

**TABLE 2C-5
NUMBER OF DEATHS FOR SELECTED LEADING CAUSES OF INFANT MORTALITY BY YEAR, ARIZONA, 1997-2007**

Causes of death	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	134	139	128	134	141	99	126	152	149	142	159
of respiratory system	12	13	23	21	14	11	10	14	15	9	9
of brain, spinal cord or nervous system	23	14	13	14	18	18	23	20	19	28	20
Short gestation and low birth weight	51	70	65	55	73	95	85	84	79	93	95
Maternal complications	15	27	23	15	27	34	31	36	47	42	30
Sudden infant death syndrome	42	55	38	24	34	36	28	25	32	37	43
Accidents (unintentional injuries)	18	14	26	15	25	21	23	19	24	17	30
Influenza and pneumonia	17	32	21	16	20	19	21	17	19	13	5
Assault (homicide)	6	4	0	6	5	3	11	5	8	11	12
Intrauterine hypoxia or birth asphyxia	5	6	4	15	7	15	10	14	12	7	11
Respiratory distress syndrome	8	6	5	8	14	6	8	8	12	12	8
Total, all causes	543	592	547	568	587	552	586	622	653	642	701

Note: Leading causes of infant mortality are based on the list of 130 causes of infant death according to the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10).