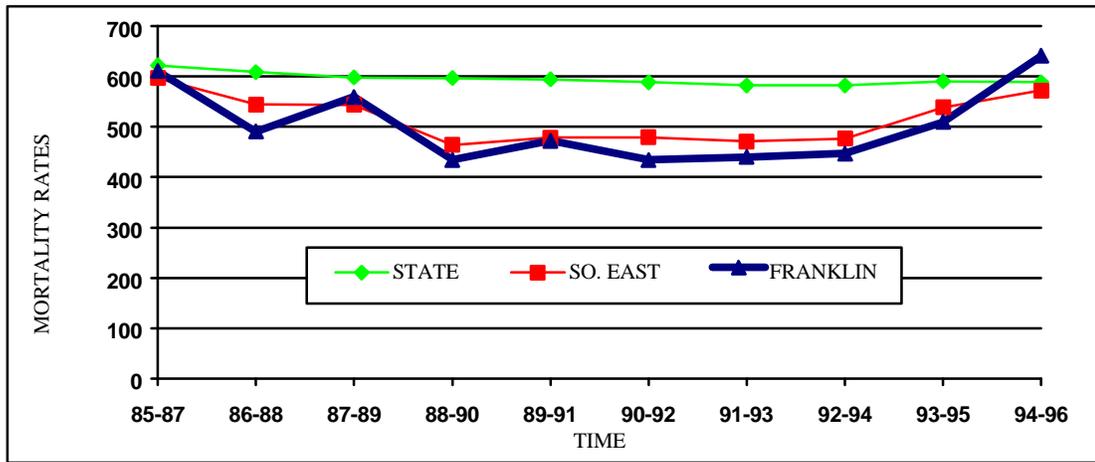
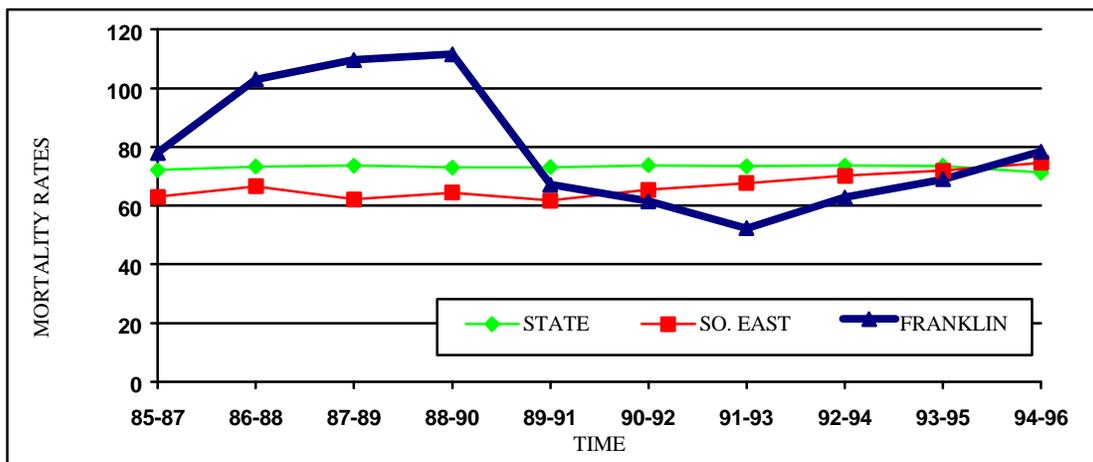


- White Female Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate Per 100,000 Population** - Unlike the State and the region, the Franklin County trend has remained fairly unstable over the twelve-year trend. The county trend dipped in the late 1980's but has gradually increased since. The current rate is equal to the State and slightly lower than the Southeast Region.
- Other Races Female Age-Adjusted Mortality Rate Per 100,000 Population** - The Franklin County trend has historically been somewhat unstable but currently is on the increase. During the latest time frame (1994-1996) rates are higher than the State and the Southeast Region.



	85-87	86-88	87-89	88-90	89-91	90-92	91-93	92-94	93-95	94-96
STATE	622.3	608.9	598.3	596.8	594.4	588.8	582.7	582.2	590.6	588.7
SE REGION	596.7	544.6	544.1	464.0	478.8	479.4	470.9	476.7	538.7	572.4
FRANKLIN	610.6	490.6	559.5	434.4	472.4	434.4	440.1	447.0	509.8	640.9

- Female Breast Cancer Mortality Rate Per 100,000 Women Ages 40+** - The Franklin County trend has historically been inconsistent. Trends soared in the late 80's, dipped in the early 90's and seem to be steadily increasing. Current rates are slightly higher than the State and the Southeast Region.



	85-87	86-88	87-89	88-90	89-91	90-92	91-93	92-94	93-95	94-96
STATE	72.1	73.3	73.6	73.0	73.1	73.7	73.4	73.6	73.5	71.2
SE REGION	63.0	66.6	62.1	64.4	61.7	65.4	67.6	70.1	71.9	74.6
FRANKLIN	77.9	103.0	109.6	111.5	67.1	61.5	52.2	62.8	68.9	78.4