

# Delaware

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
216,871	170	78.4

## 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
11,090	96	8.7

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

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>56.7</b>
Perinatal Conditions	62	28.6
Congenital Anomalies	22	10.1
Neoplasms	9	4.1
Respiratory Disease	4	1.8
Circulatory Disease	6	2.8
Nervous System Disease	4	1.8
SIDS	1	0.5
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>14.8</b>
Motor Vehicle	18	8.3
Drowning	3	1.4
Fire/Burn	0	0.0
Poisoning	0	0.0
Suffocation/Strangulation	2	0.9
Firearm	3	1.4
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2.8</b>
Firearm	4	1.8
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3.2</b>
Firearm	3	1.4
Suffocation/Strangulation	3	1.4
Poisoning	0	0.0

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

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