

**Silicosis: Death rates (per million population) by race and sex, U.S. residents age 15 and over, 1996–2005**

Year	Overall	White		Black		Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
<b>Crude Death Rate</b>							
1996	1.03	2.12	0.07	2.29	-	0.46	-
1997	0.94	1.82	0.09	2.68	0.07	0.68	-
1998	0.84	1.80	0.03	1.44	0.07	0.44	-
1999	0.87	1.72	0.05	2.42	0.07	0.64	-
2000	0.68	1.34	0.09	1.85	-	0.18	-
2001	0.73	1.47	0.04	1.98	0.07	0.17	-
2002	0.65	1.26	0.08	1.55	0.07	0.34	0.16
2003	0.78	1.52	0.11	1.91	-	0.32	-
2004	0.71	1.40	0.06	2.17	-	-	-
2005	0.68	1.45	0.04	1.17	0.06	0.46	-
<b>1996–2005</b>	<b>0.78</b>	<b>1.56</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>1.90</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.02</b>
<b>Age-Adjusted Death Rate</b>							
1996	1.05	2.59	0.05	3.86	-	1.00	-
1997	0.96	2.14	0.08	4.57	0.10	1.10	-
1998	0.85	2.10	0.03	2.44	0.07	0.84	-
1999	0.88	1.97	0.04	3.93	0.07	1.25	-
2000	0.70	1.59	0.07	3.42	-	0.19	-
2001	0.74	1.69	0.04	3.70	0.07	0.40	-
2002	0.66	1.45	0.07	2.87	0.08	0.57	0.17
2003	0.78	1.78	0.10	3.13	-	0.51	-
2004	0.71	1.56	0.05	3.70	-	-	-
2005	0.68	1.63	0.03	2.08	0.07	0.84	-
<b>1996–2005</b>	<b>0.79</b>	<b>1.82</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>3.35</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>0.63</b>	<b>0.02</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. Population estimates from U.S. Census Bureau.