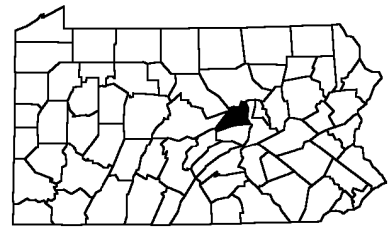


Union County Health Profile 2000



• DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------|--|----------|
| % Population Change 1990 to 1998 | 13.1 | % Population with Income Below Poverty Level (1995) | 10.8 |
| Median Age of the Population (1998) | 34.1 | Per Capita Personal Income (1997) | \$19,726 |
| % Population Aged 65 and Over (1998) | 12.8 | % Labor Force Unemployed (Annual Average 1999) | 3.0 |
| % Population Urban (1990) | 25.6 | % Population Eligible for Medical Assistance (12/99) | 7.0 |

Estimated Population by Age and Sex (1998)

| Age | Total | Male | Female | Age | Total | Male | Female |
|----------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| All Ages | 40,897 | 22,362 | 18,535 | 35-44 | 6,189 | 3,734 | 2,455 |
| Under 5 | 2,131 | 1,128 | 1,003 | 45-54 | 5,143 | 2,860 | 2,283 |
| 5-14 | 4,692 | 2,458 | 2,234 | 55-64 | 3,341 | 1,768 | 1,573 |
| 15-24 | 8,595 | 4,733 | 3,862 | 65-74 | 2,699 | 1,192 | 1,507 |
| 25-34 | 5,558 | 3,583 | 1,975 | 75+ | 2,549 | 906 | 1,643 |

• NATALITY AND REPORTED PREGNANCIES* (1998 Residents)

| | | | |
|--|------|--|------|
| Crude Birth Rate Per 1,000 Population | 9.2 | % Low Birth Weight | 5.8 |
| Average Annual General Fertility Rate (1996-98) | 45.1 | % Receiving No Prenatal Care in First Trimester | 26.3 |
| | | % Births to Mothers Under 18 | 1.9 |

| 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 | 415 | 378 | 8 | 29 | 18-19 | 29 | 19 | 1 | 9 |
| Under 15 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 20-29 | 217 | 200 | 4 | 13 |
| 15-17 | 9 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 30 and Over | 159 | 152 | 3 | 4 |

| Age of Woman | Birth Rate | Reported Pregnancy Rate | Age of Woman | Birth Rate | Reported Pregnancy Rate |
|--------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------|------------|-------------------------|
| 15-44 | 45.6 ** | 50.0 | 18-19 | 16.4 | 25.0 |
| Under 15 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 20-29 | 72.4 | 78.5 |
| 15-17 | 7.8 | 11.7 | 30-49 | 31.6 | 33.1 |

*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 | 20 | 16.2 | Chlamydia | 34 | 27.5 | Lyme Disease** | * | * |
| Syphilis | 0 | - | Giardiasis** | 28 | 22.7 | Rabies (Animals)** | 6 | N/A |
| Measles | 0 | - | Gonorrhea | 6 | 4.9 | Salmonellosis** | 16 | 13.0 |
| Tuberculosis | * | * | Hepatitis: Type A*** | * | * | Shigellosis** | * | * |
| Campylobacteriosis** | 21 | 17.0 | Hepatitis: Type B*** | * | * | | | |

* 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** | 250 | 399.1 | 260 | 351.9 | Urinary Bladder | 15 | 25.7 | 6 | 9.5 |
| Female Breast | - | - | 78 | 108.9 | Rectum/Anus/Rectosigmoid | 5 | 7.4 | 6 | 9.0 |
| Trachea/Bronchus/Lung/Pleura | 52 | 83.5 | 29 | 34.8 | Non-Hodgkin's Lymphomas | 8 | 12.3 | 10 | 11.4 |
| Prostate | 72 | 117.7 | - | - | Corpus Uteri | - | - | 17 | 27.8 |
| Colon | 27 | 42.7 | 30 | 33.9 | Melanoma of the Skin | 6 | 9.4 | 4 | 5.0 |

*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 | 364 | Number of Infant Deaths (< 1 Year of Age) | 6 |
| Crude Death Rate per 1,000 | 8.9 | Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Live Births | 15.9 |
| Age-Adjusted Death Rate per 1,000 | 4.5 | Average Annual Infant Death Rate (1996-98) | 11.6 |

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

| Cause | Number | Rate | Cause | Number | Rate |
|------------------------|--------|-------|---------------------|--------|------|
| Heart Disease | 398 | 145.5 | Pneumonia/Influenza | 39 | 11.7 |
| Cancer | 206 | 109.0 | Diabetes | 36 | 13.1 |
| Stroke | 82 | 26.5 | Septicemia | 8 | 2.3 |
| C.O.P.D.** | 39 | 15.0 | Nephritis/Nephrosis | 16 | 6.7 |
| Unintentional Injuries | 36 | 21.6 | Suicide | 12 | 8.6 |

* 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 | |
|----------------------|---|----------------------|---|----------------------|----|----------------------|----|---------------------|-----|
| Birth Defects | 2 | Unintentional Injury | 3 | Unintentional Injury | 2 | Heart Disease | 17 | Heart Disease | 118 |
| | | Suicide | 2 | Suicide | 2 | Cancer | 15 | Cancer | 50 |
| | | | | | | Unintentional Injury | 3 | Stroke | 26 |
| | | | | | | Diabetes Mellitus | 3 | C.O.P.D.** | 16 |
| | | | | | | | | Pneumonia/Influenza | 14 |
| TOTAL | 6 | TOTAL | 6 | TOTAL | 10 | TOTAL | 42 | TOTAL | 300 |

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 | 111 | Beds per 1,000 Population | 2.7 | Average Inpatient Occupancy Rate | 60.7 |
| Admissions | 6,103 | Admissions per 1,000 Population | 149.2 | Average Semi-Private Daily Room Rate | \$400 |

NURSING HOMES (1998)

| | Total Number | Certified-Medicare | Certified-Medicaid |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Nursing Homes | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Licensed/Approved Beds | 427 | 105 | 400 |

| | |
|--|-------|
| Total Licensed/Approved Beds per 1,000 Population Age 65 and Older | 81.4 |
| Average Occupancy Rate | 90.6 |
| Average Length of Stay (Number of Days) | 331.6 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Median Semi-Private Daily Room Rate | \$123 |
|-------------------------------------|-------|

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* | |
| 59 | 30 | 29 | 0 | 61.0 |

* Includes family members receiving counseling.

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|-------------------------|---|
| Licensed Facilities 3 | Inpatient Non-Hospital | 3 | 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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