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Causes of Death	All Ages		<1 Yr.		1-14 Yrs.		15-24 Yrs.		25-34 Yrs.		35-44 Yrs.		45-54 Yrs.		55-64 Yrs.		65- 74 Yrs.		75+ Yrs.		Age Adj.
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	Rate
	All Causes	39,371	968.4	318	618.5	193	25.0	499	86.2	694	124.9	1,516	237.5	2,846	492.9	4,536	1180.4	7,651	2794.6	21,118	9006.2
Diseases of Heart	11,756	289.2	4	7.8	8	1.0	22	3.8	71	12.8	256	40.1	770	133.4	1,239	322.4	2,101	767.4	7,285	3106.8	294.2
Malignant Neoplasms	9,327	229.4	1	1.9	16	2.1	22	3.8	66	11.9	306	47.9	893	154.7	1,746	454.4	2,669	974.9	3,608	1538.7	228.2
Cerebrovascular Diseases	2,512	61.8	0	0.0	1	0.1	4	0.7	14	2.5	34	5.3	84	14.5	150	39.0	369	134.8	1,856	791.5	63.6
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	2,254	55.4	0	0.0	2	0.3	3	0.5	5	0.9	20	3.1	62	10.7	269	70.0	617	225.4	1,276	544.2	56.1
Unintentional Injuries	1,889	46.5	21	40.8	95	12.3	289	49.9	258	46.4	328	51.4	214	37.1	165	42.9	134	48.9	385	164.2	46.5
Diabetes Mellitus	1,048	25.8	0	0.0	1	0.1	1	0.2	8	1.4	35	5.5	87	15.1	152	39.6	243	88.8	521	222.2	25.9
Influenza & Pneumonia	997	24.5	3	5.8	4	0.5	1	0.2	8	1.4	15	2.3	30	5.2	47	12.2	143	52.2	746	318.1	25.3
Alzheimer's Disease	970	23.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	8	2.1	73	26.7	888	378.7	25.0
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis	822	20.2	0	0.0	1	0.1	2	0.3	2	0.4	12	1.9	47	8.1	76	19.8	143	52.2	539	229.9	20.6
Septicemia	711	17.5	1	1.9	5	0.6	3	0.5	9	1.6	14	2.2	40	6.9	67	17.4	151	55.2	421	179.5	17.8
Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)	510	12.5	0	0.0	1	0.1	63	10.9	83	14.9	125	19.6	106	18.4	49	12.8	39	14.2	44	18.8	12.4
Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	376	9.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	9	1.6	52	8.1	97	16.8	81	21.1	74	27.0	63	26.9	9.1
Pneumonitis due to Solids & Liquids	310	7.6	2	3.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	3	0.5	9	1.6	11	2.9	31	11.3	253	107.9	7.9
Aortic Aneurysm & Dissection	231	5.7	0	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0	2	0.4	6	0.9	11	1.9	27	7.0	54	19.7	130	55.4	5.8
Parkinson's Disease	222	5.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.3	3	0.8	34	12.4	183	78.0	5.7
Assault (Homicide)	218	5.4	3	5.8	9	1.2	39	6.7	54	9.7	51	8.0	37	6.4	12	3.1	8	2.9	5	2.1	5.3
Essential (Primary) Hypertension & Renal Disease	193	4.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	1	0.2	1	0.2	16	2.8	15	3.9	29	10.6	130	55.4	4.9
Atherosclerosis	159	3.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.3	2	0.3	10	2.6	15	5.5	130	55.4	4.1
In Situ Neoplasms, Benign Neoplasms, etc.	151	3.7	2	3.9	1	0.1	0	0.0	2	0.4	3	0.5	5	0.9	14	3.6	30	11.0	94	40.1	3.8
Certain Conditions Orig. in Perinatal Period	147	3.6	147	285.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4.0
All Other	4,568	112.4	134	260.6	48	6.2	49	8.5	101	18.2	253	39.6	333	57.7	395	102.8	694	253.5	2,561	1092.2	114.6

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