

## TOTAL DEATHS BY SELECTED AGE GROUPS WITH THE FIVE LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

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Calendar Year	2003		2004		2005		2006	
	Number	Rank	Number	Rank	Number	Rank	Number	Rank
<u>Total Under 1 Year</u>	447		451		420		406	
Congenital Malformations	116	1	120	1	113	1	120	1
Sudden Infant Death Syn.	48	3	53	2	42	2	53	2
Short Gestation & Low Birth Weight	61	2	45	3	31	3	45	3
Maternal Complications of Pregnancy	26	4	27	4	21	4	27	4
Accidents	15	6	15	5	21	4	15	5
Placenta & Cord Complications	23	5	12	8	21	4	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>
<u>Total 1-14</u>	218		176		180		165	
Accidents	75	1	59	1	71	1	67	1
Malignant Neoplasms	34	2	31	2	24	2	22	2
Congenital Anomalies	17	3	12	4	15	3	13	3
Homicide	13	4	16	3	10	4	9	4
Influenza and Pneumonia	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	6	5
Diseases of Heart	11	5	6	5	6	5	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>
Suicide	6	6	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>
<u>Total 15-24</u>	564		601		599		644	
Accidents	246	1	294	1	275	1	319	1
Suicide	100	2	102	2	99	2	115	2
Homicide	49	3	53	3	55	3	56	3
Malignant Neoplasms	41	4	41	4	42	4	42	4
Diseases of Heart	18	5	14	5	20	5	13	5
<u>Total 25-44</u>	2,231		2,161		2,129		2,089	
Accidents	574	1	564	1	620	1	603	1
Malignant Neoplasms	339	2	338	2	303	2	334	2
Suicide	294	3	301	3	263	3	239	3
Diseases of Heart	265	4	221	4	211	4	236	4
Homicide	89	5	88	5	98	5	92	5
HIV	89	5	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>	-- <sup>1</sup>
<u>Total 45-64</u>	8,076		8,207		8,531		8,708	
Malignant Neoplasms	2,807	1	2,844	1	2,894	1	2,964	1
Diseases of Heart	1,654	2	1,611	2	1,612	2	1,586	2
Accidents	560	3	640	3	704	3	779	3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	335	4	343	4	352	4	343	4
Diabetes Mellitus	334	5	343	4	337	5	341	5
<u>Total 65 &amp; Over</u>	34,269		33,107		34,156		33,865	
Diseases of Heart	9,199	1	8,765	1	9,063	1	8,713	1
Malignant Neoplasms	7,820	2	7,723	2	7,744	2	7,638	2
Alzheimer's Disease	2,360	4	2,206	4	2,283	5	2,434	3
Cerebrovascular Diseases	3,203	3	2,896	3	2,578	3	2,395	4
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	2,296	5	2,177	5	2,318	4	2,290	5

<sup>1</sup>These causes of death do not rank in the top 5 leading causes for these years.

Note: Leading cause of death rankings based on criteria set by the National Center for Health Statistics; figures in previous Data Books were based on state-developed ranking criteria that are no longer used.

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