

# California

Child Mortality, 2017

## Number and Rate of Child Deaths, per 100,000 Population (2017)

Total Child Population (Ages 0-19)	Number of Child Deaths	Child Mortality Rate
10,091,313	3,843	38.1

## Infant Mortality Number and Rate, per 1,000 Live Births (2017)

Number of Live Births (Ages <1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
471,658	1,973	4.2

## Selected Causes of Death, Ages 0-19, per 100,000 Population (2017)

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>2,714</b>	<b>26.9</b>
Perinatal Conditions	1,037	10.3
Congenital Anomalies	543	5.4
Neoplasms	247	2.4
Respiratory Disease	113	1.1
Circulatory Disease	124	1.2
Nervous System Disease	140	1.4
SIDS	114	1.1
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>653</b>	<b>6.5</b>
Motor Vehicle	379	3.8
Drowning	82	0.8
Fire/Burn	10	0.1
Poisoning	56	0.6
Suffocation	64	0.6
Firearm	*	*
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>222</b>	<b>2.2</b>
Firearm	153	1.5
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>2.2</b>
Firearm	68	0.7
Suffocation	111	1.1
Poisoning	17	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 4/23/2019.

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

\* denotes suppressed data due to confidentiality constraints (fewer than 10 children)