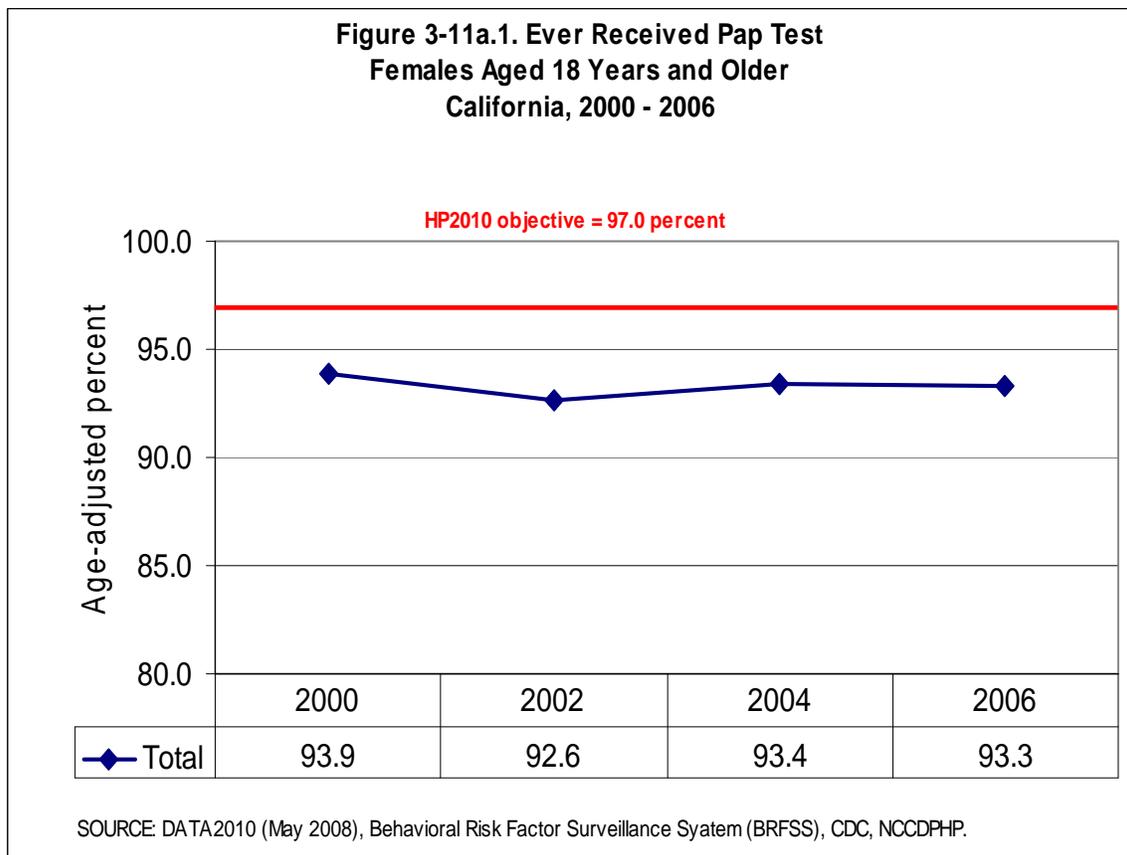


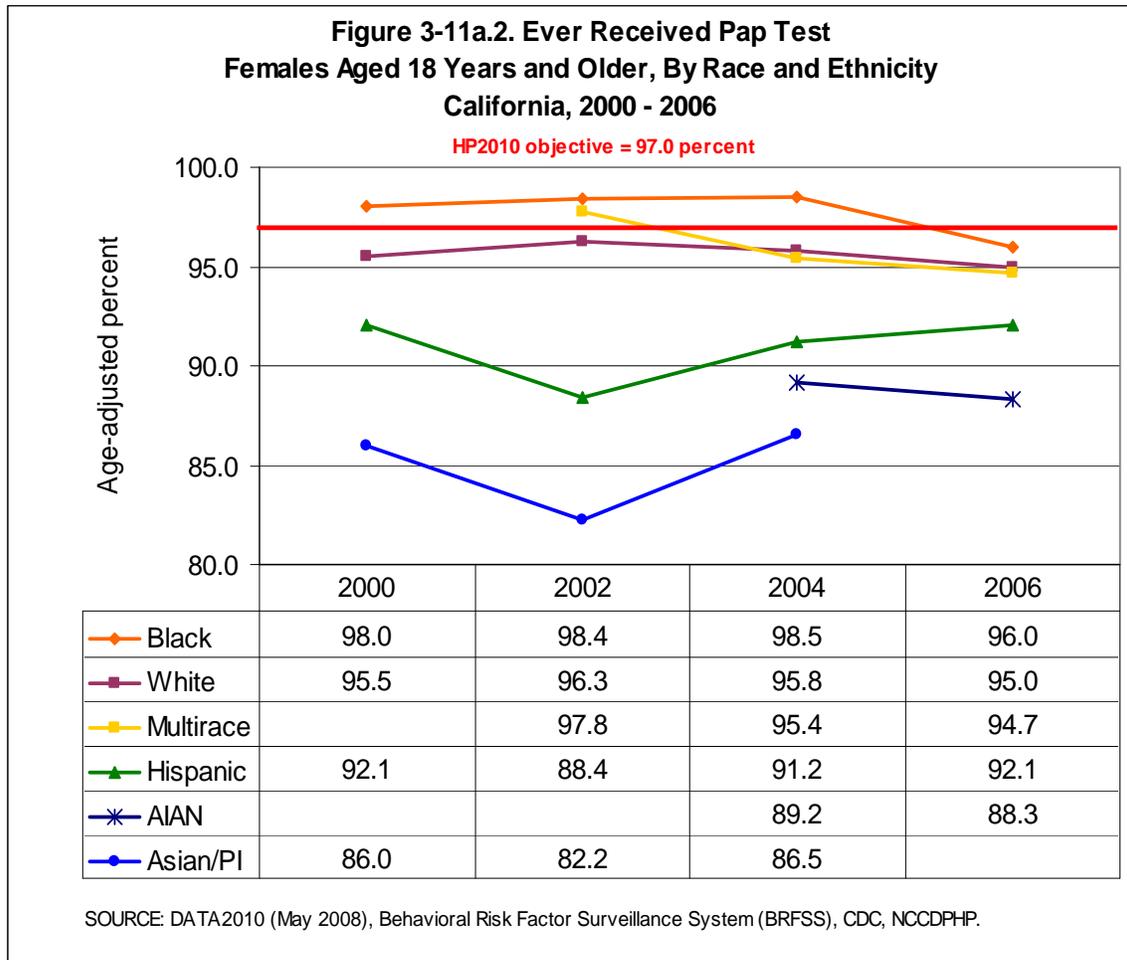
Focus Area 3: Cancer

Objective 3-11a. Women aged 18 years and older who have ever received a Pap test. Target = 97.0 percent (age-adjusted) [State Data Source: Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS), CDC, NCCDPHP]

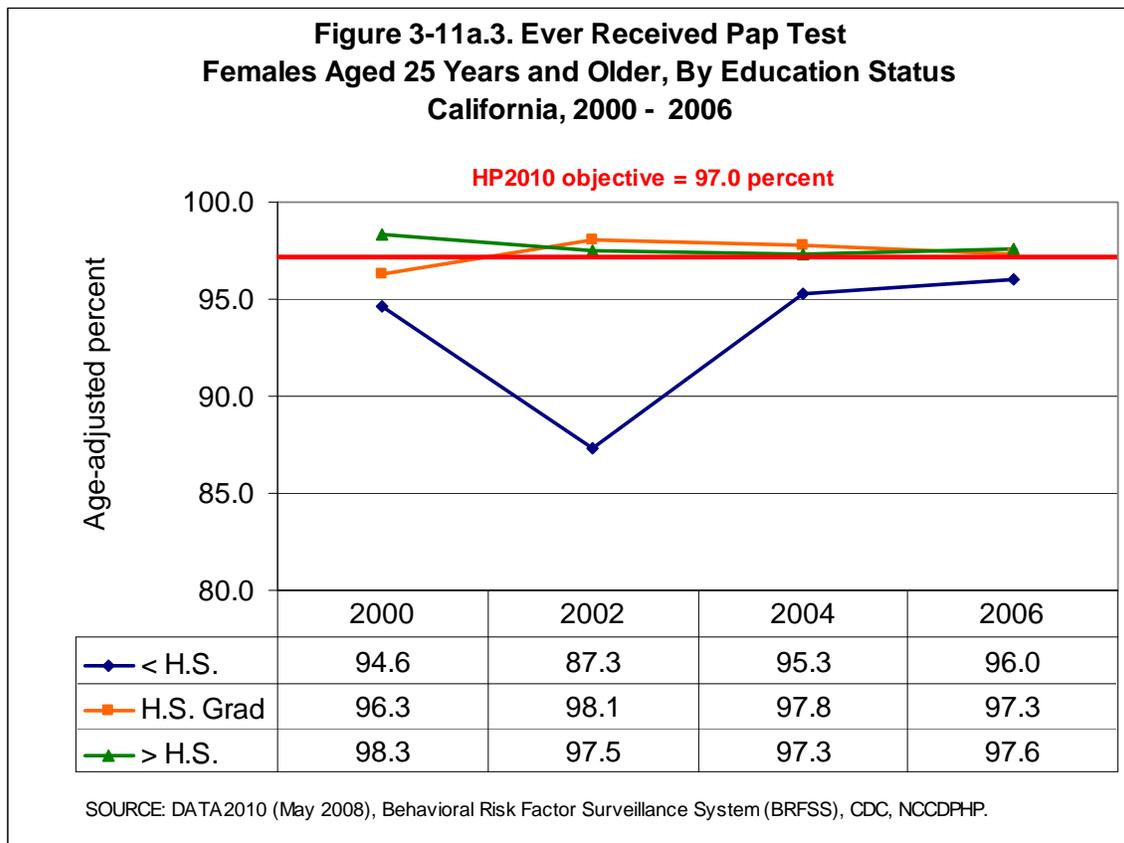
California data available from the BRFSS in DATA2010 indicate that 93.3 percent of women aged 18 years and over had ever received a Pap test in 2006, a decline of less than one percentage point since 2000 (**Figure 3-11a.1, Table 3-11a**). This objective has not yet been achieved for California.



Black or African American females aged 18 years and older experienced the highest rate of ever having received a Pap test (96.0 percent in 2006), followed by Whites (95.0 percent in 2006), and by Multiracials (94.7 percent in 2006) (**Figure 3-11a.2, Table 3-11a**). This objective was not being achieved for any racial or ethnic population of females aged 18 and over in California as of 2006.



Data by educational level show mixed results (**Figure 3-11a.3, Table 3-11a**). In general, the pattern shows the higher the level of education the more likely females were to have ever had a Pap test. Data showed this HP2010 objective was being achieved for females aged 25 years and older with at least some college for all years examined. As of 2006, this HP2010 objective was being achieved for females over age 25 that had graduated from high school and for those who had at least some college.



Data by disability status were not available for 2000. Data for 2002, 2004, and 2006 indicate that females aged 18 and over with disabilities were more likely to have ever had a Pap test than females without disabilities, although rates showed a decline for women with disabilities and an increase for those without disabilities (**Figure 3-11a.4, Table 3-11a**). By 2006, the disparity between these two populations had disappeared, but the HP2010 objective had not yet been achieved for either population.

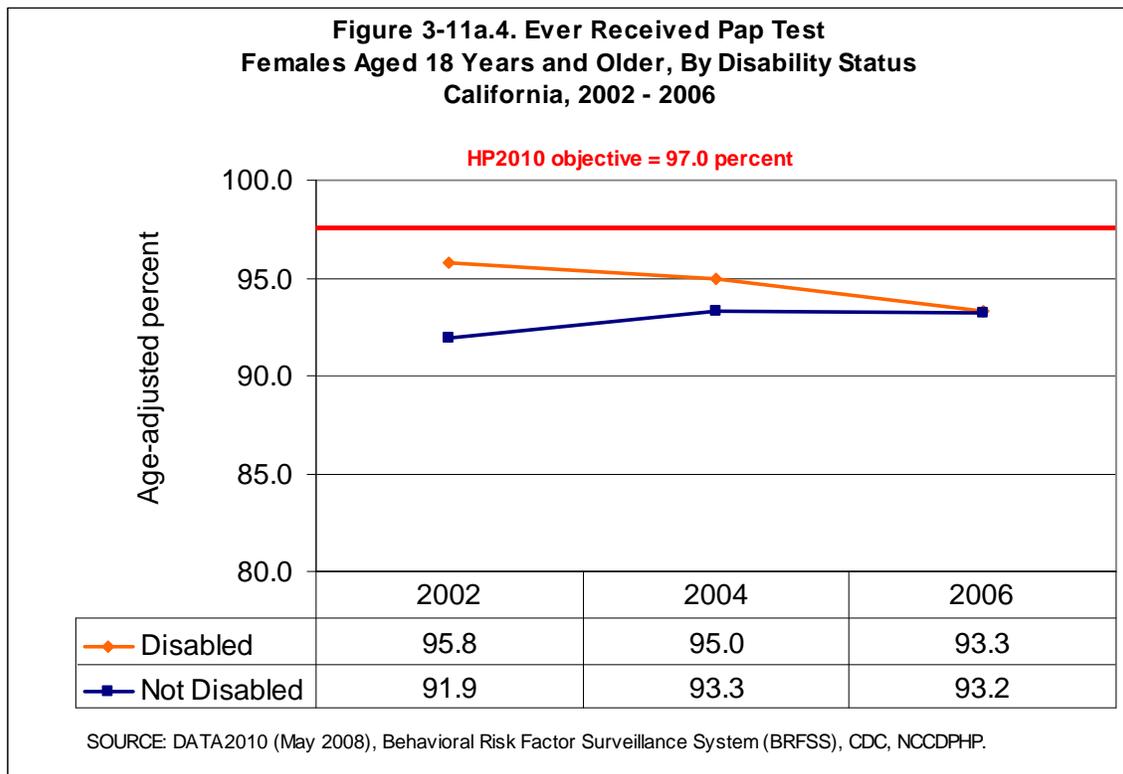


Table 3-11a. Pap Tests - Ever Received, Females Aged 18 Years and Older, California, 2000-2006

	2000			2002			2004			2006		
	Percent ¹	Lower 95% C.I.	Upper 95% C.I.	Percent ¹	Lower 95% C.I.	Upper 95% C.I.	Percent ¹	Lower 95% C.I.	Upper 95% C.I.	Percent ¹	Lower 95% C.I.	Upper 95% C.I.
Statewide Total	93.9	92.7	95.1	92.6	91.0	94.2	93.4	92.0	94.8	93.3	91.9	94.7
Race-Ethnicity												
American Indian or Alaska Native (AIAN)	DSU	-----	-----	DSU	-----	-----	89.2	82.1	96.3	88.3	81.2	95.4
Asian or Pacific Islander (PI)	86.0	80.9	91.1	82.2	76.7	87.7	86.5	81.2	91.8	89.4 ²	82.7	96.1
Black or African American	98.0	95.6	100.4	98.4	95.5	101.3	98.5	96.3	100.7	96.0	90.1	101.9
Hispanic or Latino	92.1	89.6	94.6	88.4	83.3	93.5	91.2	88.7	93.7	92.1	89.9	94.3
Multiracial (2 or more races)	DNC	-----	-----	97.8	93.7	101.9	95.4	90.3	100.5	94.7	91.0	98.4
White	95.5	93.9	97.1	96.3	95.1	97.5	95.8	94.2	97.4	95.0	93.0	97.0
Education Level³												
Less than high school	94.6	91.9	97.3	87.3	81.2	93.4	95.3	92.4	98.2	96.0	93.6	98.4
High school graduate	96.3	94.3	98.3	98.1	96.7	99.5	97.8	96.0	99.6	97.3	95.9	98.7
At least some college	98.3	97.5	99.1	97.5	96.5	98.5	97.3	96.3	98.3	97.6	96.6	98.6
Disability Status												
Disabled	DNC	-----	-----	95.8	92.3	99.3	95.0	91.1	98.9	93.3	89.6	97.0
Not Disabled	DNC	-----	-----	91.9	89.9	93.9	93.3	91.9	94.7	93.2	91.6	94.8

SOURCES: DATA2010 (May 2008 Edition), Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, (BRFSS), CDC, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion.

NOTES: ¹ Age-adjusted by the direct method using the 2000 U.S. Standard Population; ² Data collected for Asians only; ³ Data for persons aged 25 years and older.

DSU = Data Statistically Unreliable: data do not meet criteria for statistical reliability, data quality, or confidentiality; DNC = Data Not Collected.

For more information on Pap tests visit the Cancer Detection Program Web site at:
<http://www.cdph.ca.gov/programs/cancerdetection/Pages/CancerDetectionProgramsEveryWomanCounts.aspx>

and the California Cancer Registry Web site at: <http://www.ccrca.org/>

For more information on Healthy People 2010 objective 3-11a, please visit:
<http://www.healthypeople.gov/Document/HTML/Volume1/03Cancer.htm>

and the DATA2010 Web site at: <http://wonder.cdc.gov/data2010/>