

Table C. Tuberculosis Case Rates per 100,000 Population by Race/Ethnicity, Age Group, Sex: California, 1998 - 2007

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007 ⁺	Percent Change	
											1998-2007	2006-2007
Total Cases	11.7	10.8	9.7	9.6	9.0	9.0	8.2	7.9	7.4	7.2	-38.5	-2.7
Race/Ethnicity												
White, Not Hispanic	3.2	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.5	-53.1	-11.8
Black, Not Hispanic	16.9	16.3	13.7	12.1	11.2	9.8	8.8	8.7	7.9	8.9	-47.3	12.7
Hispanic	13.6	12.6	10.8	10.8	10.6	10.3	9.2	8.5	7.9	7.3	-46.3	-7.6
Asian/Pacific Islander	39.7	35.4	32.8	32.5	29.3	30.8	28.5	27.4	25.6	25.4	-36.0	-0.8
American Indian/Alaskan Native	7.2	4.9	4.0	3.7	1.5	1.4	1.2	0.9	1.6	1.2	-83.3	-25.0
Age Group												
0-4	6.3	6.0	4.7	5.4	5.1	5.2	4.5	3.3	3.4	3.2	-49.2	-5.9
5-14	1.8	2.2	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.2	0.8	0.8	-55.6	0.0
15-24	7.6	6.9	6.7	6.4	6.2	6.8	5.7	5.1	5.7	5.2	-31.6	-8.8
25-44	12.0	10.8	9.8	10.2	9.7	9.1	8.5	8.4	7.9	7.4	-38.3	-6.3
45-64	16.7	14.7	13.5	13.0	11.4	11.7	10.6	9.9	9.0	9.4	-43.7	4.4
65+	26.9	25.1	21.0	19.4	18.4	18.4	16.8	17.6	16.5	16.0	-40.5	-3.0
Sex												
Male	14.3	13.0	11.6	11.7	10.7	10.5	9.8	9.5	8.9	8.7	-39.2	-2.2
Female	9.1	8.6	7.7	7.5	7.3	7.5	6.6	6.2	5.9	5.7	-37.4	-3.4
Birthplace												
Foreign-born	34.0	31.5	27.8	28.1	26.2	26.0	23.7	22.4	22.1	21.1	-37.9	-4.5
U.S.-born	4.6	4.2	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.2	-52.2	-8.3

Note: Denominators for computing the overall rate of tuberculosis in California, and rates by race/ethnicity, age group, and sex are from the California Department of Finance, *Population Projections by Race/Ethnicity*. Denominators for computing rates for foreign-born and U.S.-born persons are from the California Department of Finance, *Current Population Survey* annual reports.

Note: Data as of 3/1/2008. Case numbers and rates may change slightly in future reports.

+ Due to revisions in population projections by the California Department of Finance in July 2007, TB rates for 2007 may not be directly comparable to previous years.