

TABLE 2C-23
MORTALITY RATES^a FOR THE FIVE LEADING CAUSES^b OF DEATH AMONG ELDERLY (65 YEARS AND OLDER) BY GENDER,
ARIZONA, 2005-2015

Gender/Cause	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	% change from 2005
MALE												
Diseases of heart	1238.7	1138.7	1079.2	1114.1	1073.3	992.8	1065.5	1022.2	1007.0	908.6	970.0	-21.7
Malignant neoplasms	1068.2	1058.2	1020.4	1006.6	1017.3	1007.7	1007.4	992.6	958.6	899.1	931.7	-12.8
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	317.3	326.7	300.9	316.8	303.6	310.9	318.4	319.9	302.7	290.2	308.7	-2.7
Alzheimer's disease	166.2	176.9	167.3	174.4	178.6	186.2	188.6	171.4	174.3	168.1	203.2	22.2
Cerebrovascular diseases	224.9	195.2	168.6	188.9	182.8	169.3	164.4	165.5	151.8	144.4	183.0	-18.7
ALL CAUSES	4401.4	4282.4	4002.8	4095.0	4025.9	3974.9	4083.3	3987.4	3904.2	3883.3	3975.4	-9.7
(Number of all deaths)	(15385)	(15273)	(14981)	(15589)	(15462)	(15967)	(16517)	(17101)	(17489)	(18292)	(19665)	27.8
FEMALE												
Diseases of heart	1013.9	968.0	891.9	860.8	855.9	804.8	847.2	794.5	763.7	694.9	756.2	-25.4
Malignant neoplasms	721.8	713.1	696.4	691.1	701.6	702.5	710.9	678.6	697.9	628.1	670.5	-7.1
Alzheimer's disease	280.4	317.9	301.8	297.9	291.2	323.5	319.4	272.5	294.8	274.2	326.9	16.6
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	297.4	286.3	255.0	279.3	273.5	272.6	301.4	268.6	283.6	248.3	286.8	-3.6
Cerebrovascular diseases	286.9	258.7	246.8	229.2	218.5	229.9	231.0	208.0	198.1	191.1	210.5	-26.6
ALL CAUSES	3856.6	3828.7	3597.1	3544.8	3515.6	3521.7	3681.4	3489.9	3468.6	3378.3	3412.6	-11.5
(Number of all deaths)	(16778)	(16919)	(16601)	(16625)	(16636)	(16909)	(17798)	(17855)	(18494)	(18718)	(19815)	18.1
TOTAL												
Diseases of heart	1114.1	1044.8	975.7	974.3	953.3	890.4	946.8	898.3	874.8	793.1	854.5	-23.3
Malignant neoplasms	876.1	867.2	841.5	832.4	843.0	841.5	846.1	821.8	816.9	752.6	790.7	-9.8
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	306.3	304.3	275.6	296.1	287.0	290.1	309.1	292.0	292.3	267.6	296.8	-3.1
Alzheimer's disease	229.5	258.2	241.6	242.6	240.8	260.9	259.8	226.4	239.8	225.4	270.0	17.6
Cerebrovascular diseases	259.2	230.3	211.8	211.1	202.5	202.3	200.7	188.6	176.9	169.6	197.8	-23.7
ALL CAUSES	4099.3	4031.3	3778.8	3791.3	3744.2	3728.2	3864.8	3716.9	3667.5	3610.4	3671.5	-10.4
(Number of all deaths)	(32163)	(32192)	(31852)	(32214)	(32098)	(32876)	(34318)	°(34958)	(35983)	(37010)	(39480)	22.7

Notes: ^a Rates are presented per 100,000 elderly persons 65 years and older; ^b The five causes with the greatest number of deaths over the 2005-2015 period; the cause-of-death titles are according to the Tenth Revision of the International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10); the causes of death for 2005-2015 are classified by ICD-10, replacing the Ninth Revision (ICD-9).