

**TABLE 3**  
**Brain and CNS Cancer Incidence**  
**Arlington, MA**  
**1989-1995**

Census Tract	Total						Males						Female		
	Obs	Exp	SIR	95% CI			Obs	Exp	SIR	95% CI			Obs	Exp	SIR
3561	1	2.0	NC	NC	--	NC	1	1.0	NC	NC	--	NC	0	1.0	NC
3562	6	3.5	173	63	--	377	0	1.5	NC	NC	--	NC	6	1.9	313
3563	1	3.3	NC	NC	--	NC	1	1.6	NC	NC	--	NC	0	1.8	NC
3564	7	5.3	131	53	--	271	6	2.7	225	82	--	490	1	2.7	NC
3565	6	4.6	131	48	--	285	3	2.2	NC	NC	--	NC	3	2.3	NC
3566	5	5.5	91	29	--	212	1	2.6	NC	NC	--	NC	4	2.9	NC
3567	7	5.4	130	52	--	268	3	2.4	NC	NC	--	NC	4	3.0	NC
City Total	33	29.6	111	77	--	156	15	14.1	107	60	--	176	18	15.6	116

Note: SIRs are calculated based on the exact number of expected cases.

Expected number of cases presented are rounded to the nearest tenth.

SIRs and 95% CI are not calculated when observed number of cases < 5.

Obs = Observed number of cases

Exp = Expected number of cases

SIR = Standardized Incidence Ratio

95% CI = 95% Confidence Interval

NC = Not calculated

\* = Statistical significance

Data Source: Massachusetts Cancer Registry, Center for Health Information, Statistics, Research and Evaluation, Massachusetts Department of Public Health