

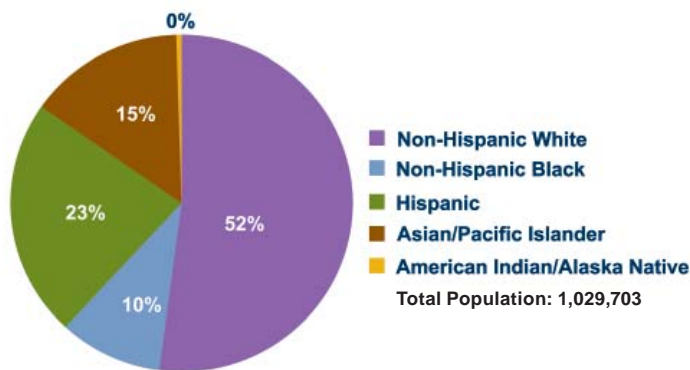
Selected Cancer Facts-Contra Costa County

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This fact sheet is provided by the California Cancer Registry (CCR) of the California Department of Public Health to show the impact of cancer on California residents. The CCR is California's population-based cancer surveillance system, and it collects information on almost all cancers diagnosed in the state. This information helps to further our understanding of cancer and is used to develop strategies and policies for its prevention, treatment, and control.

Demographic Population Projections

Contra Costa County Population by Race/Ethnicity (2008)



Source: National Center for Health Statistics, 2008
Prepared by the California Department of Public Health, Cancer Surveillance Section.

Contra Costa County Estimated Number of New Cancer Cases and Deaths - 2011 (Major Sites)

	Cases	Deaths
Breast	795	145
Prostate	690	90
Lung & Bronchus	540	390
Colon & Rectum	505	175
Bladder	220	40
All Sites	4,605	1,720

Excludes non-melanoma skin cancers and carcinoma *in situ*, except bladder. These projections are offered as a rough guide, and should not be regarded as definitive.

Incidence Rates for California's Most Common Cancers: Contra Costa County, 2004-2008

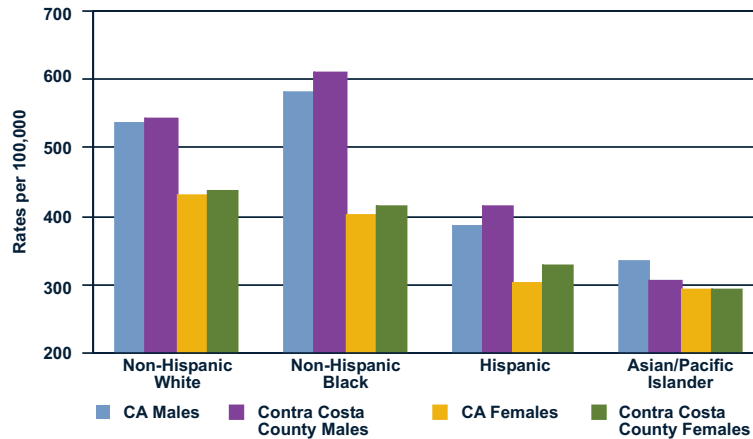
Males	County Rate	State Rate	Females	County Rate	State Rate
Prostate	160.3*	143.3	Breast	136.1*	121.6
Lung & Bronchus	58.5	62.0	Lung & Bronchus	50.4*	45.0
Colon & Rectum	52.9	50.3	Colon & Rectum	41.2*	38.1
Bladder	37.4*	33.6	Uterus	23.0	22.1
Melanoma	27.6	26.2	Melanoma	16.5	15.4
All Sites	513.2*	494.5	All Sites	407.6*	387.4

Rates are shown as the number of new cases or deaths per 100,000 persons. All rates are age-adjusted to the 2000 United States Standard Population.
*County rate is statistically significantly different from the Statewide rate (p<0.05).



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Age-Adjusted Incidence Rates by Race/Ethnicity and Sex, Contra Costa County, 2004-2008, All Sites Combined



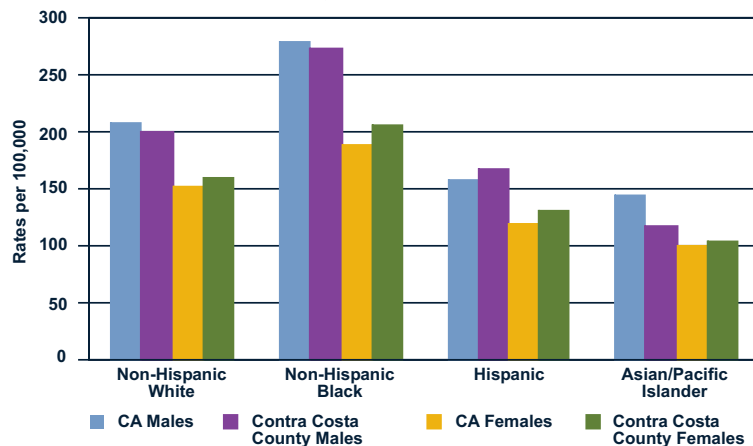
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Mortality Rates for California's Most Common Cancers: Contra Costa County, 2004-2008

Males	County Rate	State Rate	Females	County Rate	State Rate
Lung & Bronchus	45.7*	49.7	Lung & Bronchus	37.9*	33.6
Prostate	22.4	22.9	Breast	23.8	22.3
Colon & Rectum	19.5	18.1	Colon & Rectum	15.0*	13.1
Pancreas	11.9	11.7	Pancreas	10.8*	9.2
Liver & Intrahepatic Bile Duct	7.8*	9.4	Ovary	8.5	8.4
All Sites	191.5	194.2	All Sites	154.2*	142.1

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Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates by Race/Ethnicity and Sex, Contra Costa County, 2004-2008, All Sites Combined



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