

Massachusetts

Child Mortality, 2003

Number and Rate of Child Deaths, per 100,000 Population (2003)

Total Child Population (Ages 0-19)	Number of Child Deaths	Child Mortality Rate
1,636,490	747	45.6

Infant Mortality Number and Rate, per 1,000 Live Births (2003)

Number of Live Births (Ages 0-1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
80,184	388	4.8

Selected Causes of Death, Ages 0-19, per 100,000 Population (2003)

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
Natural	548	33.5
Perinatal Conditions	241	14.7
Congenital Anomalies	82	5.0
Neoplasms	44	2.7
Respiratory Disease	19	1.2
Circulatory Disease	21	1.3
Nervous System Disease	23	1.4
SIDS	30	1.8
Unintentional Injury	125	7.6
Motor Vehicle	90	5.5
Drowning	13	0.8
Fire/Burn	3	0.2
Poisoning	1	0.1
Suffocation/Strangulation	8	0.5
Firearm	0	0.0
Homicide	28	1.7
Firearm	17	1.0
Suicide	26	1.6
Firearm	5	0.3
Suffocation/Strangulation	18	1.1
Poisoning	2	0.1

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

Rates based on 20 or fewer deaths may be unstable. Use with caution.