

**TABLE 2C-3
NUMBER AND RATES^a OF INFANT DEATHS BY RACE/ETHNICITY AND AGE GROUP, 2012-2022
NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS**

		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
White non-Hispanic	Total	154	161	213	181	146	166	160	151	148	144	175
	Neonatal	100	97	138	108	92	106	116	92	99	90	112
	Postneonatal	54	64	75	73	54	60	44	59	49	54	63
Hispanic or Latino	Total	236	185	216	189	203	173	187	170	149	181	196
	Neonatal	170	131	149	130	142	115	136	109	108	134	138
	Postneonatal	66	54	67	59	61	58	51	61	41	47	58
Black or African American	Total	52	59	53	48	50	49	43	58	59	62	56
	Neonatal	34	38	34	25	33	30	25	37	36	44	39
	Postneonatal	18	21	19	23	17	19	18	21	23	18	17
American Indian or Alaska Native	Total	41	36	45	39	42	46	44	31	33	22	37
	Neonatal	21	20	26	16	21	20	25	14	13	12	18
	Postneonatal	20	16	19	23	21	26	19	17	20	10	19
Asian or Pacific Islander	Total	10†	10†	10†	10†	13	16	10†	20†	10†	10†	16
	Neonatal	7	*	7	12	13	7	*	11	*	9	10
	Postneonatal	*	*	*	*	0	9	*	*	*	*	6
All groups^b	Total	495	447	535	473	454	461	447	430	404	430	483
	Neonatal	332	289	354	294	301	287	311	266	265	296	318
	Postneonatal	163	158	181	179	153	174	136	164	139	134	165

INFANT MORTALITY RATES

		2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
White non-Hispanic	Total	4.0	4.2	5.3	4.7	3.9	4.7	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.3	5.3
	Neonatal	2.6	2.5	3.4	2.8	2.4	3.0	3.3	2.7	3.0	2.7	3.4
	Postneonatal	1.4	1.7	1.9	1.9	1.4	1.7	1.3	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.9
Hispanic or Latino	Total	7.1	5.6	6.4	5.5	6.0	5.2	5.7	5.2	4.7	5.6	5.8
	Neonatal	5.1	4.0	4.4	3.8	4.2	3.5	4.1	3.3	3.4	4.2	4.1
	Postneonatal	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.9	1.3	1.5	1.7
Black or African American	Total	11.0	12.5	11.7	11.0	11.4	10.7	9.2	11.9	12.4	12.9	11.6
	Neonatal	7.2	8.0	7.5	5.7	7.5	6.5	5.4	7.6	7.6	9.2	8.0
	Postneonatal	3.8	4.4	4.2	5.3	3.9	4.1	3.9	4.3	4.8	3.8	3.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	Total	7.4	6.6	8.7	7.8	8.3	9.5	9.3	6.9	8.1	5.6	9.2
	Neonatal	3.8	3.7	5.1	3.2	4.2	4.1	5.3	3.1	3.2	3.1	4.5
	Postneonatal	3.6	2.9	3.7	4.6	4.2	5.3	4.0	3.8	4.9	2.6	4.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	Total	3.3	1.7	2.5	4.0	3.9	4.8	2.8	5.1	2.7	4.0	5.1
	Neonatal	1.9	**	2.2	3.7	3.9	2.1	**	3.5	**	3.0	3.2
	Postneonatal	**	**	**	**	0.0	2.7	**	**	**	**	1.9
All groups^b	Total	5.8	5.3	6.2	5.6	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.4	5.3	5.5	6.2
	Neonatal	3.9	3.4	4.1	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.9	3.4	3.5	3.8	4.1
	Postneonatal	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	1.8	2.1	1.7	2.1	1.8	1.7	2.1

Notes: * Cell suppressed due to count less than 6; ** Cell suppressed due to rate/ratio/percent based on non-zero count less than 6; † Sum rounded to nearest tens unit due to addend less than 6; ^a Number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births in specified ethnic/gender group; infant deaths are by the race/ethnicity of the decedent; for consistency with the national data, the denominators used to calculate infant mortality rates were changed from race/ethnicity of parents to race/ethnicity of mother as stated on the birth certificate; the change in the basis for calculating infant mortality rates results in lower rates for white infants and higher rates for most minority infants than when they are computed by the previous method; ^b Includes records with other and unknown ethnic group.