counties.

g US Mortality Files, National Center for Health Statistics, CDC.

h The 2006-2015 mortality AAPCs are based on a Joinpoint analysis using years of death 1992-2015.

* The APC is significantly different from zero (p<.05).