

Leading Causes of Death by Age Group, Asian or Pacific Islander, Males-United States, 2013\*

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 27.1%	Unintentional injuries 26.1%	Unintentional injuries 22.4%	Suicide 29.6%	Unintentional injuries 34.6%	Unintentional injuries 26.2%	Cancer 22.9%	Cancer 30.7%	Cancer 36.0%	Heart disease 25.3%	Cancer 34.4%	Cancer 27.8%	Heart disease 28.1%	Cancer 26.1%
2	Birth defects 13.5%	Cancer 20.3%	Cancer 17.9%	Unintentional injuries 26.8%	Suicide 27.4%	Suicide 24.4%	Heart disease 18.4%	Heart disease 23.1%	Heart disease 25.8%	Cancer 25.2%	Heart disease 24.4%	Heart disease 23.3%	Cancer 15.5%	Heart disease 23.6%
3	Cancer 6.3%	Heart disease (3) 5.8%	Suicide 7.5%	Cancer 10.6%	Cancer 10.1%	Cancer 12.0%	Unintentional injuries 16.2%	Unintentional injuries 7.3%	Stroke 5.4%	Stroke 6.8%	Stroke 6.5%	Stroke 7.1%	Stroke 6.8%	Stroke 6.1%
4	Homicide 5.2%	Homicide (3) 5.8%	Heart disease (4) 6.0%	Homicide 9.5%	Homicide 7.7%	Heart disease 9.1%	Suicide 11.9%	Stroke 7.1%	Diabetes 4.7%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 4.8%	Diabetes 5.3%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 5.3%	Influenza & pneumonia 6.4%	Unintentional injuries 5.0%
5	Septicemia (5) 3.1%	Septicemia (5) 4.3%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (4) 6.0%	Heart disease (5) 3.4%	Heart disease 5.6%	Homicide 5.8%	Stroke 4.6%	Suicide 5.0%	Unintentional injuries 3.9%	Diabetes 4.3%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 2.7%	Diabetes 4.7%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 5.9%	Diabetes 4.0%
6	Heart disease (5) 3.1%	Benign neoplasms (5) 4.3%	Homicide (4) 6.0%	Birth defects (5) 3.4%	Birth defects 1.1%	Chronic liver disease 1.7%	Chronic liver disease 3.0%	Diabetes 3.7%	Suicide 2.1%	Influenza & pneumonia 4.3%	Unintentional injuries 2.5%	Influenza & pneumonia 3.9%	Alzheimer's disease 3.9%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 3.6%
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (5) 3.1%	Meningitis (7) 2.9%	Influenza & pneumonia (7) 3.0%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.1%	Stroke (7) 0.8%	HIV disease 1.5%	Homicide 2.6%	Chronic liver disease 3.0%	Chronic liver disease 1.9%	Unintentional injuries 2.6%	Influenza & pneumonia 2.2%	Unintentional injuries 2.9%	Diabetes 3.2%	Influenza & pneumonia 3.3%
8	Meningitis 2.1%	Stroke (7) 2.9%	Birth defects (7) 3.0%	Tuberculosis (8) 0.6%	Stroke (8) 0.9%	Influenza & pneumonia (8) 0.9%	Diabetes 2.1%	Homicide 1.2%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 1.7%	Kidney disease 2.2%	Kidney disease 2.0%	Kidney disease 2.1%	Kidney disease 2.6%	Suicide 2.6%
9	Benign Neoplasms (9) 1.0%	Influenza & pneumonia (7) 2.9%	Medical & surgical care complications (7) 3.0%	Septicemia (8) 0.6%	Septicemia (9) 0.5%	Influenza & pneumonia (9) 0.5%	Diabetes (10) 0.6%	HIV disease 1.1%	Septicemia 1.2%	Influenza & pneumonia 1.7%	Alzheimer's disease 2.2%	Septicemia 1.7%	Hypertension 1.7%	Unintentional injuries 2.5%
10	Anemias (9) 1.0%	Birth defects (7) 2.9%	Stroke (10) 1.5%	Kidney disease (8) 0.6%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (9) 0.5%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 0.6%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 0.6%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 0.6%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 1.0%	Alzheimer's disease 2.2%	Septicemia 1.7%	Hypertension 1.7%	Unintentional injuries 2.5%	Kidney disease 1.9%
	Hernia (9) 1.0%		Hernia (10) 1.5%	C. difficile infection (8) 0.6%		Kidney disease (10) 0.6%	Chronic lower respiratory diseases 1.0%	Viral hepatitis (10) 1.1%	Kidney disease 1.6%	Hypertension 1.8%	Chronic liver disease 1.4%	Alzheimer's disease 1.7%	Hypertension 2.2%	Alzheimer's disease 1.4%
	Kidney infection (9) 1.0%					Birth defects (10) 0.6%		Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) 1.1%						
	Perinatal conditions (9) 1.0%													

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).

## Short and Full Terms for Leading Causes of Death (Males)

Some terms in the leading causes of death table have been shortened from those used in the National Vital Statistics Report. Below is a listing of the shortened terms used in the table and their full, unabridged equivalents used in the report.

### SHORT TERMS

**Aortic aneurism**  
**Benign neoplasms**  
**Birth defects**  
**Bronchitis**  
**Cancer**  
**C. difficile infection**  
**Chronic liver disease**  
**Chronic lower respiratory diseases**  
  
**Diabetes**  
**Gallbladder disorders**  
**Heart disease**  
**HIV disease**  
**Homicide**  
**Hypertension**  
**Kidney disease**  
**Kidney infection**  
**Legal Intervention\***  
  
**Medical & surgical care complications**  
**Operations of War**  
**Perinatal conditions**  
**Pneumonitis**  
**Stroke**  
**Suicide**  
**Unintentional injuries**

### FULL TERMS

Aortic aneurism and dissection  
In situ neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior  
Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities  
Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis  
Malignant neoplasms  
Enter colitis due to clostridium  
Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis  
Includes bronchitis, emphysema, asthma, bronchiectasis, and other chronic obstructive pulmonary disease  
Diabetes mellitus  
Cholelithiasis and other disorders of gallbladder  
Diseases of the heart  
Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease  
Assault (homicide)  
Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease  
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis  
Infections of kidney  
Physical or other force used by police or other law-enforcing agents, including military on duty, in the course of arresting or attempting to arrest lawbreakers, suppressing disturbances, maintaining order, and other legal action. Includes legal execution and excludes citizen arrest.  
  
Complications of medical and surgical care  
Operations of War and their sequelae  
Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period  
Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids  
Cerebrovascular diseases  
Intentional self-harm  
Accidents (unintentional injuries)

\*World Health Organization. International statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision (ICD-10). Geneva: World Health Organization, 1992. Available at <http://www.who.int/classifications/icd/en/>. Accessed April 15, 2010.