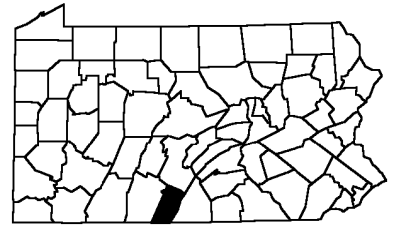


Fulton County

Health Profile 2000



• DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

% Population Change 1990 to 1998	4.8	% Population with Income Below Poverty Level (1995)	10.6
Median Age of the Population (1998)	37.2	Per Capita Personal Income (1997)	\$18,100
% Population Aged 65 and Over (1998)	14.6	% Labor Force Unemployed (Annual Average 1999)	4.2
% Population Urban (1990)	0.0	% Population Eligible for Medical Assistance (12/99)	10.1

Estimated Population by Age and Sex (1998)

Age	Total	Male	Female	Age	Total	Male	Female
All Ages	14,498	7,213	7,285	35-44	2,140	1,058	1,082
Under 5	887	467	420	45-54	1,957	985	972
5-14	2,053	1,084	969	55-64	1,506	747	759
15-24	1,852	935	917	65-74	1,135	528	607
25-34	1,987	1,022	965	75+	981	387	594

• NATALITY AND REPORTED PREGNANCIES* (1998 Residents)

Crude Birth Rate Per 1,000 Population	11.4	% Low Birth Weight	7.3
Average Annual General Fertility Rate (1996-98)	57.5	% Receiving No Prenatal Care in First Trimester	17.6
		% Births to Mothers Under 18	4.8

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	170	165	1	4	18-19	14	14	0	0
Under 15	1	1	0	0	20-29	113	109	1	3
15-17	7	7	0	0	30 and Over	35	34	0	1

Age of Woman	Birth Rate	Reported Pregnancy Rate	Age of Woman	Birth Rate	Reported Pregnancy Rate
15-44	55.7 **	57.4	18-19	80.5	80.5
Under 15	2.0	2.0	20-29	120.6	125.0
15-17	22.4	22.4	30-49	16.3	16.8

*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	*	*	Chlamydia	29	66.8	Lyme Disease**	*	*
Syphilis	0	-	Giardiasis**	*	*	Rabies (Animals)**	10	N/A
Measles	0	-	Gonorrhea	7	16.1	Salmonellosis**	22	50.9
Tuberculosis	0	-	Hepatitis: Type A***	0	-	Shigellosis**	0	-
Campylobacteriosis**	25	57.8	Hepatitis: Type B***	0	-			

* 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**	87	338.2	90	299.9	Urinary Bladder	4	14.4	0	-
Female Breast	-	-	27	89.9	Rectum/Anus/Rectosigmoid	3	11.5	7	21.1
Trachea/Bronchus/Lung/Pleura	21	80.9	6	21.9	Non-Hodgkin's Lymphomas	5	19.6	2	7.9
Prostate	16	61.7	-	-	Corpus Uteri	-	-	9	31.6
Colon	2	7.6	7	21.9	Melanoma of the Skin	1	4.1	7	23.9

*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	132	Number of Infant Deaths (< 1 Year of Age)	1
Crude Death Rate per 1,000	9.1	Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Live Births	6.1
Age-Adjusted Death Rate per 1,000	4.8	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	129	141.9	Pneumonia/Influenza	7	7.4
Cancer	92	118.7	Diabetes	7	7.6
Stroke	21	20.4	Septicemia	2	0.7
C.O.P.D.**	16	16.0	Nephritis/Nephrosis	3	3.5
Unintentional Injuries	28	60.2	Suicide	4	8.1

* 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 3		Cancer 14 Heart Disease 7 Stroke 2	Heart Disease 34 Cancer 20 Stroke 9 C.O.P.D.** 7 Atherosclerosis 4
TOTAL 1	TOTAL 4	TOTAL 1	TOTAL 30	TOTAL 96

HOSPITALS (7/97-6/98)

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

General Hospitals

Beds Set Up and Staffed	39	Beds per 1,000 Population	2.7	Average Inpatient Occupancy Rate	46.8
Admissions	1,391	Admissions per 1,000 Population	95.9	Average Semi-Private Daily Room Rate	\$394

NURSING HOMES (1998)

	Total Number	Certified-Medicare	Certified-Medicaid
Nursing Homes	1	1	1
Licensed/Approved Beds	57	57	57

Total Licensed/Approved Beds per 1,000 Population Age 65 and Older	26.9
Average Occupancy Rate	98.3
Average Length of Stay (Number of Days)	979.1

Median Semi-Private Daily Room Rate	\$150
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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*	
17	5	12	0	64.7

* Includes family members receiving counseling.

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

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



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