

	CHRONIC LOWER RESPIRATORY DISEASE	DEATHS	AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATE
1	Oklahoma	2,386	61.2
2	Kentucky	2,629	59.0
3	West Virginia	1,331	58.6
4	Wyoming	295	56.5
5	Montana	604	55.0
6	Arkansas	1,656	51.7
7	Ohio	6,454	50.7
8	Alabama	2,530	50.2
9T	Indiana	3,227	49.2
9T	Tennessee	3,167	49.2
11	Colorado	2,002	49.1
12	Kansas	1,476	48.8
13T	Mississippi	1,408	47.5
13T	Nevada	1,050	47.5
15	Missouri	3,081	47.4
16	North Carolina	4,231	47.1
17	South Dakota	457	47.0
18	Idaho	666	46.6
19	Oregon	1,892	46.3
20	Nebraska	919	45.8
21	Vermont	316	44.9
22	Maine	728	44.8
23	Iowa	1,660	44.7
24	Alaska	175	44.4
25T	New Hampshire	611	44.0
25T	South Carolina	2,036	44.0
27	Georgia	3,384	43.8
28T	Michigan	4,624	43.6
28T	New Mexico	884	43.6
30	Washington	2,684	42.4
31	Texas	8,107	41.2
32	Arizona	2,686	40.2
33	Delaware	379	40.1
34	Louisiana	1,685	39.7
35	Wisconsin	2,399	38.7
36	Pennsylvania	6,077	38.1
37	Virginia	2,770	37.7
38	California	12,532	37.4
39T	Florida	9,357	36.7
39T	Illinois	4,742	36.7
41	Maryland	1,901	35.1
42	Connecticut	1,353	33.1
43	North Dakota	265	32.9
44	Minnesota	1,758	32.8
45	Rhode Island	421	32.7
46	Utah	617	31.9
47	Massachusetts	2,332	31.6
48	New Jersey	2,991	31.3
49	New York	6,561	30.8
50	Hawaii	299	19.3
	United States²	127,924	40.8

**SOURCE: National Vital Statistics System. Age-adjusted rates = # of deaths per 100,000 total population. States are categorized from highest rate to lowest rate.*