COMPARISON
OF SELECTED VITAL STATISTICS FOR ARIZONA RESIDENTS, 2002, 2007, and 2012

	2002	2007	2012
POPULATION Total, all ages	5,472,750	6,432,007	6,498,570
Females aged 15-44	1,157,231	1,300,777	1,274,871
Elderly 65+	712,228	835,772	940,504
MARRIAGES	36,668	39,495	37,064
Marriage rate per 1,000 population	6.7	6.1	5.7
DIVORCES	26,176	24,515	28,072
Divorce rate per 1,000 population	4.8	3.8	4.3
PREGNANCIES Total, all ages	98,548	113,756	99,324
Teen* pregnancies	13,572	15,038	9,710
Teen* pregnancy rate per 1,000 females	35.2	34.4	21.6
BIRTHS Total, all ages	87,379	102,687	85,725
Birth rate per 1,000 population	16.0	16.0	13.2
Teen* births	11,474	12,972	8,117
Teen* birth rate per 1,000 females	29.8	29.7	18.0
Births to unmarried mothers	35,116	46,195	38,770
Births to unmarried mothers per 100 births	40.2	45.0	45.2
Low-birthweight (LBW) births	5,926	7,285	5,946
LBW ratio per 100 births	6.8	7.1	6.9
Multiple births	2,395	2,798	2,382
DEATHS Total deaths, all causes & ages	42,320	44,640	48,459
Death rate per 100,000 population	773.3	694.0	745.7
Infant deaths	552	701	495
Infant mortality rate per 1,000 births	6.3	6.8	5.8
SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome) deaths	36	43	13
Maternal deaths	6	8	18
Deaths from cardiovascular diseases	13,920	13,195	13,710
Deaths from breast cancer among females	646	718	740
Deaths from lung cancer	2,565	2,573	2,772
Deaths from Alzheimer's disease	1,413	2,041	2,154
Deaths from influenza and pneumonia	1,294	875	635
Deaths from morbid obesity	60	83	191
Deaths from diabetes	1,201	1,145	1,698
Suicides, total	855	986	1,070
Elderly suicides	165	161	187
Teen** suicides	39	38	48
Homicides, total	478	494	376
Teen** homicides	58	59	23
Deaths from HIV disease	159	106	98
Deaths from motor vehicle-related injuries	1,003	1,035	747
Firearm-related deaths	943	921	911
Drug-induced deaths	654	940	1,042
Accidental drowning deaths, all ages	70	88	83
Drowning among children 0-4 years old	23	16	17
Deaths from exposure to excessive natural heat	35	28	51
Deaths from exposure to excessive natural cold	15	20	9
ABORTIONS Total, all ages	10,397	10,486	13,129
Abortions to teens*	1,995	1,979	1,539
FETAL LOSSES Total, all ages	556	583	470
Among pregnant teens*	103	87	54

Notes: * 19 years old or younger; ** 15-19 years old.