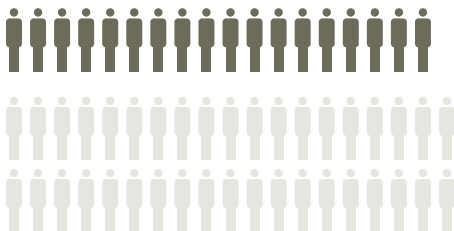
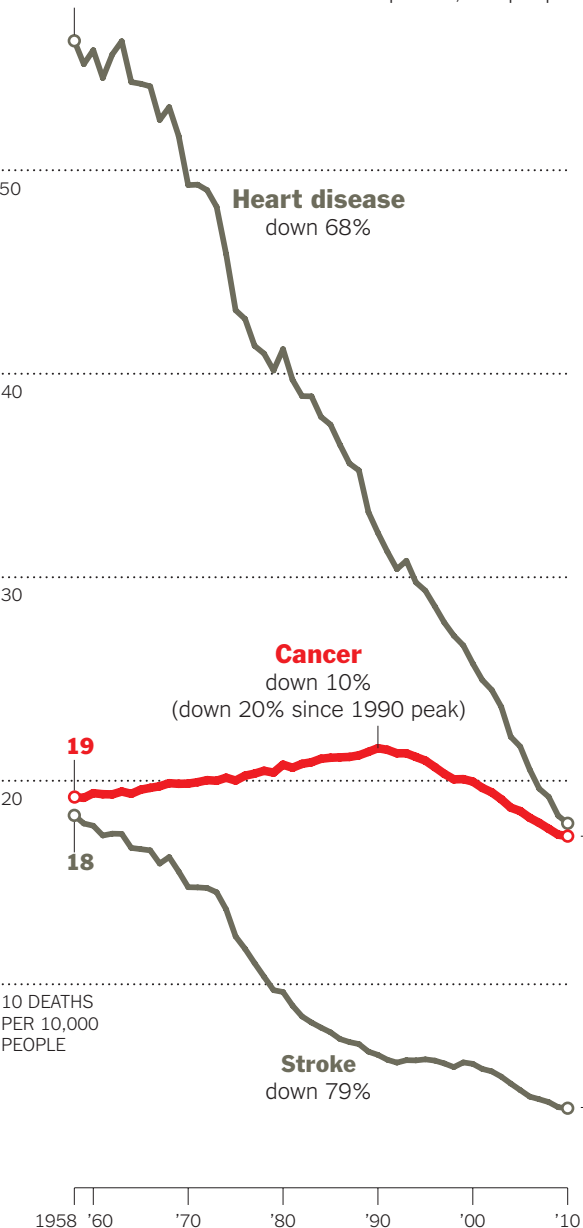


Declining Lethality

Heart disease death rate for 1958: **56** per 10,000 people.

2010 death rate: **18** per 10,000 people.



Compared with 1958, this is a reduction of **38** deaths per 10,000.

2010 cancer death rate: **17** per 10,000.



Compared with 1958, a reduction of **2**.

2010 stroke death rate: **4** per 10,000.



Compared with 1958, a reduction of **14**.

Note: Figures calculated to account for the aging of the U.S. population.

The Rise in Life Expectancy

	IN 1958	IN 2010	GAIN IN YEARS
White women	73.9	81.3	7.4
Black women	65.8	78.0	12.2
White men	67.4	76.5	9.1
Black men	61.0	71.8	10.8