

**Connecticut Department of Public Health Viral Hepatitis Surveillance Program  
Rate of chronic hepatitis B cases by sex and age group, 2007-2011**

<b>Age group</b>	<b>Sex</b>	<b>Year reported</b>				
		2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
		Rate	Rate	Rate	Rate	Rate
<15	<i>female</i>	1.2	0.3	1.5	1.5	0.9
	<i>male</i>	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.3	--
15-19	<i>female</i>	5.7	4.1	4.1	2.5	1.6
	<i>male</i>	3.9	5.4	4.7	5.4	5.4
20-29	<i>female</i>	23.5	18.4	16.6	15.2	22.1
	<i>male</i>	15.5	14.2	14.2	11.6	5.3
30-39	<i>female</i>	26.2	28.4	33.5	22.0	27.5
	<i>male</i>	39.9	38.9	28.5	29.0	23.3
40-49	<i>female</i>	9.9	14.1	13.0	11.3	8.8
	<i>male</i>	33.4	34.5	33.4	20.1	18.6
50-59	<i>female</i>	6.7	7.1	6.3	6.0	7.1
	<i>male</i>	25.4	24.3	20.3	20.3	13.3
60+	<i>female</i>	4.7	4.7	2.7	4.2	4.0
	<i>male</i>	11.6	10.7	12.6	11.6	8.4

**1. Rate per 100,000 population based on the 2010 census.**

**2. Chronic case=two laboratory reports of positive HBsAg, HBeAg or HBV DNA at least six months apart or one positive of the fore mentioned tests with an IgM anti-HBc negative report.**