

**Table 2-2. Coal workers' pneumoconiosis: Death rates (per million population) by race and sex, U.S. residents age 15 and over, 1993–2002**

Year	Overall	White		Black		Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
<b>Crude Death Rate</b>							
1993	8.11	18.90	0.17	5.75	—	0.52	—
1994	7.28	17.16	0.15	3.83	—	0.50	—
1995	6.89	16.35	0.07	3.68	—	—	—
1996	6.83	16.15	0.10	3.43	—	0.46	0.21
1997	6.18	14.71	0.12	2.33	0.22	—	—
1998	5.20	12.31	0.09	2.89	0.07	0.22	0.20
1999	4.68	11.14	0.05	2.59	—	0.21	—
2000	4.28	10.20	0.11	2.01	—	0.18	—
2001	3.95	9.41	0.12	1.82	—	0.17	—
2002	3.77	9.01	0.10	1.47	0.07	0.17	—
<b>1993–2002</b>	<b>5.67</b>	<b>13.47</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>2.91</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>0.04</b>
<b>Age-Adjusted Death Rate</b>							
1993	8.51	24.18	0.14	11.78	—	0.67	—
1994	7.60	21.82	0.12	8.58	—	1.08	—
1995	7.14	20.72	0.05	7.88	—	—	—
1996	7.02	20.30	0.09	7.25	—	1.30	0.42
1997	6.32	18.32	0.11	4.96	0.31	—	—
1998	5.26	14.98	0.07	5.96	0.09	0.49	0.40
1999	4.71	13.57	0.05	5.41	—	0.46	—
2000	4.36	12.86	0.09	4.40	—	0.43	—
2001	4.01	11.58	0.11	4.11	—	0.17	—
2002	3.79	11.00	0.10	3.19	0.08	0.38	—
<b>1993–2002</b>	<b>5.74</b>	<b>16.35</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>6.00</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.08</b>

— indicates no deaths listed.

NOTE: Slight variations in numbers may exist when compared to previous WoRLD Surveillance Reports. See appendices for source description, methods, and ICD codes.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics multiple cause-of-death data. Population estimates from U.S. Bureau of the Census.