

**TABLE 2D-3  
AVERAGE AGE AT DEATH FOR LEADING CAUSES OF MORTALITY BY GENDER, RACE/ETHNICITY  
AND URBAN/RURAL AREAS\*, ARIZONA, 2003**

	TOTAL STATE			AREA/GENDER:						RACE/ETHNICITY:				
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL URBAN	URBAN MALE	URBAN FEMALE	TOTAL RURAL	RURAL MALE	RURAL FEMALE	WHITE NON-HISPANIC	HISPANIC or LATINO	BLACK or AFRICAN-AMERICAN	AMERICAN INDIAN or ALASKA NATIVE	ASIAN or PACIFIC ISLANDER
<b>Total, all causes</b>	72.2	69.6	75.1	72.4	69.7	75.3	71.4	68.9	74.4	74.4	60.4	62.4	54.7	64.3
<b>Major cardiovascular diseases</b>	77.8	74.8	81.0	78.2	75.2	81.2	76.1	72.9	79.7	78.6	73.0	70.4	68.9	71.2
<b>Diseases of heart</b>	77.3	74.2	80.8	77.8	74.7	81.2	75.2	72.1	79.2	78.0	72.8	69.5	68.1	72.6
<b>Coronary heart disease</b>	77.5	74.4	81.2	78.1	75.0	81.7	74.7	71.9	78.7	78.1	74.1	71.2	68.9	73.9
<b>Malignant neoplasms</b>	70.9	70.9	70.9	70.9	70.8	70.9	71.1	71.2	70.9	71.7	65.7	67.2	66.2	64.0
<b>Lung cancer</b>	70.8	70.7	71.0	71.0	70.7	71.2	70.4	70.6	70.2	71.0	70.2	68.7	66.9	69.2
<b>Prostate cancer</b>	79.7	79.7		80.1	80.1		78.5	78.5		80.1	75.9	77.4	78.1	93.0
<b>Breast cancer</b>	67.6	74.2	67.6	67.3	73.0	67.2	69.1	76.0	69.0	68.9	58.2	66.6	67.7	59.8
<b>Colorectal cancer</b>	72.4	70.7	74.2	72.3	70.5	74.4	72.5	71.6	73.6	73.3	68.3	65.1	60.2	56.3
<b>Cerebrovascular diseases</b>	79.5	76.5	81.5	79.6	76.5	81.7	78.7	76.4	80.6	80.8	73.6	75.4	69.6	66.4
<b>Chronic lower respiratory diseases</b>	77.1	77.1	77.0	77.2	77.4	77.1	76.4	76.3	76.6	77.5	72.9	63.3	72.3	77.6
<b>Accidents (unintentional injuries)</b>	53.5	50.6	59.1	54.2	51.6	59.3	51.2	47.2	58.4	59.3	39.4	41.6	37.0	50.7
<b>Motor vehicle accidents</b>	41.1	40.2	43.0	41.0	40.0	43.1	41.5	40.7	43.0	46.0	36.9	37.5	32.4	43.3
<b>Falls</b>	79.0	75.1	82.9	79.8	76.4	83.2	74.7	68.8	81.2	80.4	72.7	69.2	62.4	65.5
<b>Accidental poisoning</b>	45.1	43.6	48.6	45.6	43.6	50.8	42.5	43.6	41.2	41.3	38.7	46.9	39.6	
<b>Accidental drowning</b>	43.0	45.9	29.9	45.1	49.2	28.7	30.6	29.1	49.0	60.6	20.4	14.3	32.6	29.0
<b>Influenza and pneumonia</b>	78.2	75.0	81.8	78.2	74.8	82.1	78.2	75.5	81.0	80.6	67.8	63.0	71.4	79.9
<b>Alzheimer's disease</b>	85.6	83.8	86.4	85.7	84.0	86.5	85.2	82.8	86.1	85.8	83.7	84.7	79.7	84.0
<b>Diabetes</b>	72.4	71.4	73.5	71.6	69.9	73.5	75.4	77.1	73.7	73.6	72.6	65.0	65.5	79.1
<b>Intentional self-harm (suicide)</b>	46.4	46.4	46.1	46.6	46.8	45.4	45.5	44.9	47.6	48.9	34.7	30.8	28.1	37.0
<b>Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis</b>	57.9	57.2	59.3	58.4	57.5	60.2	56.4	56.3	56.7	60.1	56.1	50.4	49.4	87.0
<b>Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis</b>	74.2	72.6	75.7	73.7	71.9	75.4	75.7	74.8	76.7	77.3	68.6	61.7	62.4	83.5
<b>Septicemia</b>	72.6	73.4	71.8	73.2	75.0	71.6	70.7	69.1	72.4	73.9	76.6	62.7	59.4	63.2
<b>Assault (homicide)</b>	32.9	32.2	35.6	32.3	31.7	34.9	37.1	36.2	39.3	40.6	28.6	35.0	30.1	32.7
<b>Parkinson's disease</b>	81.6	80.9	82.6	81.8	81.0	82.9	80.4	80.1	80.8	82.0	78.2	76.8	76.8	79.5
<b>Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease</b>	78.9	77.5	79.8	78.0	76.7	78.9	85.4	83.6	86.4	80.4	73.9	64.4	73.0	80.3
<b>Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease</b>	44.4	44.2	46.6	44.3	44.1	46.2	45.1	44.5	55.0	45.6	42.7	43.1	41.0	46.5
<b>I N J U R Y  B Y  F I R E A R M S</b>	50.8	52.2	42.6	51.6	53.3	41.6	47.0	47.1	46.6	53.6	33.1	51.6	33.0	26.0
<b>DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS</b>	46.0	44.0	50.0	46.2	44.0	51.1	45.0	44.0	46.0	43.7	40.1	46.1	39.8	
<b>ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS</b>	54.8	55.7	52.0	55.9	56.4	54.1	52.1	53.7	46.3	58.2	50.7	55.2	47.2	

\* Urban = Maricopa, Pima, Pinal and Yuma counties.

Note: The causes of death for 2003 are classified by the Tenth Revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10).