Colorectal Cancer in Louisiana

2015 - 2019 STATS AND FACTS

2,429

NEW CASES FOUND EACH YEAR

18,583

COLORECTAL CANCER SURVIVORS SINCE 2000

The 5-year relative survival for Louisiana people of all races[+] **65%**

4th leading cause of cancer death in Louisiana [3]

Louisiana's rank in the US for death rate of colorectal cancer[3] **5th**

RATE OF NEW CANCER CASES

PER 100,000 LOUISIANANS

Black	52.9
White	42.4

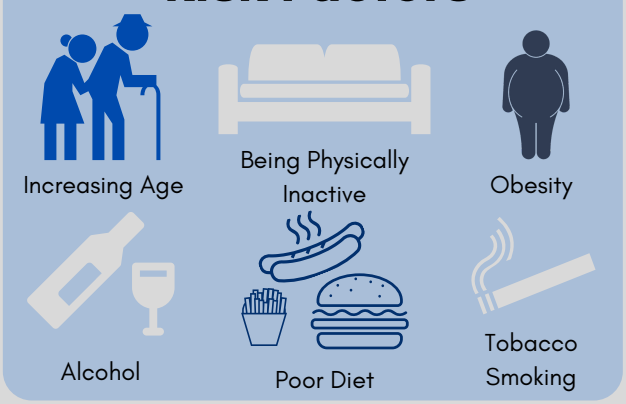
RATE OF CANCER DEATHS

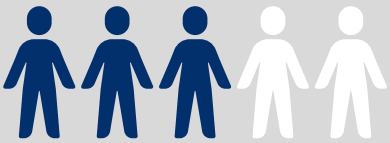
PER 100,000 LOUISIANANS

Black	20.8
White	14.2

Average annual rate per 100,000 age adjusted to the 2000 US standard population

Risk Factors[2]

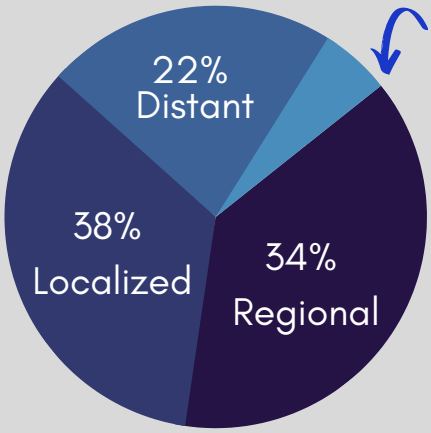




3 out of 5 people 50 years and older had a colonoscopy in the U.S. in 2020[1]

STAGE AT DIAGNOSIS DISTRIBUTION

38% of new cases were found at early stages (localized)



Almost **9 in 10**

People diagnosed at a localized stage will survive at least 5 years

1 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, BRFSS Prevalence and Trends Data 2020
2 American Cancer Society, Survival Rates for Colorectal Cancer, American Cancer Society, 2022
3 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, USCS Data Visualizations, 2022
+ Survival estimates are based on cases diagnosed 2003-2018 and followed through 2019
# Prevalence counts are an estimate of the number of survivors on 1/1/2019 who were diagnosed between 2000-2018.

Visit the Louisiana Cancer Prevention and Control Program's Colorectal Cancer Page for Screening and Risk Factor Information

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LOUISIANA TUMOR REGISTRY

One of 22 NCI-designated SEER cancer registries that gather information about cancer cases to help guide policies for cancer prevention, early detection, diagnosis, treatment, prognosis and survivorship.

OUR MISSION

To collect and report complete, high-quality, and timely population-based cancer data in Louisiana to support cancer research, control, and prevention.

OUR VISION

To reduce suffering and death from cancer using information collected by the Louisiana Tumor Registry.

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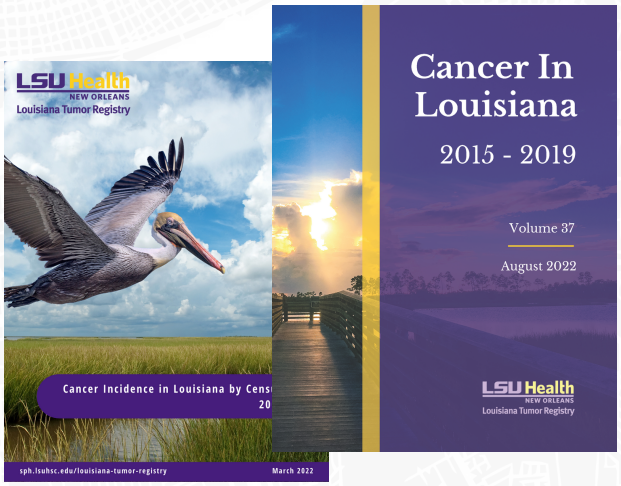

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