

Issue Brief

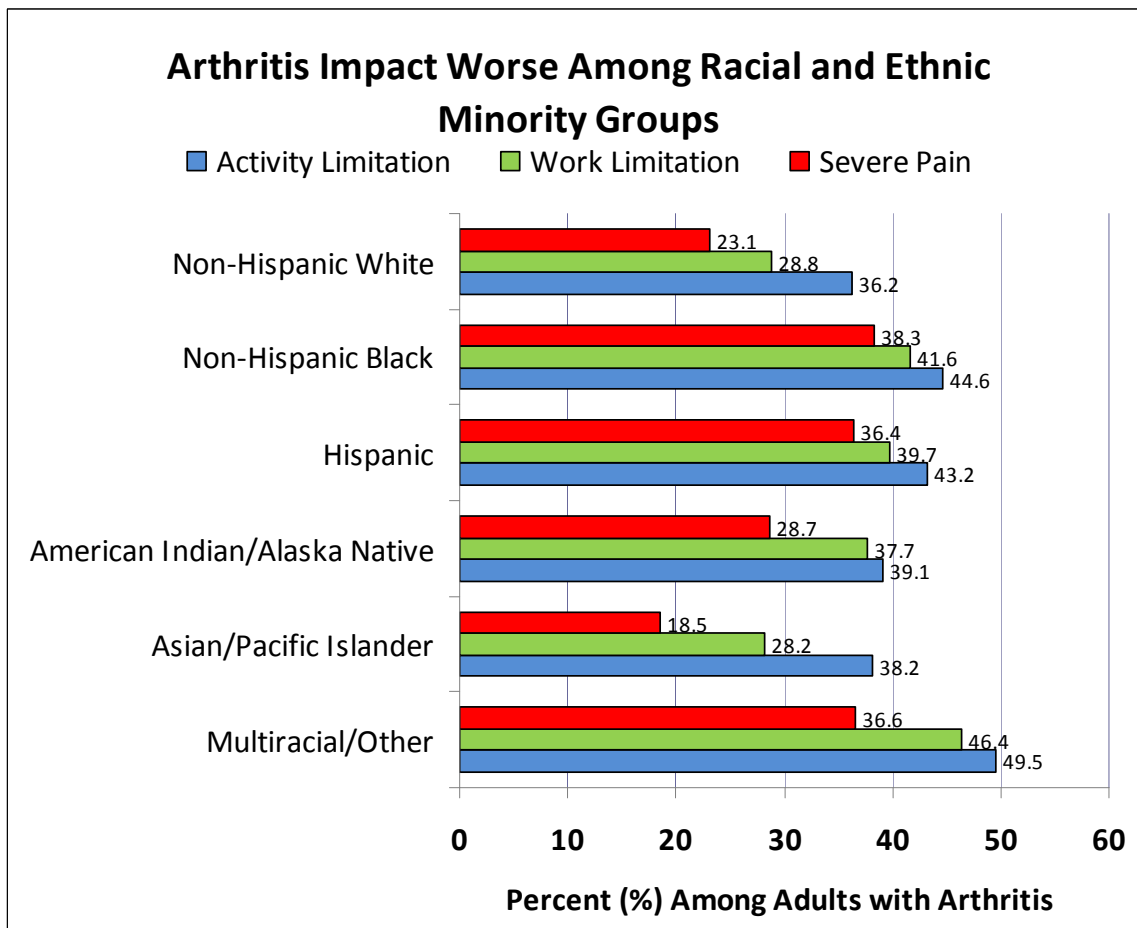


Arthritis Impact Worse Among Minorities

New national data from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention provides first ever estimates of arthritis prevalence among Asian Americans/Pacific Islanders (8%) and American Indians/Alaska Natives (25%). Additional prevalence data among other racial and ethnic groups included non-Hispanic whites 23.8%, non-Hispanic blacks 19.4%, Hispanics 11.1% and multiracial/other 20.7%.

The full report can be found by visiting

http://www.cdc.gov/arthritis/resources/spotlights/arthritis_impact.htm



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