

Secondary Data Support of Survey Findings

Causes of Death

Leading Causes of Death 1994:

1. Heart Disease
2. Cancer
3. Cerebrovascular Disease (Stroke)
4. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
5. Pneumonia and Influenza

Leading Causes of Death 1997:

1. Heart Disease
2. Cancer
3. Strokes
4. Chronic Bronchitis
5. Accidents & Adverse Effects/ Motor Vehicle Accidents

County Ranking Among the 95 Tennessee Counties:

1994-1996 three year average, age adjusted

- #27 Births with Late Prenatal Care
- #28 Births to Adolescent Mothers (age 10-17)
- #35 Low Birth Weight Babies
- #38 Homicides
- #39 Strokes (deaths)
- #56 Lung Cancer (deaths)
- #57 Suicides
- #60 Infant Deaths
- #64 Motor Vehicle Deaths
- #73 Coronary Heart Disease (deaths)