

Data table for Figure 25. Infant, neonatal, and postneonatal mortality rates: United States, 1997–2007

<i>Year</i>	<i>Infant</i>	<i>Neonatal</i>	<i>Postneonatal</i>
Deaths per 1,000 live births			
1997	7.23	4.77	2.45
1998	7.20	4.80	2.40
1999	7.06	4.73	2.33
2000	6.91	4.63	2.28
2001	6.85	4.54	2.31
2002	6.97	4.66	2.31
2003	6.85	4.62	2.23
2004	6.79	4.52	2.27
2005	6.87	4.54	2.34
2006	6.69	4.45	2.24
2007	6.75	4.41	2.33

<i>Cause of infant death, 2007</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Percent distribution</i>
All causes	29,138	100.0
Congenital malformations	5,785	19.9
Low birthweight	4,857	16.7
Sudden infant death syndrome	2,453	8.4
Maternal complications	1,769	6.1
Unintentional injuries	1,285	4.4
All other causes	12,989	44.6

NOTES: Infant is defined as under 1 year of age, neonatal as under 28 days of age, and postneonatal as 28 days through 11 months of life. See related Table 21.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System: Xu JQ, Kochanek KD, Murphy SL, Tejada-Vera B. Deaths: Final data for 2007. National vital statistics reports; vol 58 no 19. Hyattsville, MD: NCHS; 2010. Available from: http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nvsr/nvsr58/nvsr58_19.pdf.