

Table 2. Provisional number of deaths under 1 year and infant mortality rates: Each division and State, 12 months ending with January 1998 and 1999

[Data are estimates by State of residence. Infant mortality rates are deaths under 1 year per 1,000 live births in specified area]

Area	12 months ending with January			
	1999		1998	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
New England	989	5.7	896	5.2
Maine	76	5.6	51	3.7
New Hampshire	64	4.7	66	4.7
Vermont	45	7.0	39	6.0
Massachusetts	410	4.9	360	4.4
Rhode Island	85	6.7	88	7.1
Connecticut	309	7.1	292	6.8
Middle Atlantic	3,114	5.8	3,406	6.4
New York	1,487	5.5	1,634	5.9
New Jersey	691	5.8	704	6.2
Pennsylvania	936	6.5	1,068	7.5
East North Central	4,704	7.7	4,616	7.6
Ohio	1,146	7.6	1,112	7.2
Indiana	418	5.3	515	7.2
Illinois	1,536	8.4	1,462	8.1
Michigan	1,125	8.4	1,101	8.3
Wisconsin	479	7.1	426	6.5
West North Central	1,741	6.9	1,691	6.6
Minnesota	334	5.2	362	5.6
Iowa	237	6.6	180	4.9
Missouri	589	7.8	554	7.5
North Dakota	65	8.1	52	6.2
South Dakota	87	8.5	77	7.6
Nebraska	162	7.1	176	7.4
Kansas	267	7.2	290	7.6
South Atlantic	5,639	8.2	5,415	8.1
Delaware	108	10.5	84	8.3
Maryland	561	7.6	593	8.4
District of Columbia	79	9.5	100	12.0
Virginia	701	7.4	665	7.2
West Virginia	146	7.2	184	8.3
North Carolina	1,022	9.4	1,023	9.8
South Carolina	503	9.5	447	8.7
Georgia	1,065	8.7	904	7.7
Florida	1,454	7.4	1,415	7.4
East South Central	2,140	9.1	2,102	9.2
Kentucky	419	7.7	429	8.1
Tennessee	685	8.8	621	8.5
Alabama	608	9.9	580	9.4
Mississippi	428	10.3	472	11.2
West South Central	3,455	6.9	3,459	7.0
Arkansas	301	8.1	302	8.1
Louisiana	595	9.2	622	9.5
Oklahoma	350	6.8	340	7.0
Texas ¹	2,209	6.3	2,195	6.4
Mountain	1,908	6.8	1,723	6.5
Montana	79	7.5	72	6.9
Idaho	133	6.8	111	6.2
Wyoming	30	4.6	29	4.6
Colorado	418	7.0	380	7.3
New Mexico	178	6.4	169	6.3
Arizona	609	7.6	558	6.8
Utah	252	5.4	251	5.9
Nevada	209	7.6	153	5.7
Pacific	3,970	5.7	4,030	6.0
Washington	440	5.5	427	5.4
Oregon	249	5.8	257	5.9
California ¹	3,108	5.8	3,186	6.1
Alaska	58	5.4	54	5.5
Hawaii	115	6.6	106	6.2
Puerto Rico	527	9.0	615	10.0

¹Figures include adjustments for varying lengths of reporting periods.

NOTES: Figures include all revisions received from the States. Figures for the current year reflect revisions received for previous months, and figures for earlier years may differ from those previously published.

SOURCE: Provisional data from the National Vital Statistics System. Data are subject to monthly reporting variation. For discussion of the nature, sources, and limitations of the data, see Technical notes of the associated monthly report at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/pubs/pubd/nvsr/48/48-pre.htm>