

**SANTA CRUZ COUNTY'S HEALTH STATUS PROFILE FOR 2001**

MORTALITY								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1999 <sup>1</sup> (AVERAGE)	CRUDE DEATH RATE	AGE-ADJUSTED <sup>2</sup> DEATH RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATE	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE
7	ALL CAUSES (1997 - 1999 AVERAGE)	1,647.3	656.9	710.2	643.7	776.6	791.5	N/E
7	MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	9.0	3.5 *	3.6 *	1.2	6.0	9.5	9.2
12	UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	57.0	22.3	23.2	17.1	29.3	27.5	17.5
7	FIREARM INJURIES	12.0	4.7 *	4.7 *	2.0	7.5	9.0	4.1
22	HOMICIDE	6.0	2.3 *	2.5 *	0.5	4.4	6.0	3.0
25	SUICIDE	27.0	10.6	10.2	6.4	14.1	9.4	5.0
5	ALL CANCERS	339.0	132.5	144.7	129.2	160.2	179.5	159.9
5	LUNG CANCER	81.0	31.7	35.6	27.8	43.4	46.9	44.9
18	FEMALE BREAST CANCER	29.0	22.6	21.5	13.5	29.4	24.6	22.3
20	CORONARY HEART DISEASE	384.0	150.1	160.1	144.0	176.2	193.0	166.0
11	CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	119.0	46.5	49.7	40.7	58.7	63.3	48.0
40	DRUG-RELATED DEATHS	27.0	10.6	10.5	6.5	14.4	9.1	1.0
29	DIABETES	45.0	17.6	19.4	13.7	25.1	20.5	45.0

  

MORBIDITY								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1997-1999 CASES (AVERAGE)	CRUDE CASE RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE CRUDE CASE RATE	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE	
37	HEPATITIS C INCIDENCE (1999 DATA ONLY)	276.00	107.89	95.16	120.61	104.40	1.00	
35	AIDS INCIDENCE (AGE 13 AND OVER)	21.33	11.39	6.56	16.22	24.48	1.00	
29	TUBERCULOSIS INCIDENCE	13.67	5.45 *	2.56	8.34	11.47	1.00	
30	CHLAMYDIA INCIDENCE	366.00	145.95	131.00	160.91	228.96	N/E	
40	SYPHILIS INCIDENCE	0.67	0.27 *	0.00	0.90	0.99	0.20	
58	MEASLES INCIDENCE	2.00	0.80 *	0.00	1.90	0.05	0.00	

  

INFANT DEATH								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1995-1997 DEATHS (AVERAGE)	BIRTH COHORT INFANT DEATH RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE BIRTH COHORT INFANT DEATH RATE	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE	
12	INFANT DEATHS: ALL RACES	16.3	4.7 *	2.4	7.0	6.1	4.5	
21	INFANT DEATHS: ASIAN/OTHER	0.3	2.9 *	0.0	12.9	5.3	N/E	
5	INFANT DEATHS: BLACK	0.0	0.0 +	-	-	13.1	N/E	
26	INFANT DEATHS: HISPANIC	8.3	5.0 *	1.6	8.3	5.7	N/E	
17	INFANT DEATHS: WHITE	7.7	4.6 *	1.3	7.9	5.5	N/E	

  

NATALITY								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1997-1999 BIRTHS (AVERAGE)	PERCENT	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE PERCENT	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE	
19	LOW BIRTHWEIGHT INFANTS	183.3	5.3	4.5	6.0	6.2	5.0	
18	LATE OR NO PRENATAL CARE	531.7	15.5	14.2	16.8	17.4	10.0	
27	ADEQUATE/ADEQUATE PLUS CARE	2,469.7	73.3	70.4	76.2	75.0	90.0	

  

BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGED 15-19								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1996-1998 BIRTHS (AVERAGE)	AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATE	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE AGE-SPECIFIC BIRTH RATE	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE	
27	BIRTHS TO MOTHERS AGED 15-19	336.3	42.9	38.3	47.5	53.6	N/E	

  

BREASTFEEDING								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1997-1999 BIRTHS (AVERAGE)	PERCENT	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE PERCENT	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE	
1	BREASTFEEDING INITIATION	3,198.0	92.9	89.7	96.2	79.9	75.0	

  

CENSUS								
RANK ORDER	HEALTH STATUS INDICATOR	1990 NUMBER	PERCENT	95% CONFIDENCE LIMITS LOWER UPPER		STATEWIDE PERCENT	NATIONAL OBJECTIVE	
15	PERSONS UNDER 18 IN POVERTY	6,280.0	11.9	11.6	12.2	18.2	N/E	

N/E: National Objective for the Year 2010 has not been established.

\* 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.

1 Mortality data for specific causes cannot be compared to prior year data due to change from ICD 9 to ICD 10. Therefore, three year averages are not reflected except for 'All Causes'.

2 Age-adjusted rates cannot be compared to prior year data due to change from 1940 to 2000 standard million population.

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. Age-specific birth rates are per 1,000 population.

Sources: Department of Health Services: Center for Health Statistics, Birth and Death Statistical Master Files, 1997-1999, and Birth Cohort Files, 1995-1997; Division of Communicable Disease Control, Office of Statistics and Surveillance; Office of AIDS, AIDS Case Registry; Genetic Disease Branch, Newborn Screening Program.