

# Mississippi

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
796,557	625	78.5

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

Number of Live Births (Ages <1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
37,357	322	8.6

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

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>54.1</b>
Perinatal Conditions	148	18.6
Congenital Anomalies	86	10.8
Neoplasms	21	2.6
Respiratory Disease	24	3.0
Circulatory Disease	26	3.3
Nervous System Disease	15	1.9
SIDS	*	*
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>15.4</b>
Motor Vehicle	84	10.5
Drowning	17	2.1
Fire/Burn	*	*
Poisoning	*	*
Suffocation	*	*
Firearm	*	*
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>4.3</b>
Firearm	30	3.8
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>3.6</b>
Firearm	15	1.9
Suffocation	14	1.8
Poisoning	*	*

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)