

LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	2,403,351	100.0	873.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	710,760	29.6	258.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	553,091	23.0	200.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	167,661	7.0	60.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	122,009	5.1	44.3
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	97,900	4.1	35.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	69,301	2.9	25.2
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	65,313	2.7	23.7
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	49,558	2.1	18.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	37,251	1.5	13.5
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	31,224	1.3	11.3
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	29,350	1.2	10.7
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	26,552	1.1	9.6
13	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	18,073	0.8	6.6
14	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	16,765	0.7	6.1
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	16,636	0.7	6.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	391,907	16.3	142.4
All races, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	4,979	100.0	32.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,826	36.7	12.1
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	495	9.9	3.3
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	420	8.4	2.8
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	356	7.2	2.3
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	181	3.6	1.2
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	103	2.1	0.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	99	2.0	0.7
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	79	1.6	0.5
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	53	1.1	0.3
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	51	1.0	0.3
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	47	0.9	0.3
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	36	0.7	0.2
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	35	0.7	0.2
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	22	0.4	0.1
15	Meningococcal infection (A39)	19	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,157	23.2	7.6

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	7,413	100.0	18.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,979	40.2	7.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,014	13.7	2.6
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	399	5.4	1.0
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	371	5.0	0.9
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	307	4.1	0.8
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	271	3.7	0.7
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	139	1.9	0.4
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	99	1.3	0.2
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	87	1.2	0.2
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	76	1.0	0.2
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	63	0.8	0.2
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	52	0.7	0.1
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	46	0.6	0.1
14	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	41	0.6	0.1
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	31	0.4	0.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,438	19.4	3.6
All races, both sexes, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	31,307	100.0	81.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	14,113	45.1	36.8
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4,939	15.8	12.9
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,994	12.8	10.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,713	5.5	4.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,031	3.3	2.7
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	441	1.4	1.1
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	199	0.6	0.5
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	190	0.6	0.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	189	0.6	0.5
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	179	0.6	0.5
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	162	0.5	0.4
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	100	0.3	0.3
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	95	0.3	0.2
13	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	95	0.3	0.2
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	88	0.3	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,779	12.1	9.8

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	130,249	100.0	158.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	27,182	20.9	33.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	20,436	15.7	24.8
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	16,139	12.4	19.6
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	11,354	8.7	13.8
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	8,356	6.4	10.2
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7,383	5.7	9.0
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,786	2.9	4.6
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,201	2.5	3.9
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,549	2.0	3.1
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,432	1.1	1.7
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,226	0.9	1.5
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,157	0.9	1.4
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1,046	0.8	1.3
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	984	0.8	1.2
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	858	0.7	1.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	23,160	17.8	28.1
All races, both sexes, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	401,187	100.0	656.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	137,039	34.2	224.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	98,879	24.6	161.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	19,783	4.9	32.4
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	15,967	4.0	26.1
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	14,140	3.5	23.1
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	13,990	3.5	22.9
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	12,428	3.1	20.3
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	8,382	2.1	13.7
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	5,381	1.3	8.8
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,751	1.2	7.8
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4,744	1.2	7.8
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,653	1.2	7.6
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	2,798	0.7	4.6
14	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,493	0.6	4.1
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	2,318	0.6	3.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	53,441	13.3	87.4

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, both sexes, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	1,799,825	100.0	5,175.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	593,707	33.0	1,707.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	392,366	21.8	1,128.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	148,045	8.2	425.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	106,375	5.9	305.9
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	58,557	3.3	168.4
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	52,414	2.9	150.7
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	48,993	2.7	140.9
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	31,225	1.7	89.8
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	31,051	1.7	89.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	24,786	1.4	71.3
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	15,358	0.9	44.2
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	15,350	0.9	44.1
13	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	15,314	0.9	44.0
14	Atherosclerosis (I70)	13,705	0.8	39.4
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	13,204	0.7	38.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	239,375	13.3	688.3
All races, male, all ages				
...	All causes	1,177,578	100.0	874.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	344,807	29.3	256.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	286,082	24.3	212.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	64,769	5.5	48.1
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	63,817	5.4	47.4
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	60,004	5.1	44.6
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	31,602	2.7	23.5
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	28,658	2.4	21.3
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	23,618	2.0	17.5
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17,811	1.5	13.2
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	17,214	1.5	12.8
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14,438	1.2	10.7
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	13,537	1.1	10.1
13	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	12,820	1.1	9.5
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	10,868	0.9	8.1
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	9,661	0.8	7.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	177,872	15.1	132.1

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All races, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	2,824	100.0	36.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,098	38.9	14.2
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	259	9.2	3.3
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	233	8.3	3.0
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	198	7.0	2.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	107	3.8	1.4
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	54	1.9	0.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	53	1.9	0.7
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	52	1.8	0.7
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	33	1.2	0.4
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	28	1.0	0.4
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	20	0.7	0.3
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	0.7	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	16	0.6	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	12	0.4	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	11	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	631	22.3	8.1
All races, male, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	4,401	100.0	21.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,861	42.3	9.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	569	12.9	2.8
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	244	5.5	1.2
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	227	5.2	1.1
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	207	4.7	1.0
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	163	3.7	0.8
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	80	1.8	0.4
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	49	1.1	0.2
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	48	1.1	0.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	38	0.9	0.2
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	33	0.7	0.2
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	29	0.7	0.1
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	23	0.5	0.1
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	22	0.5	0.1
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	17	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	791	18.0	3.9

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All races, male, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	23,071	100.0	117.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	10,460	45.3	53.3
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4,203	18.2	21.4
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,424	14.8	17.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,022	4.4	5.2
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	638	2.8	3.2
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	268	1.2	1.4
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	120	0.5	0.6
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	106	0.5	0.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	102	0.4	0.5
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	99	0.4	0.5
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	94	0.4	0.5
12	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	71	0.3	0.4
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	62	0.3	0.3
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	60	0.3	0.3
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	43	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,299	10.0	11.7
All races, male, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	85,187	100.0	208.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	20,503	24.1	50.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11,208	13.2	27.4
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9,198	10.8	22.5
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	9,052	10.6	22.1
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6,043	7.1	14.8
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5,680	6.7	13.9
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,594	3.0	6.3
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,605	1.9	3.9
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,527	1.8	3.7
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	834	1.0	2.0
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	609	0.7	1.5
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	602	0.7	1.5
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	595	0.7	1.5
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	586	0.7	1.4
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	558	0.7	1.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	13,993	16.4	34.2

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All races, male, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	243,719	100.0	823.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	72,642	29.8	245.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	69,212	28.4	233.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	14,196	5.8	48.0
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8,980	3.7	30.3
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,731	3.6	29.5
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7,764	3.2	26.2
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,225	3.0	24.4
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	6,414	2.6	21.7
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	4,309	1.8	14.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,746	1.1	9.3
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,633	1.1	8.9
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,552	1.0	8.6
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	2,002	0.8	6.8
14	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,821	0.7	6.2
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,603	0.7	5.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	30,889	12.7	104.3
All races, male, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	802,369	100.0	5,548.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	263,178	32.8	1,820.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	202,358	25.2	1,399.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	54,200	6.8	374.8
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	51,924	6.5	359.1
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	24,709	3.1	170.9
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	22,198	2.8	153.5
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	15,115	1.9	104.5
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14,448	1.8	99.9
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	14,188	1.8	98.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10,085	1.3	69.7
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	8,596	1.1	59.4
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	7,735	1.0	53.5
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,620	0.9	52.7
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	5,612	0.7	38.8
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	5,259	0.7	36.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	95,144	11.9	658.0

Source: CDC/NCHS, National Vital Statistics System

1 Rank based on number of deaths

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, all ages				
...	All causes	1,225,773	100.0	871.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	365,953	29.9	260.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	267,009	21.8	189.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	102,892	8.4	73.2
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	62,005	5.1	44.1
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	37,699	3.1	26.8
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	36,655	3.0	26.1
7	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	35,120	2.9	25.0
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	34,083	2.8	24.2
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	19,440	1.6	13.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	17,687	1.4	12.6
11	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	11,178	0.9	7.9
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	9,338	0.8	6.6
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	9,036	0.7	6.4
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	8,246	0.7	5.9
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6,987	0.6	5.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	202,445	16.5	143.9
All races, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	2,155	100.0	29.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	728	33.8	9.8
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	236	11.0	3.2
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	187	8.7	2.5
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	158	7.3	2.1
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	74	3.4	1.0
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	49	2.3	0.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	46	2.1	0.6
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	28	1.3	0.4
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	27	1.3	0.4
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	23	1.1	0.3
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	20	0.9	0.3
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	19	0.9	*
13	Meningitis (G00,G03)	16	0.7	*
14	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	11	0.5	*
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	8	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	525	24.4	7.1

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	3,012	100.0	15.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,118	37.1	5.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	445	14.8	2.3
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	192	6.4	1.0
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	144	4.8	0.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	108	3.6	0.6
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	63	2.1	0.3
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	59	2.0	0.3
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	50	1.7	0.3
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	43	1.4	0.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	39	1.3	0.2
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	25	0.8	0.1
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	24	0.8	0.1
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	23	0.8	0.1
14	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	18	0.6	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	16	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	645	21.4	3.3
All races, female, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	8,236	100.0	44.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,653	44.4	19.5
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	736	8.9	3.9
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	691	8.4	3.7
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	570	6.9	3.0
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	393	4.8	2.1
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	173	2.1	0.9
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	95	1.2	0.5
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	93	1.1	0.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	87	1.1	0.5
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	80	1.0	0.4
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	70	0.8	0.4
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	68	0.8	0.4
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	46	0.6	0.2
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	45	0.5	0.2
15	Septicemia (A40-A41)	40	0.5	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,396	16.9	7.5

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	45,062	100.0	108.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	11,238	24.9	27.1
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	6,679	14.8	16.1
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,931	10.9	11.9
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,313	5.1	5.6
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,302	5.1	5.6
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,703	3.8	4.1
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,596	3.5	3.9
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,192	2.6	2.9
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,022	2.3	2.5
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	624	1.4	1.5
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	598	1.3	1.4
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	548	1.2	1.3
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	451	1.0	1.1
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	426	0.9	1.0
15	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	303	0.7	0.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	9,136	20.3	22.1
All races, female, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	157,468	100.0	499.6
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	64,397	40.9	204.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	29,667	18.8	94.1
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7,236	4.6	23.0
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6,765	4.3	21.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	6,376	4.0	20.2
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,587	3.5	17.7
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,448	2.2	10.9
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,192	1.4	7.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,118	1.3	6.7
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,968	1.2	6.2
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,907	1.2	6.0
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,072	0.7	3.4
13	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	945	0.6	3.0
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	872	0.6	2.8
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	796	0.5	2.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	22,122	14.0	70.2

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
All races, female, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	997,456	100.0	4,909.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	330,529	33.1	1,626.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	190,008	19.0	935.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	93,845	9.4	461.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	54,451	5.5	268.0
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	34,805	3.5	171.3
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	33,848	3.4	166.6
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	30,216	3.0	148.7
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	16,777	1.7	82.6
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	15,936	1.6	78.4
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	14,701	1.5	72.4
11	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	10,055	1.0	49.5
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	8,804	0.9	43.3
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,738	0.8	38.1
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	6,754	0.7	33.2
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5,721	0.6	28.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	143,268	14.4	705.2
White, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	2,071,287	100.0	915.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	621,719	30.0	274.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	480,011	23.2	212.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	144,580	7.0	63.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	112,840	5.4	49.9
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	82,592	4.0	36.5
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	57,914	2.8	25.6
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	55,561	2.7	24.6
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	46,460	2.2	20.5
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	29,598	1.4	13.1
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	26,475	1.3	11.7
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	24,804	1.2	11.0
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	22,982	1.1	10.2
13	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	14,942	0.7	6.6
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	14,869	0.7	6.6
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	14,210	0.7	6.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	321,730	15.5	142.2

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	3,494	100.0	29.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,335	38.2	11.1
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	347	9.9	2.9
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	330	9.4	2.7
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	199	5.7	1.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	126	3.6	1.0
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	69	2.0	0.6
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	66	1.9	0.5
8	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	46	1.3	0.4
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	44	1.3	0.4
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	30	0.9	0.2
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	28	0.8	0.2
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	23	0.7	0.2
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	15	0.4	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	14	0.4	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	12	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	810	23.2	6.7
White, both sexes, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	5,450	100.0	17.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,219	40.7	7.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	818	15.0	2.6
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	292	5.4	0.9
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	254	4.7	0.8
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	240	4.4	0.8
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	177	3.2	0.6
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	76	1.4	0.2
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	70	1.3	0.2
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	63	1.2	0.2
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	55	1.0	0.2
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	49	0.9	0.2
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	30	0.6	0.1
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	23	0.4	0.1
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	21	0.4	0.1
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	21	0.4	0.1
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	21	0.4	0.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,021	18.7	3.3

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	23,018	100.0	75.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	11,823	51.4	38.8
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	3,315	14.4	10.9
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,981	8.6	6.5
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,333	5.8	4.4
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	656	2.8	2.2
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	332	1.4	1.1
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	148	0.6	0.5
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	138	0.6	0.5
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	105	0.5	0.3
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	103	0.4	0.3
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	73	0.3	0.2
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	63	0.3	0.2
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	60	0.3	0.2
14	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	55	0.2	0.2
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	53	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,780	12.1	9.1
White, both sexes, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	95,215	100.0	142.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	22,182	23.3	33.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	15,836	16.6	23.7
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11,469	12.0	17.2
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	10,026	10.5	15.0
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	3,768	4.0	5.6
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	3,539	3.7	5.3
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	3,057	3.2	4.6
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,065	2.2	3.1
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,839	1.9	2.8
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,028	1.1	1.5
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	850	0.9	1.3
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	790	0.8	1.2
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	743	0.8	1.1
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	676	0.7	1.0
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	548	0.6	0.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	16,799	17.6	25.2

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, both sexes, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	318,215	100.0	612.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	113,237	35.6	218.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	77,572	24.4	149.4
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	16,176	5.1	31.2
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	12,116	3.8	23.3
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11,153	3.5	21.5
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	10,463	3.3	20.2
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	10,393	3.3	20.0
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	7,810	2.5	15.0
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,555	1.1	6.8
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,285	1.0	6.3
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,945	0.9	5.7
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,444	0.8	4.7
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	2,127	0.7	4.1
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,753	0.6	3.4
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1,616	0.5	3.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	41,570	13.1	80.1
White, both sexes, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	1,607,476	100.0	5,209.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	531,332	33.1	1,721.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	348,375	21.7	1,128.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	131,053	8.2	424.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	99,716	6.2	323.1
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	52,881	3.3	171.4
6	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	45,946	2.9	148.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	43,198	2.7	140.0
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	28,209	1.8	91.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	25,925	1.6	84.0
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	20,431	1.3	66.2
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	14,642	0.9	47.4
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	13,859	0.9	44.9
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	12,647	0.8	41.0
14	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	12,284	0.8	39.8
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	12,148	0.8	39.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	214,830	13.4	696.2

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, all ages				
...	All causes	1,007,191	100.0	905.8
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	301,551	29.9	271.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	247,403	24.6	222.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	54,938	5.5	49.4
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	54,816	5.4	49.3
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	53,329	5.3	48.0
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	26,009	2.6	23.4
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	25,002	2.5	22.5
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	21,293	2.1	19.1
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	15,002	1.5	13.5
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14,385	1.4	12.9
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	13,524	1.3	12.2
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10,716	1.1	9.6
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	8,797	0.9	7.9
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	8,367	0.8	7.5
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,488	0.7	6.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	144,571	14.4	130.0
White, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	2,004	100.0	32.5
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	808	40.3	13.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	190	9.5	3.1
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	180	9.0	2.9
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	114	5.7	1.9
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	80	4.0	1.3
6	Septicemia (A40-A41)	35	1.7	0.6
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	30	1.5	0.5
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	30	1.5	0.5
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	25	1.2	0.4
10	Meningitis (G00,G03)	14	0.7	*
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	14	0.7	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	13	0.6	*
13	Meningococcal infection (A39)	8	0.4	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	8	0.4	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	8	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	447	22.3	7.3

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	3,255	100.0	20.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,378	42.3	8.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	456	14.0	2.9
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	200	6.1	1.3
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	148	4.5	0.9
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	147	4.5	0.9
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	111	3.4	0.7
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	39	1.2	0.2
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	39	1.2	0.2
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	33	1.0	0.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	30	0.9	0.2
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	26	0.8	0.2
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	20	0.6	0.1
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14	0.4	*
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	12	0.4	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	11	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	591	18.2	3.7
White, male, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	16,868	100.0	107.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,770	52.0	56.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,853	16.9	18.2
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,583	9.4	10.1
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	798	4.7	5.1
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	413	2.4	2.6
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	201	1.2	1.3
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	84	0.5	0.5
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	79	0.5	0.5
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	65	0.4	0.4
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	64	0.4	0.4
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	48	0.3	0.3
12	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	42	0.2	0.3
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	39	0.2	0.2
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	38	0.2	0.2
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	33	0.2	0.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,758	10.4	11.2

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	63,518	100.0	189.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	16,831	26.5	50.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8,336	13.1	24.9
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	7,983	12.6	23.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7,239	11.4	21.6
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	3,049	4.8	9.1
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,558	4.0	7.6
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,145	3.4	6.4
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,133	1.8	3.4
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,067	1.7	3.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	593	0.9	1.8
11	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	488	0.8	1.5
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	469	0.7	1.4
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	406	0.6	1.2
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	376	0.6	1.1
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	316	0.5	0.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	10,529	16.6	31.4
White, male, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	194,980	100.0	766.7
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	59,810	30.7	235.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	55,902	28.7	219.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	11,564	5.9	45.5
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	7,680	3.9	30.2
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6,214	3.2	24.4
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	6,136	3.1	24.1
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	5,967	3.1	23.5
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,900	3.0	23.2
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,089	1.1	8.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,061	1.1	8.1
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,790	0.9	7.0
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,664	0.9	6.5
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1,555	0.8	6.1
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1,340	0.7	5.3
15	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,068	0.5	4.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	24,240	12.4	95.3

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, male, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	716,158	100.0	5,556.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	236,494	33.0	1,834.7
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	178,861	25.0	1,387.6
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	48,098	6.7	373.1
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	47,564	6.6	369.0
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	22,101	3.1	171.5
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	18,898	2.6	146.6
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	13,570	1.9	105.3
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	13,296	1.9	103.2
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	12,293	1.7	95.4
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8,327	1.2	64.6
11	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	8,178	1.1	63.4
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	7,232	1.0	56.1
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	6,877	1.0	53.4
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	5,162	0.7	40.0
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4,663	0.7	36.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	84,544	11.8	655.9
White, female, all ages				
...	All causes	1,064,096	100.0	924.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	320,168	30.1	278.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	232,608	21.9	202.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	89,642	8.4	77.9
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	58,024	5.5	50.4
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	32,936	3.1	28.6
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	32,912	3.1	28.6
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	29,552	2.8	25.7
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	29,263	2.8	25.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	15,213	1.4	13.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	14,088	1.3	12.2
11	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	8,655	0.8	7.5
12	Atherosclerosis (I70)	8,307	0.8	7.2
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	7,980	0.7	6.9
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	7,381	0.7	6.4
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	6,575	0.6	5.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	170,792	16.1	148.4

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	1,490	100.0	25.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	527	35.4	9.0
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	167	11.2	2.8
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	140	9.4	2.4
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	85	5.7	1.4
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	46	3.1	0.8
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	39	2.6	0.7
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	31	2.1	0.5
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	1.3	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	16	1.1	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	16	1.1	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	15	1.0	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	9	0.6	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	7	0.5	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	6	0.4	*
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	5	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	362	24.3	6.2
White, female, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	2,195	100.0	14.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	841	38.3	5.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	362	16.5	2.4
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	145	6.6	1.0
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	92	4.2	0.6
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	66	3.0	0.4
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	54	2.5	0.4
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	37	1.7	0.2
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	31	1.4	0.2
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	30	1.4	0.2
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	29	1.3	0.2
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	19	0.9	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	12	0.5	*
12	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	12	0.5	*
14	Meningitis (G00,G03)	11	0.5	*
15	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	10	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	444	20.2	2.9

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[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	6,150	100.0	41.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,053	49.6	20.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	535	8.7	3.6
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	462	7.5	3.1
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	398	6.5	2.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	243	4.0	1.6
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	131	2.1	0.9
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	64	1.0	0.4
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	59	1.0	0.4
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	55	0.9	0.4
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	41	0.7	0.3
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	38	0.6	0.3
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	30	0.5	0.2
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	25	0.4	0.2
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	21	0.3	0.1
15	Meningococcal infection (A39)	17	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	978	15.9	6.6
White, female, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	31,697	100.0	95.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8,597	27.1	25.9
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	5,351	16.9	16.1
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,133	9.9	9.4
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	2,043	6.4	6.1
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	998	3.1	3.0
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	981	3.1	2.9
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	912	2.9	2.7
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	719	2.3	2.2
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	706	2.2	2.1
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	435	1.4	1.3
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	414	1.3	1.2
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	362	1.1	1.1
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	337	1.1	1.0
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	232	0.7	0.7
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	207	0.7	0.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	6,270	19.8	18.9

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
White, female, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	123,235	100.0	465.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	53,427	43.4	201.7
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	21,670	17.6	81.8
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,902	4.8	22.3
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,017	4.1	18.9
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,612	3.7	17.4
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,493	3.6	17.0
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,783	2.3	10.5
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,843	1.5	7.0
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,495	1.2	5.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,494	1.2	5.6
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,281	1.0	4.8
12	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	733	0.6	2.8
13	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	572	0.5	2.2
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	498	0.4	1.9
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	485	0.4	1.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	16,930	13.7	63.9
White, female, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	891,318	100.0	4,960.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	294,838	33.1	1,640.9
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	169,514	19.0	943.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	83,489	9.4	464.6
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	51,618	5.8	287.3
5	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	32,650	3.7	181.7
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	30,780	3.5	171.3
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	24,300	2.7	135.2
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	14,639	1.6	81.5
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	13,632	1.5	75.9
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	12,104	1.4	67.4
11	Atherosclerosis (I70)	8,140	0.9	45.3
12	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	8,106	0.9	45.1
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	6,982	0.8	38.9
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	6,464	0.7	36.0
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	5,230	0.6	29.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	128,832	14.5	717.0

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	285,826	100.0	809.6
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	77,523	27.1	219.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	61,945	21.7	175.5
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19,221	6.7	54.4
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	12,277	4.3	34.8
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	12,021	4.2	34.1
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	7,867	2.8	22.3
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	7,848	2.7	22.2
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7,607	2.7	21.5
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6,911	2.4	19.6
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5,990	2.1	17.0
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5,928	2.1	16.8
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	5,021	1.8	14.2
13	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	3,887	1.4	11.0
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2,737	1.0	7.8
15	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	2,728	1.0	7.7
...	All other causes (Residual)	46,315	16.2	131.2
Black, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	1,248	100.0	56.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	405	32.5	18.2
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	145	11.6	6.5
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	126	10.1	5.7
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	70	5.6	3.1
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	49	3.9	2.2
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	30	2.4	1.3
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	27	2.2	1.2
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	2.1	1.2
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	21	1.7	0.9
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	19	1.5	*
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	14	1.1	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	13	1.0	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	12	1.0	*
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	9	0.7	*
15	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	8	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	274	22.0	12.3

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	1,643	100.0	26.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	631	38.4	10.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	150	9.1	2.4
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	124	7.5	2.0
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	91	5.5	1.5
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	76	4.6	1.2
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	70	4.3	1.1
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	40	2.4	0.6
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	31	1.9	0.5
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	23	1.4	0.4
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	19	1.2	*
11	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	15	0.9	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	11	0.7	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	11	0.7	*
14	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	10	0.6	*
15	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	9	0.5	*
15	Meningitis (G00,G03)	9	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	323	19.7	5.2
Black, both sexes, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	7,049	100.0	120.8
1	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,819	40.0	48.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,695	24.0	29.0
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	480	6.8	8.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	333	4.7	5.7
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	301	4.3	5.2
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	125	1.8	2.1
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	91	1.3	1.6
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	81	1.1	1.4
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	62	0.9	1.1
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	55	0.8	0.9
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	44	0.6	0.8
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	43	0.6	0.7
13	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	36	0.5	0.6
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	33	0.5	0.6
15	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	28	0.4	0.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	823	11.7	14.1

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	30,796	100.0	281.4
1	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	4,512	14.7	41.2
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	4,242	13.8	38.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	4,057	13.2	37.1
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,757	12.2	34.3
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	3,600	11.7	32.9
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	996	3.2	9.1
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	914	3.0	8.4
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	651	2.1	5.9
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	508	1.6	4.6
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	406	1.3	3.7
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	391	1.3	3.6
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	380	1.2	3.5
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	350	1.1	3.2
14	Anemias (D50-D64)	265	0.9	2.4
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	214	0.7	2.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,553	18.0	50.7
Black, both sexes, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	72,570	100.0	1,109.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	20,266	27.9	309.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	19,065	26.3	291.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4,127	5.7	63.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	3,294	4.5	50.4
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,985	4.1	45.6
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,893	4.0	44.2
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,672	2.3	25.6
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,660	2.3	25.4
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,570	2.2	24.0
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,343	1.9	20.5
11	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	968	1.3	14.8
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	963	1.3	14.7
13	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	832	1.1	12.7
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	479	0.7	7.3
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	378	0.5	5.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	10,075	13.9	154.0

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, both sexes, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	163,677	100.0	5,612.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	53,621	32.8	1,838.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	37,387	22.8	1,281.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	13,979	8.5	479.3
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8,011	4.9	274.7
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	5,361	3.3	183.8
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	4,741	2.9	162.6
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4,487	2.7	153.8
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4,034	2.5	138.3
9	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	2,694	1.6	92.4
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	2,692	1.6	92.3
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,225	1.4	76.3
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1,273	0.8	43.6
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	913	0.6	31.3
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	813	0.5	27.9
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	737	0.5	25.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	20,709	12.7	710.1
Black, male, all ages				
...	All causes	145,184	100.0	865.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	36,740	25.3	219.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	32,817	22.6	195.6
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	8,531	5.9	50.9
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,026	5.5	47.8
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6,482	4.5	38.6
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	5,400	3.7	32.2
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4,771	3.3	28.4
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4,238	2.9	25.3
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,074	2.1	18.3
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,915	2.0	17.4
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	2,844	2.0	17.0
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,587	1.8	15.4
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,730	1.2	10.3
14	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	1,636	1.1	9.8
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	1,592	1.1	9.5
...	All other causes (Residual)	21,801	15.0	130.0

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	692	100.0	61.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	239	34.5	21.1
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	75	10.8	6.6
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	70	10.1	6.2
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	34	4.9	3.0
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	24	3.5	2.1
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	21	3.0	1.9
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	18	2.6	*
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	14	2.0	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	13	1.9	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	8	1.2	*
10	Anemias (D50-D64)	8	1.2	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6	0.9	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	6	0.9	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	4	0.6	*
15	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	149	21.5	13.2
Black, male, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	974	100.0	30.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	414	42.5	13.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	87	8.9	2.7
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	72	7.4	2.3
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	52	5.3	1.6
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	43	4.4	1.4
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	42	4.3	1.3
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	35	3.6	1.1
8	Anemias (D50-D64)	17	1.7	*
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	12	1.2	*
10	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	8	0.8	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	7	0.7	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	6	0.6	*
12	Meningitis (G00,G03)	6	0.6	*
14	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5	0.5	*
15	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	4	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	164	16.8	5.2

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	5,318	100.0	181.4
1	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,501	47.0	85.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,261	23.7	43.0
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	415	7.8	14.2
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	193	3.6	6.6
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	179	3.4	6.1
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	60	1.1	2.0
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	58	1.1	2.0
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	51	1.0	1.7
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	30	0.6	1.0
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	28	0.5	1.0
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	28	0.5	1.0
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	21	0.4	0.7
13	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	19	0.4	*
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18	0.3	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	10	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	446	8.4	15.2
Black, male, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	19,001	100.0	367.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,018	15.9	58.4
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2,951	15.5	57.1
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,931	15.4	56.7
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,556	13.5	49.5
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,571	8.3	30.4
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	758	4.0	14.7
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	468	2.5	9.1
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	353	1.9	6.8
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	311	1.6	6.0
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	225	1.2	4.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	211	1.1	4.1
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	202	1.1	3.9
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	184	1.0	3.6
14	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	116	0.6	2.2
15	Anemias (D50-D64)	110	0.6	2.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	3,036	16.0	58.8

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, male, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	42,591	100.0	1,457.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11,719	27.5	401.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	11,021	25.9	377.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,227	5.2	76.2
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	2,225	5.2	76.2
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,183	5.1	74.7
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,616	3.8	55.3
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,053	2.5	36.0
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	889	2.1	30.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	887	2.1	30.4
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	706	1.7	24.2
11	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	668	1.6	22.9
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	599	1.4	20.5
13	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	536	1.3	18.3
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	329	0.8	11.3
15	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	301	0.7	10.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,632	13.2	192.8
Black, male, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	71,657	100.0	6,235.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	22,136	30.9	1,926.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	19,919	27.8	1,733.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	5,277	7.4	459.2
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,033	4.2	263.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2,769	3.9	241.0
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,999	2.8	174.0
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1,906	2.7	165.9
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1,610	2.2	140.1
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,220	1.7	106.2
10	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	939	1.3	81.7
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	757	1.1	65.9
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	618	0.9	53.8
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	366	0.5	31.8
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	356	0.5	31.0
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	336	0.5	29.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	8,416	11.7	732.4

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, all ages				
...	All causes	140,642	100.0	759.1
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	40,783	29.0	220.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	29,128	20.7	157.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11,195	8.0	60.4
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	7,250	5.2	39.1
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3,837	2.7	20.7
6	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	3,746	2.7	20.2
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3,369	2.4	18.2
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3,341	2.4	18.0
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3,075	2.2	16.6
10	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	2,448	1.7	13.2
11	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	2,295	1.6	12.4
12	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	2,177	1.5	11.8
13	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,952	1.4	10.5
14	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1,385	1.0	7.5
15	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1,007	0.7	5.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	23,654	16.8	127.7
Black, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	556	100.0	50.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	166	29.9	15.2
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	70	12.6	6.4
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	56	10.1	5.1
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	36	6.5	3.3
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	25	4.5	2.3
6	Septicemia (A40-A41)	13	2.3	*
7	Anemias (D50-D64)	11	2.0	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	2.0	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9	1.6	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	9	1.6	*
11	Meningitis (G00,G03)	7	1.3	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7	1.3	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6	1.1	*
13	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	6	1.1	*
15	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	3	0.5	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	3	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	118	21.2	10.8

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	669	100.0	21.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	217	32.4	7.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	63	9.4	2.0
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	52	7.8	1.7
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	39	5.8	1.3
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	34	5.1	1.1
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	27	4.0	0.9
7	Anemias (D50-D64)	14	2.1	*
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	11	1.6	*
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	11	1.6	*
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	10	1.5	*
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	7	1.0	*
12	Meningococcal infection (A39)	5	0.7	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5	0.7	*
12	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5	0.7	*
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	5	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	164	24.5	5.3
Black, female, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	1,731	100.0	59.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	434	25.1	14.9
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	318	18.4	11.0
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	140	8.1	4.8
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	122	7.0	4.2
5	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	65	3.8	2.2
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	65	3.8	2.2
7	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	36	2.1	1.2
8	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	33	1.9	1.1
9	Anemias (D50-D64)	32	1.8	1.1
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	30	1.7	1.0
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	27	1.6	0.9
12	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	24	1.4	0.8
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	23	1.3	0.8
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	15	0.9	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	14	0.8	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	353	20.4	12.2

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	11,795	100.0	204.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,186	18.5	37.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,686	14.3	29.2
3	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1,581	13.4	27.4
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,039	8.8	18.0
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	649	5.5	11.2
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	528	4.5	9.1
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	298	2.5	5.2
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	197	1.7	3.4
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	196	1.7	3.4
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	189	1.6	3.3
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	181	1.5	3.1
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	156	1.3	2.7
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	155	1.3	2.7
14	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	139	1.2	2.4
15	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	103	0.9	1.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,512	21.3	43.5
Black, female, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	29,979	100.0	828.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9,245	30.8	255.4
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7,346	24.5	202.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,900	6.3	52.5
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,678	5.6	46.4
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	783	2.6	21.6
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	773	2.6	21.4
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	760	2.5	21.0
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	710	2.4	19.6
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	637	2.1	17.6
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	517	1.7	14.3
11	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	432	1.4	11.9
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	364	1.2	10.1
13	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	164	0.5	4.5
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	150	0.5	4.1
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	121	0.4	3.3
...	All other causes (Residual)	4,399	14.7	121.5

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Black, female, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	92,020	100.0	5,206.7
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	31,485	34.2	1,781.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	17,468	19.0	988.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	8,702	9.5	492.4
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	5,242	5.7	296.6
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	2,835	3.1	160.4
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2,488	2.7	140.8
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2,424	2.6	137.2
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2,328	2.5	131.7
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	1,935	2.1	109.5
10	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	1,755	1.9	99.3
11	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,005	1.1	56.9
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	655	0.7	37.1
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	577	0.6	32.6
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	447	0.5	25.3
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	421	0.5	23.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	12,253	13.3	693.3
American Indian, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	11,363	100.0	466.4
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2,417	21.3	99.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,914	16.8	78.6
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,353	11.9	55.5
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	616	5.4	25.3
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	572	5.0	23.5
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	534	4.7	21.9
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	429	3.8	17.6
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	297	2.6	12.2
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	289	2.5	11.9
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	215	1.9	8.8
11	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	203	1.8	8.3
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	162	1.4	6.6
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	124	1.1	5.1
14	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	95	0.8	3.9
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	95	0.8	3.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,048	18.0	84.1

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	91	100.0	55.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	39	42.9	23.9
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	8	8.8	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	4	4.4	*
4	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	3.3	*
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3	3.3	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	2.2	*
6	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	2	2.2	*
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	1.1	*
8	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1	1.1	*
8	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	1.1	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.1	*
8	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	1.1	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	25	27.5	15.3
American Indian, both sexes, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	113	100.0	24.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	70	61.9	15.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	8	7.1	*
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	7	6.2	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5	4.4	*
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	2.7	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	2.7	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	1.8	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.9	*
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.9	*
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.9	*
8	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1	0.9	*
8	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.9	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	10	8.8	*

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	519	100.0	117.9
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	299	57.6	67.9
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	89	17.1	20.2
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	51	9.8	11.6
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	13	2.5	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	11	2.1	*
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.8	*
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.6	*
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	0.6	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	0.4	*
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.4	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	0.4	*
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	2	0.4	*
9	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	2	0.4	*
14	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.2	*
14	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	0.2	*
14	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	0.2	*
14	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	32	6.2	7.3
American Indian, both sexes, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	1,677	100.0	227.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	495	29.5	67.1
2	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	176	10.5	23.9
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	146	8.7	19.8
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	145	8.6	19.7
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	131	7.8	17.8
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	105	6.3	14.2
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	33	2.0	4.5
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	32	1.9	4.3
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	30	1.8	4.1
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	27	1.6	3.7
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	19	1.1	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	16	1.0	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	15	0.9	*
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	14	0.8	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	6	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	287	17.1	38.9

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, both sexes, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	3,052	100.0	729.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	643	21.1	153.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	637	20.9	152.2
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	291	9.5	69.5
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	270	8.8	64.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	212	6.9	50.7
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	126	4.1	30.1
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	88	2.9	21.0
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	61	2.0	14.6
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	50	1.6	11.9
10	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	47	1.5	11.2
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	45	1.5	10.8
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	35	1.1	8.4
13	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	24	0.8	5.7
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	19	0.6	*
14	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	19	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	485	15.9	115.9
American Indian, both sexes, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	5,585	100.0	3,350.5
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,604	28.7	962.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,120	20.1	671.9
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	415	7.4	249.0
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	372	6.7	223.2
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	321	5.7	192.6
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	200	3.6	120.0
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	138	2.5	82.8
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	138	2.5	82.8
9	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	92	1.6	55.2
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	89	1.6	53.4
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	86	1.5	51.6
12	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	50	0.9	30.0
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	46	0.8	27.6
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	42	0.8	25.2
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	38	0.7	22.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	834	14.9	500.3

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, all ages				
...	All causes	6,185	100.0	512.8
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,341	21.7	111.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	997	16.1	82.7
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	900	14.6	74.6
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	298	4.8	24.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	275	4.4	22.8
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	250	4.0	20.7
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	237	3.8	19.6
8	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	228	3.7	18.9
9	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	159	2.6	13.2
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	149	2.4	12.4
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	98	1.6	8.1
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	74	1.2	6.1
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	72	1.2	6.0
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	56	0.9	4.6
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	43	0.7	3.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,008	16.3	83.6
American Indian, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	49	100.0	59.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	25	51.0	30.3
2	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	12.2	*
3	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	4.1	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2	4.1	*
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	2.0	*
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	2.0	*
5	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	2.0	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	2.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	10	20.4	*

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	61	100.0	25.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	37	60.7	15.6
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	6	9.8	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	6.6	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3	4.9	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	2	3.3	*
6	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	1.6	*
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	1.6	*
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1	1.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	6	9.8	*
American Indian, male, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	369	100.0	167.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	202	54.7	91.4
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	71	19.2	32.1
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	46	12.5	20.8
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	8	2.2	*
5	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	1.9	*
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	0.8	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.8	*
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	2	0.5	*
8	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	2	0.5	*
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.3	*
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	0.3	*
10	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1	0.3	*
10	Legal intervention (Y35,Y89.0)	1	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	21	5.7	9.5

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	1,085	100.0	291.0
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	338	31.2	90.6
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	112	10.3	30.0
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	101	9.3	27.1
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	99	9.1	26.6
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	78	7.2	20.9
6	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	62	5.7	16.6
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	25	2.3	6.7
8	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	22	2.0	5.9
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	21	1.9	5.6
10	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	11	1.0	*
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	10	0.9	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	9	0.8	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	9	0.8	*
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7	0.6	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.2	*
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	2	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	177	16.3	47.5
American Indian, male, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	1,822	100.0	910.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	431	23.7	215.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	342	18.8	170.8
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	206	11.3	102.9
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	162	8.9	80.9
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	109	6.0	54.5
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	65	3.6	32.5
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	53	2.9	26.5
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	39	2.1	19.5
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	32	1.8	16.0
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	32	1.8	16.0
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	26	1.4	13.0
12	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	21	1.2	10.5
13	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	18	1.0	*
14	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	14	0.8	*
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	8	0.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	264	14.5	131.9

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, male, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	2,603	100.0	3,681.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	797	30.6	1,127.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	578	22.2	817.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	173	6.6	244.7
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	163	6.3	230.5
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	142	5.5	200.8
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	93	3.6	131.5
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	80	3.1	113.1
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	57	2.2	80.6
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	34	1.3	48.1
9	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	34	1.3	48.1
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	26	1.0	36.8
12	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	24	0.9	33.9
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	22	0.8	31.1
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	19	0.7	*
15	Atherosclerosis (I70)	16	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	345	13.3	487.9
American Indian, female, all ages				
...	All causes	5,178	100.0	421.0
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,076	20.8	87.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	917	17.7	74.6
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	453	8.7	36.8
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	341	6.6	27.7
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	322	6.2	26.2
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	236	4.6	19.2
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	201	3.9	16.3
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	140	2.7	11.4
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	117	2.3	9.5
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	88	1.7	7.2
11	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	69	1.3	5.6
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	60	1.2	4.9
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	52	1.0	4.2
14	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	49	0.9	4.0
15	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	44	0.8	3.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,013	19.6	82.4

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	42	100.0	52.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	14	33.3	*
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	3	7.1	*
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	2	4.8	*
4	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	2.4	*
4	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	2.4	*
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1	2.4	*
4	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	1	2.4	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1	2.4	*
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	2.4	*
4	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	2.4	*
4	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	2.4	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	15	35.7	*
American Indian, female, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	52	100.0	22.7
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	33	63.5	14.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4	7.7	*
3	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	5.8	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2	3.8	*
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	3.8	*
6	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	1.9	*
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	1.9	*
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	1	1.9	*
6	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	1.9	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	4	7.7	*

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	150	100.0	68.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	97	64.7	44.2
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	18	12.0	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	6	4.0	*
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	5	3.3	*
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3	2.0	*
6	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	2	1.3	*
7	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.7	*
7	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.7	*
7	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.7	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	0.7	*
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	0.7	*
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1	0.7	*
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	0.7	*
7	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	1	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	11	7.3	*
American Indian, female, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	592	100.0	162.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	157	26.5	43.1
2	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	75	12.7	20.6
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	69	11.7	18.9
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	47	7.9	12.9
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	33	5.6	9.1
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	27	4.6	7.4
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	16	2.7	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	12	2.0	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	9	1.5	*
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	8	1.4	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	7	1.2	*
11	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	7	1.2	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	7	1.2	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	6	1.0	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	4	0.7	*
15	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	4	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	104	17.6	28.5

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
American Indian, female, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	1,230	100.0	563.3
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	295	24.0	135.1
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	212	17.2	97.1
3	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	108	8.8	49.5
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	103	8.4	47.2
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	85	6.9	38.9
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	61	5.0	27.9
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	35	2.8	16.0
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	29	2.4	13.3
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	24	2.0	11.0
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	14	1.1	*
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	13	1.1	*
12	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	11	0.9	*
13	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	8	0.7	*
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	6	0.5	*
14	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	220	17.9	100.7
American Indian, female, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	2,982	100.0	3,106.8
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	807	27.1	840.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	542	18.2	564.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	242	8.1	252.1
4	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	230	7.7	239.6
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	158	5.3	164.6
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	107	3.6	111.5
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	81	2.7	84.4
8	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	66	2.2	68.8
9	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	58	1.9	60.4
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	55	1.8	57.3
11	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	52	1.7	54.2
12	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	36	1.2	37.5
13	Atherosclerosis (I70)	30	1.0	31.3
14	Nutritional deficiencies (E40-E64)	22	0.7	22.9
15	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	18	0.6	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	18	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	460	15.4	479.3

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, all ages				
...	All causes	34,875	100.0	309.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	9,221	26.4	81.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	9,101	26.1	80.7
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3,288	9.4	29.2
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,678	4.8	14.9
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1,133	3.2	10.1
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1,120	3.2	9.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	1,103	3.2	9.8
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	616	1.8	5.5
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	527	1.5	4.7
10	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	392	1.1	3.5
11	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	356	1.0	3.2
12	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	338	1.0	3.0
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	330	0.9	2.9
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	299	0.9	2.7
15	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	297	0.9	2.6
...	All other causes (Residual)	5,076	14.6	45.0
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	146	100.0	19.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	47	32.2	6.4
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	18	12.3	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	17	11.6	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5	3.4	*
5	Septicemia (A40-A41)	4	2.7	*
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	2.7	*
5	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	4	2.7	*
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	4	2.7	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	1.4	*
9	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	1.4	*
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	0.7	*
11	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.7	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.7	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	36	24.7	4.9

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	207	100.0	11.8
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	59	28.5	3.4
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	38	18.4	2.2
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	13	6.3	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	13	6.3	*
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	6	2.9	*
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	6	2.9	*
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	2.9	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4	1.9	*
9	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	3	1.4	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	1.4	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	1.0	*
11	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	1.0	*
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.5	*
13	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	1	0.5	*
13	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.5	*
13	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	48	23.2	2.7
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	721	100.0	44.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	296	41.1	18.2
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	110	15.3	6.8
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	88	12.2	5.4
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	66	9.2	4.1
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	31	4.3	1.9
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	15	2.1	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	7	1.0	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	5	0.7	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	5	0.7	*
10	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	3	0.4	*
10	Meningococcal infection (A39)	3	0.4	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	3	0.4	*
13	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.3	*
13	Anemias (D50-D64)	2	0.3	*
13	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	2	0.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	83	11.5	5.1

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	2,561	100.0	65.9
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	712	27.8	18.3
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	448	17.5	11.5
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	282	11.0	7.3
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	269	10.5	6.9
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	139	5.4	3.6
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	113	4.4	2.9
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	45	1.8	1.2
8	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	44	1.7	1.1
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	31	1.2	0.8
10	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	29	1.1	0.7
11	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	24	0.9	0.6
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	22	0.9	0.6
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	21	0.8	0.5
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	18	0.7	*
15	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	15	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	349	13.6	9.0
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	7,350	100.0	326.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,899	39.4	128.9
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,599	21.8	71.1
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	561	7.6	24.9
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	331	4.5	14.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	241	3.3	10.7
6	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	157	2.1	7.0
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	147	2.0	6.5
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	125	1.7	5.6
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	114	1.6	5.1
10	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	92	1.3	4.1
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	90	1.2	4.0
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	85	1.2	3.8
13	Septicemia (A40-A41)	66	0.9	2.9
14	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	61	0.8	2.7
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	42	0.6	1.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	740	10.1	32.9

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

[Rates per 100,000 population in specified group. Data for races other than white and black should be interpreted with caution because of inconsistencies between the reporting of race on death certificates and on censuses and surveys. Population denominators for 2000 death rates are based on the 1990 census population.]

Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, both sexes, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	23,087	100.0	2,764.3
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7,150	31.0	856.1
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	5,484	23.8	656.6
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2,598	11.3	311.1
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	989	4.3	118.4
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	977	4.2	117.0
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	833	3.6	99.7
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	479	2.1	57.4
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	421	1.8	50.4
9	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	286	1.2	34.2
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	263	1.1	31.5
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	232	1.0	27.8
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	206	0.9	24.7
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	188	0.8	22.5
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	156	0.7	18.7
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	135	0.6	16.2
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,690	11.7	322.1
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, all ages				
...	All causes	19,018	100.0	349.2
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	5,175	27.2	95.0
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,865	25.6	89.3
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,555	8.2	28.5
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	1,057	5.6	19.4
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	722	3.8	13.3
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	592	3.1	10.9
7	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	547	2.9	10.0
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	452	2.4	8.3
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	254	1.3	4.7
9	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	254	1.3	4.7
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	224	1.2	4.1
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	184	1.0	3.4
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	172	0.9	3.2
14	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	161	0.8	3.0
15	Septicemia (A40-A41)	160	0.8	2.9
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,644	13.9	48.5

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	79	100.0	21.2
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	26	32.9	7.0
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	8	10.1	*
3	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	7	8.9	*
4	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	3.8	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3	3.8	*
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	3	3.8	*
4	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	3	3.8	*
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	3	3.8	*
9	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	1	1.3	*
9	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.3	*
9	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	1.3	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	20	25.3	5.4
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	111	100.0	12.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	32	28.8	3.6
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	22	19.8	2.4
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7	6.3	*
4	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	6	5.4	*
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	6	5.4	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	4	3.6	*
7	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	3	2.7	*
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	1.8	*
8	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	2	1.8	*
8	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	2	1.8	*
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	0.9	*
11	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.9	*
11	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	1	0.9	*
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.9	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	21	18.9	2.3

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	516	100.0	63.6
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	227	44.0	28.0
2	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	85	16.5	10.5
3	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	73	14.1	9.0
4	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	38	7.4	4.7
5	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	24	4.7	3.0
6	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	1.4	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	3	0.6	*
8	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	2	0.4	*
8	Meningococcal infection (A39)	2	0.4	*
8	Septicemia (A40-A41)	2	0.4	*
8	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	0.4	*
12	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	1	0.2	*
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.2	*
12	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	0.2	*
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	1	0.2	*
12	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	1	0.2	*
12	Diseases of appendix (K35-K38)	1	0.2	*
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	1	0.2	*
12	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	0.2	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	43	8.3	5.3
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	1,583	100.0	84.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	326	20.6	17.5
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	316	20.0	16.9
3	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	217	13.7	11.6
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	199	12.6	10.7
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	93	5.9	5.0
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	59	3.7	3.2
7	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	38	2.4	2.0
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	37	2.3	2.0
9	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	19	1.2	*
10	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	18	1.1	*
11	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	17	1.1	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	10	0.6	*
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	9	0.6	*
13	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	9	0.6	*
13	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	9	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	207	13.1	11.1

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	4,326	100.0	411.8
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,469	34.0	139.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	1,160	26.8	110.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	303	7.0	28.8
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	201	4.6	19.1
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	139	3.2	13.2
6	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	107	2.5	10.2
7	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	97	2.2	9.2
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	85	2.0	8.1
9	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	69	1.6	6.6
10	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	67	1.5	6.4
11	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	54	1.2	5.1
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	50	1.2	4.8
13	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	45	1.0	4.3
14	Septicemia (A40-A41)	30	0.7	2.9
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	25	0.6	2.4
15	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	25	0.6	2.4
...	All other causes (Residual)	400	9.2	38.1
Asian or Pacific Islander, male, 65 years and over				
...	All causes	11,951	100.0	3,406.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,751	31.4	1,069.3
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	3,000	25.1	855.2
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,186	9.9	338.1
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	630	5.3	179.6
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	516	4.3	147.1
6	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	389	3.3	110.9
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	245	2.1	69.8
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	192	1.6	54.7
9	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	128	1.1	36.5
10	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	118	1.0	33.6
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	114	1.0	32.5
12	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	109	0.9	31.1
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	103	0.9	29.4
14	Parkinson's disease (G20-G21)	101	0.8	28.8
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	80	0.7	22.8
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,289	10.8	367.5

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LCWK3. Deaths, percent of total deaths, and death rates for the 15 leading causes of death in selected age groups, by race and sex: United States, 2000

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, all ages				
...	All causes	15,857	100.0	272.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	4,356	27.5	74.8
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,926	24.8	67.4
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,733	10.9	29.7
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	621	3.9	10.7
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	556	3.5	9.5
6	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	528	3.3	9.1
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	411	2.6	7.1
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	273	1.7	4.7
9	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	179	1.1	3.1
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	170	1.1	2.9
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	168	1.1	2.9
12	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	164	1.0	2.8
13	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	163	1.0	2.8
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	148	0.9	2.5
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	124	0.8	2.1
...	All other causes (Residual)	2,337	14.7	40.1
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 1-4 years				
...	All causes	67	100.0	18.4
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	21	31.3	5.8
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	10	14.9	*
2	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	10	14.9	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	2	3.0	*
5	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	1.5	*
5	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	1.5	*
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1	1.5	*
5	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	1.5	*
5	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	1.5	*
5	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	1.5	*
5	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	1	1.5	*
5	Complications of medical and surgical care (Y40-Y84,Y88)	1	1.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	16	23.9	*

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 5-14 years				
...	All causes	96	100.0	11.3
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	27	28.1	3.2
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	16	16.7	*
3	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	7	7.3	*
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	6	6.3	*
5	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	3	3.1	*
6	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	2	2.1	*
6	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	2	2.1	*
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	2.1	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	1	1.0	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	1	1.0	*
9	Acute bronchitis and bronchiolitis (J20-J21)	1	1.0	*
9	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period (P00-P96)	1	1.0	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	27	28.1	3.2
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 15-24 years				
...	All causes	205	100.0	25.1
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	69	33.7	8.5
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	28	13.7	3.4
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	25	12.2	3.1
4	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	15	7.3	*
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	8	3.9	*
6	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	7	3.4	*
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	4	2.0	*
7	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	4	2.0	*
9	Septicemia (A40-A41)	3	1.5	*
10	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	2	1.0	*
10	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	2	1.0	*
12	Tuberculosis (A16-A19)	1	0.5	*
12	Meningococcal infection (A39)	1	0.5	*
12	Anemias (D50-D64)	1	0.5	*
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	1	0.5	*
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	1	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	33	16.1	4.0

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 25-44 years				
...	All causes	978	100.0	48.4
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	386	39.5	19.1
2	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	132	13.5	6.5
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	70	7.2	3.5
4	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	65	6.6	3.2
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	54	5.5	2.7
6	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	46	4.7	2.3
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	14	1.4	*
8	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities (Q00-Q99)	13	1.3	*
9	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	12	1.2	*
10	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium (O00-099)	11	1.1	*
11	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	10	1.0	*
12	Septicemia (A40-A41)	8	0.8	*
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	8	0.8	*
14	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	7	0.7	*
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	6	0.6	*
15	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease (B20-B24)	6	0.6	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	130	13.3	6.4
Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 45-64 years				
...	All causes	3,024	100.0	252.2
1	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	1,430	47.3	119.3
2	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	439	14.5	36.6
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	258	8.5	21.5
4	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	130	4.3	10.8
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	102	3.4	8.5
6	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	60	2.0	5.0
7	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	45	1.5	3.8
8	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	40	1.3	3.3
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide) (X60-X84,Y87.0)	40	1.3	3.3
10	Septicemia (A40-A41)	36	1.2	3.0
10	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	36	1.2	3.0
12	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	35	1.2	2.9
13	Assault (homicide) (X85-Y09,Y87.1)	25	0.8	2.1
14	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	17	0.6	*
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior (D00-D48)	16	0.5	*
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	16	0.5	*
...	All other causes (Residual)	299	9.9	24.9

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Rank ¹	Cause of death (Based on the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases, 1992), race, sex, and age	Number	Percent of total deaths	Rate
	Asian or Pacific Islander, female, 65 years and over			
...	All causes	11,136	100.0	2,298.9
1	Diseases of heart (I00-I09,I11,I13,I20-I51)	3,399	30.5	701.7
2	Malignant neoplasms (C00-C97)	2,484	22.3	512.8
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (I60-I69)	1,412	12.7	291.5
4	Influenza and pneumonia (J10-J18)	473	4.2	97.6
5	Diabetes mellitus (E10-E14)	444	4.0	91.7
6	Chronic lower respiratory diseases (J40-J47)	347	3.1	71.6
7	Accidents (unintentional injuries) (V01-X59,Y85-Y86)	234	2.1	48.3
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (N00-N07,N17-N19,N25-N27)	229	2.1	47.3
9	Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (I10,I12)	158	1.4	32.6
10	Alzheimer's disease (G30)	154	1.4	31.8
11	Septicemia (A40-A41)	118	1.1	24.4
12	Aortic aneurysm and dissection (I71)	88	0.8	18.2
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids (J69)	85	0.8	17.5
14	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis (K70,K73-K74)	67	0.6	13.8
15	Viral hepatitis (B15-B19)	58	0.5	12.0
...	All other causes (Residual)	1,386	12.4	286.1

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