

A. Demographics:

**Table 1 TB Cases by Gender
in Los Angeles County, 1998-2002**

Gender	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		Total Cases
	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	
Female	468	36.0	438	37.4	424	39.8	394	37.7	403	39.3	2127
Male	831	64.0	732	62.6	641	60.2	652	62.3	622	60.7	3478
Total	1299	100.0	1170	100.0	1065	100.0	1046	100.0	1025	100.0	5605

**Table 2 TB Cases by Age Group
in Los Angeles County, 1998-2002**

Age Group	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		Total Cases
	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	
00-04	40	3.1	39	3.3	35	3.3	30	2.9	16	1.6	160
05-14	25	1.9	24	2.1	25	2.3	22	2.1	37	3.6	133
15-34	345	26.6	276	23.6	297	27.9	267	25.5	234	22.8	1419
35-44	227	17.5	209	17.9	159	14.9	164	15.7	175	17.1	934
45-54	229	17.6	203	17.4	182	17.1	167	16.0	188	18.3	969
55-64	144	11.1	136	11.6	141	13.2	150	14.3	124	12.1	695
65+	289	22.2	283	24.2	226	21.2	246	23.5	251	24.5	1295
Total	1299	100.0	1170	100.0	1065	100.0	1046	100.0	1025	100.0	5605

**Table 3 TB Cases by Race/Ethnicity
in Los Angeles County, 1998-2002**

Race/Ethnicity	1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		Total Cases
	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	Cases	%	
ASIAN	428	32.9	355	30.3	343	32.2	372	35.6	364	35.5	1862
BLACK	172	13.2	141	12.1	140	13.1	97	9.3	103	10.0	653
HISPA	560	43.1	553	47.3	482	45.3	489	46.7	486	47.4	2570
Other	7	0.5	2	0.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1	10
WHITE	132	10.2	119	10.2	100	9.4	88	8.4	71	6.9	510
Total	1299	100.0	1170	100.0	1065	100.0	1046	100.0	1025	100.0	5605

Note: TB cases in Pasadena and Long Beach are not included in the report because these two cities have their own TB Control Programs.