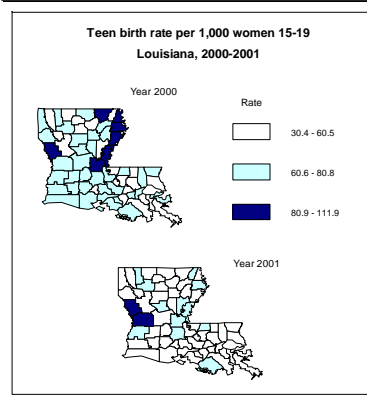
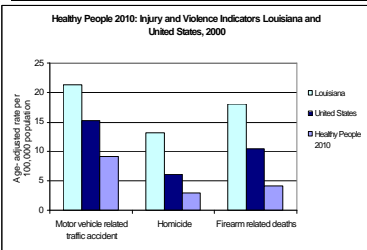
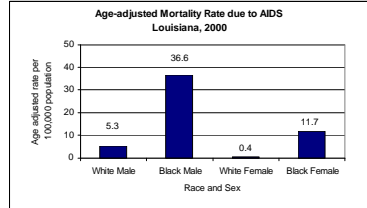
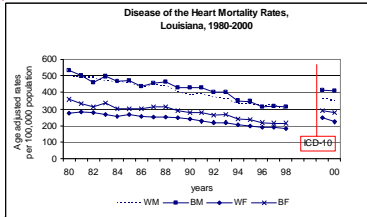
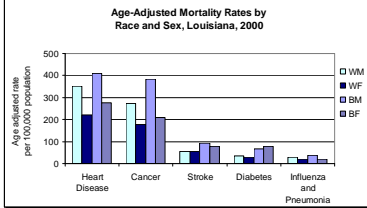




LOUISIANA'S HEALTH AT A GLANCE



	Population 2000	Median Household Income 1999	% Below Poverty, 1999	Number of Primary Care Physicians (10,000 pop., 2001)	Number of Live Births 2001	% Low Birthweight 2001	% Births to Teens Age 15-19, 2001	% Births to Teens Age 15-19, 2001	Black % Births to Teens Age 15-19, 2001	Infant Deaths: Number & Rate, 2001	White Infant Deaths: Number & Rate, 2001	Black Infant Deaths: Number & Rate, 2001	Death Rate: Diseases of Infants, 2001	Death Rate: Malignant Neoplasms, 2001	Death Rate: Coronary Vascular Disease, 2001	United States	
United States	281.2M	\$41,994	12.4	10	4.0M	14.1	7.7	11.1	10.0	18.3	27,801/6.9	18,094/5.7	8,563/14.2	245.7	194.3	57.4	United States
Louisiana	4.5M	\$32,556	19.6	10	65,193	14.6	10.5	15.8	11.4	22.0	642/9.8	238/6.5	390/14.5	255.2	212.3	58.7	Louisiana
Acadia	58,861	\$26,684	24.5	5	905	15.4	11.2	19.8	16.5	30.7	9/9.9	6/8.7	*/14.2	290.6	246.5	71.4	Acadia
Allen	25,440	\$27,777	19.9	4	335	13.2	12.8	14.6	13.2	17.9	*/3.0	*/4.0	0.0	247.6	180.8	74.7	Allen
Ascension	76,627	\$44,288	12.9	4	1360	17.4	9.9	12.1	9.0	21.8	14/10.3	8/7.9	*/6.8	200.6	150.7	35.8	Ascension
Assumption	23,388	\$31,168	21.8	2	305	13.1	11.8	17.7	14.0	22.6	*/6.6	0.0	*/15.0	309.6	219.3	68.8	Assumption
Avoyelles	41,481	\$23,851	25.9	4	605	14.6	12.6	21.3	17.2	28.2	*/3.3	*/2.6	*/4.9	366.7	250.9	77.2	Avoyelles
Beauregard	32,986	\$32,582	15.6	5	404	12.3	9.4	19.1	17.8	26.9	5/12.4	*/12.1	*/14.9	248.8	242.7	100.1	Beauregard
Bienville	15,752	\$23,663	26.1	0	184	11.8	11.4	20.7	19.8	21.8	*/5.4	*/9.4	0.0	353.5	327.8	135.0	Bienville
Bossier	98,310	\$39,203	13.7	7	1501	15.1	9.9	13.7	10.9	22.3	10/6.7	*/3.7	*/6.15	227.7	175.3	42.3	Bossier
Caddo	252,161	\$31,467	21.1	17	3706	14.7	12.3	17.2	10.6	22.3	49/13.2	9/5.8	40/19.0	306.4	241.9	62.2	Caddo
Calcasieu	183,577	\$35,372	15.4	9	2708	14.7	9.4	16.7	13.9	23.5	31/11.4	18/9.7	13/15.8	277.7	216.1	62.1	Calcasieu
Caldwell	10,560	\$26,972	21.2	7	127	12.1	6.3	14.2	12.1	29.4	*/15.7	*/9.3	*/58.8	438.1	247.6	28.6	Caldwell
Cameron	9,991	\$34,232	12.3	3	105	10.6	10.5	11.4	11.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	253.5	253.5	50.7	Cameron
Catahoula	10,920	\$22,528	28.1	4	125	11.9	8.8	17.6	10.5	28.6	*/8.0	*/13.2	0.0	541.9	266.2	47.5	Catahoula
Claborn	16,851	\$25,344	26.5	4	164	9.9	10.4	20.7	15.1	27.3	*/24.4	*/23.3	*/26.0	417.1	60.1	84.7	Claborn
Concordia	20,247	\$22,742	29.1	4	268	13.5	14.6	16.8	5.0	27.5	*/14.9	0.0	*/21.1	297.8	292.7	50.5	Concordia
DeSoto	25,494	\$28,252	25.1	3	349	13.7	12.0	17.5	14.7	20.9	5/14.3	*/5.4	*/24.5	294.2	302.0	102.0	DeSoto
East Baton Rouge	412,852	\$37,224	17.9	13	5974	14.4	10.8	13.9	7.1	20.1	61/10.2	17/6.5	43/13.5	239.8	164.0	36.0	East Baton Rouge
East Carroll	9,421	\$20,723	40.5	3	146	15.8	10.3	17.8	14.8	18.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	303.6	173.5	54.2	East Carroll
East Feliciana	21,360	\$31,631	23.0	6	281	13.1	11.4	20.6	16.2	25.5	*/3.6	0.0	*/7.3	205.5	70.0	52.1	East Feliciana
Evangeline	35,434	\$20,532	32.2	8	497	14.0	14.9	18.3	13.9	26.0	11/22.1	*/9.7	8/44.2	312.9	234.0	78.9	Evangeline
Franklin	21,263	\$22,964	28.4	2	327	15.6	10.7	23.2	19.4	26.9	*/12.2	*/6.3	*/18.0	618.6	271.2	104.7	Franklin
Grant	18,698	\$29,622	21.5	2	261	14.0	8.0	17.6	16.4	26.5	*/15.3	*/13.3	*/29.4	262.4	208.8	91.0	Grant
Iberia	73,266	\$31,204	23.6	8	1165	15.9	10.4	19.1	15.1	24.6	9/7.7	*/6.2	5/10.4	271.0	200.0	60.0	Iberia
Iberville	33,320	\$29,039	23.1	6	511	15.4	11.5	20.4	13.0	25.9	8/15.7	*/18.6	*/13.6	274.2	195.8	87.4	Iberville
Jackson	15,397	\$28,352	19.8	3	223	14.7	9.4	18.8	16.2	24.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	595.2	304.2	112.4	Jackson
Jefferson	455,466	\$38,435	13.7	14	6267	13.8	9.7	12.9	8.9	20.8	49/7.8	17/4.6	26/11.7	240.8	227.5	62.7	Jefferson
Jeff Davis	31,435	\$27,736	20.9	6	452	14.5	11.5	17.7	15.0	28.6	*/4.4	*/2.8	*/11.0	262.2	236.7	60.8	Jeff Davis
Lafayette	190,503	\$36,518	15.7	13	2860	15.0	9.0	13.4	9.4	22.2	46/9.1	12/6.3	14/15.4	171.3	188.1	49.3	Lafayette
Lafourche	89,974	\$34,910	16.5	7	1130	12.5	11.0	14.5	11.2	25.2	11/9.7	8/9.4	*/12.2	217.2	199.4	51.0	Lafourche
LaSalle	14,282	\$28,189	18.7	5	200	14.1	9.5	20.5	21.0	15.8	*/10.0	*/5.5	*/52.6	389.0	247.5	42.4	LaSalle
Lincoln	42,509	\$26,977	26.5	6	543	12.8	9.0	14.2	8.2	21.8	5/9.2	*/13.7	*/4.1	179.4	181.7	68.4	Lincoln
Livingston	91,814	\$38,887	11.4	1	1474	15.6	8.3	12.5	12.3	16.7	15/10.2	15/10.8	0.0	182.5	185.7	28.6	Livingston
Madison	13,728	\$20,509	36.7	3	215	15.8	15.3	18.1	1.9	23.6	*/14.0	0.0	*/18.6	477.3	264.4	51.4	Madison
Morehouse	31,021	\$25,124	26.8	6	463	15.2	11.0	21.0	13.3	27.5	*/8.6	*/4.8	*/12.0	354.6	272.5	49.3	Morehouse
Natchitoches	39,080	\$25,722	26.5	7	590	15.0	10.2	22.7	16.9	26.9	*/6.8	*/3.8	*/9.5	275.0	175.7	63.7	Natchitoches
Orleans	484,674	\$27,133	27.9	17	7233	15.1	13.5	17.4	4.2	20.8	78/10.8	*/3.0	72/12.5	235.8	203.7	62.6	Orleans
Ouachita	147,250	\$32,047	20.7	12	2228	15.2	10.9	16.3	11.9	22.1	24/10.8	9/7.3	15/5.3	247.5	203.9	56.6	Ouachita
Plaquemines	26,757	\$38,173	18.0	3	398	14.7	6.5	13.3	11.1	17.4	*/7.5	*/3.8	*/18.3	240.8	238.2	33.3	Plaquemines
Pointe Coupee	22,763	\$30,618	23.1	6	317	14.0	13.2	16.7	9.9	23.2	*/6.3	*/6.6	*/6.1	331.6	269.7	57.5	Pointe Coupee
Rapides	126,337	\$29,856	20.5	12	1884	14.9	10.4	17.5	14.6	22.1	26/13.8	7/6.3	19/25.5	303.5	227.6	82.2	Rapides
Red River	9,622	\$23,153	29.9	4	132	13.8	11.4	17.4	15.1	19.0	*/22.7	0.0	*/38.0	333.6	218.9	93.8	Red River
Richland	20,981	\$23,668	27.9	6	300	14.4	10.7	16.7	8.6	25.3	*/10.0	*/19.7	0.0	297.7	307.3	76.8	Richland
Sabine	23,459	\$26,655	21.5	4	299	12.7	7.7	20.7	20.7	25.0	*/6.7	*/4.7	*/15.6	264.3	251.5	68.2	Sabine
St. Bernard	67,229	\$35,939	13.1	3	855	12.9	7.7	14.5	13.5	21.7	12/14.0	9/12.2	*/32.6	255.7	258.8	45.1	St. Bernard
St. Charles	48,072	\$45,139	11.4	3	681	14.1	9.4	13.7	8.8	23.3	*/4.4	*/2.3	*/8.6	196.5	153.1	35.2	St. Charles
St. Helena	10,525	\$24,970	26.8	3	126	11.9	6.3	15.9	16.0	15.8	*/15.9	0.0	*/26.3	255.2	122.9	94.5	St. Helena
St. James	21,216	\$35,277	20.7	6	309	14.6	15.2	12.3	5.1	16.8	5/16.2	*/16.9	*/15.8	249.8	230.9	37.7	St. James
St. John	43,044	\$39,456	16.7	5	664	15.3	9.8	17.9	11.3	23.7	6/9.0	*/10.0	*/8.5	158.6	170.1	43.7	St. John
St. Landry	87,700	\$22,855	29.3	9	1363	15.5	8.3	19.1	14.0	24.0	11/8.1	*/4.6	8/11.4	303.0	233.5	85.4	St. Landry
St. Martin	48,583	\$30,701	21.5	1	741	15.1	12.1	18.4	14.6	24.2	9/12.1	*/6.8	6/20.5	211.4	170.7	65.0	St. Martin
St. Mary	53,500	\$28,072	23.6	6	773	14.8	12.0	17.7	15.2	21.3	11/14.2	6/13.2	5/16.9	200.8	186.5	61.2	St. Mary
St. Tammany	191,268	\$47,883	9.7	13	2695	13.9	7.2	10.2	8.6	19.4	13/4.8	10/4.4	*/7.6	184.5	187.6	48.1	St. Tammany
Tangipahoa	100,588	\$29,412	22.7	7	1582	15.7	10.4	17.1	10.7	26.6	14/8.8	6/6.5	8/12.4	241.7	211.0	77.3	Tangipahoa
Tensas	6,618	\$19,799	36.3	3	88	13.5	3.4	14.8	12.0	15.9	*/34.1	0.0	*/47.6	399.6	276.7	76.9	Tensas
Terrebonne	104,503	\$35,235	19.1	8	1694	16.1	10.8	16.6	13.6	21.4	18/10.6	9/7.7	7/19.4	185.9	203.1	49.6	Terrebonne
Union	22,803	\$29,061	18.6	4	333	14.6	4.8	16.5	12.7	25.0	*/9.0	*/8.8	*/9.6	407.8	250.0	43.9	Union
Vermilion	53,807	\$29,500	22.1	3	815	15.2	8.2	13.0	11.0	21.5	9/11.0	*/4.7	5/33.6	290.8	231.1	67.1	Vermilion
Vernon	52,531	\$31,216	15.3	3	984	18.9	5.8	14.4	15.4	12.9	*/3.0	0.0	*/9.6	171.2	161.6	36.5	Vernon
Washington	43,926	\$24,264	24.7														