

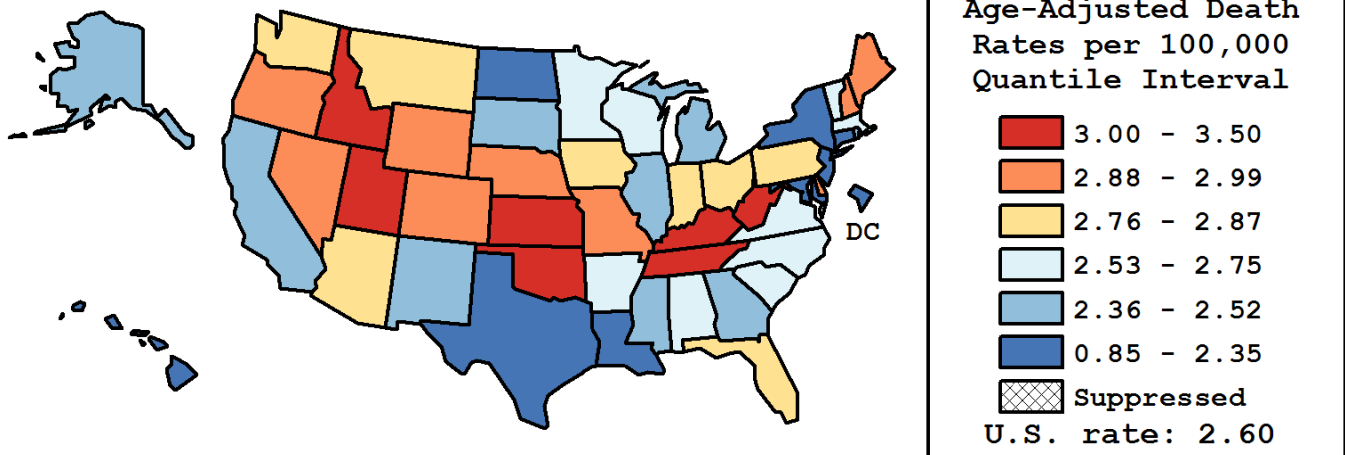
Table 16.18
Melanoma of the Skin (Invasive)

Age-Adjusted Cancer Death^a Rates By State, All Races, 2011-2015

Males and Females

State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) ^d	PD
TOTAL U.S.	2.60	0.01		
High Five States				
Idaho	3.50	0.20	01(01,18)	34.95 ^c
Utah	3.45	0.17	02(01,10)	32.74 ^c
West Virginia	3.29	0.17	03(01,24)	26.87 ^c
Kentucky	3.25	0.12	04(01,18)	25.03 ^c
Kansas	3.11	0.14	05(02,33)	19.73 ^c
Low Five States				
Texas	2.17	0.04	47(38,49)	-16.48 ^c
Louisiana	2.10	0.09	48(35,49)	-19.04 ^c
New York	2.09	0.04	49(43,49)	-19.55 ^c
Hawaii	1.57	0.14	50(49,51)	-39.51 ^c
D.C.	0.85	0.17	51(50,51)	-67.15 ^c

State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) ^d	PD	State	Rate	SE	Rank(CI) ^d	PD
Alabama	2.69	0.10	28(11,42)	3.63	Montana	2.86	0.22	20(01,45)	10.31
Alaska	2.52	0.33	34(01,50)	-2.88	Nebraska	2.99	0.17	09(02,41)	15.03 ^c
Arizona	2.87	0.09	18(05,32)	10.64	Nevada	2.92	0.14	13(03,40)	12.58
Arkansas	2.71	0.13	26(06,43)	4.39	New Hampshire	2.91	0.20	14(03,48)	11.91
California	2.40	0.04	41(32,45)	-7.47	New Jersey	2.35	0.07	43(31,48)	-9.33
Colorado	2.99	0.11	08(02,27)	15.13 ^c	New Mexico	2.48	0.15	36(14,49)	-4.49
Connecticut	2.28	0.10	46(27,49)	-12.30	New York	2.09	0.04	49(43,49)	-19.55 ^c
Delaware	2.89	0.23	16(02,48)	11.39	North Carolina	2.68	0.07	29(12,36)	3.29
D.C.	0.85	0.17	51(50,51)	-39.51 ^c	North Dakota	2.34	0.25	45(10,50)	-9.85
Florida	2.87	0.05	17(09,28)	10.65	Ohio	2.81	0.07	23(06,30)	8.03
Georgia	2.46	0.07	37(27,47)	-5.33	Oklahoma	3.01	0.12	07(02,29)	15.81 ^c
Hawaii	1.57	0.14	50(49,51)	-39.51 ^c	Oregon	2.98	0.12	10(02,29)	14.60
Idaho	3.50	0.20	01(01,18)	34.95 ^c	Pennsylvania	2.76	0.06	24(09,31)	6.12
Illinois	2.45	0.06	38(29,46)	-5.69	Rhode Island	2.45	0.19	39(05,49)	-5.77
Indiana	2.87	0.09	19(04,31)	10.54	South Carolina	2.68	0.10	30(10,41)	3.15
Iowa	2.82	0.13	22(04,37)	8.51	South Dakota	2.49	0.23	35(06,49)	-4.27
Kansas	3.11	0.14	05(02,33)	19.73 ^c	Tennessee	3.09	0.09	06(02,24)	19.09 ^c
Kentucky	3.25	0.12	04(01,18)	25.03 ^c	Texas	2.17	0.04	47(38,49)	-16.48 ^c
Louisiana	2.10	0.09	48(35,49)	-19.04 ^c	Utah	3.45	0.17	02(01,10)	32.74 ^c
Maine	2.90	0.18	15(01,38)	11.82	Vermont	2.56	0.26	32(02,49)	-1.36
Maryland	2.35	0.09	44(26,48)	-9.63	Virginia	2.70	0.08	27(11,35)	3.91
Massachusetts	2.75	0.08	25(07,34)	5.71	Washington	2.85	0.09	21(06,34)	9.73
Michigan	2.45	0.07	40(29,47)	-5.81	West Virginia	3.29	0.17	03(01,24)	26.87 ^c
Minnesota	2.55	0.09	33(19,46)	-1.75	Wisconsin	2.59	0.09	31(18,44)	-0.19
Mississippi	2.36	0.12	42(28,49)	-9.00	Wyoming	2.95	0.32	11(01,49)	13.54
Missouri	2.93	0.09	12(03,29)	12.76					



^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 ($p < .0002$).

^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.