

**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY'S HEALTH STATUS PROFILE FOR 1999**

**MORTALITY**

RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1995-1997	CRUDE DEATH RATE	AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS		AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATE	
		DEATHS (AVERAGE)			LOWER	UPPER	STATEWIDE	OBJECTIVE
12	ALL CAUSES	1,689.3	693.3	389.1	367.4	410.8	439.9	N/E
13	MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	26.7	10.9	11.0	6.6	15.3	12.4	14.2
11	UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	66.0	27.1	23.3	17.3	29.4	25.7	29.3
3	FIREARM INJURIES	15.0	6.2 *	5.3 *	2.4	8.2	13.5	11.6
12	HOMICIDE	7.0	2.9 *	3.0 *	0.7	5.3	10.6	7.2
25	SUICIDE	29.7	12.2	10.7	6.6	14.8	10.3	10.5
10	ALL CANCERS	381.3	156.5	104.3	92.7	115.9	113.3	130.0
5	LUNG CANCER	91.7	37.6	25.9	20.1	31.7	31.0	42.0
41	FEMALE BREAST CANCER	37.0	30.3	20.2	13.0	27.5	18.9	20.6
13	CORONARY HEART DISEASE	399.0	163.8	74.7	65.9	83.5	96.9	100.0
22	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	143.7	59.0	25.3	20.3	30.3	26.1	20.0
41	DRUG-RELATED DEATHS	24.0	9.8	8.6	5.1	12.1	7.9	3.0

**MORBIDITY**

RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1995-1997	CRUDE CASE RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS		CRUDE CASE RATE	
		CASES (AVERAGE)		LOWER	UPPER	STATEWIDE	OBJECTIVE
37	AIDS INCIDENCE	29.00	11.90	7.57	16.23	22.06	43.00
50	MEASLES INCIDENCE	0.67	0.27 *	0.00	0.93	0.19	0.00
33	TUBERCULOSIS INCIDENCE	19.67	8.07	4.50	11.64	13.43	3.50
39	SYPHILIS INCIDENCE	1.00	0.41 *	0.00	1.21	1.52	4.00

**INFANT DEATH**

RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1993-1995	BIRTH COHORT INFANT DEATH RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS		BIRTH COHORT INFANT DEATH RATE	
		DEATHS (AVERAGE)		LOWER	UPPER	STATEWIDE	OBJECTIVE
22	INFANT DEATHS: ALL RACES	22.0	6.0	3.5	8.5	6.8	7.0
18	INFANT DEATHS: ASIAN/OTHER	0.3	2.9 *	0.0	12.9	5.6	N/E
2	INFANT DEATHS: BLACK	0.0	0.0 +	-	-	14.6	11.0
37	INFANT DEATHS: HISPANIC	11.7	6.6 *	2.8	10.4	6.3	N/E
21	INFANT DEATHS: WHITE	10.0	5.6 *	2.1	9.1	6.2	N/E

**NATALITY**

RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1995-1997	PERCENT	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS		PERCENT	
		BIRTHS (AVERAGE)		LOWER	UPPER	STATEWIDE	OBJECTIVE
8	LOW BIRTHWEIGHT INFANTS	164.7	4.7	4.0	5.4	6.1	5.0
15	LATE OR NO PRENATAL CARE	572.7	16.7	15.3	18.0	19.5	10.0
39	ADEQUATE/ADEQUATE PLUS CARE	2,169.7	62.3	59.6	64.9	67.1	90.0 ^

  

RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1995-1997	AGE-SPECIFIC RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS		AGE-SPECIFIC RATE	
		BIRTHS (AVERAGE)		LOWER	UPPER	STATEWIDE	OBJECTIVE
22	BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGED 15-19	373.0	46.5	41.8	51.2	61.7	N/E

**CENSUS**

RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1990	PERCENT	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS		PERCENT	
		NUMBER		LOWER	UPPER	STATEWIDE	OBJECTIVE
15	PERSONS UNDER 18 IN POVERTY	6,280	11.9	11.6	12.2	18.2	N/E

N/E: National Objective for the Year 2000 has not been established.

^ Year 2010 National Health Objective.

\* Rate or percent unreliable; relative standard error greater than or equal to 23%.

+ Rate or percent indeterminate; no (zero) events.

- Upper and lower limits at the 95% confidence level are not calculated for no (zero) events.

Note: Crude death rates, crude case rates, and age-adjusted death rates are per 100,000 population. Birth cohort infant death rates are per 1,000 live births.

Sources: Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics: Birth and Death Statistical Master Files, 1995-1997; and Birth Cohort Files, 1993-1995. Division of Communicable Disease Control, Office of Statistics and Surveillance. Office of AIDS, AIDS Case Registry. Department of Finance, State Census Data Center: 1996 Race/Ethnic Population by County with Age and Sex Detail, January 1998.