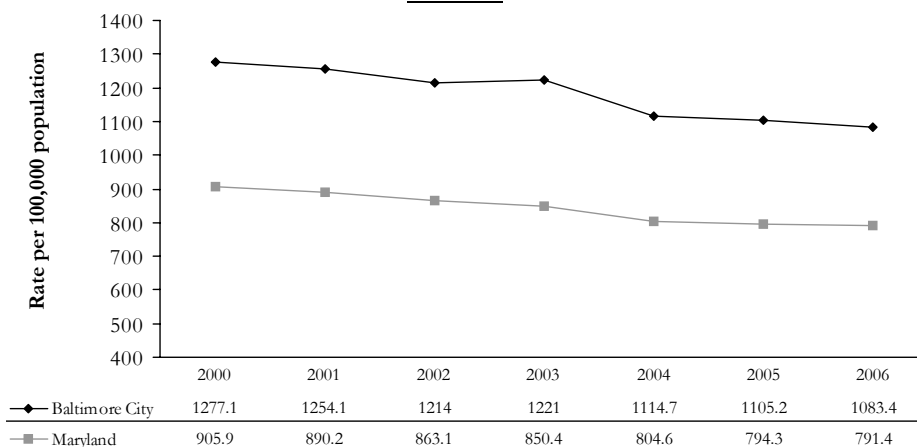


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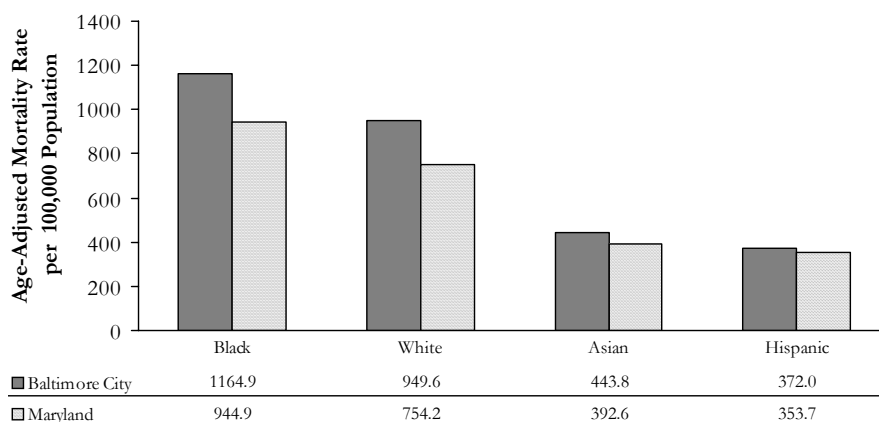
All Cause Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates, Baltimore City and Maryland, 2000-2006



Source: Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene - Maryland Vital Statistics Annual Report; Baltimore City Health Department analysis of data from the Baltimore City Vital Statistics Profile.

- In 2006, there were 7,017 deaths among Baltimore City residents (resulting in an all-cause mortality rate of 1083.4 per 100,000).
- Age-adjusted mortality rates for all causes of death have declined by 15% since 2000 among Baltimore City residents, which is slightly greater than the rate of decline statewide for this same period (13%).
- Despite these declines, mortality in Baltimore remains 37% higher than the statewide rate.
- Baltimore residents of all race/ethnicities have rates of mortality that are higher than those of their statewide counterparts (see below).
- Among race/ethnic groups, African Americans had the highest mortality rate both in Baltimore and statewide.

All Cause: Age-Adjusted Mortality Rates by Race, Baltimore City and Maryland, 2006



Source: Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene, Vital Statistics Administration - 2006 Maryland Vital Statistics Annual Report; and Baltimore City Health Department analysis of data from the 2006 Maryland Vital Statistics Profile and the 2006 Baltimore City Vital Statistics Profile.