



Arizona

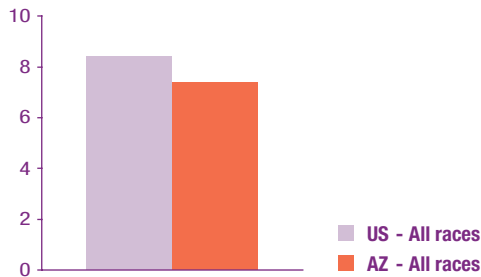
State population estimate: 5,743,834

Incidence and Mortality

- The incidence rate was 7.4/100,000 for a score of 2.
- This is lower than the national average of 8.4/100,000.
- *The incidence rate in last year's report was 5.8/100,000 for a score of 2.*
- The mortality rate was 2.3/100,000 for a score of 1.
- This is lower than the national average of 2.5/100,000.
- *The mortality rate in last year's report was 2.9/100,000 for a score of 1.*
- Incidence and mortality rates are not available by race.

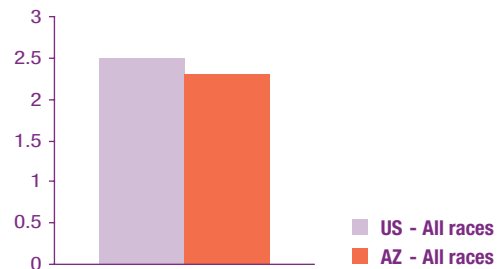
Cervical Cancer Incidence

US and AZ (# of cases per 100,000 women)



Cervical Cancer Mortality

US and AZ (# of deaths per 100,000 women)

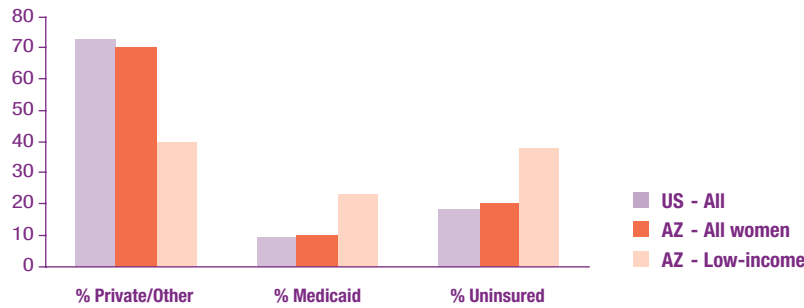


Healthcare Access and Utilization

- The cervical cancer screening rate was 85.1% for a score of 1.
- This is lower than the national average of 85.9%.
- *The screening rate in last year's report was 84.5% for a score of 1.*
- In this state, Medicaid offers unrestricted coverage of HPV testing, for a score of 2.
- In this state, 20% of women are uninsured for a score of 1.
- This is higher than the national average of 18%.
- *The rate of uninsured in last year's report was 18% for a score of 1.*

Health Insurance Coverage of Women

US and AZ (ages 18-64)



Policy Initiatives and Infrastructure

- **Coverage mandates for cervical cancer screening**
 - There are no new coverage or screening mandates for a cumulative score of 0.
- **Task force/commissions for cervical cancer prevention**
 - HB 2615, introduced on February 4, 2005, creates a Cervical Cancer Study Committee.
 - HCM 2001, introduced January 12, 2005, urges the Arizona Department of Health Services to establish a task force to study the prevalence of cervical cancer and to evaluate the current education and screening procedures.
 - Cumulative score of 1.
- **Miscellaneous support of cervical cancer prevention**
 - HB 2526, introduced on January 20, 2005, relates to special license plates; provides a plate for breast and cervical cancer screening; provides for screening, diagnostics and outreach services. Cumulative score of 2.

Statewide Cervical Cancer Prevention Resources

Well Woman Healthcheck Program
Office of Nutrition and Chronic Disease Prevention Services
Arizona Department of Health Services

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Score	
2006:	Good
	10 out of 16 points (63%)
2005:	Fair
	7 out of 16 points (44%)

See Appendix B to compare Arizona to other states.