

	STROKE	DEATHS	AGE-ADJUSTED DEATH RATE
1	Arkansas	1,873	57.4
2	Alabama	2,747	54.7
3	Tennessee	3,450	53.9
4	Oklahoma	2,126	53.8
5	South Carolina	2,466	53.4
6	Mississippi	1,589	53.0
7	North Carolina	4,530	50.3
8	Louisiana	2,147	50.1
9	Georgia	3,894	49.7
10	Texas	9,796	49.0
11	West Virginia	1,113	48.9
12	Missouri	3,229	48.2
13	Kentucky	2,144	48.1
14	Kansas	1,498	46.0
15	Indiana	3,083	45.7
16	Ohio	5,905	45.3
17	Virginia	3,313	44.5
18T	Alaska	157	44.3
18T	Michigan	4,798	44.3
20	Illinois	5,864	43.9
21	Oregon	1,835	43.6
22	Idaho	640	43.2
23	Nebraska	921	43.1
24	Pennsylvania	7,152	42.9
25	Maryland	2,364	42.7
26	Wisconsin	2,738	42.3
27	California	14,557	42.2
28	Iowa	1,686	42.1
29	Washington	2,692	41.4
30	Maine	664	40.3
31	Hawaii	643	39.6
32	Wyoming	209	39.5
33	Delaware	374	39.4
34	New Mexico	804	39.2
35	Colorado	1,600	39.0
36	Utah	755	38.9
37	South Dakota	410	38.7
38	Montana	443	38.5
39	Nevada	850	38.3
40	Minnesota	2,193	38.1
41	Vermont	269	37.6
42	North Dakota	330	37.3
43	Massachusetts	2,832	36.5
44	New Jersey	3,492	35.8
45	New Hampshire	489	34.3
46	Connecticut	1,463	34.2
47	Florida	8,781	33.6
48	Rhode Island	457	33.5
49	Arizona	2,207	32.7
50	New York	6,160	28.2
	United States²	135,952	42.2

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