

Alabama

Child Mortality, 2002

Number and Rate of Child Deaths, per 100,000 Population (2002)

Total Child Population (Ages 0-19)	Number of Child Deaths	Child Mortality Rate
1,238,042	1,107	89.4

Infant Mortality Number and Rate, per 1,000 Live Births (2002)

Number of Live Births (Ages 0-1)	Number of Infant Deaths	Infant Mortality Rate
58,967	539	9.1

Selected Causes of Death, Ages 0-19, per 100,000 Population (2002)

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
Natural	701	56.6
Perinatal Conditions	267	21.6
Congenital Anomalies	119	9.6
Neoplasms	33	2.7
Respiratory Disease	23	1.9
Circulatory Disease	46	3.7
Nervous System Disease	44	3.6
SIDS	35	2.8
Unintentional Injury	315	25.4
Motor Vehicle	202	16.3
Drowning	25	2.0
Fire/Burn	14	1.1
Poisoning	12	1.0
Suffocation/Strangulation	24	1.9
Firearm	10	0.8
Homicide	53	4.3
Firearm	36	2.9
Suicide	31	2.5
Firearm	22	1.8
Suffocation/Strangulation	9	0.7
Poisoning	0	0.0

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

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