

2007: Fair
(8 out of 18 points)

2006: Good
(8 out of 16 points)

District of Columbia

Population: 550,521

Incidence & Mortality

		2007 Score	2006 Score
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate:	10.4/100,000 ▼	1	1
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate/Race:	White: 6.7 Black: 12.2		
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate:	4.3/100,000 ▼	0	1
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate/Race:	Black: 5.5		

Screening

Cervical Cancer Screening Rate:	88.4%	2	2
Cervical Cancer Screening Rate/Race:	White: 91% Black: 89% Hispanic: 77%		
% Uninsured/Unscreened:	29.2%	1	
Medicaid Coverage HPV Testing:	Unrestricted	2	2

Health Care Access

Rate Uninsured Women:	13% ▼	1	1
% Low Income/Uninsured Women:	22%		

▲ Rate increased over last report ▼ Rate decreased over last report — Rate stayed the same since last report

Policy Initiatives & Infrastructure

- **Coverage mandates for cervical cancer screening**
There are no new coverage or screening mandates. Cumulative score: 1.
- **Task force/commissions for cervical cancer prevention**
There is no task force or commission. Cumulative score: 0.
- **Miscellaneous support of cervical cancer prevention**
There is no miscellaneous cervical cancer prevention legislation. Cumulative score: 0.

State Summary

The District of Columbia's cervical cancer incidence rate dipped slightly over last year's report. The District's mortality rate is the highest in the nation, but it also has the second lowest rate of low-income, uninsured women.

District of Columbia – State Comparison Chart

