

**HEALTH SERVICE REGION 6 - 2008
CASES AND RATES (CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION¹)**

COUNTY	2008 POP.	AMEBIASIS		ANAPLASMA PHAGOCYTOPHILUM		BOTULISM, INFANT ²		BOTULISM, WOUND	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	6	1.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	77	1.9	0	0.0	1	1.4	0	0.0
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	1	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	5,859,339	84	1.4	0	0.0	1	1.0	0	0.0
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	336	1.4	1	0.0	8	2.0	1	0.0
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	BOTULISM, OTHER		BRUCELLOSIS		CAMPYLOBACTERIOSIS		CHICKENPOX (VARICELLA)	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.7	12	44.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	0	0.0	8	2.7	162	53.8
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	6.1	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	4.6	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	0	0.0	0	0.0	29	5.4	73	13.7
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	10	3.5	111	38.5
HARRIS	3,965,716	0	0.0	2	0.1	190	4.8	800	20.2
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	5.2	63	81.3
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	5.4	1	2.7
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	0	0.0	25	5.8	89	20.8
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	4.6	10	15.5
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	12.9	4	10.3
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.4	4	9.4

REGIONAL TOTALS	5,859,339	0	0.0	2	0.0	281	4.8	1,329	22.7
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	1	0.0	9	0.0	1,441	5.9	7,839	32.2
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	CHOLERA		CREUTZFELDT-JAKOB DISEASE		CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS		CYCLOSPORIASIS	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	4.6	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	1	0.2	0	0.0	8	1.5	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.7	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	0	0.0	5	0.1	33	0.8	0	0.0
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	0	0.0	4	0.9	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	13.9	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	5,859,339	1	0.0	5	0.1	59	1.0	0	0.0
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	1	0.0	19	0.1	3,342	13.7	6	0.0
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	CYSTICERCOSIS		DENGUE FEVER		EHRlichIA CHAFFEENSIS		ENCEPHALITIS, NONARBOVIRAL	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	0	0.0	2	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	0	0.0	4	0.1	1	0.0	3	0.1
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.7	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	5,859,339	0	0.0	6	0.1	2	0.0	3	0.1
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	5	0.0	22	0.1	28	0.1	15	0.1
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	ESCHERICHIA COLI, SHIGA TOXIN- PRODUCING (STEC)		HAEMOPHILUS INFLUENZAE TYPE B, INVASIVE		HANTAVIRUS INFECTION		HEMOLYTIC UREMIC SYNDROME	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	2	0.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	2	9.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	8	1.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	52	1.3	1	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.1
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	2	0.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	67	1.1	1	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.0
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	332	1.4	11	0.0	1	0.0	12	0.0
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	HEPATITIS A, ACUTE		HEPATITIS B, ACUTE		HEPATITIS B, PERINATAL ³		HEPATITIS C, ACUTE	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	1	3.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	5	1.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	1	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	15	2.8	11	2.1	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	5	1.7	9	3.1	0	0.0	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	30	0.8	26	0.7	1	0.7	0	0.0
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	1	2.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	5	1.2	3	0.7	0	0.0	1	0.2
WALKER	64,555	1	1.5	3	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	5	11.8	2	4.7	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	67	1.1	56	1.0	1	0.5	1	0.0
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	259	1.1	562	2.3	8	1.0	59	0.2
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	HEPATITIS D, ACUTE		INFLUENZA- ASSOCIATED PEDIATRIC MORTALITY ⁴		INFLUENZA, NOVEL A		LEGIONELLOSIS	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.3
HARRIS	3,965,716	0	0.0	3	0.3	0	0.0	8	0.2
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.5
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	0	0.0	3	0.2	0	0.0	12	0.2
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	1	0.0	9	0.1	1	0.0	81	0.3
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	LISTERIOSIS		LYME DISEASE		MALARIA		MENINGITIS, ASEPTIC	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	1	3.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	5	1.7
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	2	6.1	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	4.6
FORT BEND	533,696	0	0.0	6	1.1	12	2.2	23	4.3
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	1	0.3	0	0.0	13	4.5
HARRIS	3,965,716	5	0.1	12	0.3	23	0.6	197	5.0
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.6
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.7
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	8	1.9	1	0.2	15	3.5
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	2	3.1	0	0.0	1	1.5
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	1	2.6	0	0.0	4	10.3
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	5	0.1	33	0.6	36	0.6	262	4.5
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	37	0.2	153	0.6	87	0.4	1,747	7.2
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	MENINGITIS, BACTERIAL		MENINGITIS, OTHER		MENINGOCOCCAL INFECTION		MUMPS	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	3	11.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	10	3.3	1	0.3	4	1.3	1	0.3
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	1	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	2	0.4	0	0.0	1	0.2	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	5	1.7	1	0.3	1	0.3	1	0.3
HARRIS	3,965,716	85	2.1	45	1.1	9	0.2	2	0.1
LIBERTY	77,491	3	3.9	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	1	0.2	0	0.0	1	0.2	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	1	1.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	1	2.6	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	110	1.9	50	0.9	16	0.3	4	0.1
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	400	1.6	109	0.4	70	0.3	20	0.1
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	PERTUSSIS		PRIMARY AMOEBIC MENINGOENCEPHALITIS		Q FEVER, ACUTE		Q FEVER, CHRONIC	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	1	3.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	5	1.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	7	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	11	3.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	133	3.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	21	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	4	10.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	1	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	183	3.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	2,046	8.4	1	0.0	20	0.1	4	0.0
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	SALMONELLOSIS		SHIGELLOSIS		SPOTTED FEVER GP RICKETTSIOSES		STREPTOCOCCUS, GROUP A	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	9	33.0	1	3.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	63	20.9	37	12.3	0	0.0	2	0.7
CHAMBERS	33,043	5	15.1	1	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	9	41.3	2	9.2	0	0.0	1	4.6
FORT BEND	533,696	124	23.2	40	7.5	3	0.6	6	1.1
GALVESTON	288,154	47	16.3	30	10.4	0	0.0	2	0.7
HARRIS	3,965,716	729	18.4	719	18.1	1	0.0	75	1.9
LIBERTY	77,491	17	21.9	18	23.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	3	8.0	10	26.8	0	0.0	1	2.7
MONTGOMERY	427,960	82	19.2	56	13.1	0	0.0	6	1.4
WALKER	64,555	19	29.4	3	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	7	18.1	3	7.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	13	30.6	10	23.5	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	1,127	19.2	930	15.9	4	0.1	93	1.6
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	5,583	22.9	4,665	19.2	62	0.3	426	1.8
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	STREPTOCOCCUS, GROUP B		STREPTOCOCCUS PNEUMONIAE		TETANUS		TYPHOID FEVER	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	6	22.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	4	1.3	9	3.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	1	4.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	13	2.4	17	3.2	0	0.0	5	0.9
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	6	2.1	0	0.0	1	0.3
HARRIS	3,965,716	95	2.4	320	8.1	0	0.0	11	0.3
LIBERTY	77,491	1	1.3	4	5.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	1	2.7	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	9	2.1	22	5.1	0	0.0	1	0.2
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	2	5.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	1	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	125	2.1	386	6.6	0	0.0	18	0.3
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	583	2.4	1,886	7.8	3	0.0	31	0.1
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	TYPHUS, MURINE		VIBRIO PARAHAEMOLYTICUS		VIBRIO VULNIFICUS		VIBRIO OTHER/UNSPECIFIED	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	1	0.3	0	0.0	1	0.3
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	3.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.7
HARRIS	3,965,716	0	0.0	5	0.1	4	0.1	5	0.1
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	2.6	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	2	0.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	0	0.0	8	0.1	7	0.1	9	0.2
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	157	0.6	12	0.0	17	0.1	28	0.1
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COUNTY	2008 POP.	VISA		WEST NILE FEVER		WEST NILE NEUROINVASIVE DISEASE		YERSINIOSIS	
		CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES	CASES	RATES
AUSTIN	27,270	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
BRAZORIA	301,011	0	0.0	1	0.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
CHAMBERS	33,043	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COLORADO	21,774	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
FORT BEND	533,696	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
GALVESTON	288,154	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HARRIS	3,965,716	0	0.0	1	0.0	1	0.0	3	0.1
LIBERTY	77,491	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MATAGORDA	37,375	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONTGOMERY	427,960	0	0.0	1	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALKER	64,555	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WALLER	38,751	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
WHARTON	42,543	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

REGIONAL TOTALS	815,358	0	0.0	3	0.1	1	0.0	3	0.1
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STATEWIDE TOTALS	24,326,974	2	0.0	24	0.1	40	0.2	14	0.1
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¹ DSHS Center for Health Statistics estimated 2008 Texas population data <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/chs/popdat/detailX.shtml>.

² Infant botulism rates are calculated using population under 1 year of age.

³ Perinatal hepatitis B rates are calculated using population under 2 years of age.

⁴ Pediatric influenza deaths are calculated using population under 18 years of age.