

**2007: Fair**  
(8 out of 18 points)

**2006: Good**  
(9 out of 16 points)

# Iowa

Population: 2,966,334

## Incidence & Mortality

		2007 Score	2006 Score
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate:	7.4/100,000 ▼	1	2
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rate/Race:	White: 7.1 Hispanic: 13.9		
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate:	2.8/100,000 ▲	1	1
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rate/Race:	White: 2.4		

## Screening

Cervical Cancer Screening Rate:	86%	2	2
Cervical Cancer Screening Rate/Race:	White: 87%		
% Uninsured/Unscreened:	30.2%	0	
Medicaid Coverage HPV Testing:	Unrestricted	2	2

## Health Care Access

Rate Uninsured Women:	12% -	1	1
% Low Income/Uninsured Women:	30%		

▲ Rate increased over last report ▼ Rate decreased over last report - Rate stayed the same

## Policy Initiatives & Infrastructure

- Coverage mandates for cervical cancer screening**  
 There are no coverage or screening mandates in place. Cumulative score: 0.
- 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 new miscellaneous cervical cancer prevention legislation. Cumulative score: 1.

## State Summary

Iowa saw a slight decrease in its incidence rate but lost ground compared to other states, which resulted in the loss of one point. The incidence rate for Hispanic women in the state is nearly twice that of White women. The state continues to be in the top tier in terms of cervical cancer screening.

