

Connecticut Vital Statistics Highlights of 2013



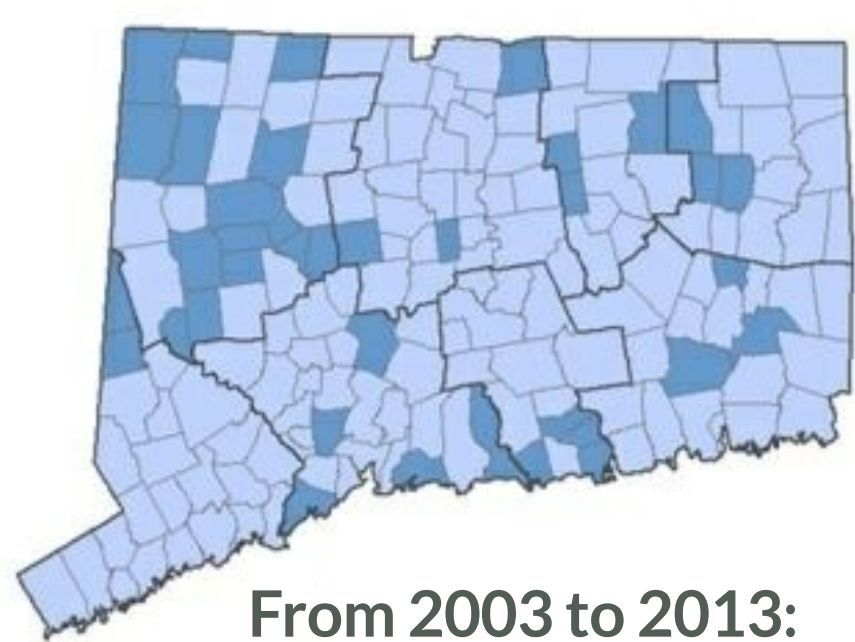
Population of Connecticut

Connecticut vital statistics data indicate a progressive increase in population over the past ten years with a shift toward greater numbers of individuals 50 years and older.



Estimated Population

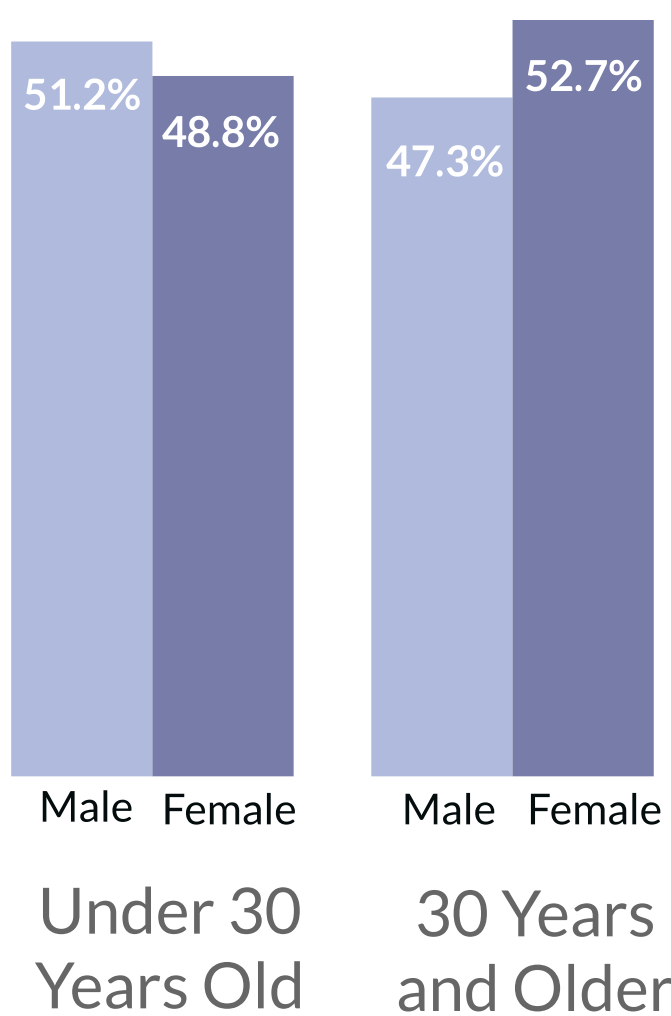
↑ 2012: 3,590,347
2013: 3,596,080



From 2003 to 2013:

- Population Growth (132 Towns)
- Population Decline (37 Towns)

Higher Percentage of Females Aged 30 Years and Older, 2013



Births in Connecticut

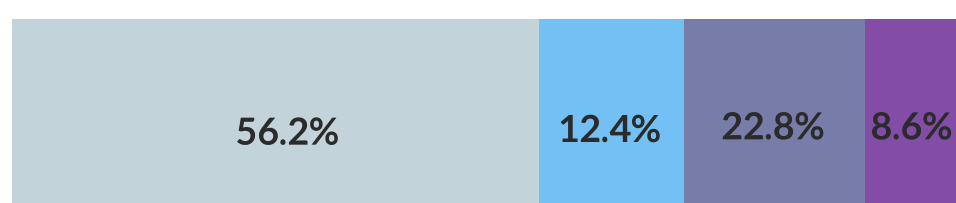
The total number of births among Connecticut residents in 2013 represents a decrease of 426 live births compared to the previous year, continuing the downward trend of births since 2008.



Number of Live Births

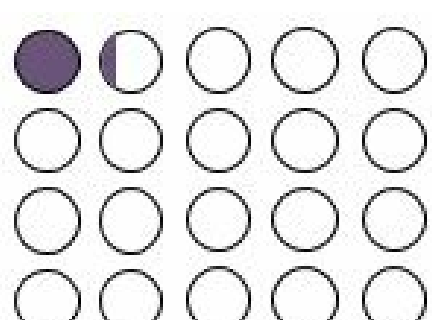
2012: 36,512
2013: 36,086

Percentage of Live Births by Race/Ethnicity, 2013

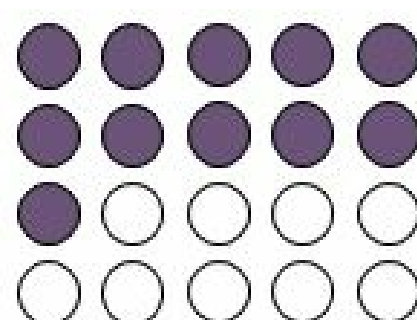


7.8%

of all births were low birth weight in 2013.



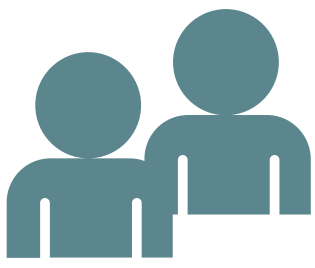
5.8% of singleton births were low birth weight in 2013.



54.7% of multiple births were low birth weight in 2013.

Deaths in Connecticut

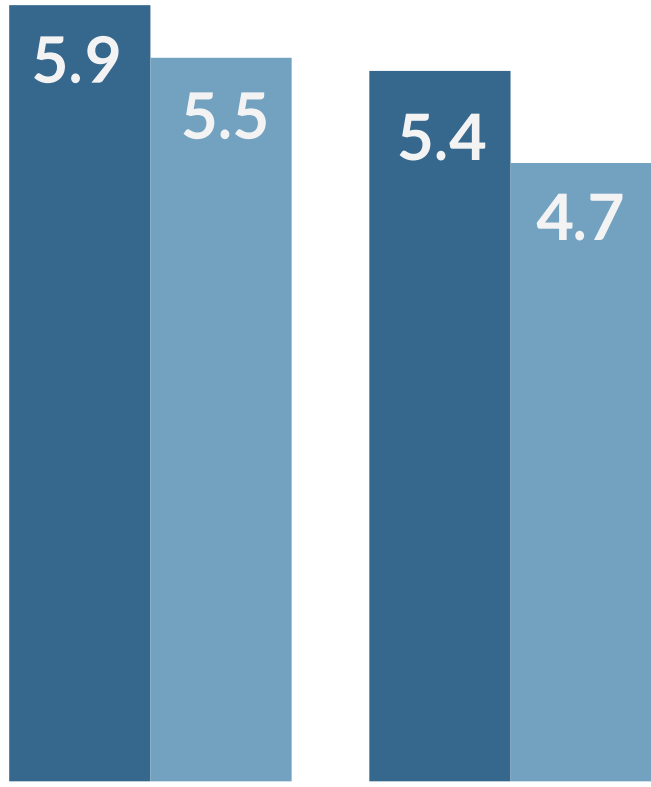
In 2013, the percentage of deaths among racial/ethnic minorities was greater than that among non-Hispanic Whites for all age groups under 80 years old.



Number of Resident Deaths

2012: 29,321
2013: 29,602

Decrease in Fetal and Infant Death Rates, 2003-2013

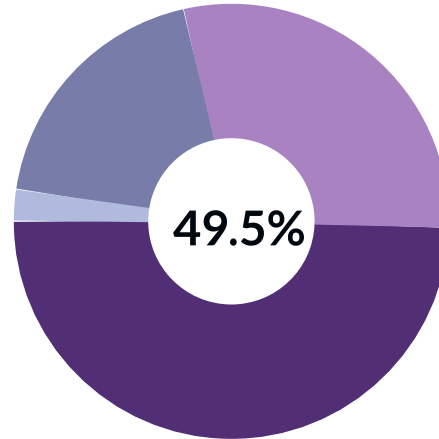


2003 2013
Fetal Death Rate*

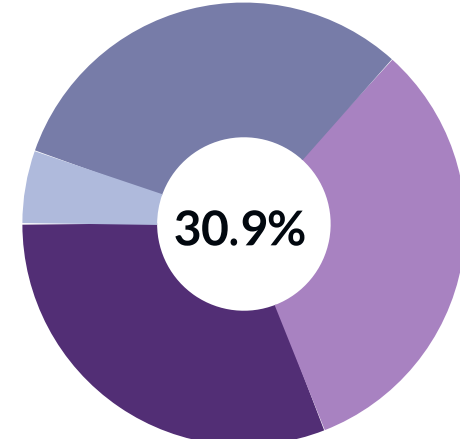
2003 2013
Infant Death Rate*

*Fetal death rate is per 1,000 live births and fetal deaths; infant death rate is per 1,000 live births.

Females



Males



In 2013, 49.5% of all deaths among females were at age 85 years or older compared to 30.9% of males.



23.8%



22.2%



Leading Causes of Death in 2013:

1. Diseases of the heart
2. Malignant neoplasms
3. Accidents
4. Chronic lower respiratory diseases
5. Cerebrovascular disease



5.2%



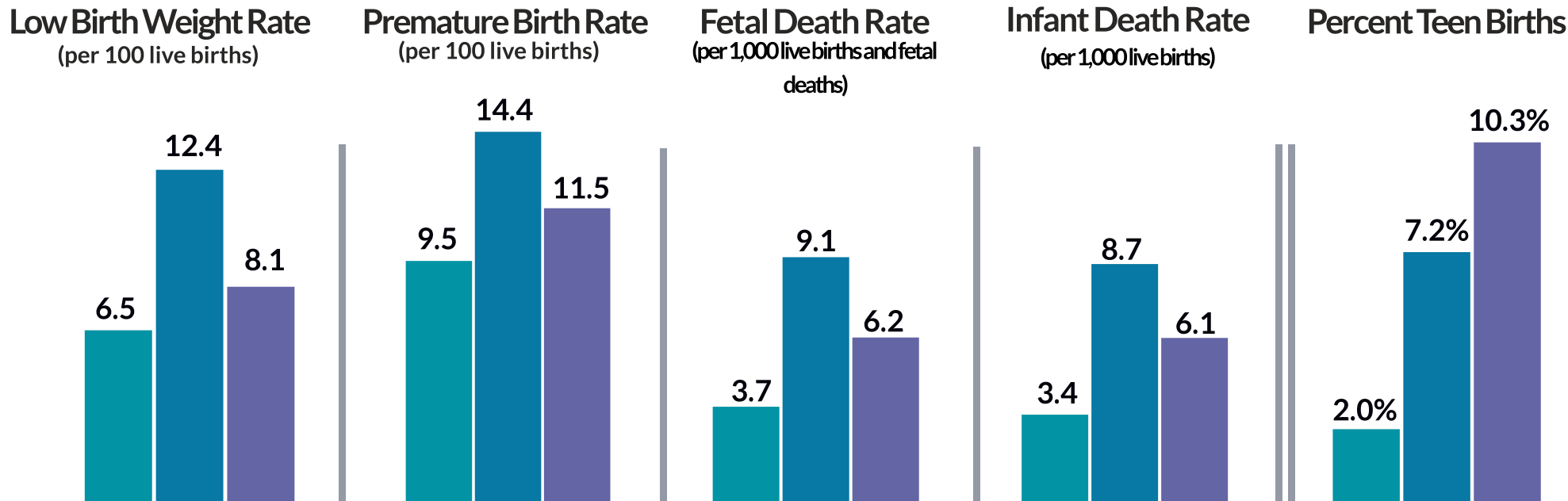
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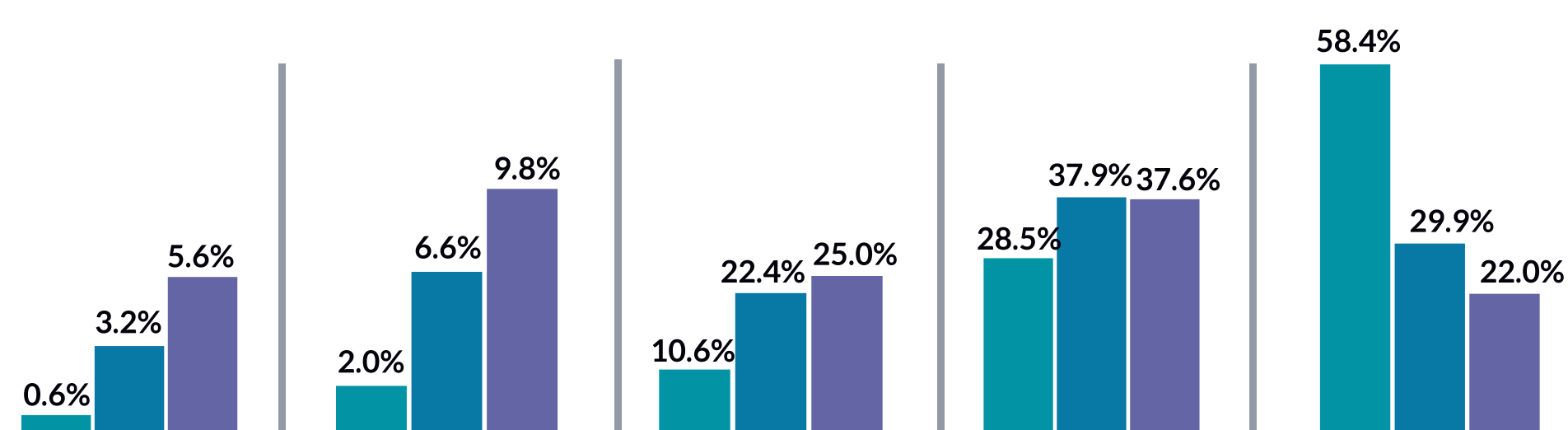
Racial/Ethnic Disparities in Vital Events, 2013

■ Non-Hispanic White ■ Non-Hispanic Black/African American ■ Hispanic/Latino



Deaths by Age:

<20 Years Old 20-39 Years Old 40-59 Years Old 60-79 Years Old 80+ Years Old



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