

Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma in Louisiana

2017 - 2021
STATS AND
FACTS

1,019

NEW CASES FOUND
EACH YEAR



8,630

NON-HODGKIN LYMPHOMA[#]
SURVIVORS SINCE 2000

The 5-year relative
survival for Louisiana
people of all races⁺ **71%**

8th

leading cause of
cancer death among
people in Louisiana

Louisiana's rank in the US
for death rate of Non-
Hodgkin Lymphoma² **20th**

RATE OF NEW CANCER CASES PER 100,000 LOUISIANANS

Black 14.5

White 20.8

RATE OF CANCER DEATHS PER 100,000 LOUISIANANS

Black 4.2

White 5.8

Average annual rate per 100,000 age adjusted to the 2000 US standard population

Risk Factors¹



Increasing Age



Family History or
Inherited Factors



Radiation
Exposure



Exposures to certain
harmful chemicals



Sex



Race

Symptoms of Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma Include:¹

- Enlarged Lymph Nodes
- Swollen Abdomen
- Fever and Chills
- Chest Pains
- Weight Loss
- Shortness of Breath
- Fatigue
- Easily Bruising or Bleeding

There is no known way to prevent Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma development. Survival odds are best when diagnosed early. If any of the above symptoms occur with no other explanation, consult your physician.



8 in 10

People diagnosed at a localized
stage will survive at least 5 years



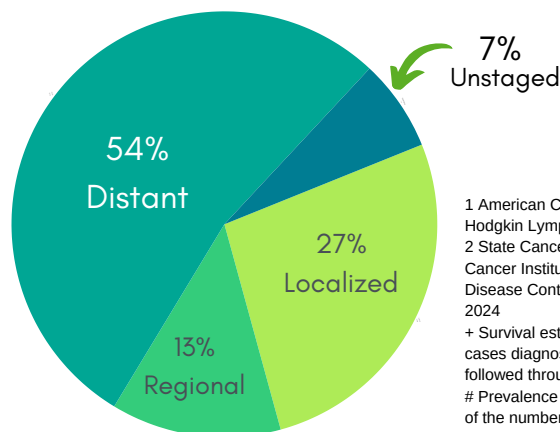
6 in 10

People diagnosed at a distant
stage will survive at least 5 years

STAGE AT DIAGNOSIS DISTRIBUTION



Less than
3 in 10
new cases were found
at early stages
(localized) in Louisiana



¹ American Cancer Society. Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma, 2024
² State Cancer Profiles, National Cancer Institute and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 2024

⁺ Survival estimates are based on cases diagnosed 2010-2020 and followed through 2021

[#] Prevalence counts are an estimate of the number of survivors on 1/1/2021 who were diagnosed between 2000-2020.



Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma is most
commonly diagnosed in Louisiana
in persons over age 65

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LOUISIANA TUMOR REGISTRY



One of 22 NCI-designated SEER cancer registries that gather information about cancer cases to help guide policies for cancer prevention, early detection, diagnosis, treatment, prognosis and survivorship.

OUR MISSION



To collect and report complete, high-quality, and timely population-based cancer data in Louisiana to support cancer research, control, and prevention.

OUR VISION



To reduce suffering and death from cancer using information collected by the Louisiana Tumor Registry.

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