

**TABLE 2C-6
INFANT MORTALITY RATES^a FOR SELECTED LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY YEAR, ARIZONA, 2011-2021**

Causes of death	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.5	1.3	1.1	1.2
of brain, spinal cord or nervous system	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
of respiratory system	**	0.1	**	**	0.1	0.1	**	0.2	0.2	0.1	**
Short gestation and low birth weight	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.0	1.1
Maternal complications	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2
Accidents (unintentional injuries)	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.4
Sudden infant death syndrome	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Respiratory distress syndrome	**	**	**	**	**	**	0.1	**	**	0.1	0.1
Intrauterine hypoxia or birth asphyxia	0.1	**	0.1	0.1	**	0.1	0.1	**	0.1	0.1	0.1
Assault (homicide)	0.1	**	**	0.1	**	**	0.1	**	0.1	**	**
Influenza and pneumonia	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
COVID-19[±]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0	**
Total, all causes	5.9	5.8	5.3	6.2	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.5

Notes: ** Cell suppressed due to rate/ratio/percent based on non-zero count less than 6; ^a Number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births; leading causes of infant mortality are based on the list of 130 causes of infant death according to the Tenth Revision, International Classification of Diseases (ICD-10); [±] The COVID-19 data collection began in mid-March 2020.