

4.43 Deaths and rate per 100,000 population according to the International Abbreviated List of 50 Causes, 1973 (concluded)

Abbreviated "B" List No.	Detailed List No.	Cause (eighth revision)	Deaths	Rate per 100,000 population
20	210-239	Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	280	1.3
21	250	Diabetes mellitus	3,272	14.8
22	260-269	Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	167	0.8
23	280-285	Anæmias	326	1.5
24	320	Meningitis	129	0.6
25	390-392	Active rheumatic fever	23	0.1
26	393-398	Chronic rheumatic heart disease	1,195	5.4
27	400-404	Hypertensive disease	1,632	7.4
28	410-414	Ischæmic heart disease	50,559	228.8
29	420-429	Other forms of heart disease	3,784	17.1
30	430-438	Cerebrovascular disease	16,225	73.4
31	470-474	Influenza	566	2.6
32	480-486	Pneumonia	5,041	22.8
33	490-493	Bronchitis, emphysema and asthma	3,437	15.6
34	531-533	Peptic ulcer	836	3.8
35	540-543	Appendicitis	76	0.3
36	550-553, 560	Intestinal obstruction and hernia	686	3.1
37	571	Cirrhosis of liver	2,508	11.4
38	580-584	Nephritis and nephrosis	590	2.7
39	600	Hyperplasia of prostate	207	1.9 ²
40	640-645	Abortion	1	0.0 ³
41	630-639	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	36	0.3 ⁴
42	650-678	Congenital anomalies	1,705	7.7
43	740-759	Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	1,286	5.8
44	764-768, 772, 776	Other causes of perinatal mortality	1,333	6.0
45	760-763, 769-771, 773-775, 777-779	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	1,384	6.3
46	780-796	All other diseases	15,699	71.1
47	Remainder of 240-738	Motor vehicle accidents	6,522	29.5
48	E810-E823	All other accidents	6,645	30.1
49	E800-E807, E825-E949	Suicide and self-inflicted injuries	2,773	12.6
50	E950-E959	All other external causes	872	3.9
	E960-E999	All causes	164,039	742.4

¹Less than 0.1 per 100,000 population.

²Per 100,000 males.

³Less than 0.1 per 100,000 live births.

⁴Per 100,000 females.

4.44 Leading causes of death, by sex at various age groups, 1973

Cause	Male		Cause	Female	
	No.	Rate ¹		No.	Rate ¹
Under 1 year			Under 1 year		
Congenital anomalies	646	365.4	Congenital anomalies	558	335.0
Anoxia and hypoxia	688	389.1	Anoxia and hypoxia	426	255.8
Immaturity	272	153.8	Immaturity	230	138.1
Pneumonia	203	114.8	Pneumonia	131	78.6
Conditions of placenta and umbilical cord	145	82.0	Conditions of placenta and umbilical cord	112	67.2
1-4 years			1-4 years		
Accidents	299	41.0	Accidents	199	28.6
Congenital anomalies	56	7.7	Congenital anomalies	93	13.4
Cancer	66	9.0	Cancer	49	7.0
Pneumonia	24	3.3	Pneumonia	26	3.7
Meningitis	17	2.3	Meningitis	9	1.3
5-19 years			5-19 years		
Accidents	2,141	63.0	Accidents	735	22.6
Cancer	229	6.7	Cancer	164	5.0
Suicide	175	5.2	Suicide	51	1.6
Congenital anomalies	77	2.3	Congenital anomalies	48	1.5
Cardiovascular diseases	53	1.6	Cardiovascular diseases	40	1.2
20-44 years			20-44 years		
Accidents	3,628	93.6	Accidents	1,021	26.9
Cardiovascular diseases	1,347	34.8	Cardiovascular diseases	854	22.5
Suicide	942	24.3	Suicide	545	14.4 ²
Cancer	899	23.2	Cancer	332	8.7
Cirrhosis of liver	253	6.5	Cirrhosis of liver	104	2.7