

# Maryland, 2012

## Primary and secondary syphilis

- **CASES:** Maryland reported 431 cases in 2012.
- **RATES:** Maryland ranked 4 among 50 states reporting at least one case of P&S syphilis with 7.4 cases per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. rate of 5.0.

## Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by sex

- In Maryland, the rate among males was 13.7 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 9.3 cases per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 1.5 compared to the U.S. female rate of 0.9.

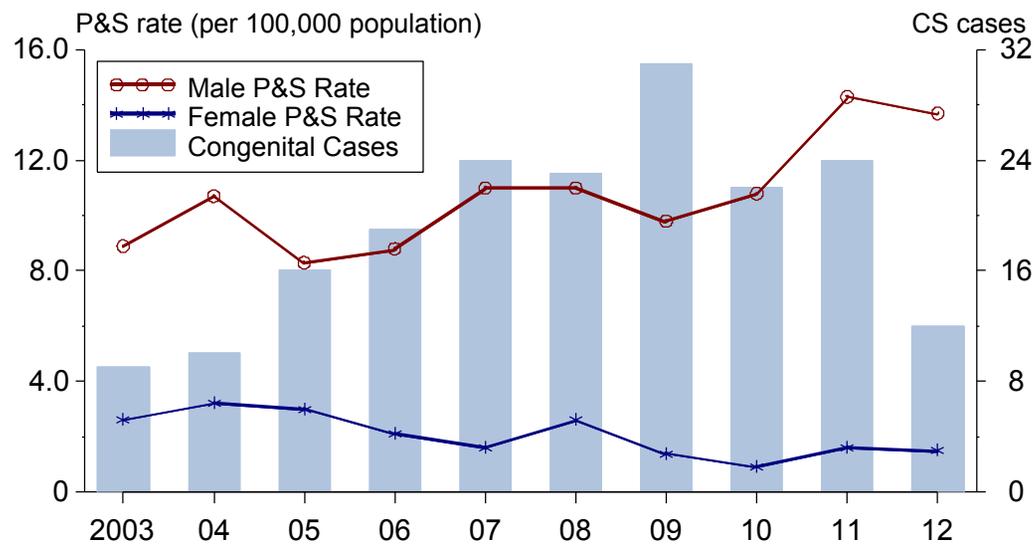
## Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity\*

- In Maryland, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 1.3 among whites, 21.5 among blacks, 2.4 among Hispanics, 0.6 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 0.0 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.
- The rate among blacks was 16.5 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 1.8 times that of whites.

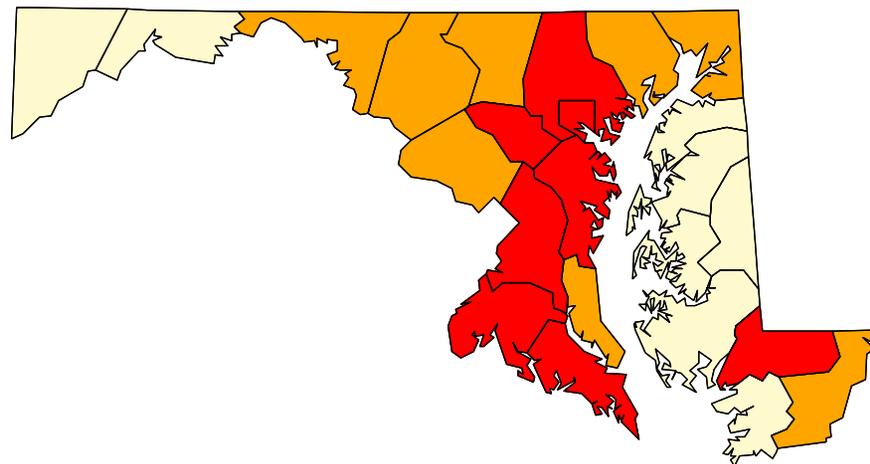
## Congenital syphilis

- **CASES:** Maryland reported 12 cases in 2012.
- **RATES:** Maryland ranked 5 among 30 states reporting at least one case of congenital syphilis with a rate of 16.0 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the U.S. rate of 7.8.

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



## Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, Maryland, 2012



Rate (per 100,000 population)

<=0.4
  0.41 - 2.2
  >2.2

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