

Leading Causes of Death by Age Group, Asian or Pacific Islander - Males-United States, 2009\*

Age in Groups

Rank	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	65-74	75-84	85+	All Ages
1	Unintentional injuries 30.8%	Unintentional injuries 33.9%	Cancer 22.7%	Unintentional injuries 34.4%	Unintentional injuries 37.2%	Unintentional injuries 26.4%	Cancer 22.6%	Cancer 29.8%	Cancer 37.9%	Heart disease 26.6%	Cancer 34.9%	Cancer 28.6%	Heart disease 29.4%	Cancer 27.0%
2	Cancer 9.9%	Cancer 23.2%	Unintentional injuries 15.2%	Suicide 20.4%	Suicide 18.8%	Suicide 19.1%	Heart disease 20.0%	Heart disease 23.9%	Heart disease 25.3%	Cancer 26.5%	Heart disease 25.2%	Heart disease 25.3%	Cancer 16.8%	Heart disease 24.4%
3	Birth defects 8.8%	Birth defects 5.4%	Birth defects 9.1%	Cancer 10.8%	Homicide 13.5%	Heart disease 11.9%	Unintentional injuries 12.9%	Unintentional injuries 7.2%	Stroke 6.1%	Stroke 7.4%	Stroke 6.3%	Stroke 8.0%	Stroke 7.6%	Stroke 6.5%
4	Homicide 5.5%	Influenza & pneumonia (4) 3.6% ***	Heart disease 7.6%	Homicide 5.9%	Cancer 7.7%	Cancer 11.3%	Suicide 10.4%	Stroke 5.7%	Diabetes 4.6%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 4.7%	Diabetes 5.1%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 5.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 6.1%	Unintentional injuries 5.0%
5	Septicemia 4.4%	Homicide (4) 3.6%	Homicide 6.1%	Heart disease 4.8%	Heart disease 5.2%	Homicide 7.1%	Stroke 5.3%	Suicide 4.8%	Unintentional injuries 3.3%	Influenza & pneumonia 4.0%	Chronic lower respiratory disease 3.1%	Diabetes 3.8%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 5.9%	Diabetes 3.7%
6	Heart disease 3.3%	Benign neoplasms (6) 1.8% ***	Stroke (6) 3.0% ***	Birth defects 3.2%	Stroke 1.5%	Influenza & pneumonia 2.1%	Chronic liver disease 3.8%	Diabetes 3.9%	Suicide 2.7%	Diabetes 4.0%	Unintentional injuries 2.4%	Influenza & pneumonia 3.6%	Alzheimer's disease 3.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 3.4%
7	Heart disease (6) 1.8% ***	Influenza & pneumonia (6) 3.0% ***	Influenza & pneumonia (6) 3.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 2.7%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.2%	Stroke 1.8%	Homicide 3.1%	Chronic liver disease 3.2%	Chronic liver disease 2.3%	Kidney disease 2.5%	Kidney disease 2.3%	Kidney disease 2.6%	Diabetes 3.2%	Influenza & pneumonia 3.2%
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (6) 1.8%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (6) 1.8%	Suicide (6) 3.0% ***	Septicemia 1.6%	Anemias (8) 0.6% ***	Birth defects 1.2%	Influenza & pneumonia 2.3%	Viral hepatitis 1.7%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.6%	Unintentional injuries 2.5%	Influenza & pneumonia 2.0%	Unintentional injuries 2.4%	Unintentional injuries 2.7%	Suicide 2.6%
9	Benign neoplasms (7) 1.1% ***	Hypertension (7) 1.1% ***	Diabetes 1.1%	Diabetes 1.1%	Kidney disease (8) 0.6% ***	Diabetes 1.8%	Homicide 1.6%	Kidney disease 1.5%	Kidney disease 1.5%	Alzheimer's disease 1.9%	Septicemia 1.4%	Alzheimer's disease 1.7%	Kidney disease 2.6%	Kidney disease 2.0%
10	Influenza & pneumonia (7) 1.1% ***	Bronchitis (7) 1.1% ***	Meningitis (9) 1.5% ***	Tuberculosis (10) 0.5% ***	Tuberculosis (10) 0.3% ***	Septicemia (9) 1.0% ***	HIV disease (9) 1.0%	Kidney disease 1.3%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.5%	Viral hepatitis (10) 1.2% ***	Hypertension 1.4%	Suicide 1.1%	Parkinson's disease 1.6%	Alzheimer's disease 1.2%
			Medical & surgical care complications (9) 1.5%	Benign neoplasms (10) 0.5% ***	Benign neoplasms (10) 0.3% ***	Septicemia (9) 1.0% ***	Kidney disease (9) 1.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 1.2%	Hypertension 1.4%	Suicide 1.1%	Parkinson's disease 1.6%	Hypertension 1.8%	Alzheimer's disease 1.2%
				Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 0.5% ***	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 0.3% ***	HIV disease (9) 1.0%	Kidney disease (9) 1.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 1.2%	Hypertension 1.4%	Suicide 1.1%	Parkinson's disease 1.6%	Hypertension 1.8%	Alzheimer's disease 1.2%
				Chronic liver disease (10) 0.5%	Birth defects (10) 0.3% ***	HIV disease (9) 1.0%	Kidney disease (9) 1.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 1.2%	Hypertension 1.4%	Suicide 1.1%	Parkinson's disease 1.6%	Hypertension 1.8%	Alzheimer's disease 1.2%
					Legal intervention (10) 0.3% ***	HIV disease (9) 1.0%	Kidney disease (9) 1.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 1.2%	Hypertension 1.4%	Suicide 1.1%	Parkinson's disease 1.6%	Hypertension 1.8%	Alzheimer's disease 1.2%
					Medical & surgical complications (10) 0.3%	HIV disease (9) 1.0%	Kidney disease (9) 1.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 1.2%	Hypertension 1.4%	Suicide 1.1%	Parkinson's disease 1.6%	Hypertension 1.8%	Alzheimer's disease 1.2%

\*Percentages represent total deaths in the age group due to the cause indicated. Numbers in parentheses indicate tied rankings. The white, black, American Indian/Alaska Native, and Asian/Pacific Islander race groups include persons of Hispanic and non-Hispanic origin may be of any race. Some terms have been shortened from those used in the National Vital Statistics Report. See the next page for a listing of the shortened terms in the table and their full unabridged equivalents used in the report. To learn more, visit *Mortality Tables* at [http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/mortality\\_tables.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/mortality_tables.htm) or <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/deaths.htm> (HHS, CDC, NCHS).