



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 TEXAS

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

17.8 IN EVERY 100,000 MEN
die from the disease

This year in Texas:
New cases: **20,790** | Deaths: **2,360**

NATIONAL RANKINGS BY STATE:

#36 for prostate cancer incidence
#46 for prostate cancer deaths

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

ZERO's Impact in Texas

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 Texas

Year Introduced: 1997

Total Grants to Date: 326

Total Grand Awards Through FY 2022:** \$143.3M

* 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 Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center	2019	\$2,498,000
University of Texas, Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas	2022	\$1,467,321
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Baylor College of Medicine	2022	\$1,440,000

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

- **Goal:** Develop and implement screening and early detection methods for other cancers.
- **Objectives:** Promote education about prostate cancer. Develop and implement more effective screening and early detection methods that can differentiate between aggressive and indolent cancers for which there is no benefit from treatment. Develop and implement novel methods for screening and early detection, including imaging technologies, genomic, and proteomics.
- **Strategy:** Provide education on prostate cancer and prostate cancer screening, including the known risks and possible benefits.
- **Strategy:** Increase awareness of and implementation of new evidence-based screening and early detection methods into routine practice.
- **Strategy:** Promote demonstration projects and continued study of emerging screening technologies.
- **Strategy:** Promote evaluation of emerging screening methodologies that have an evidence base. Support for research towards the development and improvement of screening technologies continues to be a critical need in Texas and around the globe.

In the 2021 legislative session, ZERO was proud to support HB 3951/SB 1539, a bill to eliminate cost-sharing for prostate cancer screening for high-risk men.



2024 Prostate Cancer Facts & Statistics

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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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