

# Mississippi

Child Mortality, 2018

## Number and Rate of Child Deaths, per 100,000 Population (2018)

Total Child Population (Ages 0-19)	Number of Child Deaths	Child Mortality Rate
791,304	626	79.1

## Infant Mortality Number and Rate, per 1,000 Live Births (2018)

Number of Live Births (Ages <1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
37,000	306	8.3

## Selected Causes of Death, Ages 0-19, per 100,000 Population (2018)

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>52.6</b>
Perinatal Conditions	139	17.6
Congenital Anomalies	77	9.7
Neoplasms	20	2.5
Respiratory Disease	22	2.8
Circulatory Disease	17	2.1
Nervous System Disease	16	2.0
SIDS	*	*
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>15.5</b>
Motor Vehicle	83	10.5
Drowning	12	1.5
Fire/Burn	*	*
Poisoning	*	*
Suffocation	*	*
Firearm	*	*
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>6.8</b>
Firearm	46	5.8
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>3.9</b>
Firearm	24	3.0
Suffocation	*	*
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 2/28/2020.

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

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