

2024 Prostate Cancer Facts & Statistics

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NATIONWIDE INCIDENCE RATE

1 IN 8 MEN

will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in their lifetime

3.3+ MILLION MEN

currently diagnosed with prostate cancer

This year in the United States:

New cases: 299.010 | Deaths: 35.250

VETERANS ARE 1.5X

more likely to get prostate cancer

AFRICAN AMERICAN MEN ARE 2.1X

more likely to die of prostate cancer.



INCIDENCE RATE IN WASHINGTON, DC

130.5 IN EVERY 100.000 MEN

will be diagnosed with prostate cancer in their lifetime

27.2 IN EVERY 100,000 MEN

die from the disease

This year in Washington, DC:

New cases: 390 Deaths: 70

NATIONAL RANKINGS BY STATE:

#8 for prostate cancer incidence #1 for prostate cancer deaths

Source: Estimates based on 2024 data from the American Cancer Society

ZERO's Impact in Washington, DC

Patient Programs

- **ZERO360** is a free, comprehensive support service that helps patients and their loved ones navigate insurance, find resources to help pay for treatment and living expenses, connect with emotional support services, and ensure access to care.
- **ZERO's nationwide Us TOO support group network** offers a variety of peer-led virtual and in-person groups offering emotional support, resources, and education to empower those impacted by prostate cancer to make informed decisions about their care.
- **ZERO's MENtor program** matches patients with trained, volunteer MENtors who have been on a similar journey to provide ongoing, one-on-one support.
- **ZERO Connect** is our online private Facebook group where you can connect with others affected by prostate cancer, ask questions, and learn from their experiences.



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CDMRP* Grants in Washington, DC

Year Introduced: 1997 **Total Grants to Date:** 60

Total Grand Awards Through FY 2022**: \$23M

- * Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs
- **PCRP (Prostate Cancer Research Program) data for FY 2023 has not yet been posted

GRANT RECIPIENT	YEAR	AMOUNT
George Washington University	2022	\$1,346,633
	2012	\$706,812
	2011	\$776,475
	2000	\$924,105
	1997	\$924,105

CDC's National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP) Funding in Washington, DC:

- Goal 1: Reduce morbidity and mortality due to prostate cancer in the District.
- **Objective 1:** Through the provision of professional and public education, improve the appropriateness of prostate cancer screening for District residents.
- **Objective 2:** Establish a standard for community prostate screening process, including education and informed decision-making.
- **Objective 3:** Increase the early detection and appropriate management of clinically relevant prostate cancer cases with a high probability of rapid tumor growth to mitigate adverse impact on chances of survival and quality of life.
- **Objective 4:** Reduce the proportion of unstaged prostate cancer cases for all races from the 2004-2008 Surveillance Epidemiology and End-Year Results (SEER) baseline rate of 11.7 to less than 3.

ZERO Prostate Cancer is the leading national nonprofit with the mission to end prostate cancer. ZERO advances research, improves the lives of men and families, and inspires action. Visit our website: **www.zerocancer.org**.

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