

**TABLE 2C-1
 INFANT, NEONATAL, AND POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY RATES AND PERCENT OF POSTNEONATAL DEATHS,
 UNITED STATES, ARIZONA AND URBAN/RURAL COUNTIES OF ARIZONA, 2011-2021**

| UNITED STATES | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Infant mortality ^a | 6.0 | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.8 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 5.8 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.4 | 5.4 |
| Neonatal mortality ^a | 4.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.6 | 3.5 |
| Postneonatal mortality ^a | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.9 |
| Percent postneonatal mortality ^b | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 31.0 | 32.2 | 34.5 | 32.8 | 33.3 | 33.9 | 34.3 | 35.8 |
| ARIZONA, STATEWIDE TOTAL | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Infant mortality ^a | 5.9 | 5.8 | 5.3 | 6.2 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 5.6 | 5.6 | 5.4 | 5.3 | 5.5 |
| Neonatal mortality ^a | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 3.6 | 3.5 | 3.9 | 3.4 | 3.5 | 3.8 |
| Postneonatal mortality ^a | 2.0 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 1.7 |
| Percent postneonatal mortality ^b | 34.3 | 32.9 | 35.3 | 33.4 | 37.8 | 33.7 | 37.7 | 30.4 | 38.1 | 34.4 | 31.2 |
| URBAN COUNTIES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Infant mortality ^a | 5.8 | 5.7 | 5.2 | 6.1 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.4 | 5.5 | 5.2 | 5.1 | 5.5 |
| Neonatal mortality ^a | 3.9 | 3.9 | 3.3 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 3.8 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 3.9 |
| Postneonatal mortality ^a | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 1.7 | 1.6 |
| Percent postneonatal mortality ^b | 32.6 | 32.9 | 35.1 | 34.1 | 37.4 | 32.5 | 36.6 | 29.9 | 37.8 | 34.0 | 29.9 |
| RURAL COUNTIES | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Infant mortality ^a | 6.6 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 6.6 | 7.3 | 5.6 | 6.9 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 6.1 | 5.6 |
| Neonatal mortality ^a | 3.7 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 3.1 | 3.7 | 4.1 | 4.0 | 3.7 | 3.4 |
| Postneonatal mortality ^a | 2.9 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 3.2 | 2.1 | 2.5 | 2.3 | 2.2 |
| Percent postneonatal mortality ^b | 43.8 | 33.8 | 37.3 | 31.6 | 40.5 | 43.8 | 46.7 | 33.3 | 38.8 | 38.3 | 40.0 |

Notes: ^a Rates per 1,000 live births; the U.S. rates are from the National Center for Health Statistics; ^b Total infant mortality = 100 percent; Urban = Maricopa, Pima, Pinal, and Yuma Counties; the remaining counties comprise Arizona's rural areas; records with unknown county of residence are included in the statewide totals, but are not distributed by urban/rural area.