

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AMONG ELDERLY 65 YEARS AND OVER BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, ARIZONA, 2000

	TOTAL STATE	Apache	Cochise	Coconino	Gila	Graham	Greenlee	Maricopa	Mohave	Navajo	Pima	Pinal	Santa Cruz	Yavapai	Yuma	La Paz	Unknown
Diseases of heart	8702	62	226	67	116	54	14	5012	427	103	1619	309	40	427	180	43	3
Malignant neoplasms	6499	45	171	58	102	43	11	3658	345	92	1141	257	35	352	166	22	1
Colon, rectum, and anus	687	3	19	3	8	10	0	402	37	5	118	26	1	38	14	2	1
Trachea, bronchus and lung	1862	2	55	17	33	7	0	1046	124	22	307	80	7	98	57	7	0
Breast	410	2	12	2	3	2	0	238	20	6	75	22	2	16	9	1	0
Lymphoid, hematopoietic and related tissue	624	3	16	3	13	3	2	370	19	7	106	17	3	40	20	2	0
Prostate	557	5	17	7	5	1	3	296	22	12	113	25	6	32	11	2	0
Cerebrovascular diseases	2315	16	60	20	36	16	4	1292	85	30	463	76	13	145	51	8	0
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	2211	9	62	22	19	15	5	1246	114	20	437	86	6	113	50	7	0
Alzheimer's disease	1032	5	26	8	8	3	1	670	28	10	182	17	7	58	9	0	0
Influenza and pneumonia	1027	10	32	14	10	4	1	573	54	20	189	32	4	55	27	2	0
Diabetes	716	19	27	10	9	6	4	386	30	14	125	36	8	25	15	2	0
Total accidents	652	13	21	11	11	3	1	349	32	11	122	28	2	36	9	3	0
Transport accidents	174	6	9	5	2	0	0	92	10	7	21	8	2	9	3	0	0
Motor vehicle accidents	147	6	9	5	1	0	0	69	10	7	21	7	2	7	3	0	0
Other land transport accidents	20	0	0	0	1	0	0	16	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0
Nontransport accidents	478	7	12	6	9	3	1	257	22	4	101	20	0	27	6	3	0
Falls	305	1	8	4	6	3	1	178	7	2	66	7	0	17	3	2	0
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	507	6	14	9	10	7	1	250	24	19	98	22	3	21	18	5	0
Parkinson's disease	338	4	5	1	1	3	0	212	11	6	65	12	1	14	2	1	0
Septicemia	246	5	8	3	3	0	0	111	17	6	49	17	3	10	13	1	0
Total, all causes	29323	246	779	272	415	187	52	16644	1432	401	5388	1051	156	1505	670	119	6

NOTES: Causes of death in this table are based on the Tenth Revision of the International Classification of Disease (ICD-10). Leading causes are those with the greatest number of deaths statewide in 2000. Causes with less than 246 deaths are not listed separately, but they are included in the total for all causes. Maricopa, Pima, Pinal and Yuma counties comprise Arizona's urban areas. The remaining counties comprise Arizona's rural areas.