

Table 2. Provisional number of deaths under 1 year and infant mortality rates: Each division and State, January–December 1998 and 1999

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

Area	January–December			
	1999		1998	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
New England	936	5.5	968	5.5
Maine	64	4.7	73	5.3
New Hampshire	73	5.2	63	4.7
Vermont	36	5.5	38	6.0
Massachusetts	416	5.1	426	4.8
Rhode Island	82	6.7	89	7.2
Connecticut	265	6.1	279	6.5
Middle Atlantic	3,441	6.7	3,045	5.8
New York	1,618	6.3	1,432	5.5
New Jersey	782	6.9	680	5.8
Pennsylvania	1,041	7.2	933	6.4
East North Central	5,032	8.1	4,667	7.6
Ohio	1,259	8.3	1,146	7.6
Indiana	676	7.8	404	5.1
Illinois	1,557	8.5	1,526	8.4
Michigan	1,084	8.1	1,110	8.3
Wisconsin	456	6.7	481	7.1
West North Central	1,795	6.9	1,743	6.8
Minnesota	394	6.0	332	5.1
Iowa	222	5.9	239	6.7
Missouri	593	8.0	590	7.8
North Dakota	58	7.5	57	7.1
South Dakota	100	9.5	87	8.4
Nebraska	148	6.2	159	6.9
Kansas	280	7.0	279	7.5
South Atlantic	5,787	8.3	5,603	8.1
Delaware	109	10.1	110	10.7
Maryland	608	8.5	548	7.3
District of Columbia	106	13.2	76	9.1
Virginia	686	7.2	683	7.1
West Virginia	170	8.3	153	7.0
North Carolina	1,053	9.2	1,049	9.7
South Carolina	560	10.2	479	9.0
Georgia	1,038	8.2	1,038	8.5
Florida	1,457	7.4	1,467	7.5
East South Central	2,047	8.6	2,160	9.3
Kentucky	390	7.2	416	7.6
Tennessee	615	7.9	688	9.1
Alabama	596	9.6	621	10.0
Mississippi	446	10.5	435	10.9
West South Central	3,517	6.9	3,467	6.9
Arkansas	275	7.4	287	7.7
Louisiana	629	9.4	636	9.6
Oklahoma	413	8.4	323	6.3
Texas ¹	2,200	6.2	2,221	6.3
Mountain	1,820	6.4	1,913	7.0
Montana	75	6.9	77	7.4
Idaho	133	6.7	132	6.8
Wyoming	39	6.3	27	4.2
Colorado	406	6.5	413	6.9
New Mexico	190	7.0	180	6.5
Arizona	552	6.8	619	8.2
Utah	223	4.8	260	5.7
Nevada	202	6.9	205	7.5
Pacific	3,684	5.5	4,055	5.8
Washington	402	5.0	437	5.4
Oregon	255	5.7	265	6.0
California ¹	2,851	5.5	3,188	5.9
Alaska	55	5.5	53	4.9
Hawaii	121	7.1	112	6.5
Puerto Rico	633	10.6	533	9.0

¹Figures include adjustments for varying lengths of reporting periods.

NOTES: Figures include all revisions received from the States. Figures for the current year reflect revisions received for previous months, and figures for earlier years 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, sources, and limitations of the data, see Technical notes of the associated monthly report at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/pubs/pubd/nvsr/48/48-pre.htm>