

**TABLE 2C-1
INFANT, NEONATAL, AND POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY RATES AND PERCENT OF POSTNEONATAL DEATHS,
UNITED STATES, ARIZONA AND URBAN/RURAL COUNTIES OF ARIZONA, 2012-2022**

UNITED STATES	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Infant mortality ^a	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.6
Neonatal mortality ^a	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6
Postneonatal mortality ^a	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0
Percent postneonatal mortality ^b	33.3	33.3	31.0	32.2	34.5	32.8	33.3	33.9	34.3	35.8	36.1
ARIZONA, STATEWIDE TOTAL											
Infant mortality ^a	5.8	5.3	6.2	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.5	6.2
Neonatal mortality ^a	3.9	3.4	4.1	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.9	3.4	3.5	3.8	4.1
Postneonatal mortality ^a	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	1.8	2.1	1.7	2.1	1.8	1.7	2.1
Percent postneonatal mortality ^b	32.9	35.3	33.4	37.8	33.7	37.7	30.4	38.1	34.4	31.2	34.2
URBAN COUNTIES											
Infant mortality ^a	5.7	5.2	6.1	5.3	5.2	5.4	5.5	5.2	5.1	5.5	6.0
Neonatal mortality ^a	3.9	3.3	4.0	3.3	3.5	3.4	3.8	3.3	3.4	3.9	4.0
Postneonatal mortality ^a	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.0	1.7	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.6	2.0
Percent postneonatal mortality ^b	32.9	35.1	34.1	37.4	32.5	36.6	29.9	37.8	34.0	29.9	33.3
RURAL COUNTIES											
Infant mortality ^a	5.9	5.8	6.6	7.3	5.6	6.9	6.2	6.5	6.1	5.6	7.6
Neonatal mortality ^a	3.9	3.7	4.5	4.4	3.1	3.7	4.1	4.0	3.7	3.4	4.6
Postneonatal mortality ^a	2.0	2.2	2.1	3.0	2.4	3.2	2.1	2.5	2.3	2.2	3.0
Percent postneonatal mortality ^b	33.8	37.3	31.6	40.5	43.8	46.7	33.3	38.8	38.3	40.0	39.2

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.

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