Age-Adjusted Invasive Cancer Incidence Rates in Arkansas
Colon & Rectum, 2002 - 2011
By County
Age-Adjusted to the 2000 U.S. Standard Million Population

Arkansas Rate: 47.0 / per 100,000

- 36.1 - 43.7
- 43.8 - 47.6
- 48.0 - 52.5
- 53.1 - 67.6

All rates per 100,000.
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