

# Mississippi, 2009

## Primary and secondary syphilis

- CASES: Mississippi reported 237 cases in 2009.
- RATES: Mississippi ranked 6 among 50 states; Washington, DC; and 3 territories with 8.1 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 Mississippi, the rate among males was 11.5 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 7.8 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 4.8 per 100,000 compared to the U.S. female rate of 1.4 per 100,000.

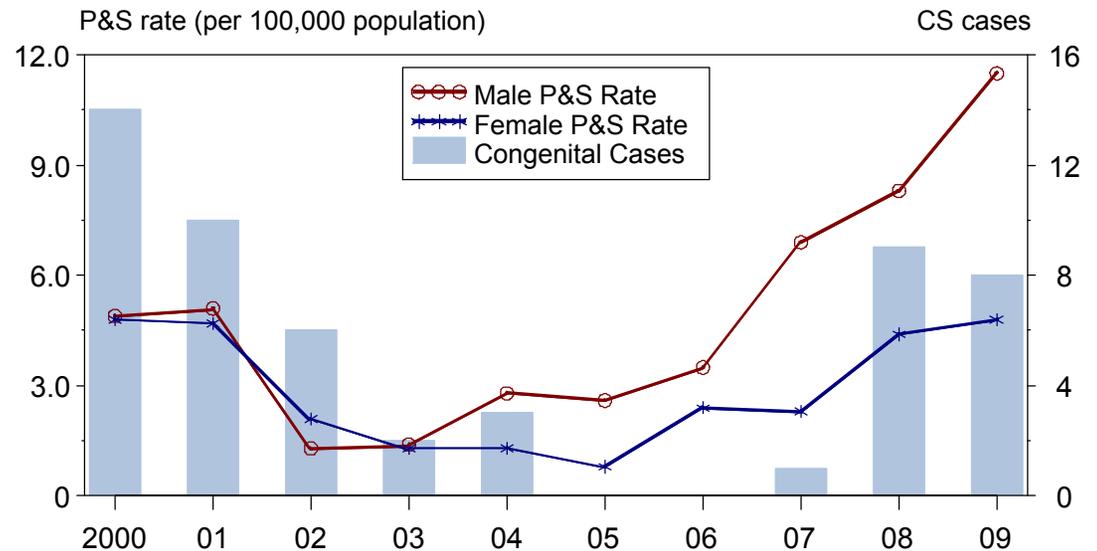
## Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity

- In Mississippi, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 1.9 among whites, 18.3 among blacks, 3.0 among Hispanics, 3.8 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 0.0 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.
- The rate among blacks was 9.6 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 1.6 times that of whites.
- The rate among Asian/Pacific Islanders was 2 times that of whites.

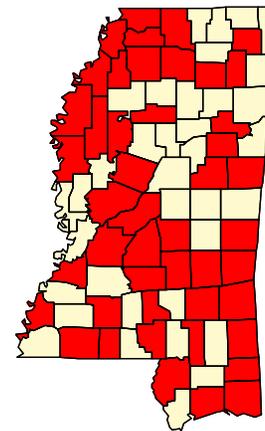
## Congenital syphilis

- CASES: Mississippi reported 8 cases in 2009.
- RATES: Mississippi ranked 6 among among 34 areas (33 states and 1 territory) reporting congenital syphilis cases with a rate of 17.4 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, Mississippi, 2000-2009



## Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Mississippi, 2009



Rate (per 100,000 population)

