

# Virginia, 2009

## Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Virginia reported 299 cases in 2009.
- **RATES:** Virginia ranked 16 among 50 states; Washington, DC; and 3 territories with 3.8 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 Virginia, the rate among males was 7.3 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 7.8 per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 0.6 per 100,000 compared to the U.S. female rate of 1.4 per 100,000.

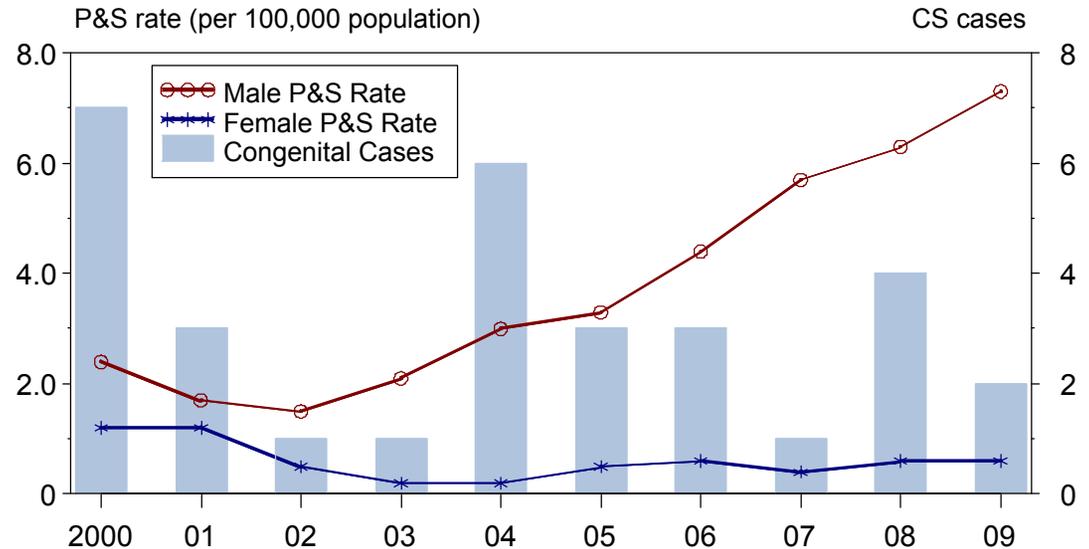
## Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity

- In Virginia, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 1.4 among whites, 13.9 among blacks, 2.1 among Hispanics, 0.0 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 4.1 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.
- The rate among blacks was 9.9 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 1.5 times that of whites.
- The rate among American Indians/Alaska Natives was 2.9 times that of whites.

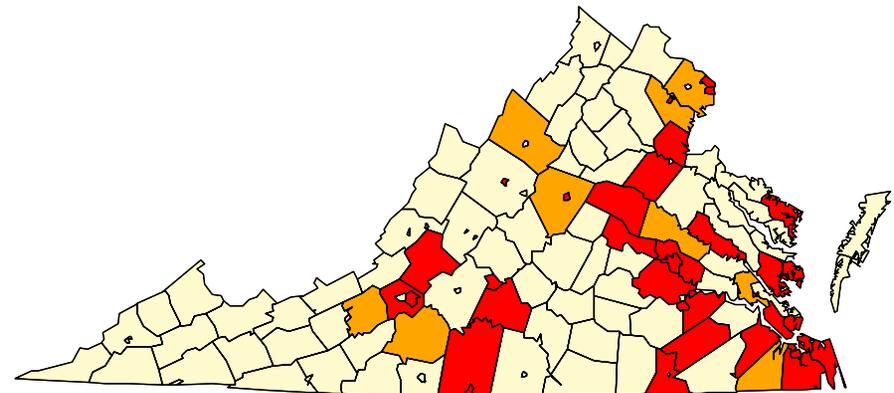
## Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Virginia reported 2 cases in 2009.
- **RATES:** Virginia ranked 31 among among 34 areas (33 states and 1 territory) reporting congenital syphilis cases with a rate of 1.9 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, Virginia, 2000-2009



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



Rate (per 100,000 population)

