

**Silicosis: Number of deaths by sex, race, age, and median age at death, U.S. residents age 15 and over, 1995–2004**

| Year         | No. of Deaths | Underlying Cause (%) | Sex          |           | Race         |            |           | Age Group (yrs) |          |           |           |            |            |            |            | Median Age (yrs) |
|--------------|---------------|----------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|------------|-----------|-----------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|
|              |               |                      | Male         | Female    | White        | Black      | Other     | 15–24           | 25–34    | 35–44     | 45–54     | 55–64      | 65–74      | 75–84      | 85+        |                  |
| 1995         | 242           | 47.1                 | 232          | 10        | 198          | 42         | 2         | -               | -        | 2         | 8         | 28         | 70         | 98         | 36         | 76               |
| 1996         | 213           | 46.9                 | 207          | 6         | 185          | 26         | 2         | -               | 1        | 2         | 7         | 25         | 54         | 83         | 41         | 76               |
| 1997         | 198           | 49.5                 | 189          | 9         | 163          | 32         | 3         | -               | -        | 4         | 7         | 26         | 67         | 58         | 36         | 74               |
| 1998         | 178           | 52.2                 | 174          | 4         | 158          | 18         | 2         | -               | -        | 5         | 9         | 17         | 47         | 68         | 32         | 76               |
| 1999         | 187           | 55.1                 | 181          | 6         | 154          | 30         | 3         | -               | -        | 3         | 9         | 21         | 58         | 61         | 35         | 75               |
| 2000         | 152           | 47.4                 | 144          | 8         | 128          | 23         | 1         | -               | 2        | 3         | 3         | 16         | 35         | 64         | 29         | 77               |
| 2001         | 164           | 50.6                 | 159          | 5         | 137          | 26         | 1         | -               | -        | 1         | 5         | 25         | 46         | 55         | 32         | 75               |
| 2002         | 148           | 60.8                 | 138          | 10        | 124          | 21         | 3         | -               | -        | 5         | 8         | 17         | 41         | 51         | 26         | 75               |
| 2003         | 179           | 57.0                 | 168          | 11        | 152          | 25         | 2         | 1               | 1        | 4         | 8         | 13         | 52         | 56         | 44         | 77               |
| 2004         | 166           | 46.4                 | 160          | 6         | 137          | 29         | -         | -               | -        | 3         | 7         | 24         | 44         | 58         | 30         | 75               |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>1,827</b>  | <b>51.0</b>          | <b>1,752</b> | <b>75</b> | <b>1,536</b> | <b>272</b> | <b>19</b> | <b>1</b>        | <b>4</b> | <b>32</b> | <b>71</b> | <b>212</b> | <b>514</b> | <b>652</b> | <b>341</b> | <b>76</b>        |

- indicates no deaths listed.  
 NOTE: See selected limitations for general cautions regarding inferences based on small numbers of deaths, and see appendices for source description, methods, and ICD codes.  
 SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics multiple cause-of-death data.