

T38. LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG ELDERLY (65 YEARS AND OLDER) BY GENDER, AREA, AND RACE/ETHNICITY, ARIZONA, 2013

Cause of death	Total	Gender		Area ^a			Race/ethnicity				
		Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Unknown	White non-Hispanic	Hispanic or Latino	Black or African American	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian or Pacific Islander
Diseases of heart	8,583	4,511	4,072	6,688	1,879	16	7,393	751	203	156	80
Malignant neoplasms	8,015	4,294	3,721	6,269	1,732	14	6,819	765	196	137	98
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus and lung	2,147	1,143	1,004	1,666	476	*	1,908	154	46	13	26
Malignant neoplasm of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue	901	516	385	698	203	0	760	92	22	14	13
Malignant neoplasm of colon, rectum, and anus	660	318	342	506	152	*	551	65	19	12	13
Malignant neoplasm of pancreas	540	264	276	431	109	0	458	47	11	16	8
Malignant neoplasm of prostate	526	526	0	380	145	*	442	50	15	12	7
Malignant neoplasm of breast	520†	8	511	417	102	0	446	52	11	7	*
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	2,868	1,356	1,512	2,222	643	*	2,630	145	53	20	20
Alzheimer's disease	2,353	781	1,572	2,112	240	*	2,016	251	45	24	17
Cerebrovascular diseases	1,736	680	1,056	1,396	336	*	1,428	189	57	32	30
Diabetes	1,162	633	529	938	222	*	769	252	58	66	17
Total accidents	1,146	563	583	896	246	*	959	121	20	35	11
Falls	767	338	429	629	138	0	662	82	8	9	6
Motor vehicle accidents	130†	86	48	99	33	*	103	15	*	8	*
Influenza and pneumonia	608	285	323	452	154	*	486	71	13	30	8
Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	601	256	345	521	80	0	469	76	23	16	17
Parkinson's disease	560†	358	203	451	109	*	481	56	8	12	*
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	328	157	171	198	129	*	259	30	13	20	6
Septicemia	260†	133	130	197	66	0	197	39	8	15	*
Total, all causes	35,983	17,489	18,494	28,429	7,487	67	30,394	3,541	845	816	387

Notes: * Cell suppressed due to count less than 6; † Sum rounded to nearest tens unit due to addend less than 6; ^a Urban = Maricopa, Pima, Pinal, and Yuma counties; the remaining counties comprise Arizona's rural areas.