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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. Rate
	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	No.	Rate	
All Causes	40,378	986.5	388	714.4	174	22.5	550	94.0	748	134.8	1,534	243.0	2,899	497.6	4,821	1197.9	7,750	2829.8	21,514	9167.2	1002.2
Diseases of Heart	11,598	283.4	4	7.4	8	1.0	15	2.6	69	12.4	310	49.1	710	121.9	1,232	306.1	2,149	784.7	7,101	3025.8	290.0
Malignant Neoplasms	9,375	229.0	1	1.8	18	2.3	20	3.4	63	11.4	287	45.5	882	151.4	1,822	452.7	2,587	944.6	3,695	1574.5	227.4
Cerebrovascular Diseases	2,533	61.9	1	1.8	1	0.1	2	0.3	10	1.8	41	6.5	72	12.4	167	41.5	364	132.9	1,875	798.9	64.3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	2,382	58.2	3	5.5	2	0.3	3	0.5	2	0.4	17	2.7	79	13.6	303	75.3	643	234.8	1,330	566.7	58.9
Unintentional Injuries	2,073	50.6	26	47.9	64	8.3	333	56.9	298	53.7	337	53.4	261	44.8	168	41.7	150	54.8	436	185.8	50.8
Diabetes Mellitus	1,257	30.7	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	15	2.7	36	5.7	102	17.5	175	43.5	291	106.3	638	271.9	31.0
Influenza & Pneumonia	1,223	29.9	2	3.7	5	0.6	3	0.5	8	1.4	17	2.7	31	5.3	63	15.7	143	52.2	951	405.2	31.2
Alzheimer's Disease	1,007	24.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	8	2.0	70	25.6	928	395.4	26.1
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis	813	19.9	1	1.8	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	0.5	7	1.1	32	5.5	74	18.4	159	58.1	537	228.8	20.4
Septicemia	603	14.7	5	9.2	7	0.9	3	0.5	5	0.9	10	1.6	36	6.2	70	17.4	114	41.6	353	150.4	15.0
Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)	538	13.1	0	0.0	4	0.5	70	12.0	92	16.6	116	18.4	116	19.9	63	15.7	29	10.6	48	20.5	13.0
Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	374	9.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	1.1	39	6.2	85	14.6	93	23.1	77	28.1	74	31.5	8.9
Pneumonitis Due to Solids & Liquids	318	7.8	0	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	0.3	9	1.5	12	3.0	29	10.6	265	112.9	8.2
Parkinson's Disease	223	5.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	10	2.5	25	9.1	187	79.7	5.7
Essential (Primary) Hypertension & Renal Dis.	218	5.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.2	4	0.7	6	1.0	10	1.7	14	3.5	26	9.5	157	66.9	5.5
Aortic Aneurysm & Dissection	203	5.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	6	1.0	13	2.2	34	8.4	44	16.1	106	45.2	5.0
Assault (Homicide)	198	4.8	6	11.0	9	1.2	36	6.2	53	9.6	42	6.7	31	5.3	14	3.5	5	1.8	2	0.9	4.8
In Situ Neoplasms, Benign Neoplasms, etc.	185	4.5	1	1.8	2	0.3	1	0.2	0	0.0	5	0.8	8	1.4	20	5.0	44	16.1	104	44.3	4.6
Certain Conditions Orig. in Perinatal Period	158	3.9	157	289.1	1	0.1	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	4.0
Congenital Malformations, Deformations, etc.	142	3.5	75	138.1	13	1.7	6	1.0	9	1.6	10	1.6	11	1.9	7	1.7	2	0.7	9	3.8	3.6
All Other	4,957	121.1	106	195.2	39	5.0	57	9.7	111	20.0	246	39.0	409	70.2	472	117.3	799	291.7	2,718	1158.2	123.9

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