

Prostate Cancer in SC



Prostate cancer deaths remain a serious and ongoing problem in SC, with significant racial disparities and increasing proportions of late stage diagnoses. Prostate cancer was the second leading cause of cancer death among men in SC in 2023.

In 2019-2023...

2.3x

higher mortality rate for black men than white men.

20.2%

of prostate cancer cases were diagnosed at late stage in SC.

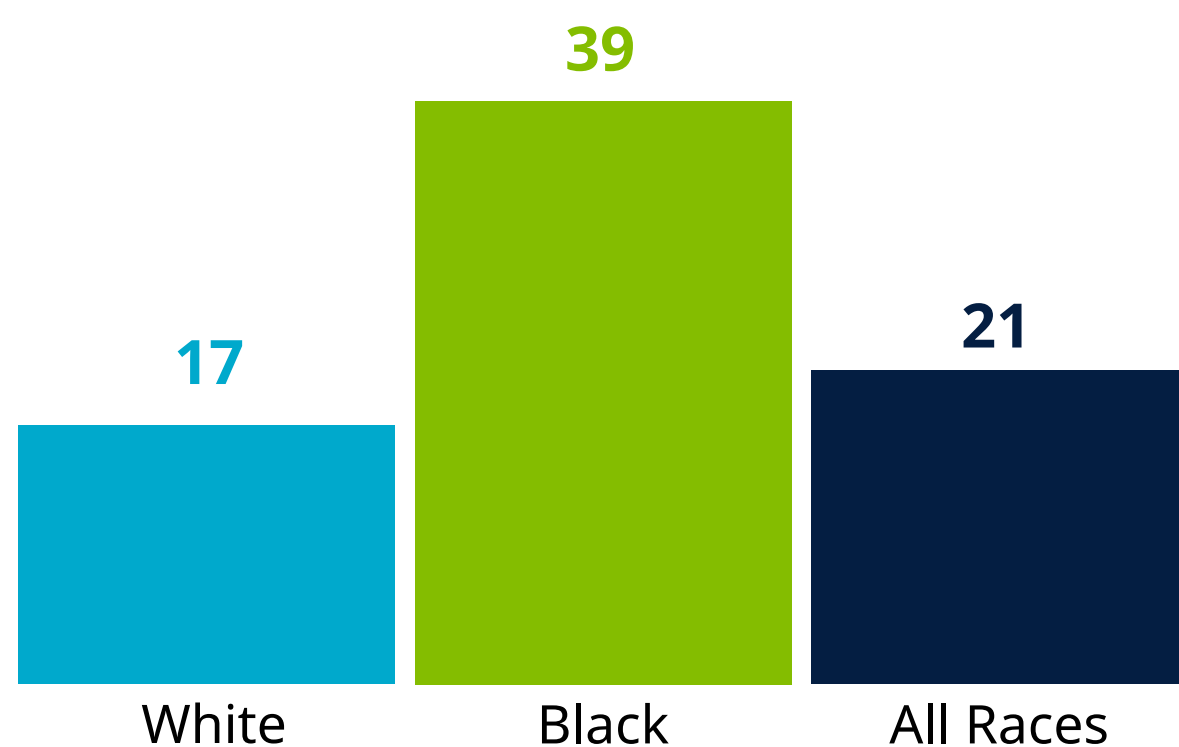
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prostate cancer deaths per 100,000 among men 70 years and older.

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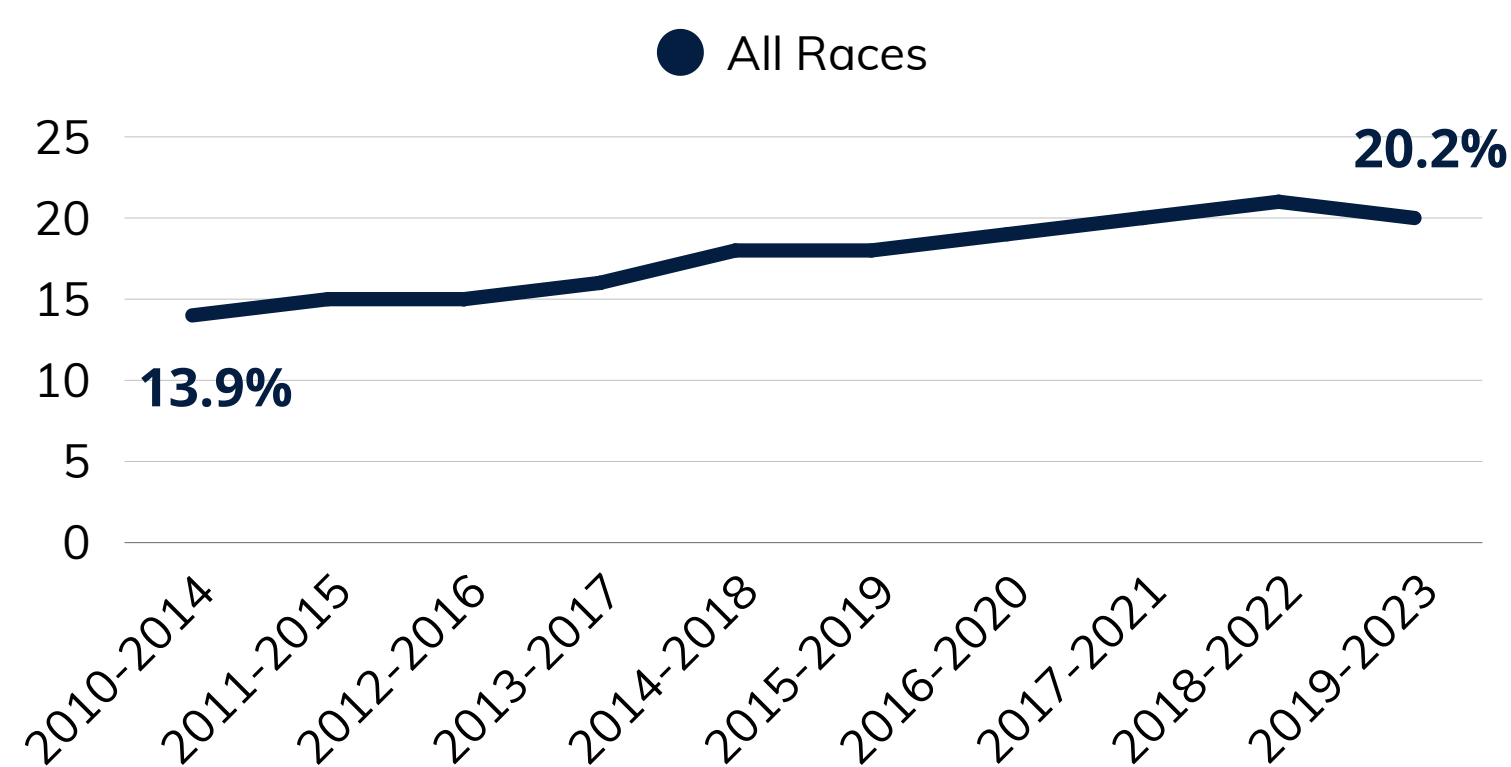
prostate cancer deaths per 100,000 among men less than 70 years old.

Prostate Cancer Mortality Rate by Race, 2019-2023



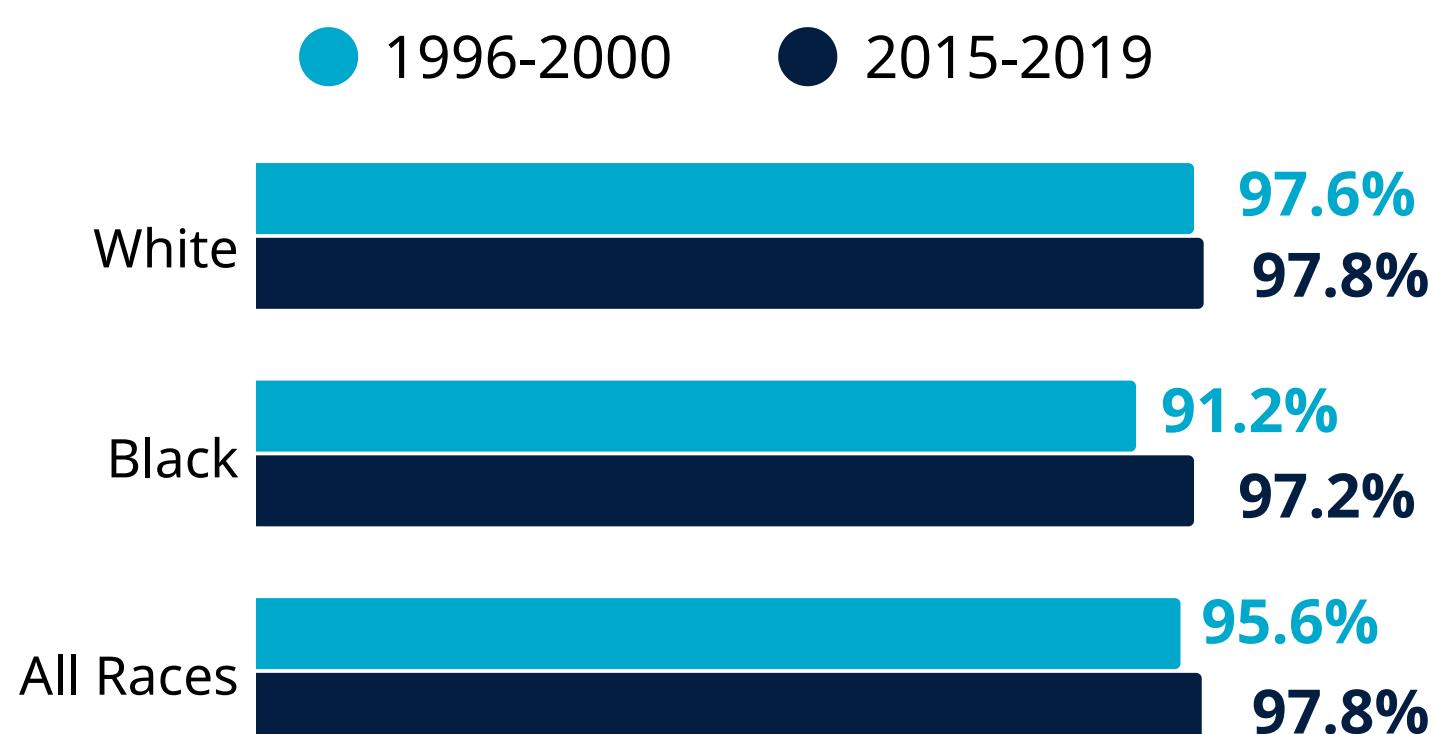
*Rates are per 100,000 and age-adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Std Population (age <1 and 90+ - Census P25-1130) standard.

Late-stage Diagnosis Proportion



Late-stage diagnosis proportions are similar across racial groups.

Prostate Cancer 5-year Relative Survival (%) by Race, 1996-2000 vs 2015-2019



Late-stage Diagnosis Proportion by Age

