

# Cancer Profile for Cherokee County

## Population 2020 Census

Total Population	24,971
% Male	49.4%
% Female	50.6%
% White	90.9%
% Black	4.9%
% Other Races	4.2%
% Under 65	77.6%
% 65 and Older	22.4%

Source: US Census Bureau <http://factfinder.census.gov/>



## Cancer Incidence in Cherokee County 2014-2023

	White Male Rate	White Male Count	White Female Rate	White Female Count	Black Male Rate	Black Male Count	Black Female Rate	Black Female Count
All Sites	461.6	858	377.5	672	364.1	32	390.5	30
Lung	79.8	157	55.5	116	^	^	^	^
Colorectal	45.1	71	39.4	65	^	^	^	^
Breast	*	*	101.1	184	*	*	^	^
Cervix	*	*	^	^	*	*	^	^
Prostate	97.1	209	*	*	^	^	*	*

Rates are per 100,000, age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. (Census P25-1130) standard and are for malignant tumors only except all sites which includes bladder cancer *in situ*.

^ Statistic not displayed due to fewer than 15 cases.

Source: Alabama Statewide Cancer Registry, 2026

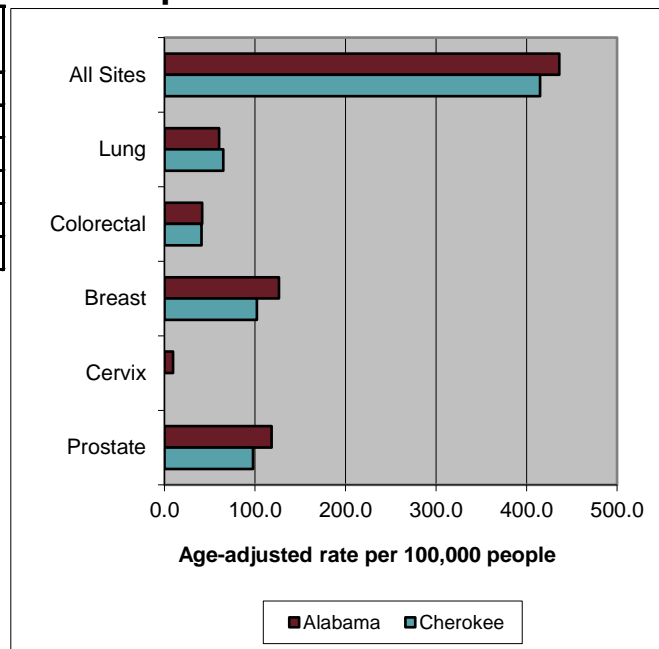
## Cherokee County and Alabama Comparisons 2014-2023

	Alabama Rate	Cherokee Rate
All Sites	436.2	414.9
Lung	60.3	64.9
Colorectal	41.7	41.1
Breast	126.4	102.2
Cervix	9.4	^
Prostate	118.2	97.7

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