New York, 2012

Primary and secondary syphilis

- CASES: New York reported 1,224 cases in 2012.
- RATES: New York ranked 7 among 50 states reporting at least one case of P&S syphilis with 6.3 cases per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. rate of 5.0.

Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by sex

- In New York, the rate among males was 12.5 per 100,000 population compared to the U.S. male rate of 9.3 cases per 100,000.
- The rate among females was 0.4 compared to the U.S. female rate of 0.9.

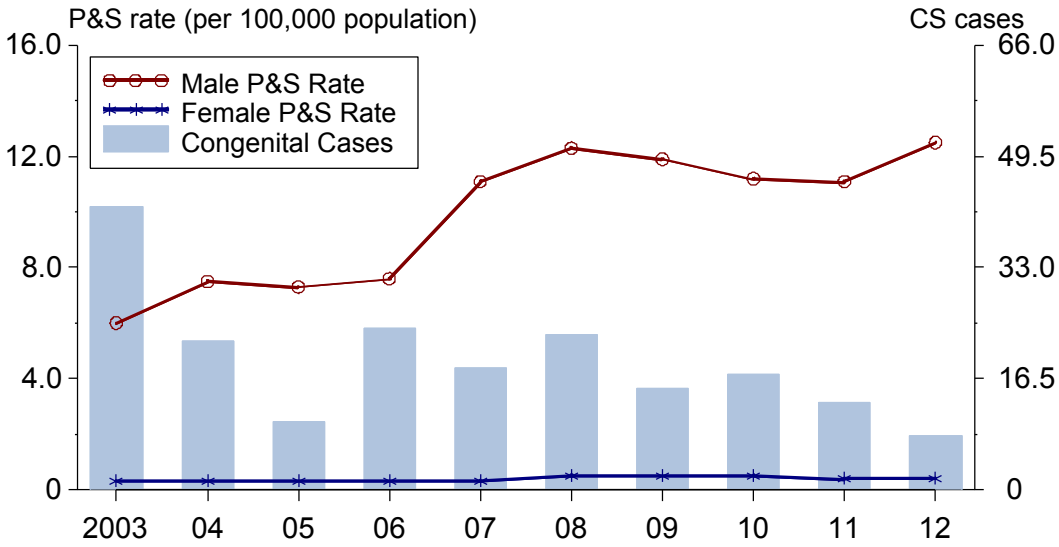
Rates of primary and secondary syphilis, by race/ethnicity*

- In New York, the race/ethnicity adjusted rates per 100,000 population were 3.0 among whites, 13.0 among blacks, 9.7 among Hispanics, 1.8 among Asian/Pacific Islanders, and 1.4 among American Indians/Alaska Natives.
- The rate among blacks was 4.3 times that of whites.
- The rate among Hispanics was 3.2 times that of whites.

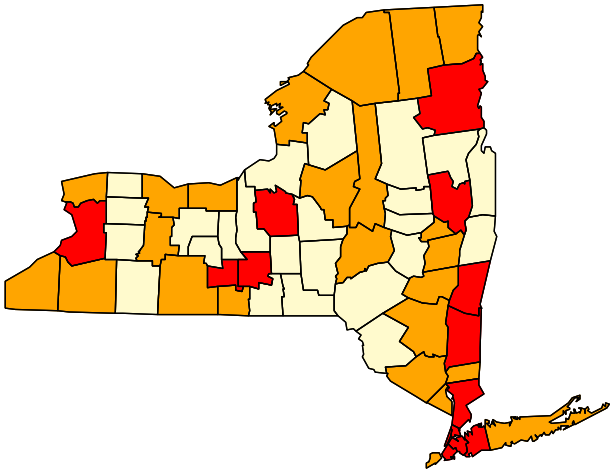
Congenital syphilis

- CASES: New York reported 8 cases in 2012.
- RATES: New York ranked 20 among among 30 states reporting at least one case of congenital syphilis with a rate of 3.2 cases per 100,000 live births compared to the U.S. rate of 7.8.

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



Total P&S Syphilis Rates by County, New York, 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.