

New Jersey

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
2,337,786	1,200	51.3

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
114,751	655	5.7

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

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
Natural	924	39.5
Perinatal Conditions	387	16.6
Congenital Anomalies	152	6.5
Neoplasms	91	3.9
Respiratory Disease	43	1.8
Circulatory Disease	49	2.1
Nervous System Disease	37	1.6
SIDS	42	1.8
Unintentional Injury	210	9.0
Motor Vehicle	99	4.2
Drowning	26	1.1
Fire/Burn	12	0.5
Poisoning	20	0.9
Suffocation/Strangulation	15	0.6
Firearm	3	0.1
Homicide	46	2.0
Firearm	24	1.0
Suicide	17	0.7
Firearm	5	0.2
Suffocation/Strangulation	10	0.4
Poisoning	2	0.1

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

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