

**TABLE 2D-3  
MEDIAN AGE AT DEATH FOR LEADING CAUSES OF MORTALITY BY GENDER, RACE/ETHNICITY AND  
URBAN/RURAL AREAS\*, ARIZONA, 2011**

	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 other Pacific Islander	
<b>Total, all causes</b>	77.0	73.0	81.0	77.0	74.0	81.0	75.0	73.0	79.0	79.0	68.0	66.0	60.0	72.0	
<b>Major cardiovascular diseases</b>	81.0	78.0	85.0	82.0	78.0	85.0	80.0	76.0	83.5	82.0	77.0	68.0	72.0	75.0	
<b>Diseases of heart</b>	81.0	77.0	85.0	82.0	78.0	85.0	79.0	76.0	83.0	82.0	77.0	67.0	69.0	75.0	
<b>Coronary heart disease</b>	80.0	77.0	85.0	81.0	77.0	85.0	78.0	75.0	82.5	81.0	76.0	68.0	69.0	74.0	
<b>Malignant neoplasms</b>	73.0	72.0	73.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	73.0	68.0	66.0	69.0	72.0	
<b>Lung cancer</b>	73.0	72.0	74.0	73.0	72.0	74.0	73.0	73.0	74.0	73.0	74.0	69.0	76.0	74.0	
<b>Prostate cancer</b>	80.0	80.0	NA	80.0	80.0	NA	82.0	82.0	NA	81.0	78.0	74.0	81.0	54.0	
<b>Breast cancer</b>	68.0	62.0	68.0	68.0	83.0	68.0	70.0	57.0	70.0	70.0	59.5	60.0	69.5	56.0	
<b>Colorectal cancer</b>	73.0	71.0	76.0	73.0	71.0	76.0	73.0	72.5	75.0	75.0	68.0	71.0	65.0	75.0	
<b>Malignant melanoma of skin</b>	70.0	71.0	67.0	70.0	71.0	66.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	70.0	63.0	0.0	75.0	70.0	
<b>Cerebrovascular diseases</b>	83.0	79.0	84.0	83.0	80.0	84.0	82.0	78.0	84.0	84.0	78.0	72.0	76.0	74.5	
<b>Chronic lower respiratory diseases</b>	78.0	77.0	80.0	79.0	78.0	80.0	76.0	75.0	78.0	79.0	77.0	71.0	75.5	79.0	
<b>Accidents (unintentional injuries)</b>	53.0	49.0	63.0	54.0	49.0	67.0	52.0	49.0	56.5	59.0	40.0	46.0	40.0	57.5	
<b>Motor vehicle accidents</b>	42.0	42.0	42.0	42.0	40.0	44.0	42.0	46.0	37.0	50.0	33.0	39.0	33.0	64.0	
<b>Falls</b>	85.0	81.0	87.0	85.0	81.0	87.0	82.0	77.0	86.0	85.0	79.0	84.0	72.0	83.5	
<b>Accidental poisoning</b>	42.0	40.0	46.0	42.0	39.0	46.0	45.0	44.0	47.0	44.0	37.0	46.0	40.5	42.0	
<b>Accidental drowning</b>	38.0	38.0	40.0	38.0	38.0	37.0	40.0	27.0	51.5	49.0	15.0	22.0	36.5	20.5	
<b>Influenza and pneumonia</b>	82.0	80.0	84.0	82.0	80.0	84.0	82.0	80.0	83.0	83.0	78.0	55.0	82.0	77.0	
<b>Alzheimer's disease</b>	87.0	85.0	88.0	87.0	85.0	88.0	87.0	84.5	88.0	87.0	86.0	87.5	80.0	86.0	
<b>Diabetes</b>	72.0	71.0	75.0	72.0	71.0	75.0	72.0	71.0	73.0	75.0	70.0	67.0	66.0	72.0	
<b>Intentional self-harm (suicide)</b>	46.0	46.0	48.0	47.0	46.0	47.5	47.0	46.0	50.5	50.0	33.5	30.5	26.0	41.5	
<b>Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis</b>	59.0	59.0	58.0	59.0	59.0	59.5	58.0	58.5	55.5	60.0	59.0	56.0	49.0	56.0	
<b>Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome, and nephrosis</b>	81.0	80.0	83.0	81.0	80.0	82.0	81.0	80.0	84.0	83.0	75.0	63.5	71.0	77.0	
<b>Septicemia</b>	75.0	73.5	76.0	73.0	72.0	74.0	77.0	76.0	79.0	77.0	73.0	68.0	60.0	72.0	
<b>Assault (homicide)</b>	32.0	30.0	43.5	30.0	29.0	43.0	36.0	34.0	46.0	45.0	27.0	31.0	30.5	44.0	
<b>Parkinson's disease</b>	82.0	82.0	84.0	83.0	82.0	84.0	82.0	81.0	83.0	83.0	80.0	81.0	77.0	82.0	
<b>Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease</b>	83.0	79.0	84.0	83.0	79.0	85.0	81.0	77.0	83.0	84.0	79.0	68.0	67.5	77.0	
<b>Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease</b>	48.0	48.0	48.0	49.0	49.0	47.0	47.0	46.0	63.0	49.5	44.0	51.0	38.5	59.5	
<b>INJURY BY FIREARMS</b>	44.0	44.0	48.5	43.0	42.0	47.5	50.0	50.0	50.5	51.0	28.5	29.0	28.0	23.0	
<b>DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS</b>	44.0	41.0	47.0	44.0	40.0	47.0	47.0	45.0	50.0	46.0	39.0	45.5	40.5	42.0	
<b>ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS</b>	55.0	56.0	53.0	56.0	57.0	54.0	53.0	54.5	50.0	57.0	55.0	55.0	46.0	51.5	

\*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.