

Leading Causes of Death by Age Group, Asian or Pacific Islander, Females, United States – 1999

	Age						
Rank	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-34	All ages
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Diseases of heart
3	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Assault (homicide)	Assault (homicide)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Assault (homicide)	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	Cerebrovascular diseases
4	(4) Septicemia (4) Influenza and pneumonia	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	Assault (homicide)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Assault (homicide)	Diabetes mellitus
5		Septicemia	(5) Septicemia (5) Diseases of heart (5) Influenza and pneumonia	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	Diseases of heart	Accidents (unintentional injuries)
6	(6) Diseases of heart (6) Assault (homicide)	(6) Influenza and pneumonia	(5) Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (5) Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	(6) Diseases of heart (6) Influenza and pneumonia	Diseases of heart	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	Chronic lower respiratory diseases
7		(6) Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	(5) Intentional self-harm (suicide)	(6) Tuberculosis (7) Septicemia (7) Diabetes mellitus	(7) Tuberculosis (7) Septicemia (7) Diabetes mellitus	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	Influenza and pneumonia
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases			(8) Cerebrovascular diseases (8) Chronic lower respiratory diseases	(7) Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	Cerebrovascular diseases	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis
9	(9) In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (9) Meningitis (9) Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease					Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypersensitive renal disease
10				(10) Meningococcal infection (10) Septicemia (10) In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior		(10) Chronic lower respiratory diseases (10) Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	Septicemia

Numbers in parentheses indicate tied rankings

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Rank	Age							
	35-44	45-54	55-64	65 and over	65-74	75-84	85 and over	All ages
1	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Diseases of heart	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Diseases of heart	Diseases of heart	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Diseases of heart	Diseases of heart	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Diseases of heart	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Cerebrovascular diseases	Diseases of heart
3	Diseases of heart	Cerebrovascular diseases	Cerebrovascular diseases	Cerebrovascular diseases	Cerebrovascular diseases	Cerebrovascular diseases	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	Cerebrovascular diseases
4	Cerebrovascular diseases	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Diabetes mellitus	Diabetes mellitus	Diabetes mellitus	Diabetes mellitus	Influenza and pneumonia	Diabetes mellitus
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	Diabetes mellitus	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	Diabetes mellitus	Accidents (unintentional injuries)
6	Assault (homicide)	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	Influenza and pneumonia	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Influenza and pneumonia	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	Chronic lower respiratory diseases
7	Diabetes mellitus	Assault (homicide)	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	Alzheimer's disease	Influenza and pneumonia
8	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	Viral hepatitis	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Septicemia	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	Septicemia	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	Viral hepatitis	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypersensitive renal disease
10	(10) Viral hepatitis  (10) Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease  (10) Influenza and pneumonia	(10) Viral hepatitis  (10) Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease  (10) Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	Influenza and pneumonia	Septicemia	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	Septicemia	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	Septicemia

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