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Fact Sheet on The Incidence of Cancer Among Females from 2000 to 2011

Introduction

The purpose of this Information Sheet is to provide an overview of the incidence of all cancers diagnosed among South African females from 2000 to 2011. Information is according to statistics obtained from the South African National Cancer Registry for each of the applicable years.

The cancer statistics are provided in groups of five cancers per graph to make it more legible. There is also an indication of the number of cases diagnosed per cancer per year.

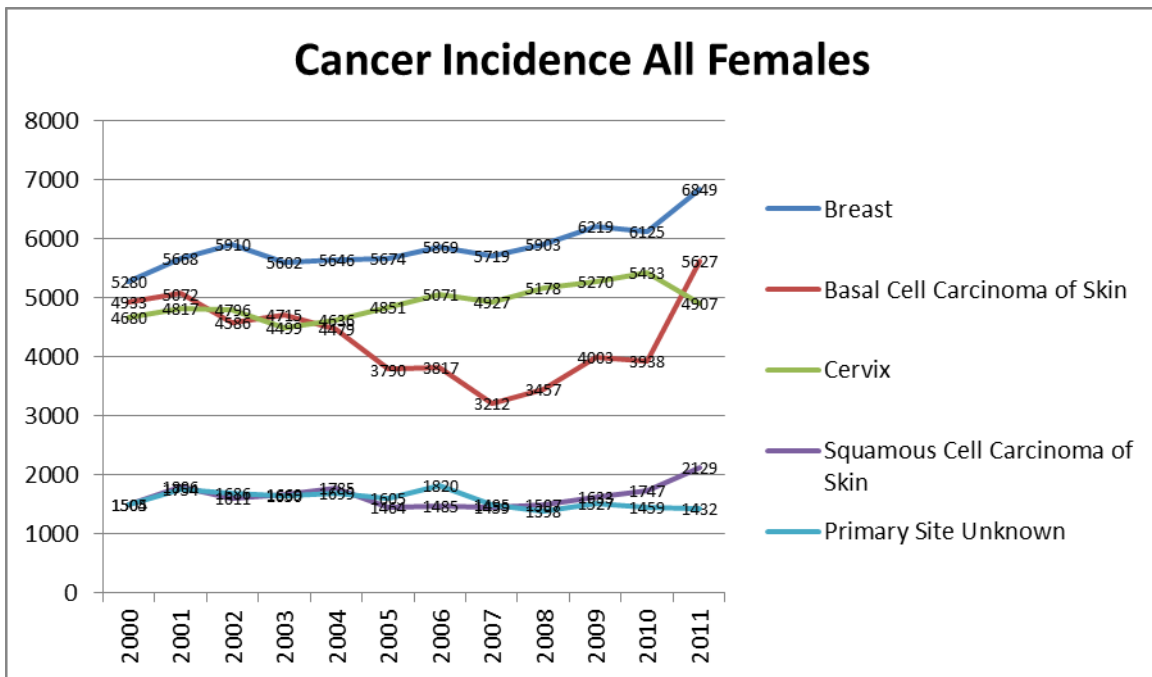
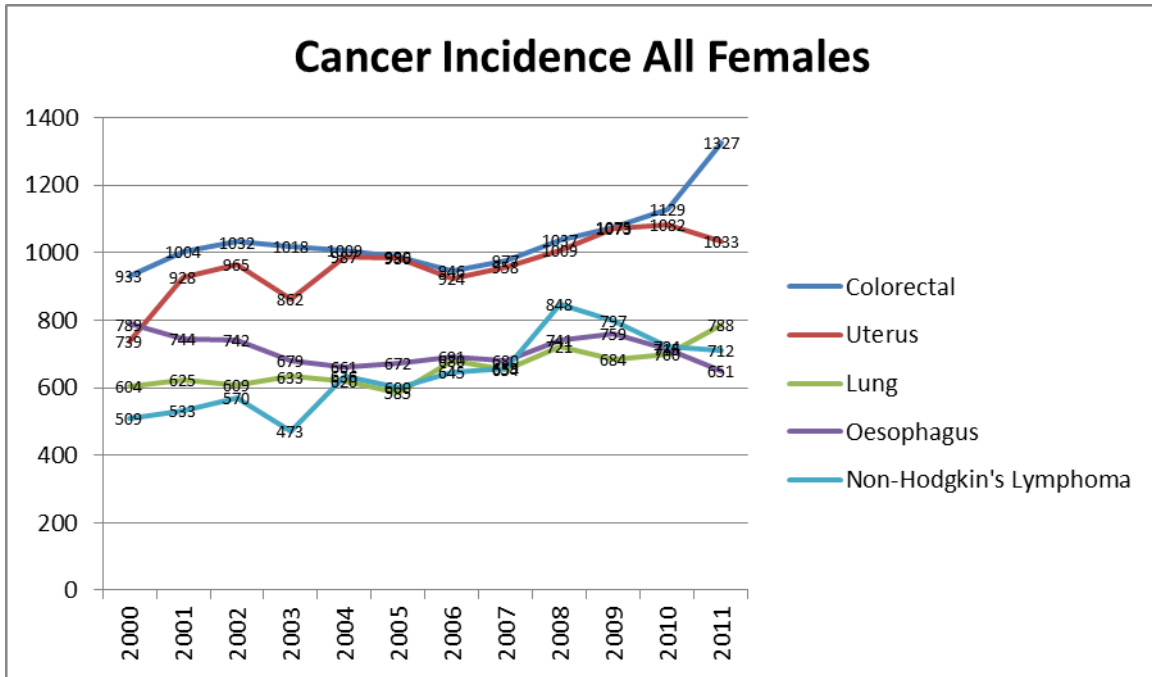
Statistics cannot tell one exactly what will happen to each person individually. It is information that applies to a group or population of people from which the statistics were calculated. This could be tens, hundreds or thousands of people.

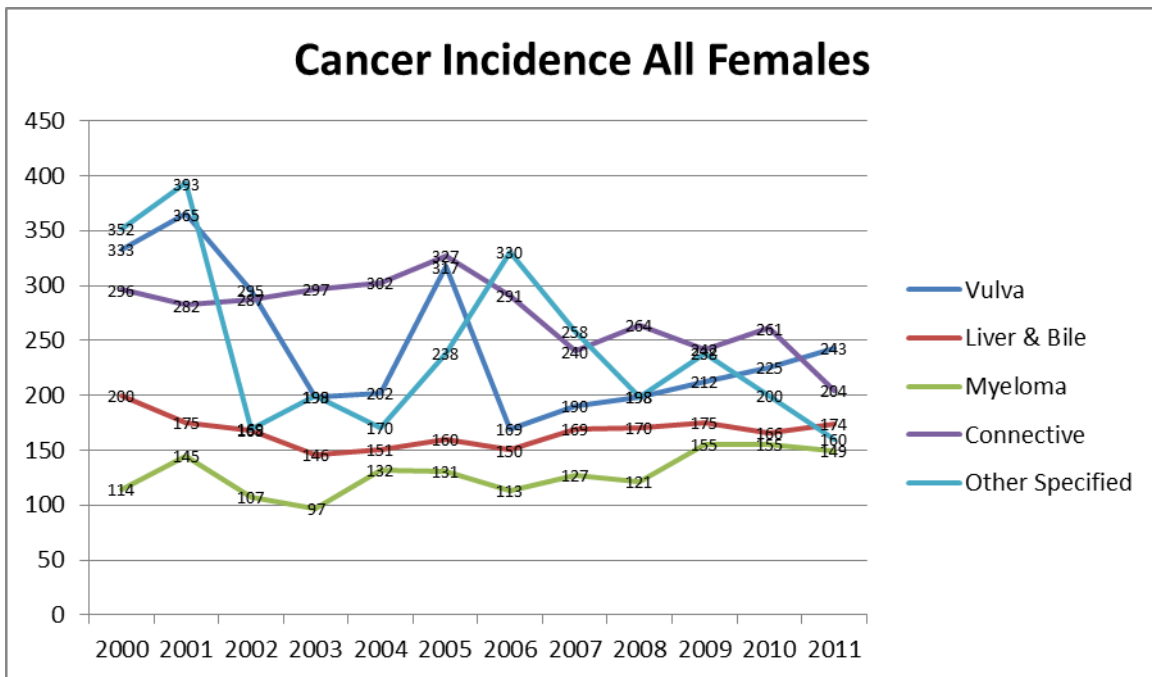
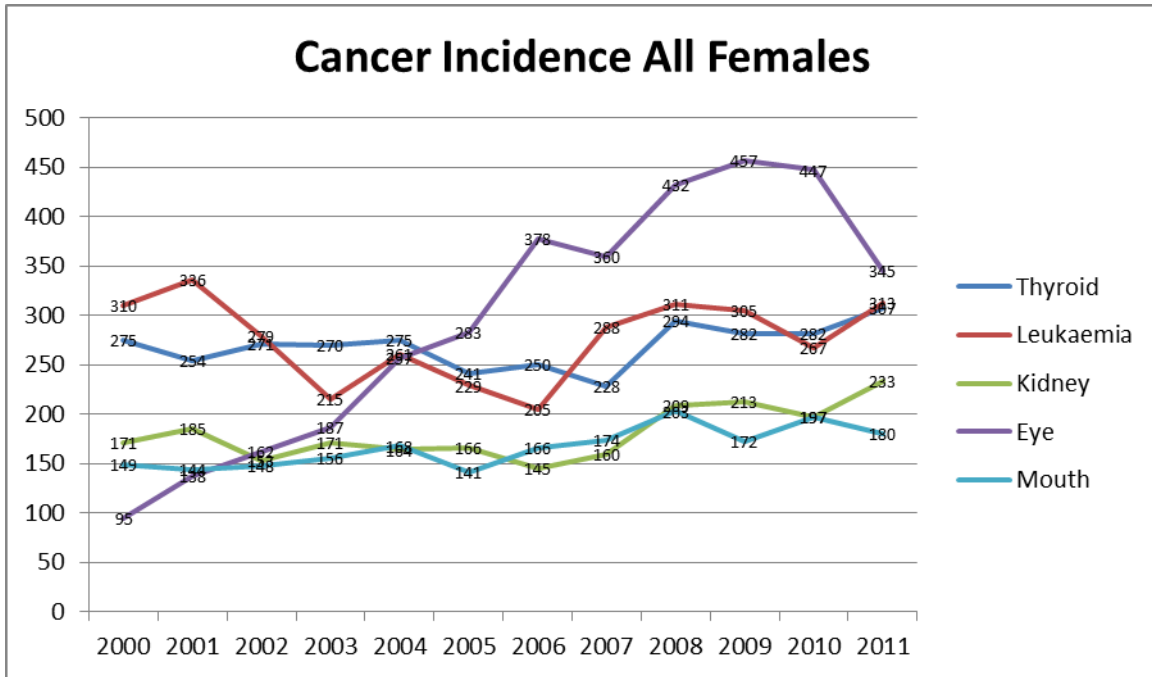
Every individual is unique and no statistic is able to give one exact answers about the outcome of a particular cancer.

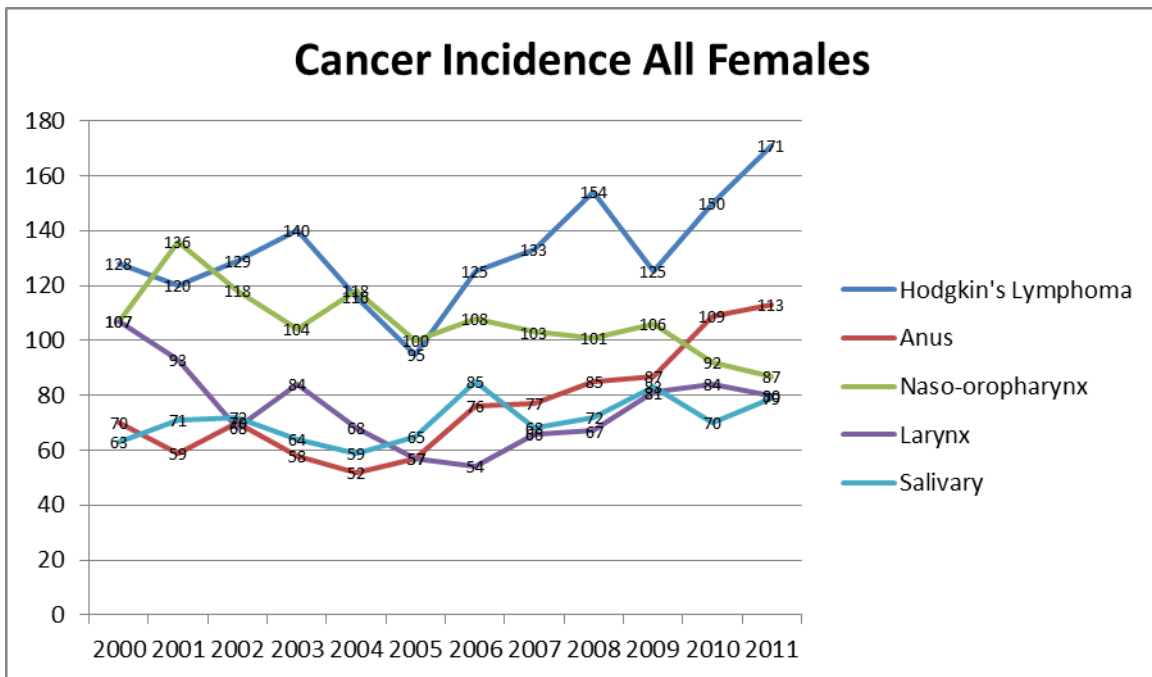
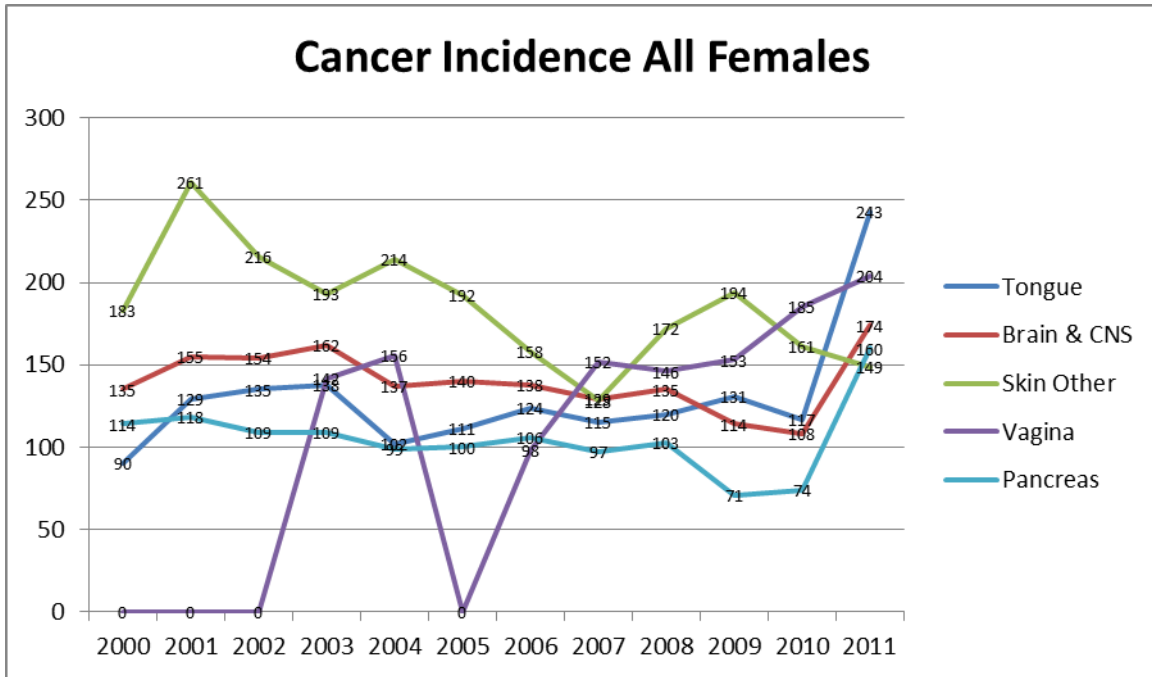
The Minister of Health published Regulations in the Government Gazette during the course of 2011 to make cancer a registrable disease. Because not all laboratories reported cancer diagnoses to the National Cancer Registry, one cannot have a true reflection of the incidence and burden of cancer in South Africa.

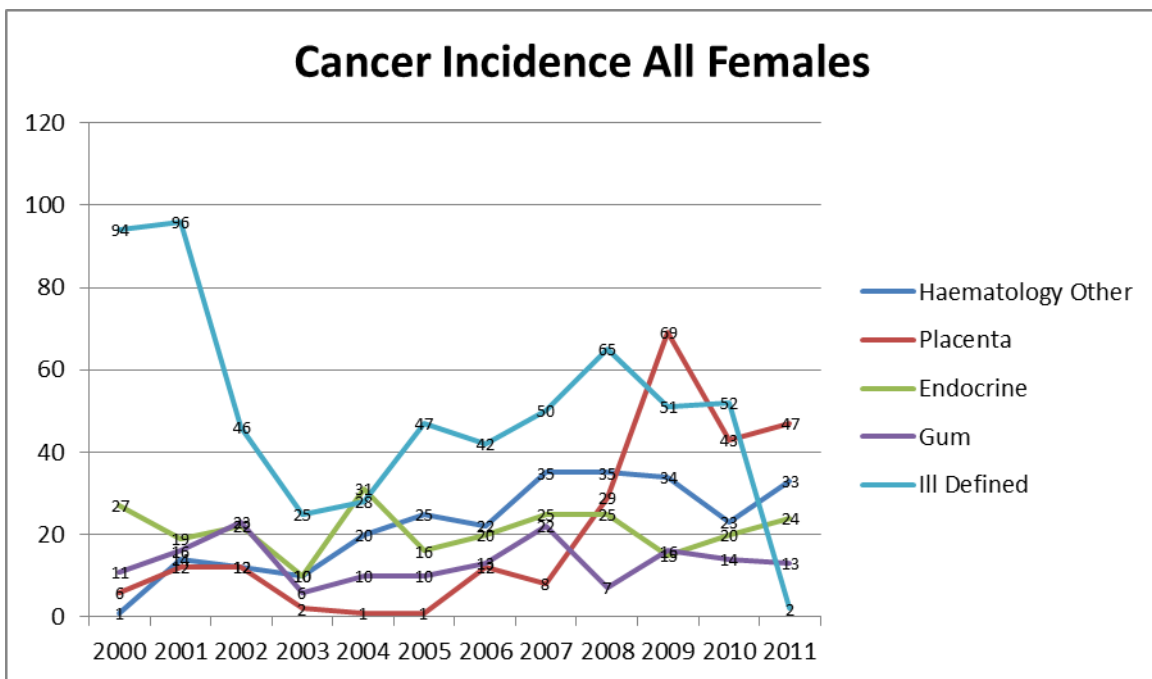
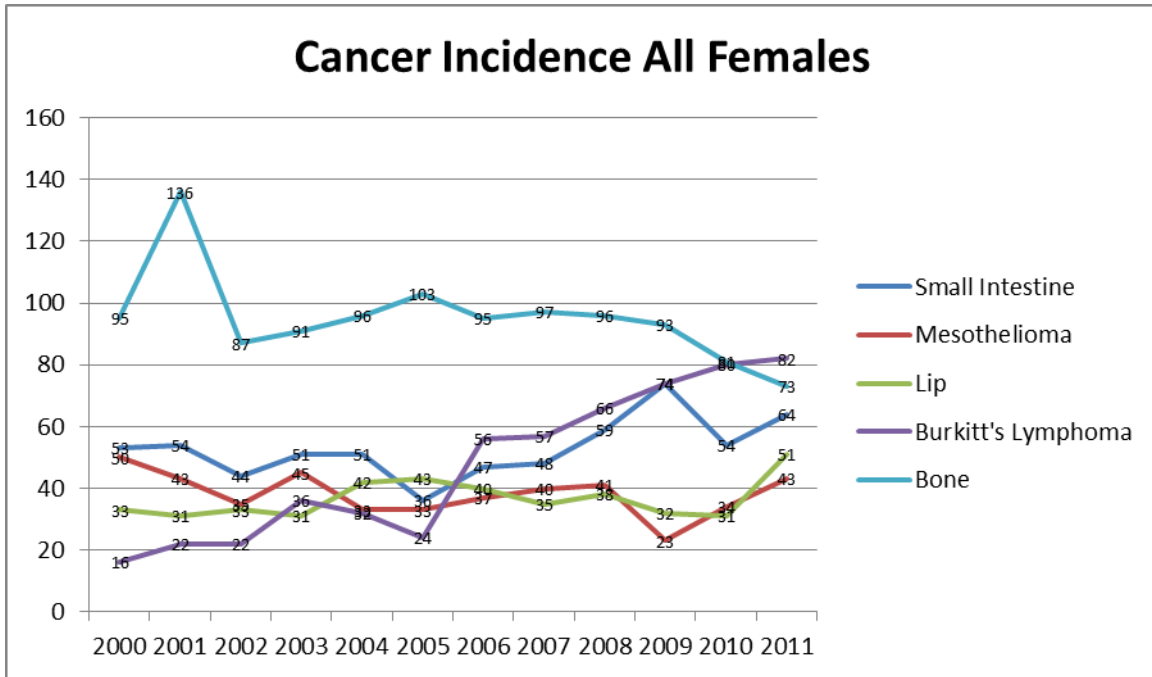
The tables below serve as an indication of the incidence and burden of cancer in South Africa from 2000 to 2011 in terms of the available cancer data.











Sources and References

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