

# North Carolina

Child Mortality, 2006

## Number and Rate of Child Deaths, per 100,000 Population (2006)

Total Child Population (Ages 0-19)	Number of Child Deaths	Child Mortality Rate
2,403,332	1,820	75.7

## Infant Mortality Number and Rate, per 1,000 Live Births (2006)

Number of Live Births (Ages 0-1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
128,302	1,033	8.1

## Selected Causes of Death, Ages 0-19, per 100,000 Population (2006)

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>1,262</b>	<b>52.5</b>
Perinatal Conditions	562	23.4
Congenital Anomalies	204	8.5
Neoplasms	62	2.6
Respiratory Disease	54	2.2
Circulatory Disease	69	2.9
Nervous System Disease	50	2.1
SIDS	97	4.0
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>16.5</b>
Motor Vehicle	262	10.9
Drowning	27	1.1
Fire/Burn	18	0.7
Poisoning	29	1.2
Suffocation/Strangulation	32	1.3
Firearm	4	0.2
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>4.1</b>
Firearm	61	2.5
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Firearm	27	1.1
Suffocation/Strangulation	13	0.5
Poisoning	5	0.2

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

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