

# North Carolina

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
2,577,869	1,509	58.5

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

Number of Live Births (Ages <1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
120,125	847	7.1

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

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>1,070</b>	<b>41.5</b>
Perinatal Conditions	455	17.7
Congenital Anomalies	172	6.7
Neoplasms	56	2.2
Respiratory Disease	50	1.9
Circulatory Disease	53	2.1
Nervous System Disease	42	1.6
SIDS	11	0.4
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>10.0</b>
Motor Vehicle	154	6.0
Drowning	31	1.2
Fire/Burn	*	*
Poisoning	28	1.1
Suffocation	20	0.8
Firearm	*	*
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>3.6</b>
Firearm	55	2.1
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>3.1</b>
Firearm	29	1.1
Suffocation	39	1.5
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)