

TABLES

TABLE 18: CHILDHOOD PRIMARY (MALIGNANT AND NON-MALIGNANT) BRAIN AND CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM TUMOR INCIDENCE RATES^a BY MAJOR HISTOLOGY GROUPINGS AND RACE (AGES 0-19), AGE-ADJUSTED TO THE 2000 U.S. STANDARD POPULATION, CBTRUS 2000-2004^b

HISTOLOGY GROUPING	WHITES		BLACKS	
	ADJUSTED RATE	95% C.I.	ADJUSTED RATE	95% C.I.
Tumors of Neuroepithelial Tissue	3.56	(3.45-3.68)	2.37	(2.16-2.60)
Tumors of Cranial and Spinal Nerves	0.20	(0.18-0.23)	-	-
Tumors of the Meninges	0.18	(0.15-0.20)	-	-
Lymphomas and Hemopoietic Neoplasms	0.02	(0.01-0.03)	-	-
Germ Cell Tumors and Cysts	0.18	(0.15-0.21)	-	-
Tumors of the Sellar Region	0.34	(0.30-0.37)	0.25	(0.18-0.33)
Local Extensions from Regional Tumors	-	-	-	-
Unclassified Tumors	0.24	(0.22-0.28)	0.14	(0.09-0.21)
TOTAL	4.73	(4.59-4.86)	3.02	(2.78-3.28)
MALE	4.93	(4.75-5.13)	3.18	(2.84-3.56)
FEMALE	4.51	(4.32-4.69)	2.85	(2.52-3.21)

^aRates are per 100,000 person-years.

^bIncludes data from 16 of the 19 registries listed in Table 5; North Dakota, South Dakota, and West Virginia are excluded.

- Rates are not presented when fewer than 16 cases were reported for the specific histology category. The suppressed cases are included in the counts and rates for Totals.

Abbreviations: CBTRUS, Central Brain Tumor Registry of the United States; CI, confidence interval; NOS, not otherwise specified.