

District of Columbia

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
121,178	151	124.6

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
7,498	85	11.3

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

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
Natural	100	82.5
Perinatal Conditions	43	35.5
Congenital Anomalies	13	10.7
Neoplasms	6	5.0
Respiratory Disease	2	1.7
Circulatory Disease	7	5.8
Nervous System Disease	2	1.7
SIDS	8	6.6
Unintentional Injury	8	6.6
Motor Vehicle	5	4.1
Drowning	1	0.8
Fire/Burn	1	0.8
Poisoning	0	0.0
Suffocation/Strangulation	0	0.0
Firearm	1	0.8
Homicide	42	34.7
Firearm	34	28.1
Suicide	1	0.8
Firearm	1	0.8
Suffocation/Strangulation	0	0.0
Poisoning	0	0.0

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

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