

Table 2. Provisional number of deaths under 1 year and infant mortality rates: Each State, 12 months ending with May 2002 and 2003

[Data are estimates by State of residence. Infant mortality rates are deaths under 1 year per 1,000 live births in specified area]

Area	12 months ending with May			
	2003		2002	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Alabama	476	8.2	562	9.4
Alaska	61	6.1	76	7.7
Arizona	584	6.5	583	6.8
Arkansas	303	8.0	343	9.1
California	2,597	4.9	2,852	5.4
Colorado	392	5.7	427	6.3
Connecticut	230	5.4	239	5.6
Delaware	102	9.0	106	9.7
District of Columbia	65	8.6	85	11.1
Florida	1,516	7.3	1,550	7.5
Georgia	1,085	8.1	1,127	8.5
Hawaii	127	7.2	92	5.4
Idaho	120	5.7	137	6.6
Illinois	1,322	7.4	1,331	7.3
Indiana	622	7.3	663	7.7
Iowa	189	5.0	211	5.6
Kansas	293	7.2	283	7.1
Kentucky	350	6.4	332	6.1
Louisiana	594	9.2	668	10.2
Maine	65	4.7	72	5.4
Maryland	605	8.2	593	8.1
Massachusetts	348	4.3	384	4.7
Michigan	1,063	8.2	1,060	8.1
Minnesota	361	5.2	354	5.3
Mississippi	419	10.1	435	10.4
Missouri	590	7.9	589	7.9
Montana	71	6.4	70	6.4
Nebraska	172	6.8	177	7.2
Nevada	198	6.1	206	6.4
New Hampshire	58	4.0	76	5.2
New Jersey	646	5.6	679	5.9
New Mexico	163	5.9	171	6.3
New York	1,564	6.1	1,611	6.3
North Carolina	902	7.7	981	8.3
North Dakota	47	6.1	60	7.8
Ohio	1,196	8.2	1,169	7.8
Oklahoma	353	7.0	375	7.5
Oregon	256	5.6	266	5.9
Pennsylvania	1,049	7.5	996	7.0
Rhode Island	75	5.8	82	6.5
South Carolina	514	9.4	463	8.4
South Dakota	91	8.4	71	6.7
Tennessee	667	8.6	694	8.9
Texas	2,250	6.1	2,214	6.0
Utah	260	5.3	241	5.0
Vermont	31	4.9	29	4.5
Virginia	717	7.2	729	7.4
Washington	361	4.6	458	5.8
West Virginia	170	8.4	168	8.3
Wisconsin	440	6.4	497	7.2
Wyoming	52	7.9	48	7.8
Puerto Rico	483	9.3	507	9.3

NOTE: Figures include all revisions received from the States and, therefore, may differ from those previously published.

SOURCE: Provisional data from the National Vital Statistics System. Data are subject to monthly reporting variation. For discussion of the nature, source, and limitations of the data, see "Technical Notes" of the associated report, *Births, Marriages, and Deaths: Provisional data for May 2003* at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs>.