

**TABLE 1C-4
SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS OF REPORTABLE SPONTANEOUS¹ FETAL LOSSES BY YEAR, ARIZONA, 2000-2004**

		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Total reportable spontaneous fetal losses		532	566	556	539	555
Gender	Male	280	275	299	296	251
	Female	244	267	253	240	300
	Unknown	8	24	4	2	4
Mother's race/ethnicity	White non-Hispanic	223	234	212	199	239
	Hispanic or Latino	231	228	256	246	227
	Black or African American	28	33	35	41	33
	American Indian or Alaska Native	29	53	37	41	36
	Asian or Pacific Islander	9	14	12	8	17
	Unknown	12	4	4	4	3
Mother's age group	<15	2	6	2	1	1
	15-17	42	28	24	31	25
	18-19	47	51	40	55	54
	20-24	125	125	146	134	136
	25-29	126	137	129	140	117
	30-34	92	115	111	93	119
	35-39	64	71	69	62	80
	40-44	25	20	27	17	19
	45+	2	1	4	1	1
	Unknown	7	12	4	5	3
Gestational age²	20-27 weeks	271	290	277	285	281
	28+ weeks	260	274	278	252	271
	Unknown	1	2	1	2	3
Weight in grams	<350 grams	82	74	98	90	89
	350-499	91	94	78	95	94
	500-2,499	236	214	221	243	237
	2,501-3,999	91	101	115	86	91
	4,000+	7	16	15	12	25
	Unknown	25	67	29	13	19

¹ Include spontaneous terminations of pregnancy at 20 or more weeks of gestation (or if gestational age is unknown, the deaths of fetuses of at least 350 grams in weight), exclude induced terminations of pregnancy.

² For statistical purposes, fetal deaths are classified according to gestational age. A death that occurs at 20 or more weeks of gestation constitutes a fetal death, and after 28 weeks it is considered a late fetal death.