

**Table 2. Provisional number of deaths under 1 year and infant mortality rates: Each State, 12 months ending with January 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 January			
	2003		2002	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Alabama . . . . .	495	8.5	573	9.5
Alaska . . . . .	55	5.5	86	8.6
Arizona . . . . .	580	6.6	576	6.7
Arkansas . . . . .	328	8.7	308	8.2
California . . . . .	2,761	5.2	2,824	5.4
Colorado . . . . .	411	6.0	396	5.9
Connecticut . . . . .	250	5.9	232	5.3
Delaware . . . . .	100	8.9	120	11.1
District of Columbia . . . . .	74	9.7	86	11.1
Florida . . . . .	1,549	7.5	1,551	7.5
Georgia . . . . .	1,155	8.6	1,144	8.6
Hawaii . . . . .	115	6.6	105	6.1
Idaho . . . . .	127	6.1	130	6.3
Illinois . . . . .	1,298	7.3	1,398	7.6
Indiana . . . . .	639	7.5	638	7.4
Iowa . . . . .	195	5.2	207	5.5
Kansas . . . . .	296	7.3	290	7.3
Kentucky . . . . .	359	6.6	329	6.0
Louisiana . . . . .	650	10.0	659	10.1
Maine . . . . .	62	4.6	81	5.9
Maryland . . . . .	571	7.8	592	8.1
Massachusetts . . . . .	336	4.2	402	4.9
Michigan . . . . .	1,082	8.3	1,049	7.9
Minnesota . . . . .	368	5.4	372	5.5
Mississippi . . . . .	426	10.3	436	10.4
Missouri . . . . .	618	8.3	551	7.4
Montana . . . . .	78	7.0	69	6.3
Nebraska . . . . .	179	7.1	160	6.5
Nevada . . . . .	203	6.2	188	5.9
New Hampshire . . . . .	76	5.3	64	4.4
New Jersey . . . . .	628	5.5	732	6.3
New Mexico . . . . .	174	6.3	177	6.5
New York . . . . .	1,593	6.2	1,546	6.1
North Carolina . . . . .	931	8.0	1,011	8.6
North Dakota . . . . .	58	7.5	58	7.6
Ohio . . . . .	1,186	8.0	1,159	7.7
Oklahoma . . . . .	391	7.8	372	7.5
Oregon . . . . .	268	6.0	249	5.5
Pennsylvania . . . . .	1,068	7.6	999	7.0
Rhode Island . . . . .	78	6.3	91	7.3
South Carolina . . . . .	516	9.5	493	8.9
South Dakota . . . . .	81	7.5	78	7.3
Tennessee . . . . .	698	9.0	679	8.7
Texas . . . . .	2,215	6.0	2,192	6.0
Utah . . . . .	270	5.5	236	4.9
Vermont . . . . .	22	3.5	30	4.6
Virginia . . . . .	725	7.3	740	7.5
Washington . . . . .	398	5.0	454	5.7
West Virginia . . . . .	189	9.3	159	7.8
Wisconsin . . . . .	454	6.6	496	7.2
Wyoming . . . . .	56	8.6	32	5.2
Puerto Rico . . . . .	484	9.2	521	9.4

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 January 2003* at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs>.