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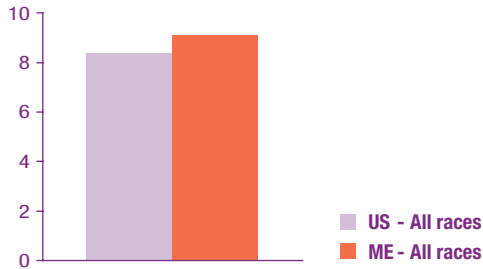
State population estimate: 1,317,253

Incidence and Mortality

- The incidence rate was 9.1/100,000 for a score of 1.
- This is higher than the national average of 8.4/100,000.
- *The incidence rate in last year's report was 9.1/100,000 for a score of 1.*
- The mortality rate was 2.1/100,000 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 2.3/100,000 for a score of 1.*
- Incidence and mortality rates are not available by race.

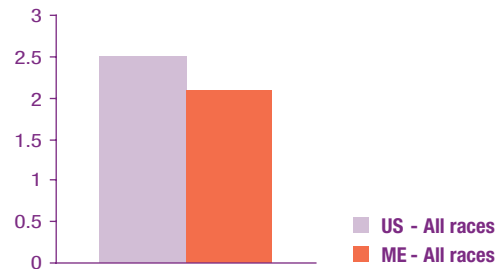
Cervical Cancer Incidence

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



Cervical Cancer Mortality

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

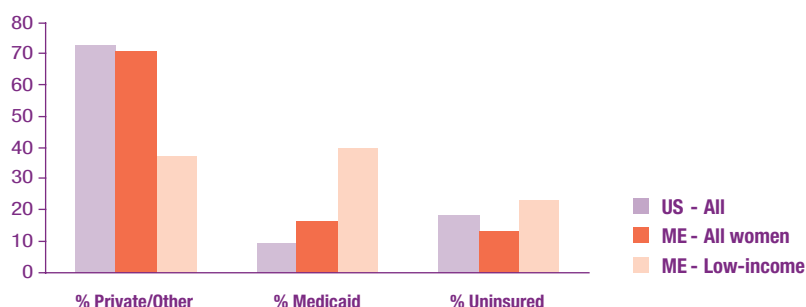


Healthcare Access and Utilization

- The cervical cancer screening rate was 88.7% for a score of 2.
- This is higher than the national average of 85.9%.
- *The screening rate in last year's report was 86.1% for a score of 2.*
- In this state, Medicaid offers unrestricted coverage of HPV testing, for a score of 2.
- In this state, 13% of women are uninsured for a score of 1.
- This is lower than the national average of 18%.
- *The rate of uninsured in last year's report was 13% for a score of 1.*

Health Insurance Coverage of Women

US and ME (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 1.
- **Task force/commissions for cervical cancer prevention**
 - HB 899, introduced March 15, 2005, establishes the Task Force to Study Cervical Cancer Prevention, Detection and Education, raise public awareness of the causes and nature of cervical cancer, personal risk factors, value of prevention, value of newly introduced vaccines, early detection, options for testing, treatment costs, new technology and medical care; provides for sharing of information and a report.
 - L.R. 1508, introduced March 15, 2005, establishes a task force to study cervical cancer prevention, detection and education.
 - L.R. 1886, introduced January 3, 2005, creates a task force to study the prevalence of cervical cancer in women.
 - Cumulative score of 1.
- **Miscellaneous support of cervical cancer prevention**
 - There is no miscellaneous cervical cancer prevention legislation, for a cumulative score of 0.

Statewide Cervical Cancer Prevention Resources

Breast and Cervical Health Program Maine Bureau of Health

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Score

2006:	Good
	9 out of 16 points (56%)
2005:	Good
	8 out of 16 points (50%)

See Appendix B to compare Maine to other states.