

**TABLE 2C-6  
 INFANT MORTALITY RATES<sup>1</sup> FOR SELECTED LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY YEAR,  
 ARIZONA, 1990-2000**

<b>Causes of death:</b>	<b>1990</b>	<b>1991</b>	<b>1992</b>	<b>1993</b>	<b>1994</b>	<b>1995</b>	<b>1996</b>	<b>1997</b>	<b>1998</b>	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>
<b>Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities</b>	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6
<b>of respiratory system</b>	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2
<b>of brain, spinal cord or nervous system</b>	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2
<b>Short gestation and low birth weight</b>	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.6
<b>Sudden infant death syndrome</b>	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.3
<b>Influenza and pneumonia</b>	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2
<b>Maternal complications</b>	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2
<b>Intrauterine hypoxia or birth asphyxia</b>	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.2
<b>Accidents (unintentional injuries)</b>	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2
<b>Respiratory distress syndrome</b>	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
<b>Total, all causes</b>	8.7	8.6	8.3	7.7	7.9	7.6	7.7	7.2	7.6	6.8	6.7

<sup>1</sup> Number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births.

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).