



Nationwide Incidence Rate

1 in 8 men will be diagnosed during his lifetime
3.1M men currently diagnosed

This year in the United States...

New cases: 268,490
Deaths: 34,500

Veterans are 1.5x more likely to get prostate cancer.

African-American men are 2.2x more likely to die of prostate cancer.

Incidence Rate in South Carolina

113.0 in every 100,000 men diagnosed
21.0 in every 100,000 men die from the disease

This year in South Carolina...

New cases: 5,110
Deaths: 630

National Rankings by State:

#19 for prostate cancer incidence
#8 for prostate cancer deaths

Source: Estimates based on 2022 data from the American Cancer Society

ZERO's Impact in South Carolina

Patient Programs

- ZERO360 is ZERO's comprehensive patient navigation service that provides individualized case management to help patients and their families connect with financial assistance, navigate insurance, and find other kinds of support including emotional support and even transportation assistance.
- ZERO also offers peer-to-peer support through our Us TOO, MENtor, and Caregiver Connector programs. We match patients and caregivers with someone who has been on a similar journey to provide ongoing, one-on-one support. We also run a nationwide network of support groups for those affected by prostate cancer.
- ZERO Connect is our online private Facebook support group where you can connect with others affected by prostate cancer, learn from their experiences, and ask questions to patients and loved ones across the country.
- ZERO Drive transportation program provides transportation-related financial assistance to prostate cancer patients who are unable to find reliable transportation for their prostate cancer care.

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CDMRP Grants in South Carolina

Year Introduced: 1997
 Total Grants to Date: 46
 Total Grand Awards Through FY 2020*: \$16.2M

*PCRP data for FY 2021 has not yet been posted

Grant Recipient	Year	Amount
Medical University of South Carolina	2016	\$738,588.00
University of South Carolina	2010	\$706,958.00
Medical University of South Carolina	2009	\$660,330.00
Clafin University	2007	\$570,480.00
Medical University Of South Carolina	2004	\$569,781.00

CDC’s National Comprehensive Cancer Control Program (NCCCP) Funding in South Carolina:

- **Goal:** Increase the number of South Carolinians who are diagnosed with cancer at its earliest (local), and most curable stage.
- **Objective:** By December 31, 2021, improve the understanding and decision making process for prostate cancer screening and treatment among men aged 40 and older in South Carolina. (Data Source: BRFSS).
- **Objective:** By December 31, 2021, have knowledge about the main messages that primary care providers and nurse practitioners across the state are delivering to men ≥ 40 years about prostate cancer prevention, screening, treatment, and survivorship. (Data Source: SCCA)
- **Objective:** By December 31, 2021, increase opportunities for dialogue between community members and healthcare providers regarding how to make decisions about prostate cancer screening and treatment. (Data Source: SCCA)
- **Objective:** By December 31, 2021, make material progress toward establishing a cohort of Black men to validate a method for using serial PSA measures to detect aggressive prostate cancers that currently represent about 17% of all PrCAs diagnosed and one quarter of PrCAs diagnosed in Black men. (Data Source: SCCA)

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