The IHS service population is increasing at a rate of about 1.7 percent per year, excluding the impact of new Tribes. It is estimated to be approximately 1.9 million in CY 2009.

The largest percentage of the CY 2009 service population, 20, is located in the Oklahoma City Area, followed by the Navajo Area with 13. The Tucson Area has the smallest percentage, 2.

Chart 2.1 American Indian and Alaska Native IHS Service Population


Chart 2.2 Indian Health Service, Service Population by Area, CY 2009


Table 2.1 IHS Service Population by Area, 2000-2009

| Area | $\begin{gathered} 2000 \\ \text { (Census) } \end{gathered}$ | 2001 | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| All Areas | 1,641,828 | 1,669,599 | 1,706,723 | 1,739,906 | 1,769,896 | 1,797,364 | 1,824,845 | 1,852,417 | 1,880,056 | 1,907,777 |
| (\% Growth Rate) |  | 1.69 | 2.22 | 1.94 | 1.72 | 1.55 | 1.53 | 1.51 | 1.49 | 1.47 |
| Aberdeen | 100,8 | 103,064 | 105,336 | 107,641 | 110,018 | 112,430 | 114,890 | 117,407 | 119,968 | 122,581 |
| Alaska | 107,715 | 109,790 | 111,844 | 113,896 | 115,939 | 117,980 | 119,999 | 122,021 | 124,027 | 126,028 |
| Albuquerque | 95,385 | 96,811 | 98,265 | 99,758 | 101,277 | 102,836 | 104,428 | 106,054 | 107,714 | 109,408 |
| Bemidji | 106,551 | 108,256 | 109,984 | 111,718 | 113,501 | 115,304 | 117,134 | 118,989 | 120,868 | 122,782 |
| Billings | 58,476 | 59,627 | 60,792 | 61,998 | 63,242 | 64,533 | 65,848 | 67,194 | 68,578 | 69,998 |
| California | 166,665 | 168,69 | 170,668 | 172,562 | 174,403 | 176,178 | 177,884 | 179,526 | 181,108 | 182,624 |
| Nashville | 93,138 | 94,585 | 106,209 | 108,133 | 109,793 | 111,463 | 113,142 | 114,833 | 116,535 | 118,253 |
| Navajo | 218,455 | 221,830 | 225,196 | 228,538 | 231,864 | 235,175 | 238,468 | 241,744 | 245,002 | 248,244 |
| Oklahoma | 318,344 | 323,921 | 329,616 | 335,439 | 341,353 | 347,371 | 353,513 | 359,767 | 366,125 | 372,591 |
| Phoenix | 175,342 | 178,437 | 181,632 | 184,956 | 188,380 | 191,913 | 195,547 | 199,296 | 203,157 | 207,119 |
| Portland | 168,199 | 171,392 | 173,518 | 181,122 | 185,444 | 186,917 | 188,161 | 189,175 | 189,942 | 190,467 |
| Tucson | 32,705 | 33,187 | 33,663 | 34,145 | 34,682 | 35,264 | 35,831 | 36,411 | 37,032 | 37,682 |

SOURCE: Estimated American Indian and Alaska Native service population by Area based on 1995-2004 vital events and the 2000 census bridged-race file.

The AI/AN male and female populations (ages 24 and younger) are higher than the corresponding male and female populations for the U.S. all-races. Sixteen (16) percent of $\mathrm{Al} / \mathrm{AN}$ males are under age 15 and 15 percent of AI/AN females are in this age group. The percent for U.S. all-races under 15 is 11 percent for males and 10 percent for females.

Chart 2.3 Population by Age and Sex, 2000 Census with Bridged Race Categories

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## Table 2.3 Age and Sex Percent Distribution

American Indians and Alaska Natives, IHS Service Area, and U.S. All-Races and White Populations, 2000 Census with Bridged Race Categories

| Age Group | AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA NATIVE, IHS SERVICE AREA ${ }^{1}$ |  | U.S. ALL RACES |  | U.S. WHITE |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Male | Female | Male | Female | Male | Female |
| Percent of Both Sexes: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All Ages | 49.335 | 50.665 | 49.069 | 50.931 | 49.320 | 50.680 |
| Under 1 year | 0.998 | 0.953 | 0.700 | 0.667 | 0.669 | 0.636 |
| $1-4$ years | 3.947 | 3.806 | 2.779 | 2.654 | 2.657 | 2.526 |
| 5-14 years | 10.969 | 10.660 | 7.460 | 7.103 | 7.123 | 6.755 |
| 15-24 years | 9.060 | 8.780 | 7.158 | 6.801 | 6.953 | 6.519 |
| 25-34 years | 7.008 | 7.066 | 7.125 | 6.995 | 7.029 | 6.737 |
| 35-44 years | 7.084 | 7.553 | 7.963 | 8.049 | 8.054 | 7.971 |
| 45-54 years | 5.060 | 5.484 | 6.611 | 6.854 | 6.849 | 6.957 |
| 55-64 years | 2.846 | 3.167 | 4.152 | 4.500 | 4.391 | 4.677 |
| 65-74 years | 1.539 | 1.886 | 2.941 | 3.568 | 3.181 | 3.787 |
| 75-84 years | 0.653 | 0.970 | 1.740 | 2.662 | 1.927 | 2.922 |
| 85 years and over | 0.171 | 0.340 | 0.442 | 1.077 | 0.488 | 1.194 |

Percent of Within Each Sex:

| All Ages | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Under 1 year | 2.024 | 1.880 | 1.426 | 1.309 | 1.356 | 1.254 |
| $1-4$ years | 8.001 | 7.513 | 5.663 | 5.212 | 5.387 | 4.983 |
| 5-14 years | 22.233 | 21.040 | 15.203 | 13.947 | 14.443 | 13.329 |
| 15-24 years | 18.364 | 17.330 | 14.587 | 13.353 | 14.097 | 12.864 |
| 25-34 years | 14.204 | 13.946 | 14.520 | 13.735 | 14.251 | 13.292 |
| 35-44 years | 14.359 | 14.907 | 16.228 | 15.803 | 16.330 | 15.728 |
| 45-54 years | 10.256 | 10.824 | 13.473 | 13.457 | 13.888 | 13.728 |
| 55-64 years | 5.769 | 6.252 | 8.462 | 8.836 | 8.903 | 9.229 |
| 65-74 years | 3.120 | 3.723 | 5.994 | 7.006 | 6.449 | 7.473 |
| 75-84 years | 1.323 | 1.914 | 3.545 | 5.227 | 3.907 | 5.766 |
| 85 years and over | 0.347 | 0.671 | 0.900 | 2.115 | 0.990 | 2.355 |

${ }^{1}$ Counts may not sum exactly to 2000 Census with Bridged Race Categories totals found in other tables due to rounding of counts by age and sex for counties split between service units. This table should be used for population by age and sex only.

For AI/AN, 31 percent of the population was younger than 15 years and six percent was older than 64 years. For the U.S. all-races population, the corresponding percentages were 21 and 12 , respectively.

## Chart 2.4 Population by Age

2000 Census with Bridged Race Categories


Table 2.4 Percent Age Distribution
American Indians and Alaska Natives, IHS Service Area, and U.S. All-Races and White Populations, 2000 Census with Bridged Race Categories

| Age Group | American Indian and Alaska Native ${ }^{1}$ | U.S. All Races | U.S. White |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| All Ages | 100.000 | 100.000 | 100.000 |
| Under 1 year | 1.951 | 1.366 | 1.305 |
| $1-4$ years | 7.754 | 5.433 | 5.182 |
| 5-9 years | 10.642 | 7.256 | 6.887 |
| 10-14 years | 10.986 | 7.307 | 6.991 |
| 15-19 years | 10.023 | 7.180 | 6.924 |
| 20-24 years | 7.817 | 6.778 | 6.548 |
| 25-29 years | 7.113 | 6.841 | 6.620 |
| 30-34 years | 6.960 | 7.279 | 7.146 |
| 35-39 years | 7.609 | 8.030 | 7.995 |
| 40-44 years | 7.028 | 7.982 | 8.030 |
| 45-49 years | 5.852 | 7.166 | 7.292 |
| 50-54 years | 4.692 | 6.299 | 6.514 |
| 55-59 years | 3.400 | 4.805 | 5.036 |
| 60-64 years | 2.614 | 3.847 | 4.033 |
| 65-69 years | 1.975 | 3.373 | 3.578 |
| 70-74 years | 1.450 | 3.137 | 3.390 |
| 75-79 years | 1.027 | 2.635 | 2.891 |
| 80-84 years | 0.595 | 1.767 | 1.958 |
| 85 years \& over | 0.511 | 1.519 | 1.682 |
| Median Age | 25.0 | 34.9 | 36.2 |

[^0]According to the 2000 Census, 70.9 percent of AI/AN (alone) age 25 and older are high school graduates or higher, compared with 80.4 percent for the U.S. all-races population. For bachelor's degree or higher, these percentages are 11.5 and 24.4, respectively.

## Chart 2.5 Educational Attainment

American Indians and Alaska Natives (alone) and U.S. All Races, 2000 Census


According to the 2000 Census, 13.1 percent of AI/AN (alone) males age 16 and older were unemployed, compared with 5.7 percent for the U.S. all-races male population. For females, these percentages were 11.7 and 5.8 , respectively.

## Chart 2.6 Employment Status by Sex

American Indians and Alaska Natives (alone) and U.S. All Races, 2000 Census


According to the 2000 Census, the median household income in 1999 for AI/AN (alone) was $\$ 30,599$, compared with \$41,994 for the U.S. all-races population. During this period, 25.7 percent of $\mathrm{Al} / \mathrm{AN}$ lived below the poverty level in contrast to 12.4 percent for the U.S. all-races population.

## Chart 2.7 Income Status in 1999

American Indians and Alaska Natives (alone) and U.S. All Races, 2000 Census


Table 2.5 Selected Economic Profiles for the United States, 2000 Census

|  | American Indian and Alaska Native (alone) | All Races | White (alone) | Black (alone) | Asian (alone) | Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander (alone) | Hispanic ${ }^{1}$ (alone) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Educational Attainment (Persons 25 years and older): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Percent less than 9th grade | 11.1 | 7.5 | 5.9 | 7.9 | 10.7 | 7.5 | 27.8 |
| Percent 9th to 12th grade, no diploma | 18.0 | 12.1 | 10.5 | 19.8 | 8.9 | 14.2 | 19.8 |
| Percent high school graduate or higher | 70.9 | 80.4 | 83.6 | 72.3 | 80.4 | 78.2 | 52.4 |
| Percent bachelor's degree or higher | 11.5 | 24.4 | 26.1 | 14.3 | 44.1 | 13.8 | 10.4 |
| Civilian Employment Status by Sex (Persons 16 years and older): |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Percent unemployed, males | 13.1 | 5.7 | 4.6 | 12.0 | 5.0 | 10.8 | 8.2 |
| Percent unemployed, females | 11.7 | 5.8 | 4.6 | 10.8 | 5.3 | 11.0 | 10.6 |
| Household Income in 1999: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Median household income | \$30,599 | \$41,994 | \$44,687 | \$29,423 | \$51,908 | \$42,717 | \$33,676 |
| Percent Below the Poverty Level by Age: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| All ages | 25.7 | 12.4 | 9.1 | 24.9 | 12.6 | 17.7 | 22.6 |
| Under 5 years | 34.5 | 18.2 | 12.5 | 36.7 | 6.4 | 11.6 | 28.8 |
| 5 years | 33.6 | 17.6 | 12.0 | 35.2 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 28.5 |
| 6 to 11 years | 31.7 | 16.9 | 11.3 | 33.5 | 9.5 | 14.5 | 28.2 |
| 12 to 17 years | 29.0 | 14.8 | 10.0 | 29.4 | 9.9 | 12.8 | 26.2 |
| 18 to 64 years | 22.6 | 11.1 | 8.6 | 20.7 | 65.1 | 55.5 | 19.9 |
| 65 to 74 years | 21.9 | 8.5 | 6.7 | 21.4 | 4.4 | 2.1 | 18.4 |
| 75 years and older | 26.3 | 11.5 | 10.0 | 26.6 | 3.1 | 1.0 | 21.8 |

[^1]The estimated CY 2007 population was $939,743 \mathrm{Al} / \mathrm{AN}$ people residing in the Urban Indian Health Programs service area. Of these, 60 percent in full ambulatory care programs, 31 percent resided within urban programs offering referral programs, and 10 percent in limited ambulatory care programs.

## Chart 2.8 Urban Indian Health Programs Service Area Population By Category



Table 2.8 Urban Indian Health Programs Service Area Population by Category

| Traditional Urban Indian Health Programs | Estimated CY 2007 Population | Percent of Total American Indians in Urban Projects |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 939,743 ${ }^{1}$ | 100.0 |
| Full Ambulatory Care | 562,246 | 59.8 |
| Referral | 287,291 | 30.6 |
| Limited Ambulatory Care | 90,206 | 9.6 |
| Demonstration | NA | NA |

${ }^{1}$ Includes 398,595 American Indian and Alaska Natives who reside in 36 counties in the IHS service areas
NOTE: NA denotes data not available. Demonstration Project population is not collected by the IHS, Office of Urban Indian Health Programs.

SOURCE: IHS Division of Program Statistics, "Projected American Indian/Alaska Native Population for Specified Urban Programs by County, 2000 to 2020".


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Counts may not sum exactly to 2000 Census with Bridged Race Categories totals found in other tables due to rounding of counts by age and sex for counties split between service units. This table should be used for population by age and sex only

[^1]:    ${ }^{\text {D }}$ Data for Hispanic persons are not tabulated separately by race. Data shown for Hispanic persons include all persons of Hispanic origin of any race.
    NOTE: Selected Population Groups: American Indian and Alaska Native (alone); White (alone); Black or African American (alone); Asian (alone); and Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander (alone); and Hispanic (alone).
    SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Census 2000 Summary File 3

