



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 NEBRASKA

124.8 IN EVERY 100,000 MEN
will be diagnosed with
prostate cancer in their lifetime

19.2 IN EVERY 100,000 MEN
die from the disease

This year in Nebraska:
New cases: **2,270** | Deaths: **230**

NATIONAL RANKINGS BY STATE:

#11 for prostate cancer incidence
#31 for prostate cancer deaths

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

ZERO's Impact in Nebraska

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.

CDMRP* Grants in Nebraska

Year Introduced: 1999

Total Grants to Date: 36

Total Grand Awards Through FY 2022:** \$16.4M

* Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs

**PCRP (Prostate Cancer Research Program) data for FY 2023 has not yet been posted

GRANT RECIPIENT	YEAR	AMOUNT
University of Nebraska Medical Center	2020	\$926,248
	2020	\$926,000
	2020	\$766,117
	2019	\$1,155,000
	2017	\$763,873

CDC's National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP) Funding in Nebraska:

- **Objective:** Increase the percentage of physicians who discuss prostate cancer screening with Nebraska African American men by ten percent.
- **Strategy:** Provide clinical seminar(s) on prostate cancer screening. What will be measured: Percent increase. Baseline: TBD-after survey. Timeframe: complete by 2016. Note: Survey Lincoln/Omaha physicians most likely to reach African American men to establish baseline.
- **Strategy:** Provide clinical seminar(s) on prostate cancer screening.
- **Reduce** the prostate cancer death rate. Target: 21.2 deaths per 100,000 males. Baseline: 23.5 prostate cancer deaths per 100,000 males occurred in 2007 (age adjusted to the year 2000 standard population). Target setting method: 10 percent improvement.
- **Increase** the proportion of men who have discussed with their health care provider whether or not to have a prostate-specific antigen (PSA) test to screen for prostate cancer.

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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