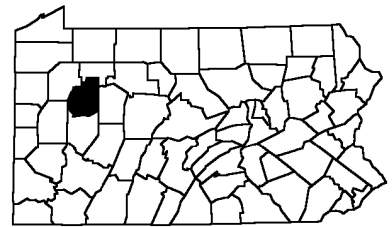


Clarion County Health Profile 2000



• DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

% Population Change 1990 to 1998	0.3	% Population with Income Below Poverty Level (1995)	15.5
Median Age of the Population (1998)	33.4	Per Capita Personal Income (1997)	\$19,383
% Population Aged 65 and Over (1998)	14.1	% Labor Force Unemployed (Annual Average 1999)	4.9
% Population Urban (1990)	15.5	% Population Eligible for Medical Assistance (12/99)	14.4

Estimated Population by Age and Sex (1998)

Age	Total	Male	Female	Age	Total	Male	Female
All Ages	41,841	20,116	21,725	35-44	5,423	2,645	2,778
Under 5	2,216	1,160	1,056	45-54	4,823	2,371	2,452
5-14	4,843	2,497	2,346	55-64	3,976	1,911	2,065
15-24	9,669	4,585	5,084	65-74	3,012	1,365	1,647
25-34	4,974	2,491	2,483	75+	2,905	1,091	1,814

• NATALITY AND REPORTED PREGNANCIES* (1998 Residents)

Crude Birth Rate Per 1,000 Population	10.4	% Low Birth Weight	7.1
Average Annual General Fertility Rate (1996-98)	42.6	% Receiving No Prenatal Care in First Trimester	13.6
		% Births to Mothers Under 18	2.5

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	486	436	5	45	18-19	40	35	0	5
Under 15	0	0	0	0	20-29	299	264	4	31
15-17	11	11	0	0	30 and Over	136	126	1	9

Age of Woman	Birth Rate	Reported Pregnancy Rate	Age of Woman	Birth Rate	Reported Pregnancy Rate
15-44	42.1 **	47.0	18-19	22.1	25.3
Under 15	0.0	0.0	20-29	70.9	80.3
15-17	12.0	12.0	30-49	23.1	25.0

*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	0	-	Chlamydia	76	60.4	Lyme Disease**	5	4.0
Syphilis	0	-	Giardiasis**	30	23.7	Rabies (Animals)**	0	N/A
Measles	0	-	Gonorrhea	5	4.0	Salmonellosis**	16	12.7
Tuberculosis	*	*	Hepatitis: Type A***	*	*	Shigellosis**	0	-
Campylobacteriosis**	14	11.1	Hepatitis: Type B***	5	3.9			

* Less than 5 cases

**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**	305	426.6	289	345.2	Urinary Bladder	23	30.3	8	8.9
Female Breast	-	-	97	127.2	Rectum/Anus/Rectosigmoid	12	17.2	7	6.4
Trachea/Bronchus/Lung/Pleura	52	73.2	15	18.2	Non-Hodgkin's Lymphomas	6	8.4	13	14.4
Prostate	102	142.9	-	-	Corpus Uteri	-	-	24	31.4
Colon	21	29.5	40	39.9	Melanoma of the Skin	8	11.4	13	16.5

*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	425	Number of Infant Deaths (< 1 Year of Age)	2
Crude Death Rate per 1,000	10.2	Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Live Births	4.6
Age-Adjusted Death Rate per 1,000	4.8	Average Annual Infant Death Rate (1996-98)	6.1

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

Cause	Number	Rate	Cause	Number	Rate
Heart Disease	469	159.7	Pneumonia/Influenza	39	9.3
Cancer	238	108.5	Diabetes	39	18.5
Stroke	97	27.6	Septicemia	26	7.2
C.O.P.D.**	52	19.9	Nephritis/Nephrosis	16	3.8
Unintentional Injuries	56	37.0	Suicide	14	10.8

* 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	
				Unintentional Injury	8	Cancer	21	Heart Disease	147
				Heart Disease	2	Heart Disease	20	Cancer	63
						Unintentional Injury	3	Stroke	25
								C.O.P.D.**	16
								Unintentional Injury	13
TOTAL	2	TOTAL	2	TOTAL	14	TOTAL	60	TOTAL	347

HOSPITALS (7/97-6/98)

Total	General Acute Care	Psychiatric	Rehabilitation	Federal	Other
2	1	1	0	0	0

General Hospitals

Beds Set Up and Staffed	70	Beds per 1,000 Population	1.7	Average Inpatient Occupancy Rate	44.3
Admissions	3,377	Admissions per 1,000 Population	80.7	Average Semi-Private Daily Room Rate	\$405

NURSING HOMES (1998)

	Total Number	Certified-Medicare	Certified-Medicaid
Nursing Homes	4	4	3
Licensed/Approved Beds	350	94	340

Total Licensed/Approved Beds per 1,000 Population Age 65 and Older	59.2
Average Occupancy Rate	79.5
Average Length of Stay (Number of Days)	189.5

Median Semi-Private Daily Room Rate	\$122
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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*	
149	52	97	0	83.9

* Includes family members receiving counseling.

Licensed Facilities 2	Inpatient Non-Hospital	0	Partial Hospitalization	0
	Inpatient Hospital	3	Outpatient	1
	Correctional Institution	0		

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



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