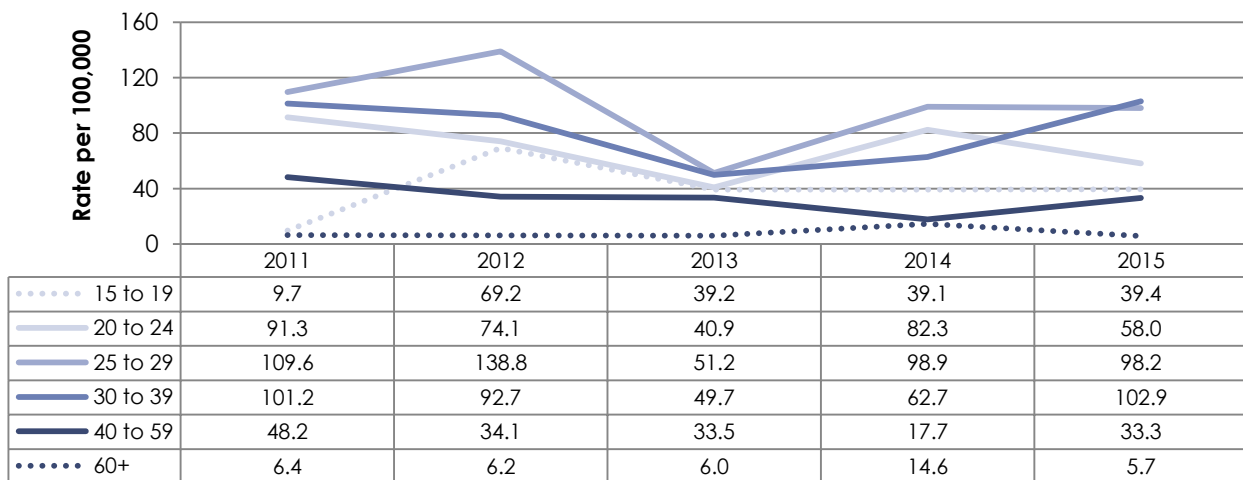


# Hepatitis C Rates by Gender and Age Group Saskatoon Health Region, 2011 to 2015

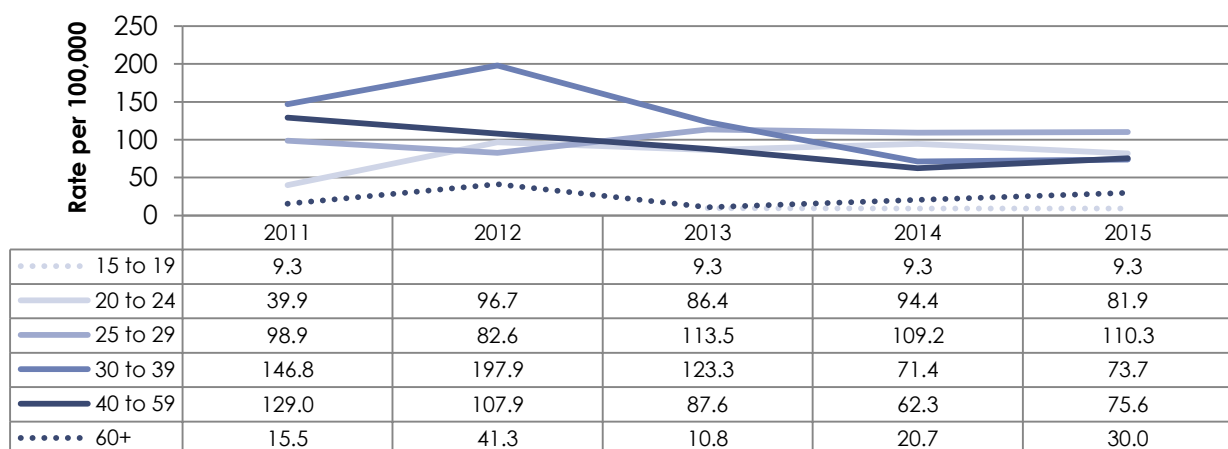
## Highlights

- Rates decreased in almost all female age groups to 2013 but have increased again for all but the eldest age groups. Rates continued to decrease or have remained unchanged in males.
- The highest rates among females are in the 30 to 39 year-old age group at 102.9 per 100,000 in 2015 (Figure 1). This rate has been fairly unstable in the past five years. Hepatitis C, while rare in children, was reported in five females under fifteen years old in the last five years (not shown).
- The highest hepatitis C rates among males are in the 25 to 29 year-old age group at 110.3 per 100,000 in 2015 (Figure 2). The rate has been historically highest in the 30 to 39 year-old age group, but has decreased (Figure 2). No hepatitis C has been reported in male children under fifteen years old since 2010 (not shown).

**Figure 1: Female Hepatitis C Rates per 100,000 Population by Selected Age Groups, Saskatoon Health Region, 2011 to 2015**



**Figure 2: Male Hepatitis C Rates per 100,000 Population by Selected Age Groups, Saskatoon Health Region, 2011 to 2015**



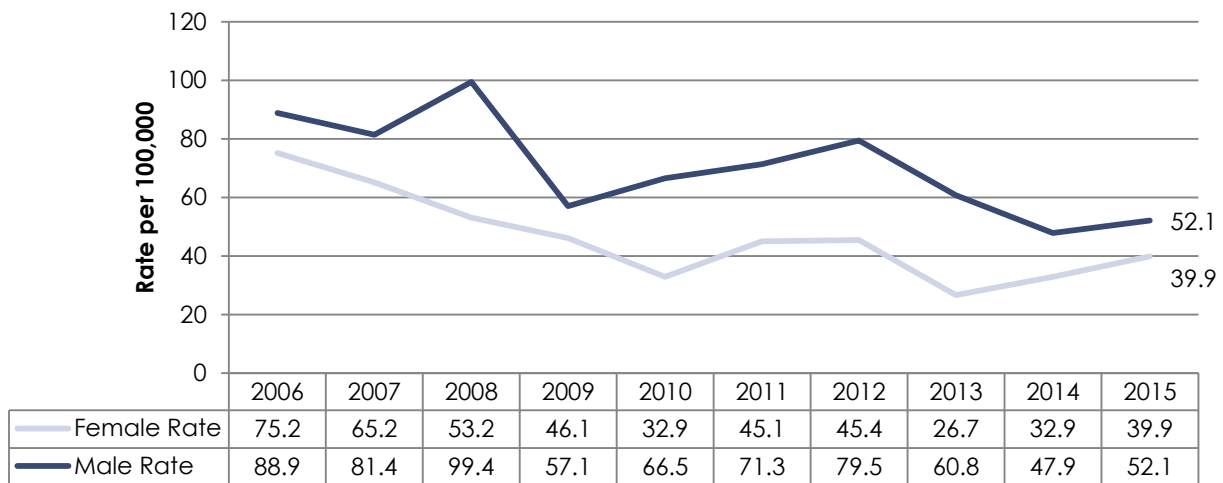
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# Hepatitis C Rates and Cases by Gender Saskatoon Health Region, 2006 to 2015

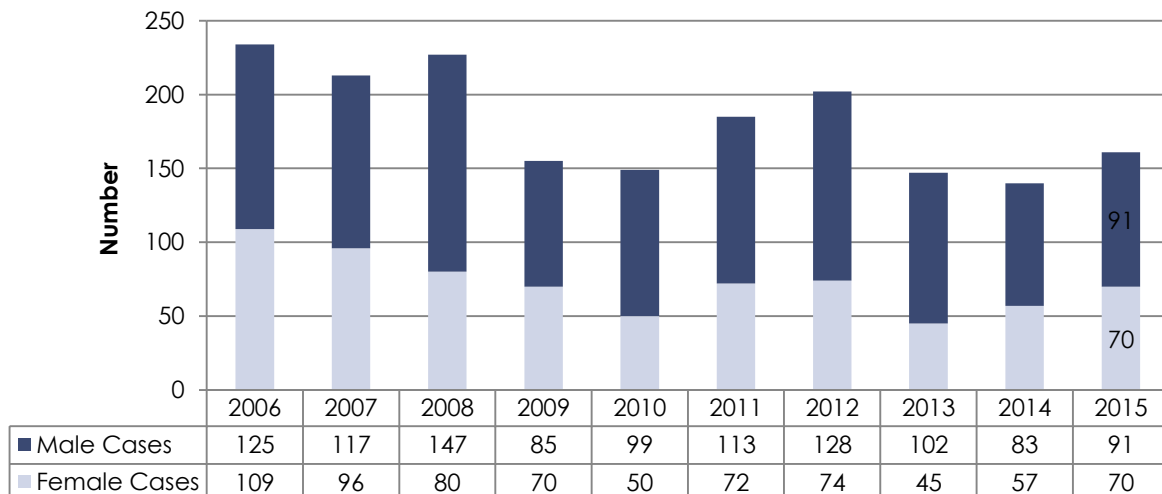
## Highlights

- Hepatitis C rates have decreased in the Region in both men and women (Figure 3).
- The female rate in 2015 was 39.9 per 100,000 and the male rate 52.1 per 100,000. These rates reflect a ten year decrease in females and males until 2015 when both rates increased slightly. The increase in the rate among males in 2008 reflects an outbreak of acute hepatitis C.
- The number of hepatitis C cases in 2015 was 161, with 91 cases in males and 70 cases in females (Figure 4).

**Figure 3: Hepatitis C Rates per 100,000 Population by Gender, Saskatoon Health Region, 2006 to 2015**



**Figure 4: Hepatitis C Cases by Gender, Saskatoon Health Region, 2005 to 2015**



Source: iPHIS