

NORA construction sector and asbestosis: Proportionate mortality ratio (PMR) adjusted for age, sex, and race by industry and occupation, U.S. residents age 15 and over, selected states and years, 1990–1999

Bureau of Census Industry/Occupation		Number of Deaths*	PMR	95% Confidence Interval	
				LCL	UCL
CIC	Industry				
060	Construction	702	2.4	2.2	2.6
	All other industries within this sector	0			
	TOTAL	702			
COC	Occupation				
593	Insulation workers	78	84.1	67.0	105.7
643	Boilermakers	21	31.1	19.2	47.5
585	Plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	141	8.3	7.1	9.9
653	Sheet metal workers	19	8.0	4.8	12.5
584	Plasterers	9	6.8	3.1	12.9
544	Millwrights	6	6.5	2.4	14.2
557	Supervisors: plumbers, pipefitters, and steamfitters	7	5.9	2.4	12.2
575	Electricians	57	4.0	3.1	5.3
783	Welders and cutters	13	3.6	1.9	6.1
019	Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	50	2.2	1.7	2.9
567	Carpenters	95	1.7	1.4	2.1
	All other occupations within this sector	206			
	Occupation not reported within this sector	0			
	TOTAL	702			

NORA - National Occupational Research Agenda CIC - Census Industry Code COC - Census Occupation Code
n.e.c. - not elsewhere classified LCL - lower confidence limit UCL - upper confidence limit

* The total number of asbestosis deaths was 2,859 in these same selected states and years, and the comparable number of asbestosis deaths in the entire United States for this same time period was 10,914.

NOTE: See appendices for source description, methods, ICD codes, industry and occupation codes, industrial sector groupings, and list of selected states and years.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics multiple cause-of-death data.