

**TABLE 5E-34  
RATES\* FOR THE LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG ELDERLY (65 YEARS AND OLDER) BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE,  
ARIZONA, 2009**

Underlying cause of death	ARIZONA	County of residence														
		Apache	Cochise	Coconino	Gila	Graham	Greenlee	Maricopa	Mohave	Navajo	Pima	Pinal	Santa Cruz	Yavapai	Yuma	La Paz
Diseases of heart	953.3	786.4	909.4	842.5	1,011.4	977.3	770.1	979.6	1,151.7	768.8	1,030.7	669.6	763.2	932.3	639.6	726.0
Malignant neoplasms	843.0	684.9	742.9	583.3	955.2	899.1	770.1	831.9	1,071.0	814.9	935.1	727.8	1,047.2	817.2	595.5	786.4
Malignant neoplasm of trachea, bronchus and lung	242.3	76.1	196.4	111.1	329.1	293.2	110.0	235.2	391.8	246.0	252.3	237.4	355.0	224.0	184.7	257.1
Malignant neoplasm of prostate**	129.7	224.2	63.7	119.0	70.1	129.8	461.9	125.7	175.9	132.9	158.7	90.1	241.6	127.1	69.4	151.1
Malignant neoplasm of breast*	91.1	46.3	48.2	52.1	88.9	178.3	0.0	90.7	81.1	100.2	103.1	84.8	95.2	82.3	110.7	0.0
Malignant neoplasm of lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue	86.4	38.1	89.7	64.8	104.4	58.6	0.0	95.3	57.0	69.2	94.9	47.0	88.7	90.8	49.6	15.1
Malignant neoplasm of colon, rectum, and anus	73.3	88.8	76.9	37.0	40.1	39.1	0.0	70.0	97.4	76.9	76.7	69.4	71.0	92.8	68.9	90.7
Malignant neoplasm of pancreas	54.2	63.4	59.8	37.0	48.2	19.5	110.0	55.8	57.0	38.4	68.6	51.5	53.2	32.3	22.1	30.2
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	287.0	152.2	243.4	259.2	513.7	195.5	220.0	281.2	403.7	322.9	292.7	288.9	177.5	258.3	242.6	211.7
Alzheimer's disease	240.8	50.7	145.2	120.4	192.6	78.2	0.0	325.9	147.2	153.8	162.8	145.6	177.5	193.7	41.4	45.4
Cerebrovascular diseases	202.5	190.3	209.2	250.0	176.6	273.7	110.0	206.4	135.4	184.5	227.4	174.7	213.0	217.9	154.4	45.4
Accident (unintentional injury)	114.3	202.9	76.9	175.9	88.3	78.2	0.0	134.2	64.1	115.3	101.6	76.1	35.5	96.9	63.4	45.4
Falls	74.5	63.4	38.4	101.8	48.2	39.1	0.0	95.1	38.0	53.8	62.6	40.3	35.5	60.5	24.8	15.1
Motor vehicle accident	15.0	63.4	12.8	27.8	24.1	0.0	0.0	14.2	11.9	30.8	12.8	17.9	0.0	16.1	16.5	0.0
Influenza and pneumonia	91.7	152.2	89.7	138.9	104.4	156.4	110.0	86.2	76.0	153.8	104.3	67.2	71.0	98.9	99.3	30.2
Diabetes	86.8	215.6	98.2	83.3	112.4	254.1	330.0	84.6	90.2	99.9	89.5	71.7	159.7	44.4	91.0	30.2
Parkinson's disease	50.5	38.1	47.0	64.8	16.1	39.1	0.0	54.2	35.6	53.8	55.2	42.5	35.5	44.4	41.4	15.1
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	48.3	50.7	102.5	101.8	64.2	39.1	0.0	33.3	54.6	53.8	62.6	58.2	17.7	64.6	80.0	60.5
Essential (primary) hypertension	47.0	76.1	38.4	46.3	48.2	39.1	330.0	60.4	33.2	30.8	26.9	33.6	35.5	28.3	24.8	15.1
Septicemia	42.9	164.9	47.0	74.1	40.1	19.5	0.0	46.4	26.1	69.2	35.0	29.1	35.5	36.3	35.8	15.1
<b>Total, all causes</b>	<b>3,744.2</b>	<b>3,779.8</b>	<b>3,377.2</b>	<b>3,601.5</b>	<b>3,844.9</b>	<b>3,831.1</b>	<b>3,960.4</b>	<b>3,864.1</b>	<b>3,937.2</b>	<b>3,690.3</b>	<b>3,972.0</b>	<b>2,956.0</b>	<b>3,656.4</b>	<b>3,531.3</b>	<b>2,690.9</b>	<b>2,389.6</b>

NOTE: The rates based on fewer than 10 deaths (see Table 5E-33) are not statistically reliable. All rates are per 100,000 elderly 65 years and older.

\*The rates for breast cancer are per 100,000 females.

\*\*The rates for prostate cancer are per 100,000 males.