

# Virginia

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
1,984,086	1,331	67.1

## 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
99,672	741	7.4

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

Cause	Number of Deaths	Mortality Rate
<b>Natural</b>	<b>932</b>	<b>47.0</b>
Perinatal Conditions	394	19.9
Congenital Anomalies	166	8.4
Neoplasms	43	2.2
Respiratory Disease	36	1.8
Circulatory Disease	41	2.1
Nervous System Disease	38	1.9
SIDS	73	3.7
<b>Unintentional Injury</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>13.7</b>
Motor Vehicle	180	9.1
Drowning	28	1.4
Fire/Burn	12	0.6
Poisoning	12	0.6
Suffocation/Strangulation	19	1.0
Firearm	4	0.2
<b>Homicide</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>3.5</b>
Firearm	50	2.5
<b>Suicide</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2.1</b>
Firearm	17	0.9
Suffocation/Strangulation	16	0.8
Poisoning	2	0.1

Source: National Center for Health Statistics

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