

- **Motor Vehicle Accidental Mortality Rate Per 100,000 Population** - In comparison with the State and the Southeast Region, the Bradley County trend is markedly lower. Over the twelve-year trend, the county rates show a consistent decrease. However, the 1992-1994 three-year average rate of 18 is higher than the national “Year 2000 Objective” (16.8).
- **Non-Motor Vehicle Accidental Mortality Rate Per 100,000 Population** - The Bradley County trend is stable. The county trend is traditionally lower than the State and the Southeast Region. The rate fell between 18 and 22 per 100,000 population over the twelve-year trend.

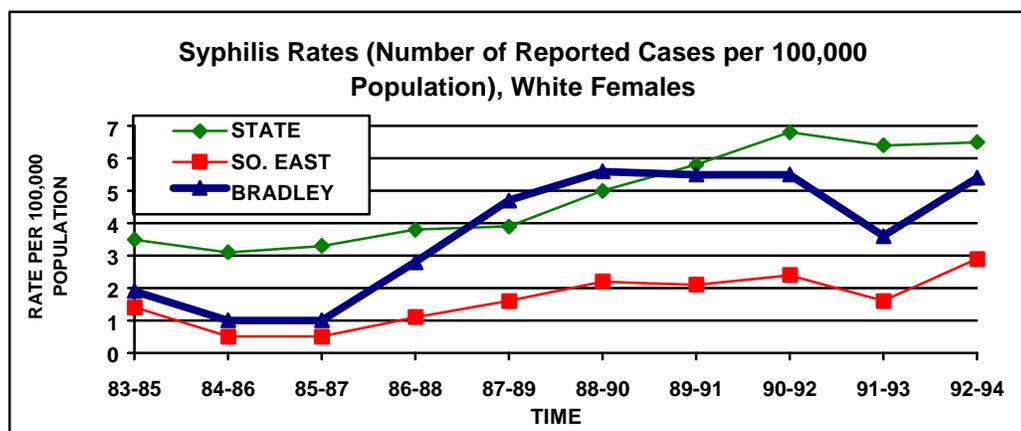
- **Violent Death Rates Per 100,000 Population** - From 1983 to 1994, the Bradley County trend remained stable. The county has been consistently lower than the State and the Southeast Region.



Bradley County Morbidity Experience

- **Syphilis Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - Over the twelve-year trend, the Bradley County trend has narrowly increased. The county’s rates are slightly higher than the Southeast Region, dramatically lower than the State, and equal to the national “Year 2000 Objective” of 10.

More specifically, there has been a 362.5% increase in the syphilis rate for white females (Ages 25-44) from 1983-1994. With regard to the 25-44 year old age group of white females, the 1983-1985 three-year average rate was 3.2 and the 1992-1994 three-year average rate was 14.8.



AGE GROUP	83-85	84-86	85-87	86-88	87-89	88-90	89-91	90-92	91-93	92-94	Percent Change
25-44	3.2	0.0	3.1	6.1	6.0	8.9	5.9	8.8	2.9	14.8	362.5

- **Chlamydia Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - Since 1987, Bradley County’s trend has increased steadily. From 1987 to 1994, the county’s rates were lower than the State and equal to the Southeast Region. The 1987-1989 three-year average rate was 7.8 and the 1992-1994 three-year average rate was 45.9.
- **Gonorrhea Rates (Number of Reported Cases Per 100,000 Population)** - The Bradley County trend is decreasing over the twelve-year trend. Historically, the county falls below the State and higher than the Region. The county’s 1992-1994 three-year average rate of 64.4 is considerably lower than the national “Year 2000 Objective” of 100.