

Alabama, 2009

Primary and secondary syphilis

- CASES: Alabama reported 417 cases in 2009.
- RATES: Alabama ranked 5 among 50 states; Washington, DC; and 3 territories with 8.9 cases per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. rate of 4.6 cases per 100,000 population.

Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by sex

- In Alabama, the rate among males was 12.4 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 7.8 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 5.7 per 100,000 compared to the U.S. female rate of 1.4 per 100,000.

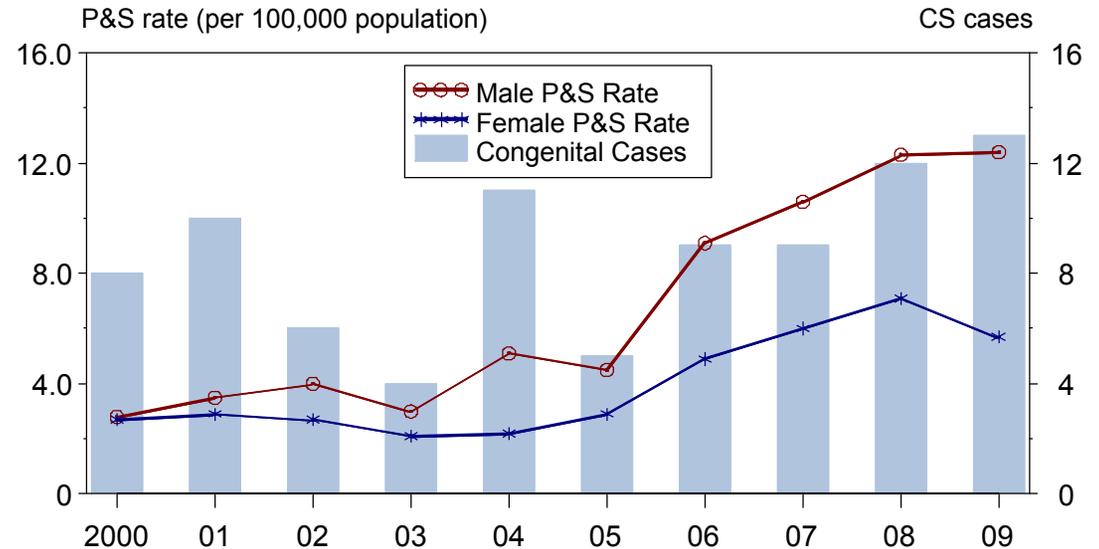
Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity

- In Alabama, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 2.5 among whites, 26.2 among blacks, 10.4 among Hispanics, 2.1 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 0.0 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.
- The rate among blacks was 10.5 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 4.2 times that of whites.

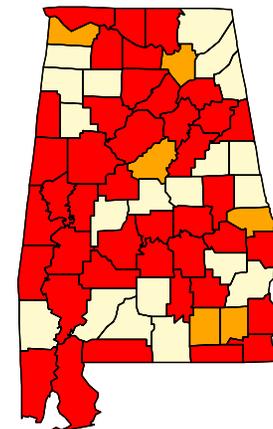
Congenital syphilis

- CASES: Alabama reported 13 cases in 2009.
- RATES: Alabama ranked 5 among among 34 areas (33 states and 1 territory) reporting congenital syphilis cases with a rate of 20.6 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the U.S. rate of 10.0 cases per 100,000.

Syphilis: P&S Rates and Congenital Cases, Alabama, 2000-2009



Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Alabama, 2009



Rate (per 100,000 population)

