

**TABLE 2C-14  
LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG ADOLESCENTS (15-19 YEARS) BY GENDER, AREA, AND RACE/ETHNICITY,  
ARIZONA, 2020**

Cause of death	Total	Gender		Area <sup>a</sup>			Race/ethnicity					
		Male	Female	Urban	Rural	Unknown	White non-Hispanic	Hispanic or Latino	Black or African American	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian or Pacific Islander	Unknown
<b>Accidents (unintentional injury)</b>	180 <sup>†</sup>	140	44	158	25	*	59	91	16	14	*	*
<b>Accidental poisoning</b>	100 <sup>†</sup>	83	20	96	6	*	35	47	10	7	*	*
<b>Motor vehicle accidents</b>	70 <sup>†</sup>	49	21	55	15	0	21	39	*	*	0	0
<b>Accidental drowning and submersion</b>	0 <sup>†</sup>	*	0	0	*	0	*	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Intentional self-harm (suicide)</b>	70 <sup>†</sup>	53	16	50	19	0	30	23	*	12	*	0
<b>By discharge of firearms</b>	40 <sup>†</sup>	35	*	28	12	0	17	13	*	6	*	0
<b>By other means</b>	29	18	11	22	7	0	13	10	0	6	0	0
<b>Assault (homicide)</b>	50 <sup>†</sup>	41	7	44	*	0	*	21	17	6	0	0
<b>By discharge of firearms</b>	40 <sup>†</sup>	37	*	38	*	0	*	19	13	*	0	0
<b>By other means</b>	10 <sup>†</sup>	*	*	6	*	0	0	*	*	*	0	0
<b>Malignant neoplasms</b>	10 <sup>†</sup>	9	*	11	0	0	*	7	0	0	0	0
<b>Diseases of the heart</b>	10 <sup>†</sup>	*	*	9	0	0	*	*	*	0	0	0
<b>Events of undetermined intent</b>	10 <sup>†</sup>	*	*	*	*	0	*	*	*	0	0	0
<b>COVID-19<sup>±</sup></b>	0 <sup>†</sup>	*	*	*	*	0	0	*	0	*	0	0
<b>Total, all causes<sup>b</sup></b>	388	290	98	324	62	2	121	173	45	43	4	2

Notes: \* Cell suppressed due to count less than 6; <sup>†</sup> Sum rounded to nearest tens unit due to addend less than 6; <sup>a</sup> May include death records where the county of residence could not be classified as urban or rural; Urban = Maricopa, Pima, Pinal, and Yuma counties; the remaining counties comprise Arizona's rural areas; <sup>b</sup> May include other causes of death not shown above; <sup>±</sup> The COVID-19 data collection began in mid-March 2020.