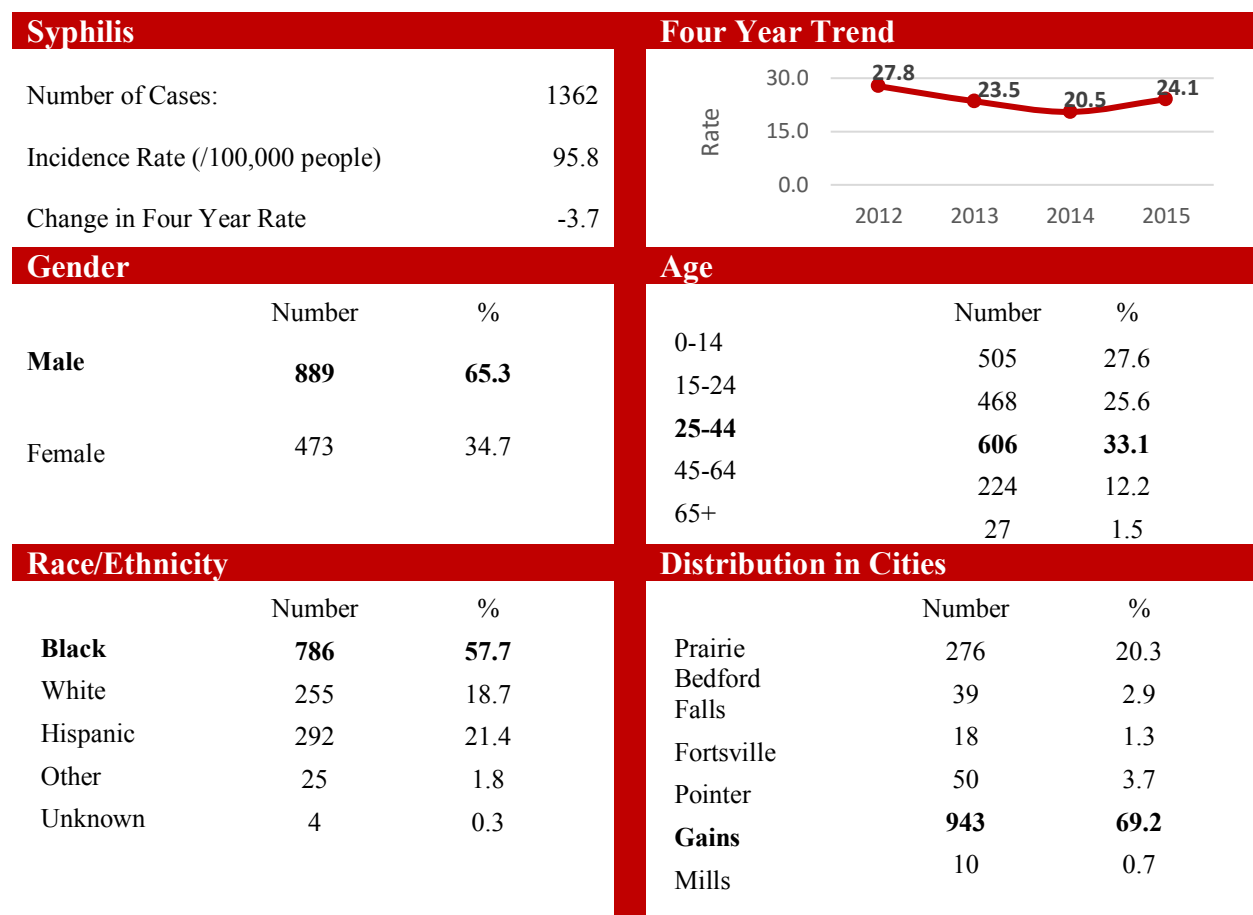


Summary Report: Summerville County Sexually Transmitted Diseases 2012-2015



*Selected data/towns not reported to protect from against inadvertent disclosure

*Bold = Highest count in each demographic category

For the period of 2012-2015, a total of 1362 cases of Syphilis were reported to the Summerville Health Department. While there was a decrease in incidence rate over the four-year period, there has been an increase in 2015 of 4.1 cases per 100,000 people compared to the rate from 2014. Overall, 65.3% of cases were male, 33.1% were in the 25-44 age range. African Americans accounted for 57.7% of total cases. Gains, the most populous city in the county, accounted for 69.2% of the burden of Syphilis in Summerville County.

This summary groups together Congenital, Early, and Latent Syphilis reports for this analysis. Further information about demographics for specific stage diagnoses can be requested from the Summerville Health Department.

Towns with less than 10 reported cases have not been included in this summary to prevent inadvertent disclosure of patient information.