

**TABLE 2D-3
MEDIAN AGE AT DEATH FOR LEADING CAUSES OF MORTALITY BY GENDER, RACE/ETHNICITY AND
URBAN/RURAL AREAS*, ARIZONA, 2009**

	ARIZONA			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	
Total, all causes	76.0	73.0	80.0	77.0	73.0	80.0	75.0	72.0	77.0	78.0	67.0	64.0	59.0	74.0	
Major cardiovascular diseases	81.0	77.0	84.0	81.0	78.0	84.0	79.0	76.0	82.0	82.0	75.0	70.0	72.0	77.0	
Diseases of heart	81.0	77.0	84.0	81.0	77.0	84.0	78.0	75.0	82.0	82.0	75.0	68.0	70.0	76.5	
Coronary heart disease	80.0	76.0	84.0	81.0	77.0	84.0	76.0	73.0	81.0	81.0	75.0	68.0	70.0	76.0	
Malignant neoplasms	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	74.0	68.0	68.0	66.0	67.0	
Lung cancer	73.0	73.0	74.0	73.0	73.0	74.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	73.0	68.0	65.0	74.0	
Prostate cancer	80.0	80.0	NA	80.0	80.0	NA	79.0	79.0	NA	80.0	78.5	78.0	75.5	67.0	
Breast cancer	69.0	78.5	69.0	69.0	75.0	69.0	69.0	80.0	68.5	71.0	62.0	58.5	61.0	51.0	
Colorectal cancer	73.0	73.0	75.0	74.0	73.0	75.0	73.0	71.0	73.5	74.0	72.0	70.0	58.0	70.0	
Malignant melanoma of skin	69.5	71.5	65.0	71.0	72.0	65.0	66.0	67.0	64.5	69.0	67.0	78.0	NA	NA	
Cerebrovascular diseases	82.0	80.0	84.0	82.0	80.0	83.0	82.0	80.0	84.0	83.0	75.0	75.0	78.5	76.5	
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	78.5	78.0	79.0	79.0	78.0	79.5	78.0	78.0	78.0	79.0	77.0	71.0	81.0	78.0	
Accidents (unintentional injuries)	52.0	48.0	59.0	52.0	48.0	62.0	49.0	46.0	54.0	57.0	40.0	43.0	37.5	55.0	
Motor vehicle accidents	40.0	40.0	42.0	40.0	40.0	42.0	40.5	39.0	43.0	49.0	30.0	40.0	31.0	34.0	
Falls	84.0	82.0	86.0	85.0	83.0	86.0	82.0	79.0	85.0	85.0	81.0	89.0	77.0	80.0	
Accidental poisoning	44.0	41.0	47.0	44.0	42.0	47.0	42.0	39.0	47.0	44.0	40.0	43.5	39.0	79.0	
Accidental drowning	32.0	29.5	40.0	30.0	29.5	37.0	36.5	28.0	72.5	44.0	22.5	44.0	32.0	4.0	
Influenza and pneumonia	80.0	79.0	81.0	80.0	78.0	82.0	80.0	79.0	81.0	82.0	72.0	64.0	68.0	77.0	
Alzheimer's disease	87.0	86.0	88.0	87.0	86.0	88.0	86.0	85.0	87.0	87.0	86.0	85.5	84.0	84.0	
Diabetes	73.0	71.0	74.0	73.0	71.0	74.0	73.0	72.0	76.0	75.0	69.5	65.5	69.0	74.0	
Intentional self-harm (suicide)	48.0	48.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	46.0	50.0	50.0	50.0	52.0	34.0	34.0	28.5	43.0	
Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	58.0	57.0	60.0	57.0	57.0	61.0	58.0	58.0	59.0	60.0	60.0	54.0	48.0	79.0	
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	78.0	77.0	79.0	78.0	77.0	79.0	78.0	77.0	80.0	80.0	75.0	65.0	72.0	97.0	
Septicemia	74.0	72.0	76.0	74.5	72.0	77.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	77.0	66.0	71.0	68.0	81.5	
Assault (homicide)	33.0	31.0	36.0	32.0	31.0	35.0	38.0	38.0	38.0	40.0	29.5	27.0	30.0	67.0	
Parkinson's disease	82.0	82.0	83.0	82.0	82.0	83.0	81.0	81.0	80.0	82.0	81.0	83.0	84.0	81.0	
Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	82.0	80.0	84.0	82.0	80.0	84.0	81.0	79.5	82.0	82.0	79.0	80.0	66.0	84.0	
Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	47.0	47.0	48.0	48.0	48.0	47.0	46.5	44.5	68.5	50.0	46.0	47.5	46.5	NA	
INJURY BY FIREARMS	45.0	46.0	44.0	43.0	44.5	40.5	53.0	55.0	50.0	53.0	31.5	28.0	29.0	56.0	
DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS	45.0	42.5	48.0	45.0	43.0	48.0	44.0	40.0	48.5	46.5	42.0	42.0	37.5	21.0	
ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS	54.0	55.0	52.0	54.0	55.0	52.0	53.0	54.0	50.5	56.0	54.0	52.0	47.0	66.0	

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

Median age at death = the middle of the age distribution: half died at age greater than the median and half at age below the median.