

PORT RICHMOND NEIGHBORHOOD HEALTH PROFILE

Demographics

Compared to New York City as a whole, in Port Richmond...

- The percentage of the population that is white is somewhat higher (45% vs. 34%), the percentage that is African-American is nearly identical (24% vs. 25%), the percentage that is Asian is substantially lower (4% vs. 10%), and the percentage that is Hispanic is somewhat lower (24% vs. 27%)
- The age-adjusted death rate is somewhat higher (868 vs. 737/100,000)
- The infant mortality rate is somewhat lower (6.1 vs. 6.7/1,000 live births)
- The percent of births to women less than 20 years old (12% vs. 8.6%) and the percent of low birth weight babies (10.3% vs. 8.3%) are somewhat higher
- The percent of persons living in poverty is somewhat lower (12% vs. 19%)
- The percent of adults 25 years and older without a high school diploma is somewhat lower (26% vs. 32%) and the percent of linguistically isolated households is substantially lower (3.7% vs. 12%)

Demographic Characteristics and Vital Statistics Related to Birth

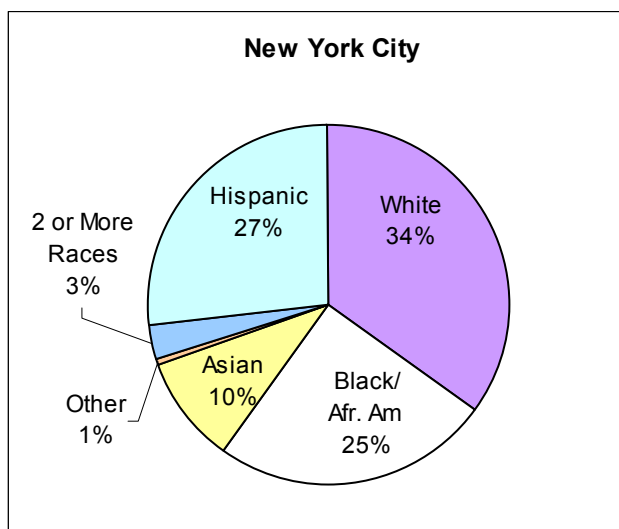
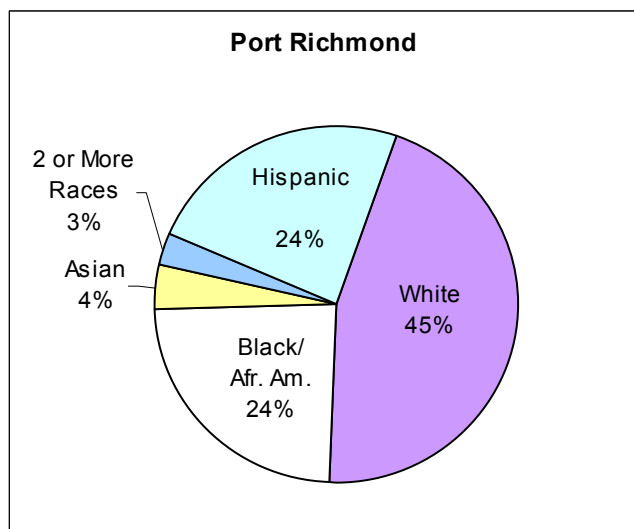
Port Richmond Compared to New York City, 2000

	<u>Port Richmond</u>	<u>New York City</u>
Total Population	62,788	8,008,278
Age-adjusted death rate (deaths per 100,000)	868	737
Fertility rate (births per 1,000 women aged 15 to 44)	68	66
Infant Mortality rate (deaths before age 1 year per 1,000 live births)	6.1	6.7
Percent of births to women less than 20 years old	12	8.6
Percent of women receiving first trimester prenatal care	59	60
Percent low birth weight babies (percent of live births <2500 grams)	10.3	8.3
Percent of persons living in poverty*	12	19
Percent of adults aged 25 and older without a high school diploma*	26	32
Percent of linguistically isolated households*	3.7	12
Percent of population less than 25 years old	40	34
Percent of population greater than or equal to 65 years old	9.8	12

*Based on 1990 Census

Population by Race/Ethnicity

Port Richmond Compared to New York City, 2000



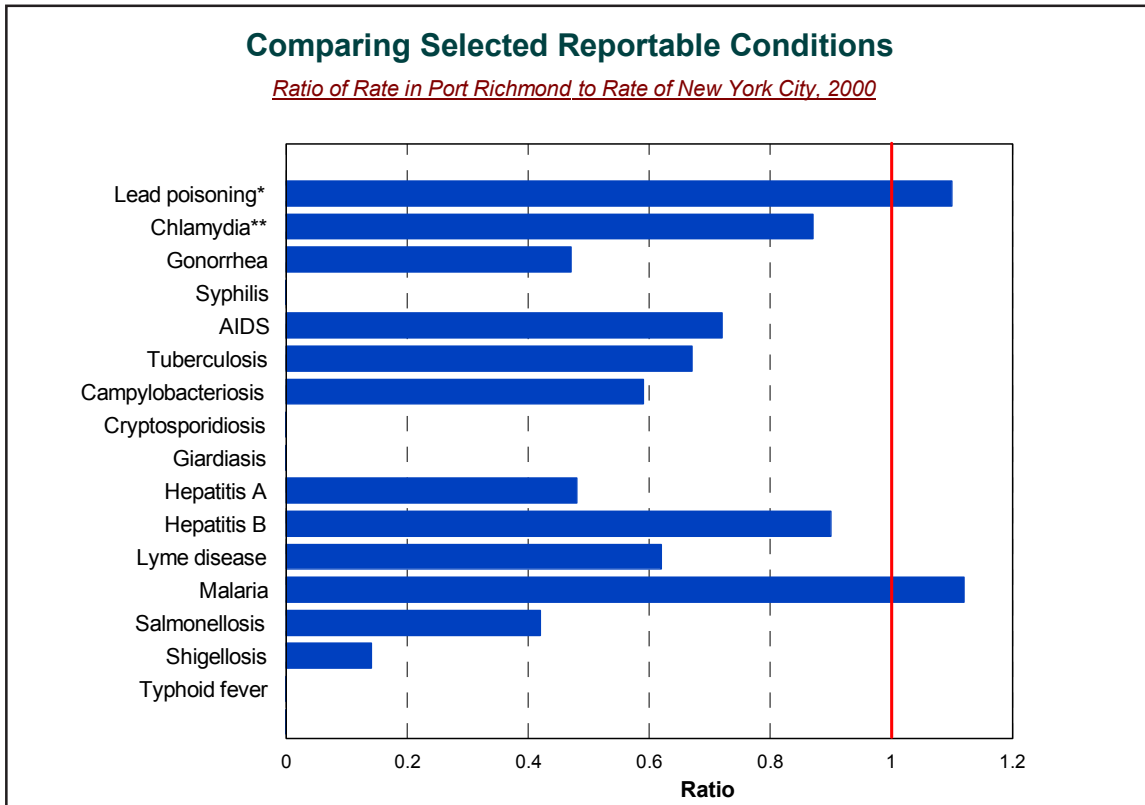
Selected Reportable Conditions

Compared to New York City as a whole, in Port Richmond the rate of...

- **Gonorrhea is substantially lower (68 vs. 146/100,000)**
- **Hepatitis A is substantially lower (3.2 vs. 6.7/100,000)**
- **Salmonellosis is substantially lower (6.4 vs. 15/100,000)**
- **Shigellosis is substantially lower (1.6/100,000 vs. 12/100,000)**

Selected Reportable Conditions for Port Richmond, 2000

	Neighborhood No. of Cases	Neighborhood Rate/100,000	New York City Rate/100,000
Lead poisoning*	7	115	104
Chlamydia**	152	466	538
Gonorrhea	43	68	146
Syphilis	0	0.0	1.5
AIDS	25	40	55
Tuberculosis	7	11	17
Campylobacteriosis	4	6.4	11
Cryptosporidiosis	0	0.0	2.1
Giardiasis	0	0	22
Hepatitis A	2	3.2	6.7
Hepatitis B	4	6.4	7.1
Lyme disease	1	1.6	2.6
Malaria	2	3.2	2.8
Salmonellosis	4	6.4	15
Shigellosis	1	1.6	12
Typhoid fever	0	0.0	0.7



* Children ages 0 - 5 years old. This rate may differ from rates previously reported if the total count of children in the population was not used as a denominator.

** Female cases only; rate per 100,000 women.

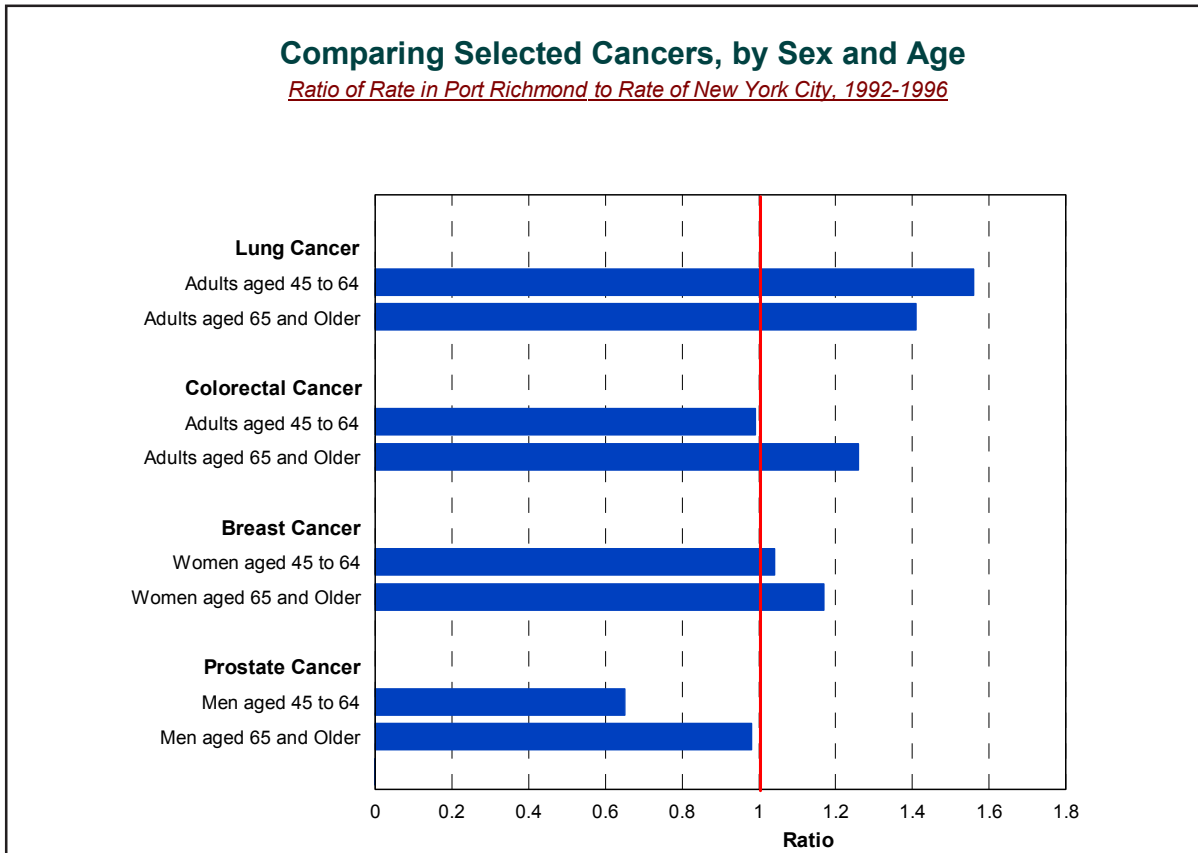
Selected Cancer Statistics

Compared to New York City as a whole, in Port Richmond...

- **The rate of lung cancer in adults aged 45 to 64 is substantially higher (129 vs. 82/100,000) and the rate in adults aged 65 and older is somewhat higher (395 vs. 280/100,000)**
- **The rate of colorectal cancer in adults aged 65 and older is somewhat higher (395 vs. 313/100,000)**
- **The rate of breast cancer in women aged 65 and older is somewhat higher (435 vs. 373/100,000)**
- **The rate of prostate cancer in men aged 45 to 64 is somewhat lower (85 vs. 130/100,000)**

Selected Cancers by Sex and Age for Port Richmond, 1992-1996

	Neighborhood No. of Cases	Neighborhood Avg. Yearly Rate/100,000	New York City Avg. Yearly Rate/100,000
Lung Cancer			
Adults aged 45 to 64	80	129	82
Adults aged 65 and Older	121	395	280
Colorectal Cancer			
Adults aged 45 to 64	35	56	57
Adults aged 65 and Older	121	395	313
Breast Cancer			
Women aged 45 to 64	68	207	200
Women aged 65 and Older	81	435	373
Prostate Cancer			
Men aged 45 to 64	25	85	130
Men aged 65 and Older	95	792	805



Leading Causes of Hospitalization

Compared to New York City as a whole, in Port Richmond...

- The rate of hospitalization for asthma among children aged 9 and younger is somewhat lower (417 vs. 720/100,000)
- The rate of hospitalization for mental disorders among adolescents aged 10 to 17 is substantially higher (756 vs. 367/100,000)
- The rate of hospitalization for diabetes among adolescents aged 10 to 17 is substantially higher (130 vs. 61/100,000)
- The rates of hospitalization for injuries and poisonings among adolescents aged 10 to 17 (709 vs. 449/100,000) and adults aged 18 to 24 (938 vs. 550/100,000) are substantially higher
- The rates of hospitalization for ischemic heart disease among adults aged 25 to 64 (812 vs. 442/100,000) and adults aged 65 and older (4,114 vs. 2,599/100,000) are substantially higher
- The rate of hospitalization for alcohol dependence syndrome among adults aged 25 to 64 is substantially higher (670 vs. 261/100,000)

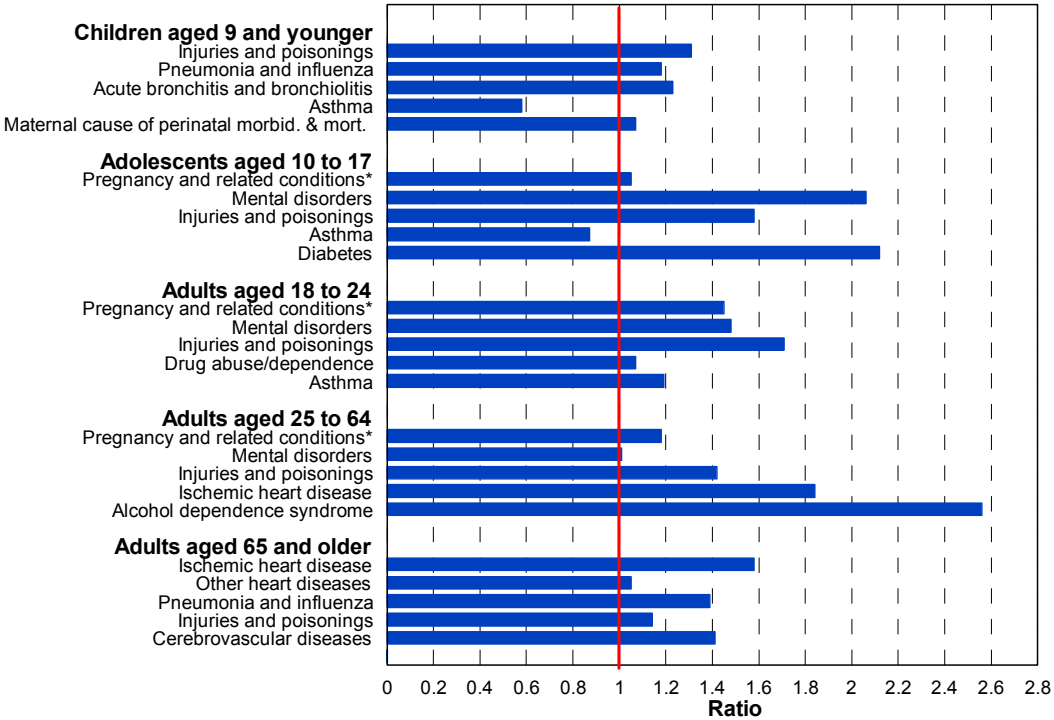
Leading Causes of Hospitalizations by Age for Port Richmond, 2000

	Neighborhood No. of Hospitalizations	Neighborhood Rate/100,000	New York City Rate/100,000
Children Aged 0-9			
Injuries and poisonings	58	538	411
Pneumonia and influenza	56	519	439
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis	54	501	408
Asthma	45	417	720
Maternal cause of perinatal morbidity and mortality	20	185	173
Adolescents Aged 10-17			
Pregnancy and related conditions*	46	1,126	1,070
Mental disorders	64	756	367
Injuries and poisonings	60	709	449
Asthma	20	236	271
Diabetes	11	130	61
Adults Aged 18-24			
Pregnancy and related conditions*	371	13,086	9,055
Mental disorders	66	1,147	775
Injuries and poisonings	54	938	550
Drug abuse/dependence	10	174	163
Asthma	8	139	117
Adults Aged 25-64			
Pregnancy and related conditions*	741	4,447	3,782
Mental disorders	359	1,134	1,127
Injuries and poisonings	293	926	652
Ischemic heart disease	257	812	442
Alcohol dependence syndrome	212	670	261
Adults Aged 65 and older			
Ischemic heart disease	252	4,114	2,599
Other heart diseases	217	3,542	3,375
Pneumonia and influenza	156	2,547	1,828
Injuries and poisonings	150	2,449	2,148
Cerebrovascular diseases	133	2,171	1,539

* Rate per 100,000 women.

Comparing Leading Causes of Hospitalization by Age

Ratio of Rate in Port Richmond to Rate of New York City, 2000



* Rate per 100,000 women.

Leading Causes of Death

Compared to New York City as a whole, in Port Richmond...

- The death rate from heart disease among adults aged 25 to 64 is substantially higher (123 vs. 77/100,000)
- The death rate from cerebrovascular diseases among adults aged 25 to 64 is substantially higher (16 vs. 10.5/100,000)
- The death rate from influenza and pneumonia among adults aged 65 and older is substantially higher (424 vs. 201/100,000) (death rates from influenza and pneumonia can vary from year to year, depending on the incidence of influenza)
- The death rate from chronic lower respiratory diseases among adults aged 65 and older is substantially higher (245 vs. 133/100,000)
- The death rate from nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis among adults aged 65 and older is substantially higher (131 vs. 66/100,000)

Leading Causes of Death by Age for Port Richmond, 2000

	Neighborhood No. of Deaths	Neighborhood Rate/100,000	New York City Rate/100,000
Adults Aged 25-64			
Malignant neoplasms	42	133	91
Diseases of heart	39	123	77
Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	9	28	41
Cerebrovascular diseases	5	16	10.5
Diabetes mellitus	5	16	11
Adults Aged 65 and Older			
Diseases of heart	142	2,318	2,152
Malignant neoplasms	74	1,208	908
Influenza and pneumonia	26	424	201
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	15	245	133
Cerebrovascular diseases	8	131	146
Diabetes mellitus	8	131	137
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	8	131	66

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