

Colorectal Cancer in New Jersey, 2018-2023

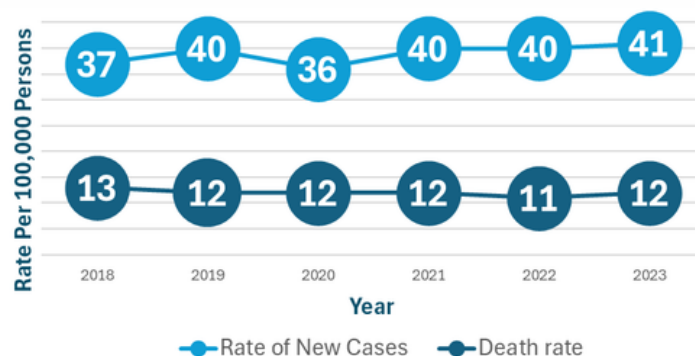


3rd
Most
Common
Cancer

~4,000
New Cases Each Year

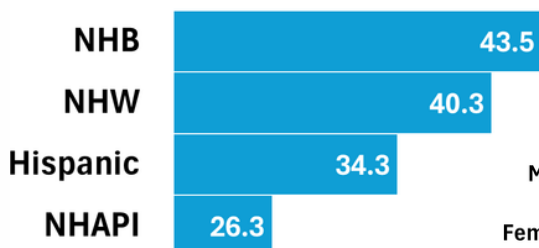
~1,400
Deaths Each Year

New Cancer Cases and Deaths



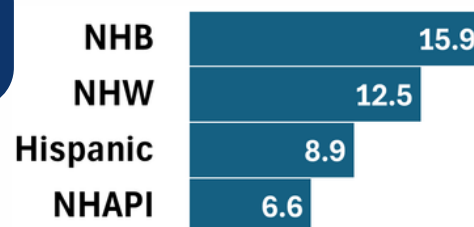
New Cancer Cases and Deaths by Race and Sex

Rate of New Cancers

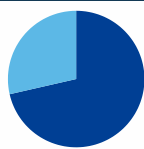


Non-Hispanic Black Males
had the **highest** rates of
New Cancers and Deaths

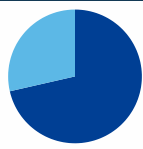
Rate of Deaths



Stage at Diagnosis



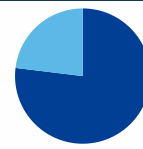
36%
Regional



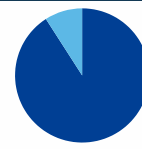
35%
Localized

36%

of New Cases were
found at Regional Stage

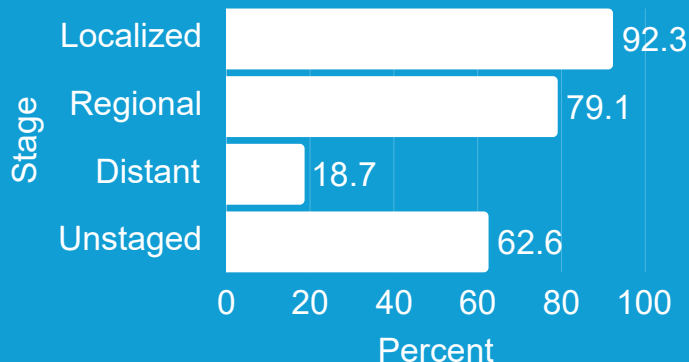


22%
Distant



7%
Unstaged

Survival by Stage at Diagnosis



18.7%

Distant stage cancers
had the lowest survival

67.2%

were likely to live 5 years
beyond their diagnosis*

*based on cases diagnosed in 2018

Source: New Jersey State Cancer Registry March 2026 file, NJ Department of Health. Statistics for persons of sex other than male or female are included in the total but not reported separately due to small numbers.

Note: Colorectal cancer statistics include appendix cancer.

NHB = Non-Hispanic Black; NHW = Non-Hispanic White; NHAPl = Non-Hispanic Asian or Pacific Islander



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