

TABLE 2-1

LEADING CAUSES OF RESIDENT DEATHS BY AGE GROUP
NUMBER AND AGE-SPECIFIC RATE*: KENTUCKY, 1997

CAUSE OF DEATH	ALL AGES		UNDER 6 YEARS		6-14 YEARS		15-24 YEARS		25-34 YEARS		35-44 YEARS		45-54 YEARS		55-64 YEARS		65+ YEARS	
	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE	NO.	RATE
ALL CAUSES	37,774	9.7	477	1.5	122	0.3	528	0.9	679	1.2	1,299	2.1	2,489	4.9	4,204	12.0	27,976	57.2
HEART DISEASE	12,300	314.8	15	4.8	5	1.1	18	3.1	62	11.0	244	38.5	713	139.3	1,253	357.0	9,990	2044.2
MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	8,985	230.0	14	4.5	13	2.7	22	3.8	81	14.4	269	42.5	838	163.8	1,637	466.4	6,111	1250.4
CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	2,525	64.6	1	0.3	-	-	3	0.5	13	2.3	36	5.7	85	16.6	152	43.3	2,235	457.3
CHRONIC OBST PULMONARY DIS	1,979	50.7	1	0.3	1	0.2	5	0.9	2	0.4	22	3.5	56	10.9	223	63.5	1,669	341.5
UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	1,709	43.7	61	19.7	59	12.4	288	50.1	240	42.7	253	39.9	170	33.2	118	33.6	520	106.4
INFLUENZA AND PNEUMONIA	1,346	34.4	7	2.3	1	0.2	3	0.5	2	0.4	17	2.7	32	6.3	50	14.2	1,234	252.5
DIABETES MELLITUS	969	24.8	-	-	2	0.4	-	-	6	1.1	32	5.1	71	13.9	133	37.9	725	148.4
NEPHRITIS & NEPHROSIS	509	13.0	2	0.6	1	0.2	2	0.3	2	0.4	6	0.9	14	2.7	35	10.0	447	91.5
SUICIDE	508	13.0	1	0.3	4	0.8	58	10.1	100	17.8	115	18.2	73	14.3	57	16.2	100	20.5
SEPTICEMIA	421	10.8	4	1.3	2	0.4	-	-	4	0.7	12	1.9	33	6.4	26	7.4	340	69.6
ARTERIES, ARTERIOLES, CAPILL	411	10.5	-	-	1	0.2	1	0.2	4	0.7	9	1.4	18	3.5	46	13.1	332	67.9
CIRRHOSIS OF LIVER	352	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	1.4	52	8.2	77	15.0	74	21.1	141	28.9
HERNIA & INTESTINAL OBSTRUCT	279	7.1	1	0.3	1	0.2	2	0.3	2	0.4	5	0.8	16	3.1	21	6.0	231	47.3
HOMICIDE	263	6.7	13	4.2	3	0.6	78	13.6	57	10.1	46	7.3	27	5.3	24	6.8	15	3.1
SYMPTOMS & ILL DEFINED CONDI	208	5.3	51	16.5	2	0.4	2	0.3	8	1.4	11	1.7	12	2.3	9	2.6	113	23.1
ARTERIOSCLEROSIS	186	4.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0.2	2	0.4	4	1.1	179	36.6
HYPERTENSION	180	4.6	-	-	-	-	2	0.3	1	0.2	2	0.3	9	1.8	13	3.7	153	31.3
CONGENITAL ANOMALIES	153	4.2	100	32.3	9	1.9	9	1.6	4	0.7	2	0.3	7	1.4	10	2.8	22	4.5
CERT. CAUSES IN EARLY INFANC	154	3.9	154	49.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
OTHER INFECTIVE & PARASITIC	132	3.4	3	1.0	-	-	2	0.3	2	0.4	9	1.4	23	4.5	18	5.1	75	15.3
ALL OTHER	4,195	107.4	49	15.8	18	3.8	33	5.7	81	14.4	156	24.6	213	41.6	301	85.8	3,344	684.3

* AGE SPECIFIC RATE FOR LEADING CAUSES PER 100,000 1997 TOTAL POPULATION IN SPECIFIC AGE GROUP.

CRUDE RATE FOR ALL CAUSES PER 1,000 TOTAL POPULATION IN SPECIFIED AGE GROUP.

NOTE: HOMICIDE INCLUDES LEGAL INTERVENTION.