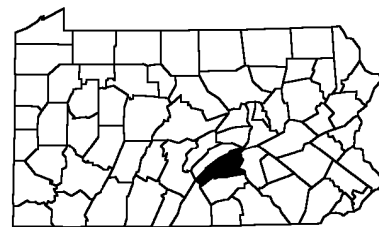


Perry County

Health Profile 2000



• DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

% Population Change 1990 to 1998	7.8	% Population with Income Below Poverty Level (1995)	7.5
Median Age of the Population (1998)	36.2	Per Capita Personal Income (1997)	\$19,697
% Population Aged 65 and Over (1998)	11.9	% Labor Force Unemployed (Annual Average 1999)	3.8
% Population Urban (1990)	5.9	% Population Eligible for Medical Assistance (12/99)	7.6

Estimated Population by Age and Sex (1998)

Age	Total	Male	Female	Age	Total	Male	Female
All Ages	44,384	21,847	22,537	35-44	7,204	3,609	3,595
Under 5	2,894	1,442	1,452	45-54	6,292	3,151	3,141
5-14	6,312	3,234	3,078	55-64	4,297	2,107	2,190
15-24	5,590	2,795	2,795	65-74	2,956	1,312	1,644
25-34	6,522	3,297	3,225	75+	2,317	900	1,417

• NATALITY AND REPORTED PREGNANCIES* (1998 Residents)

Crude Birth Rate Per 1,000 Population	12.5	% Low Birth Weight	6.7
Average Annual General Fertility Rate (1996-98)	55.0	% Receiving No Prenatal Care in First Trimester	16.7
		% Births to Mothers Under 18	4.3

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	616	555	4	57	18-19	53	42	0	11
Under 15	0	0	0	0	20-29	337	309	2	26
15-17	26	24	1	1	30 and Over	200	180	1	19

Age of Woman	Birth Rate	Reported Pregnancy Rate	Age of Woman	Birth Rate	Reported Pregnancy Rate
15-44	57.7 **	64.1	18-19	68.3	86.2
Under 15	0.0	0.0	20-29	112.4	122.6
15-17	26.0	28.2	30-49	25.7	28.6

*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	50	37.8	Lyme Disease**	8	6.1
Syphilis	0	-	Giardiasis**	11	8.4	Rabies (Animals)**	31	N/A
Measles	0	-	Gonorrhea	7	5.3	Salmonellosis**	25	19.0
Tuberculosis	*	*	Hepatitis: Type A***	*	*	Shigellosis**	*	*
Campylobacteriosis**	10	7.6	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**	291	435.1	303	366.6	Urinary Bladder	23	34.0	5	5.5
Female Breast	-	-	94	115.0	Rectum/Anus/Rectosigmoid	12	17.9	8	9.6
Trachea/Bronchus/Lung/Pleura	45	68.5	27	32.5	Non-Hodgkin's Lymphomas	16	23.9	13	14.8
Prostate	75	114.8	-	-	Corpus Uteri	-	-	23	29.0
Colon	25	37.1	28	32.4	Melanoma of the Skin	11	16.0	13	16.8

*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	391	Number of Infant Deaths (< 1 Year of Age)	3
Crude Death Rate per 1,000	8.8	Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Live Births	5.4
Age-Adjusted Death Rate per 1,000	4.9	Average Annual Infant Death Rate (1996-98)	5.6

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

Cause	Number	Rate	Cause	Number	Rate
Heart Disease	371	151.9	Pneumonia/Influenza	48	15.6
Cancer	247	117.8	Diabetes	30	12.9
Stroke	71	24.1	Septicemia	21	8.2
C.O.P.D.**	50	20.7	Nephritis/Nephrosis	10	3.5
Unintentional Injuries	54	34.3	Suicide	18	12.6

* 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		Heart Disease	5	Cancer	24	Heart Disease	94
				Unintentional Injury	4	Heart Disease	20	Cancer	64
				Suicide	3	C.O.P.D.**	4	C.O.P.D.**	20
				Cancer	2	Unintentional Injury	2	Stroke	18
						Pneumonia/Influenza	2	Pneumonia/Influenza	14
TOTAL	6	TOTAL	5	TOTAL	18	TOTAL	62	TOTAL	300

HOSPITALS (7/97-6/98)

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

General Hospitals

Beds Set Up and Staffed	0	Beds per 1,000 Population	-	Average Inpatient Occupancy Rate	-
Admissions	0	Admissions per 1,000 Population	-	Average Semi-Private Daily Room Rate	-

NURSING HOMES (1998)

	Total Number	Certified-Medicare	Certified-Medicaid
Nursing Homes	4	3	4
Licensed/Approved Beds	280	97	280

Total Licensed/Approved Beds per 1,000 Population Age 65 and Older	53.1
Average Occupancy Rate	91.8
Average Length of Stay (Number of Days)	323.9

Median Semi-Private Daily Room Rate	\$114
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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*	
245	115	105	25	74.3

* Includes family members receiving counseling.

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

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



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