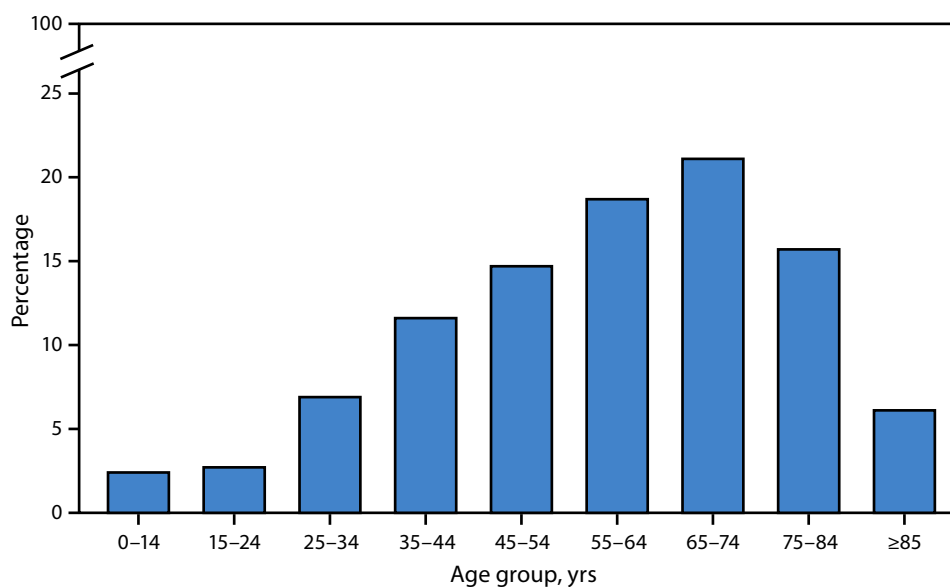


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Percentage Distribution of Heat-Related Deaths, by Age Group — United States, 2024



In 2024, a total of 2,391 heat-related deaths were reported in the United States. The percentage of heat-related deaths increased with age through ages 65–74 years, with the highest percentage (21.1%) reported among adults in this age group. The percentage of heat-related deaths then decreased through age ≥85 years.

Supplementary Table: <https://stacks.cdc.gov/view/cdc/258541>

Source: [National Center for Health Statistics, National Vital Statistics System, Mortality Data, 2024](#)

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For more information on this topic, CDC recommends the following link: [Heat & Health Tracker | CDC](#)