



CANCER REGISTRY OF
GREATER CALIFORNIA

Population-Based Cancer Data

A Snapshot of Statistical Power

The Cancer Registry of Greater California (CRGC) systematically collects patient-level cancer data. Its registry database contains more than 2.3 million cases of cancer.

Of the more than 103,000 cases reported to the CRGC in 2014, 18% are reported from Hispanic or Latino patients, 6.5% are from Asian patients, 4.3% are from Black or African-American patients, 0.6% are from Native American, Alaskan, Hawaiian, or Pacific Islander patients. A growing 0.8% are reported from patients who identify with more than one race.

The data are compelling and illustrative for innumerable purposes relevant to cancer surveillance and surveillance research.

See our **Fact Sheets** on prostate cancer, leukemia, breast cancer, Hodgkin lymphoma, and liver cancer at:

<http://crgc-cancer.org/research/factsheets/>

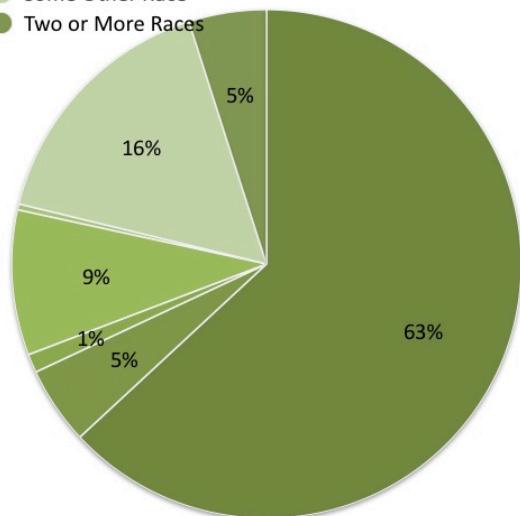


Our Region

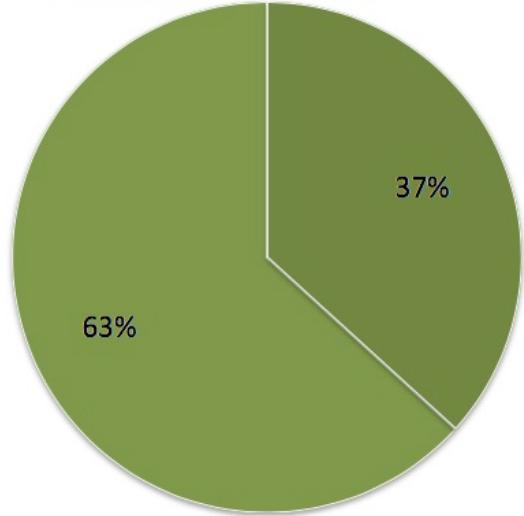
The CRGC collects cancer data about every new case of cancer diagnosed or treated within its state designated region composed of 48 counties in California, represented in grey above.



White
Black or African American
American Indian and Alaska Native
Asian
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander
Some Other Race
Two or More Races



Hispanic or Latino
Not Hispanic or Latino



Race and Ethnicity

The data of the CRGC are especially important not only for their high volume and high quality, but also for their reflection of the demographic diversity of Californians who reside in the CRGC region, illustrated in the green pie charts above.



Data Since 1988

Since the CRGC began compiling cancer registry data, its database has grown to include more than 2.3 million cancer case records.



Cancer Cases Compiled by the CRGC, 1988-2014

Racial Categories	Ethnic Categories				Total	
	Hispanic/Latino		Not Hispanic/Latino			
	Female	Male	Female	Male		
American Indian/Alaska Native	2,188	2,116	80	70	4,454	
Asian	60,888	46,772	386	129	108,175	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2,234	1,682	34	40	3,990	
Black or African American	39,786	44,120	645	424	84,975	
White	915,519	910,757	168,024	142,296	2,136,596	
More than One Race	10,857	8,956	658	544	21,015	
TOTAL	1,031,472	1,014,403	169,827	143,503	2,359,205	

Sources of Cases of Cancer Reportable to the Cancer Registry of Greater California

Type of Source	Number
ACOS Hospitals	54
Non-ACOS Hospitals	132
Pathology Laboratories	42
Radiation Treatment Centers	39
Physicians	14,201
VA Hospitals	4
Military Hospitals	3
Indian Health Service Health Clinics	9
Indian Tribal Health Centers	24
Freestanding Surgical Centers	92
Other (including nursing facilities, coroner's offices, and prison hospital)	67
Total	14,667

The CRGC is a program of the Public Health Institute.

For more information about cancer registry data and its use in research, or to request cancer data for your study, visit the Cancer Registry of Greater California: <http://crgc-cancer.org/data-access-and-disclosure/>