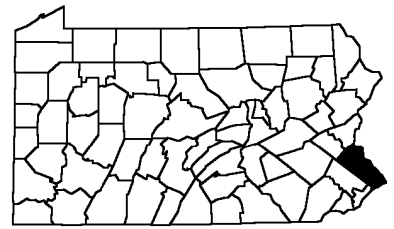


Bucks County

Health Profile 2000



• DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------|--|----------|
| % Population Change 1990 to 1998 | 8.6 | % Population with Income Below Poverty Level (1995) | 4.5 |
| Median Age of the Population (1998) | 36.8 | Per Capita Personal Income (1997) | \$30,767 |
| % Population Aged 65 and Over (1998) | 12.5 | % Labor Force Unemployed (Annual Average 1999) | 3.4 |
| % Population Urban (1990) | 81.4 | % Population Eligible for Medical Assistance (12/99) | 4.5 |

Estimated Population by Age and Sex (1998)

| Age | Total | Male | Female | Age | Total | Male | Female |
|----------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|--------|--------|
| All Ages | 587,942 | 289,639 | 298,303 | 35-44 | 100,237 | 50,480 | 49,757 |
| Under 5 | 39,429 | 20,292 | 19,137 | 45-54 | 83,237 | 41,087 | 42,150 |
| 5-14 | 84,769 | 43,410 | 41,359 | 55-64 | 55,464 | 27,318 | 28,146 |
| 15-24 | 66,510 | 34,341 | 32,169 | 65-74 | 40,138 | 17,859 | 22,279 |
| 25-34 | 85,074 | 42,644 | 42,430 | 75+ | 33,084 | 12,208 | 20,876 |

• NATALITY AND REPORTED PREGNANCIES* (1998 Residents)

| | | | |
|--|------|--|-----|
| Crude Birth Rate Per 1,000 Population | 12.4 | % Low Birth Weight | 7.3 |
| Average Annual General Fertility Rate (1996-98) | 57.8 | % Receiving No Prenatal Care in First Trimester | 8.2 |
| | | % Births to Mothers Under 18 | 1.6 |

| Age of Woman | Reported Pregnancies | Outcome | | | Age of Woman | Reported Pregnancies | Outcome | | |
|--------------|----------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|----------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|
| | | Live Births | Fetal Deaths | Induced Abortions | | | Live Births | Fetal Deaths | Induced Abortions |
| All Ages | 8,510 | 7,269 | 61 | 1,180 | 18-19 | 367 | 236 | 1 | 130 |
| Under 15 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 20-29 | 3,448 | 2,839 | 26 | 583 |
| 15-17 | 193 | 112 | 1 | 80 | 30 and Over | 4,491 | 4,079 | 33 | 379 |

| Age of Woman | Birth Rate | Reported Pregnancy Rate | Age of Woman | Birth Rate | Reported Pregnancy Rate |
|--------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------|------------|-------------------------|
| 15-44 | 58.5 ** | 68.4 | 18-19 | 37.6 | 58.5 |
| Under 15 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 20-29 | 84.2 | 102.3 |
| 15-17 | 10.1 | 17.5 | 30-49 | 42.4 | 46.7 |

*Live births, non-induced fetal deaths of 16+ weeks gestation, and induced abortions performed in-state. **General fertility rate. Note: All rates per 1,000.

• MORBIDITY (Residents)

Incidence and Average Annual Rate (per 100,000 population) for Selected Notifiable Diseases (1996-98)

| | Number | Rate | | Number | Rate | | Number | Rate |
|----------------------|--------|------|----------------------|--------|------|--------------------|--------|------|
| AIDS | 106 | 6.1 | Chlamydia | 984 | 56.3 | Lyme Disease** | 1,033 | 59.5 |
| Syphilis | 7 | 0.4 | Giardiasis** | 331 | 19.1 | Rabies (Animals)** | 24 | N/A |
| Measles | 9 | 0.5 | Gonorrhea | 285 | 16.3 | Salmonellosis** | 254 | 14.6 |
| Tuberculosis | 48 | 2.7 | Hepatitis: Type A*** | 76 | 4.4 | Shigellosis** | 64 | 3.7 |
| Campylobacteriosis** | 281 | 16.2 | Hepatitis: Type B*** | 43 | 2.5 | | | |

**1995-97 data

***1994-96 data

Cancer Incidence and Average Annual Age-Adjusted Incidence Rates* for Major Sites by Sex (1995-97)

| | Male | | Female | | | Male | | Female | |
|------------------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------------------------|--------|------|--------|------|
| | Number | Rate | Number | Rate | | Number | Rate | Number | Rate |
| All Sites** | 4,136 | 463.9 | 4,373 | 391.5 | Urinary Bladder | 319 | 35.8 | 108 | 9.3 |
| Female Breast | - | - | 1,541 | 141.3 | Rectum/Anus/Rectosigmoid | 170 | 19.0 | 131 | 11.0 |
| Trachea/Bronchus/Lung/Pleura | 744 | 83.9 | 464 | 41.2 | Non-Hodgkin's Lymphomas | 192 | 20.5 | 152 | 12.9 |
| Prostate | 980 | 112.1 | - | - | Corpus Uteri | - | - | 228 | 21.3 |
| Colon | 394 | 44.4 | 426 | 35.0 | Melanoma of the Skin | 176 | 19.0 | 135 | 12.2 |

*Per 100,000 1970 U.S. standard million population. **Excludes in situ cervix uteri cases which were included in profiles prior to 1999.

• **MORTALITY (1998 Residents)**

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|--|-----|
| Number of Resident Deaths | 4,687 | Number of Infant Deaths (< 1 Year of Age) | 46 |
| Crude Death Rate per 1,000 | 8.0 | Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Live Births | 6.3 |
| Age-Adjusted Death Rate per 1,000 | 4.1 | Average Annual Infant Death Rate (1996-98) | 5.8 |

Selected Major Causes of Death, Number and Average Annual Age-Adjusted Death Rate* (1996-98)

| Cause | Number | Rate | Cause | Number | Rate |
|------------------------|--------|-------|---------------------|--------|------|
| Heart Disease | 4,119 | 109.3 | Pneumonia/Influenza | 513 | 11.3 |
| Cancer | 3,435 | 119.3 | Diabetes | 350 | 11.0 |
| Stroke | 1,020 | 23.9 | Septicemia | 268 | 7.0 |
| C.O.P.D.** | 675 | 19.3 | Nephritis/Nephrosis | 157 | 3.9 |
| Unintentional Injuries | 461 | 22.0 | Suicide | 172 | 9.3 |

* per 100,000 1940 U.S. standard million population

** Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

Leading Causes of Death, Number by Age Group (1998)

| Under 5 Years of Age | | 5-24 Years of Age | | 25-44 Years of Age | | 45-64 Years of Age | | 65 Years and Older | |
|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|------------|----------------------|------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Perinatal Conditions | 28 | Unintentional Injury | 21 | Unintentional Injury | 48 | Cancer | 254 | Heart Disease | 1,169 |
| Birth Defects | 8 | Suicide | 12 | Cancer | 36 | Heart Disease | 181 | Cancer | 821 |
| | | Homicide | 4 | Heart Disease | 29 | C.O.P.D.** | 26 | Stroke | 323 |
| | | | | Suicide | 21 | Unintentional Injury | 25 | C.O.P.D.** | 206 |
| | | | | HIV Infection | 9 | Stroke | 18 | Pneumonia/Influenza | 165 |
| TOTAL | 54 | TOTAL | 63 | TOTAL | 213 | TOTAL | 673 | TOTAL | 3,684 |

• **HOSPITALS (7/97-6/98)**

| | | | | | |
|-------|--------------------|-------------|----------------|---------|-------|
| Total | General Acute Care | Psychiatric | Rehabilitation | Federal | Other |
| 8 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

General Hospitals

| | | | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Beds Set Up and Staffed | 1,107 | Beds per 1,000 Population | 1.9 | Average Inpatient Occupancy Rate | 60.7 |
| Admissions | 52,967 | Admissions per 1,000 Population | 90.1 | Average Semi-Private Daily Room Rate | \$879 |

• **NURSING HOMES (1998)**

| | | | |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | Total Number | Certified-Medicare | Certified-Medicaid |
| Nursing Homes | 37 | 36 | 31 |
| Licensed/Approved Beds | 3,883 | 1,834 | 3,587 |

| | |
|--|-------|
| Total Licensed/Approved Beds per 1,000 Population Age 65 and Older | 53.0 |
| Average Occupancy Rate | 92.3 |
| Average Length of Stay (Number of Days) | 229.0 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Median Semi-Private Daily Room Rate | \$150 |
|-------------------------------------|-------|

• **DRUG AND ALCOHOL TREATMENT (State-Supported) (7/98-6/99)**

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------|--------|---|
| Total Resident Admissions | Primary Diagnosis | | | Percent Admitted Only Once During 7/98-6/99 |
| | Drug Abuse | Alcohol Abuse | Other* | |
| 2,978 | 1,672 | 1,300 | 6 | 64.0 |

* Includes family members receiving counseling.

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|---------------------------|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|----|
| Licensed Facilities 32 | Inpatient Non-Hospital | 9 | Partial Hospitalization | 12 |
| | Inpatient Hospital | 5 | Outpatient | 26 |
| | Correctional Institution | 2 | | |

Note: Each licensed facility may provide more than one type of service.



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