

United States

Child Mortality, 2016

Number and Rate of Child Deaths, per 100,000 Population (2016)

Total Child Population (Ages 0-19)	Number of Child Deaths	Child Mortality Rate
82,105,068	43,521	53.0

Infant Mortality Number and Rate, per 1,000 Live Births (2016)

Number of Live Births (Ages <1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
3,945,875	23,161	5.9

Selected Causes of Death, Ages 0-19, per 100,000 Population (2016)

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
Natural	29,508	35.9
Perinatal Conditions	11,457	14.0
Congenital Anomalies	5,795	7.1
Neoplasms	2,118	2.6
Respiratory Disease	1,323	1.6
Circulatory Disease	1,317	1.6
Nervous System Disease	1,324	1.6
SIDS	1,500	1.8
Unintentional Injury	8,266	10.1
Motor Vehicle	4,147	5.1
Drowning	966	1.2
Fire/Burn	285	0.3
Poisoning	855	1.0
Suffocation	1,258	1.5
Firearm	127	0.2
Homicide	2,717	3.3
Firearm	1,849	2.3
Suicide	2,560	3.1
Firearm	1,102	1.3
Suffocation	1,084	1.3
Poisoning	154	0.2

Sources: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics.

CDC WONDER On-line Database, CDC WISQARS On-line Database. Data accessed on 6/15/2018.

Rates based on 20 or fewer deaths may be unstable. Use with caution.