

Alaska, 2012

Primary and secondary syphilis

- CASES: Alaska reported 11 cases in 2012.
- RATES: Alaska ranked 41 among 50 states reporting at least one case of P&S syphilis with 1.5 cases per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. rate of 5.0.

Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by sex

- In Alaska, the rate among males was 2.7 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 9.3 cases per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 0.3 compared to the U.S. female rate of 0.9.

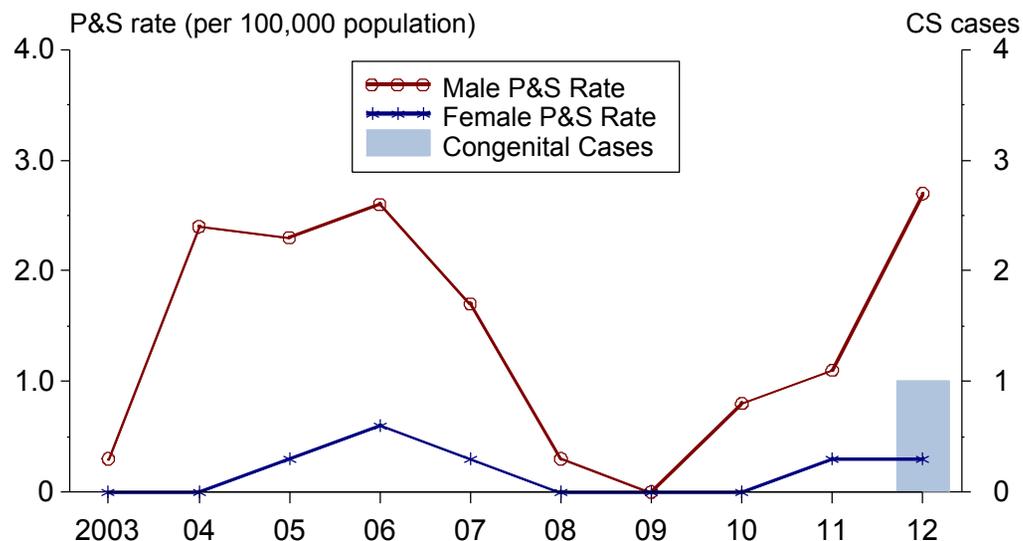
Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity*

- In Alaska, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 0.6 among whites, 6.6 among blacks, 9.5 among Hispanics, 0.0 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 1.7 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.
- The rate among blacks was 11 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 15.8 times that of whites.
- The rate among American Indians/Alaska Natives was 2.8 times that of whites.

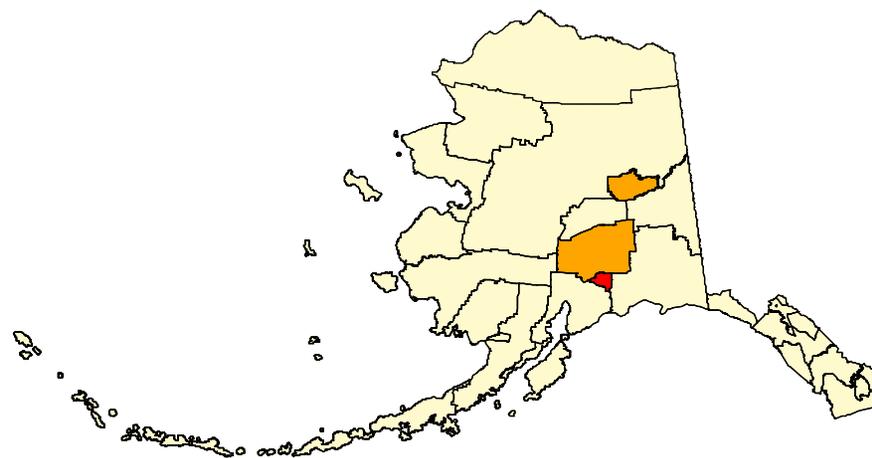
Congenital syphilis

- CASES: Alaska reported 1 case in 2012.
- RATES: Alaska ranked 11 among 30 states reporting at least one case of congenital syphilis with a rate of 8.8 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the U.S. rate of 7.8.

Syphilis: P&S Rates and Congenital Cases, Alaska, 2003–2012



Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Alaska, 2012



Rate (per 100,000 population)



*OMB-compliant race values not available. NCHS bridged population used to calculate rates.