

Primary and Secondary Syphilis Cases and Rates per 100,000 Population, Maryland Counties and Baltimore City, 1996-2005

Jurisdiction	1996		1997		1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004		2005	
	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates	Cases	Rates
Maryland	733	14.4	888	17.4	665	12.9	347	6.7	300	5.7	266	5.0	228	4.2	311	5.6	380	6.8	313	5.6
Baltimore City	557	80.6	666	99.3	483	73.1	250	39.3	218	33.5	161	24.7	121	18.6	151	23.3	209	32.9	195	30.5
Allegany	0	0.0	2	2.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.7	2	2.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
Anne Arundel	20	4.3	15	3.2	17	3.6	13	2.7	17	3.5	12	2.4	11	2.2	5	1.0	20	3.9	15	2.9
Baltimore County	59	8.3	65	9.0	32	4.4	25	3.5	24	3.2	24	3.2	18	2.4	55	7.1	35	4.5	21	2.7
Calvert	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.6	0	0.0	2	2.4	1	1.2	1	1.1
Caroline	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	10.1	4	13.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
Carroll	1	0.7	2	1.4	4	2.8	0	0.0	1	0.7	1	0.7	0	0.0	2	1.2	1	0.6	0	0.0
Cecil	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.0
Charles	5	4.4	2	1.7	2	1.7	4	3.3	0	0.0	1	0.8	0	0.0	1	0.8	3	2.2	2	1.4
Dorchester	5	16.4	2	6.6	4	13.3	1	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.2	0	0.0	1	3.2
Frederick	1	0.6	3	1.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.5	0	0.0	3	1.4	1	0.5
Garrett	1	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Harford	2	0.9	3	1.4	2	0.9	1	0.5	4	1.8	22	9.9	11	5.0	8	3.5	5	2.1	3	1.3
Howard	6	2.7	12	5.2	5	2.1	1	0.4	6	2.4	3	1.2	2	0.8	2	0.8	5	1.9	10	3.7
Kent	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Montgomery	11	1.3	7	0.9	10	1.2	2	0.2	1	0.1	3	0.3	4	0.4	14	1.5	13	1.4	8	0.9
Prince George's	58	7.4	86	11.0	51	6.6	18	2.3	20	2.5	29	3.6	48	5.9	65	7.8	66	7.8	49	5.8
Queen Anne's	1	2.6	0	0.0	2	5.0	2	4.9	1	2.5	1	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.2	0	0.0
Saint Mary's	1	1.2	0	0.0	3	3.5	1	1.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.1	1	1.0
Somerset	0	0.0	4	16.3	4	16.2	5	20.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	8.1	0	0.0	1	3.9	0	0.0
Talbot	1	3.1	1	3.1	8	24.3	2	6.0	1	3.0	5	14.7	1	2.9	0	0.0	2	5.7	0	0.0
Washington	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.8	3	2.3	2	1.5	0	0.0	1	0.7
Wicomico	2	2.5	13	16.1	32	39.3	14	17.6	2	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	14	15.9	4	4.5
Worcester	2	5.0	5	12.2	4	9.6	4	9.3	1	2.1	1	2.1	1	2.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total Counties	176	4.0	222	5.0	182	4.1	97	2.1	82	1.8	105	2.2	107	2.3	160	3.3	171	3.5	118	2.4

Source: Division of Sexually Transmitted Diseases, Epidemiology and Disease Control Program, DHMH; Baltimore City Health Department; Maryland Office of Planning.