

Cancer Data Sources

Washington State and Snohomish County

Cancer Incidence: 1995-2004 Cancer Incidence Data: Washington State Department of Health, Washington State Cancer Registry. 1990-2004 Population Estimates: Population Estimates for Public Health Assessment, Washington State Department of Health, Vista Partnership, and Krupski Consulting. November 2006.

United States

Cancer Incidence: Washington State Cancer Registry 2004 Annual Report. Available at: <http://www3.doh.wa.gov/WSCR/PDF/04REPORT/CancerBySite04.pdf>

Notes:

Age-adjustment was undertaken using the direct standardization method, based on the 2000 US population (11 age groups; <1, 1-4, 5-14, 15-24, 25-34, 35-44, 45-54, 55-64, 65-74, 75-84, 85+).

Prostate, breast, lung, colorectal, melanoma, endometrial, bladder, kidney and renal pelvis cancer cases include all stages of diagnosis. Stages represent how far a cancer has spread from its site of origin, and include in situ, local, regional and distant. Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma cases do not include in situ stages and leukemia cases only include distant stages.