Table 7. Estimated numbers of deaths of persons with AIDS, by year of death and selected characteristics, 2002–2006 and cumulative—United States and dependent areas

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	Cumulative ^a
Data for 50 states and the District of Columbia						
Age at death (yrs)						
<13	25	22	15	7	13	4,889
13–14	10	6	15	12	5	276
15–19	39	36	36	38	44	1,104
20–24	151	157	175	147	162	8,716
25–29	553	512	482	458	405	43,671
30–34	1,480	1,272	1,128	1,069	785	95,351
35–39	2,967	2,763	2,425	2,096	1,682	116,746
40–44	3,595	3,516	3,393	3,317	2,636	104,133
45–49	3,294	3,234	3,251	3,275	2,886	72,831
50–54	2,318	2,373	2,502	2,645	2,343	44,255
55–59	1,209	1,322	1,425	1,543	1,480	25,123
60–64	616	705	741	797	771	14,315
≥65	691	773	807	865	805	14,393
Race/ethnicity						
White, not Hispanic	5,214	5,097	4,836	4,758	3,860	239,529
Black, not Hispanic	9,037	8,675	8,581	8,679	7,426	218,392
Hispanic	2,429	2,632	2,641	2,513	2,425	80,690
Asian/Pacific Islander	97	84	111	87	114	3,426
American Indian/Alaska Native	83	73	80	65	66	1,693
Transmission category						
Male adult or adolescent						
Male-to-male sexual contact	5,960	5,937	5,735	5,641	4,930	266,272
Injection drug use	3,738	3,547	3,315	3,314	2,641	107,173
Male-to-male sexual contact and injection drug use	1,278	1,299	1,237	1,289	1,064	40,993
High-risk heterosexual contact ^b	1,465	1,501	1,625	1,571	1,470	26,236
Other ^C	160	149	125	117	80	9,867
Subtotal	12,601	12,431	12,038	11,932	10,184	450,541
Female adult or adolescent						
Injection drug use	1,923	1,825	1,855	1,768	1,456	43,143
High-risk heterosexual contact ^b	2,281	2,292	2,373	2,458	2,258	42,620
Other ^C	84	87	72	68	70	4,131
Subtotal	4,289	4,204	4,300	4,295	3,784	89,895
Child (<13 yrs at diagnosis)						
Perinatal	53	49	56	39	42	4,848
Other ^d	4	5	1	2	7	521
Subtotal	57	54	57	41	48	5,369

Table 7. Estimated numbers of deaths of persons with AIDS, by year of death and selected characteristics, 2002–2006 and cumulative—United States and dependent areas (cont)

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	Cumulative ^a
Region of residence						
Northeast	5,313	5,012	4,779	4,750	4,074	180,623
Midwest	1,726	1,666	1,482	1,378	1,325	54,468
South	7,337	7,427	7,535	7,907	6,475	197,209
West	2,571	2,585	2,600	2,234	2,141	113,506
Subtotal for 50 states and the District of Columbia	16,948	16,690	16,395	16,268	14,016	545,805
ata for U.S. dependent areas	667	575	572	562	580	19,858
otal ^e	17,628	17,283	16,982	16,865	14,627	565,927 ^f

Note. These numbers do not represent reported case counts. Rather, these numbers are point estimates, which result from adjustments of reported case counts. The reported case counts have been adjusted for reporting delays and for redistribution of cases in persons initially reported without an identified risk factor, but not for incomplete reporting.

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^a From the beginning of the epidemic through 2006.

b Heterosexual contact with a person known to have, or to be at high risk for, HIV infection.

^C Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, perinatal exposure, and risk factor not reported or not identified.

d Includes hemophilia, blood transfusion, and risk factor not reported or not identified.

^e Includes persons of unknown race or multiple races and persons of unknown sex. Because column totals were calculated independently of the values for the subpopulations, the values in each column may not sum to the column total.

f Includes 2,082 persons of unknown race or multiple races, 261 persons of unknown state of residence, and 2 persons who were residents of other areas.