

# Westchester County Department of Health



Community Health Assessment Data Update

2015.03

### Cancer Report, 2007-2011

**Average Annual Incidence by Sex and Top Five Cancer Sites** 

Average Annual Male Cases: 2,746 Incidence Rate: 571.4 per 100,000

> Prostate, 837, 169.5 per 100,000

Lung & Bronchus, 287, 61.1 per 100,000

Colorectal, 228, 47.8 per 100,000

> **Urinary Bladder** (incl. in situ), 186, 39.7 per 100,000

Non-Hodgkin Lymphomas, 135, 28.5 per 100,000

**New York State Incidence Rate:** 

Males: 580.8 per 100,000 Females: 451.4 per 100,000 Average Annual Female Cases: 2,817 Incidence Rate: 460.1 per 100,000

Female Breast, 838, 140 per 100,000

> Lung & Bronchus, 336, 52.6 per 100,000

> > Colorectal, 244, 37.8 per 100,000

Corpus Uterus & NOS, 172, 28.1 per 100,000

Thyroid, 120, 28.6 per 100,000

#### **USA Incidence Rate:**

Males: 529.4 per 100,000 Females: 411.3 per 100,000

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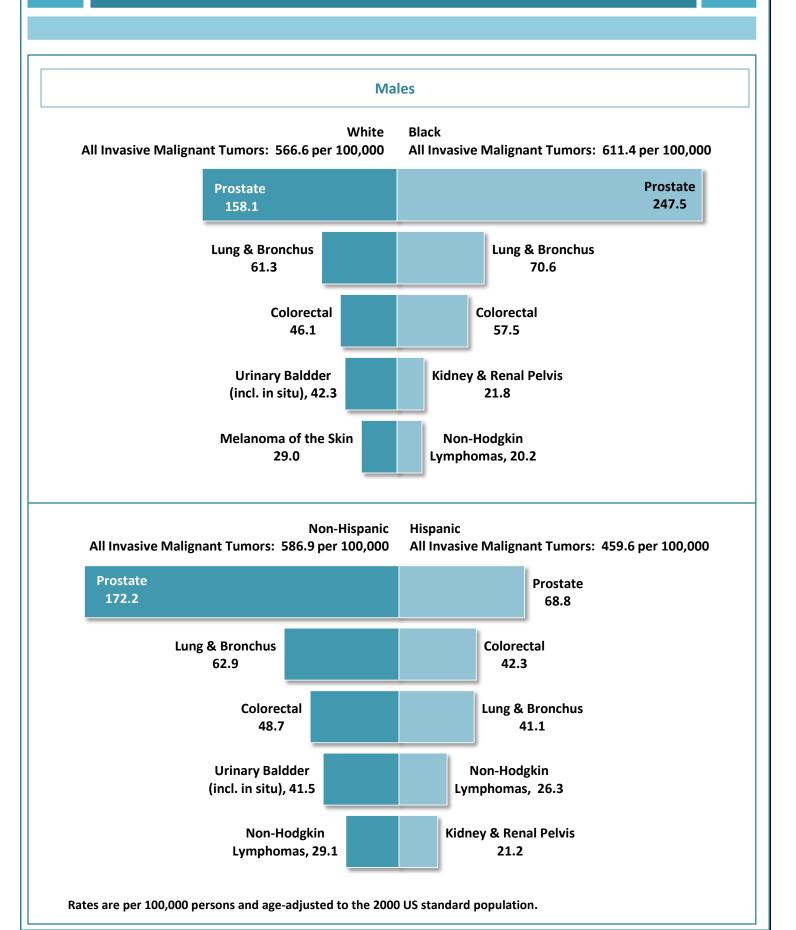
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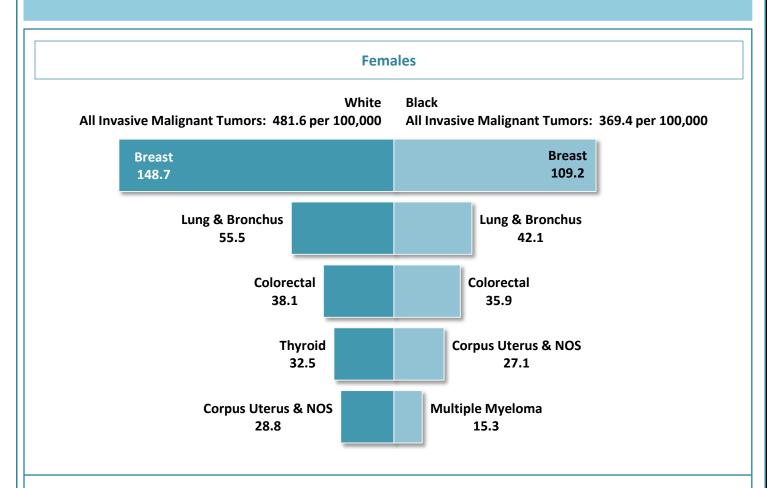
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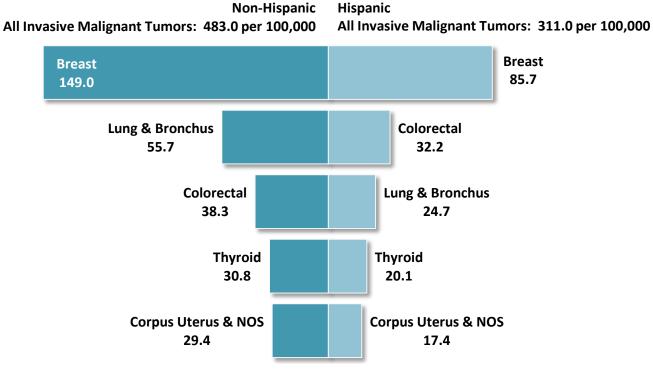
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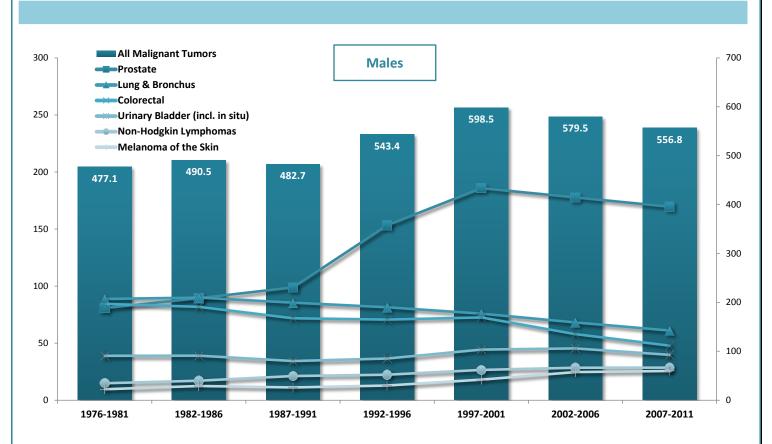


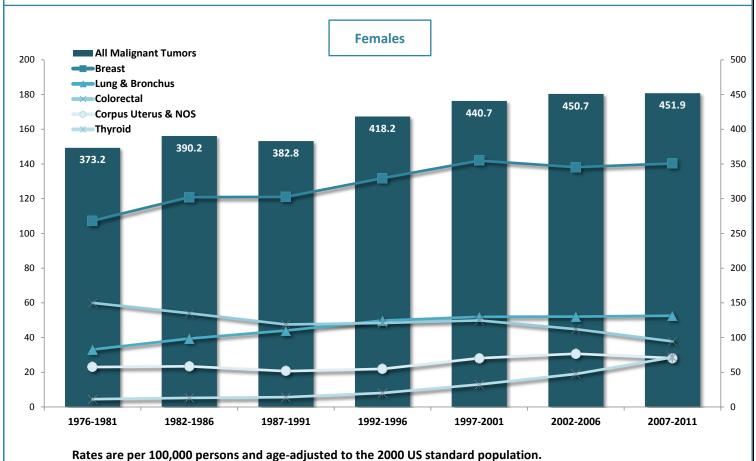
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## Trends in Cancer Incidence Rates, 1976-2011

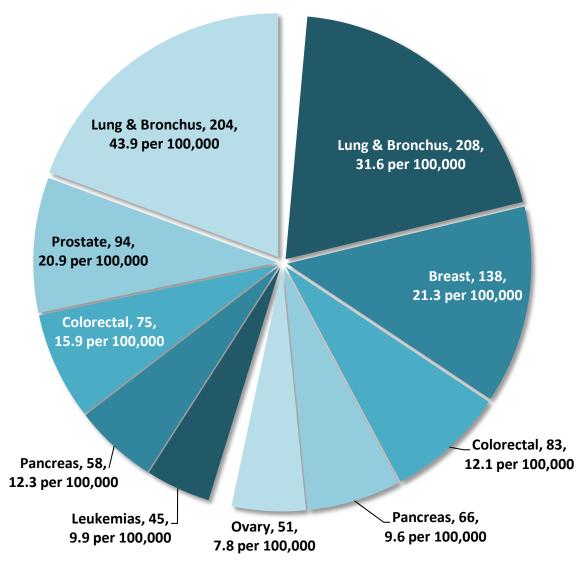




## Average Annual Mortality by Sex

Average Annual Mortality By Sex and Top Five Cancer Sites, 2007-2011





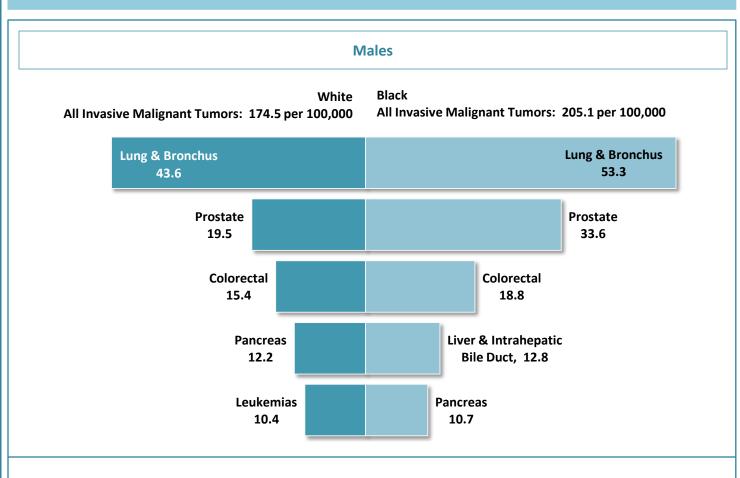
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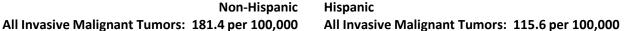
Males: 194.9 per 100,000 Females: 141.9 per 100,000

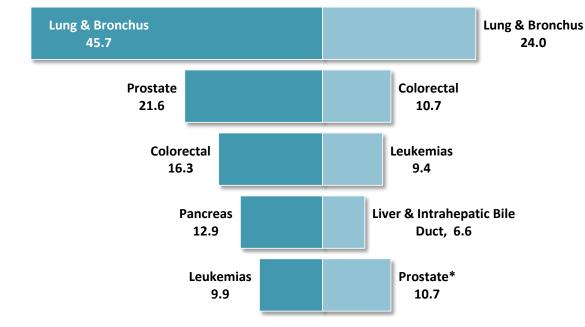
### **USA Mortality Rate:**

Males: 211.6 per 100,000 Females: 147.4 per 100,000

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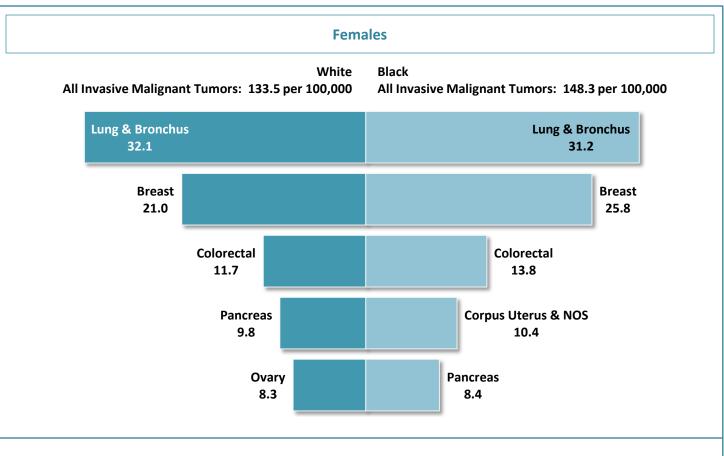


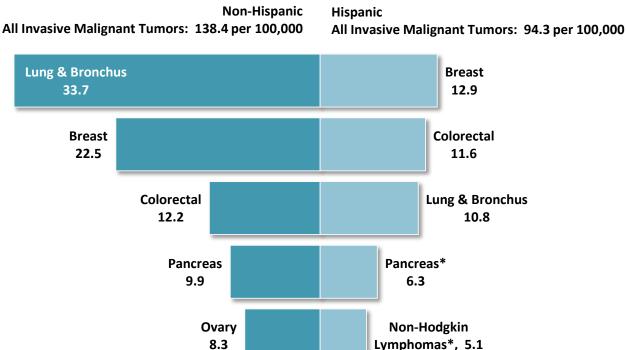




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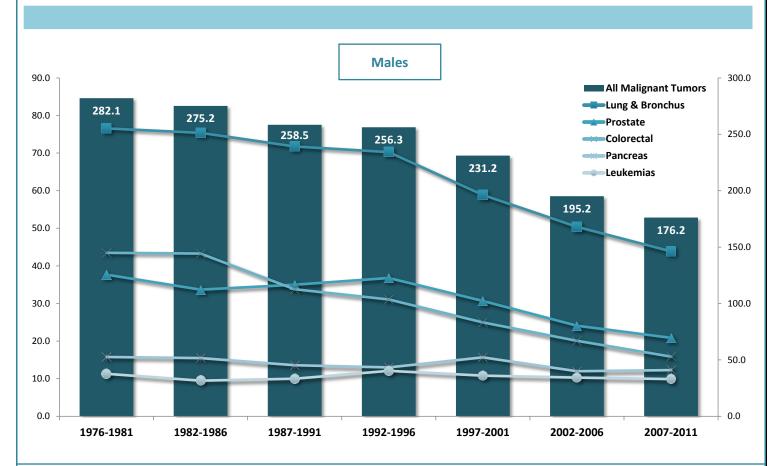
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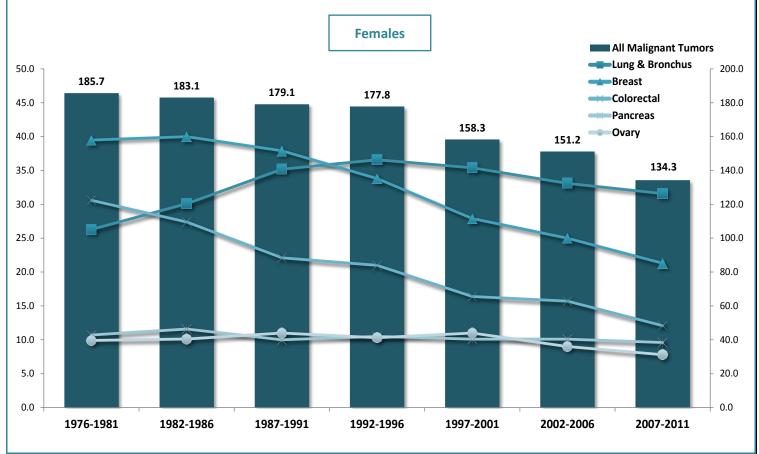




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## Trends in Cancer Mortality Rates, 1976-2011





### **Data Sources**

Data in this document are from New York State Department of Health (NYSDOH) Cancer Registry and Cancer Statistics.

The New York State Cancer Registry is one of the oldest cancer registries in the country and has been collecting information on patients with cancer for more than 50 years. According to New York Public Health Law Section 2401, all physicians, dentists, laboratories, and other health care providers are required to notify NYSDOH of every case of cancer or other malignant disease. Through the State Cancer Registry, the NYSDOH collects, processes, and reports information about New Yorkers diagnosed with cancer.

The Cancer Registry includes reports of all malignant cancers, except selected skin cancers. Basal cell and squamous cell cancers of the skin are exempt from reporting. Malignant cancers include those with both in situ and invasive behavior. In situ cancers are very early cancers, while invasive cancers have more potential to spread. The Cancer Registry also collects data on brain and nervous system tumors classified as benign or which have an uncertain behavior.

The cancer incidence rate and mortality rates reported in the document are per 100,000 persons, age-adjusted to the 2000 US standard population.