

## 4.42 Leading causes of death by sex and age group, 1975 and 1976 (continued)

Year and cause	Male		Year and cause	Female	
	No.	Rate <sup>a</sup>		No.	Rate <sup>b</sup>
1976 (continued)			1976 (continued)		
10-14 years			10-14 years		
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	154	13.2	Motor vehicle accidents	67	6.0
Motor vehicle accidents	130	11.2	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	38	3.4
Leukemia and lymphosarcoma neoplasms	38	3.3	Leukemia and lymphosarcoma neoplasms	24	2.2
Congenital anomalies	20	1.7	Nervous and sense organs	15	1.3
Nervous and sense organs	17	1.5	Cystic fibrosis	6	0.5
Other causes	122	10.5	Other causes	110	9.9
All causes	481	41.3	All causes	260	23.4
15-19 years			15-19 years		
Motor vehicle accidents	776	64.9	Motor vehicle accidents	248	21.6
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	354	29.6	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	57	5.0
Suicide	191	16.0	Suicide	47	4.1
Malignant neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissue	52	4.3	Homicide	21	1.8
Homicide	30	2.5	Diseases of the respiratory system	12	1.0
Diseases of the respiratory system	30	2.5	Other causes	185	16.1
Other causes	224	18.7			
All causes	1,657	138.5	All causes	570	49.6
20-24 years			20-24 years		
Motor vehicle accidents	704	66.1	Motor vehicle accidents	151	14.1
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	385	36.1	Suicide	83	7.8
Suicide	292	27.4	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	52	4.9
Malignant neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissue	47	4.4	Homicide	19	1.8
Homicide	40	3.8	Diseases of the respiratory system	12	1.1
Diseases of the respiratory system	26	2.4	Other causes	216	20.2
Other causes	294	27.6			
All causes	1,788	167.8	All causes	533	49.9
25-29 years			25-29 years		
Motor vehicle accidents	396	39.6	Motor vehicle accidents	101	10.2
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	293	29.3	Suicide	67	6.8
Suicide	257	25.7	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	38	3.8
Homicide	37	3.7	Malignant neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissue	27	2.7
Diseases of the respiratory system	29	2.9	Homicide	20	2.0
Other causes	362	36.2	Cerebrovascular disease	19	1.9
			Diseases of the respiratory system	15	1.5
All causes	1,374	137.3	Other causes	200	20.2
			All causes	487	49.1
30-34 years			30-34 years		
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	242	29.4	Suicide	86	10.7
Motor vehicle accidents	218	26.5	Motor vehicle accidents	59	7.3
Suicide	176	21.4	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	51	6.3
Ischaemic heart disease	94	11.4	Breast cancer	41	5.1
Other causes	444	54.0	Cerebrovascular disease	27	3.4
			Malignant neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissue	20	2.5
All causes	1,174	142.7	Other causes	300	37.3
			All causes	584	72.6
35-39 years			35-39 years		
Ischaemic heart disease	221	32.9	Breast cancer	84	12.8
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	206	30.7	Suicide	67	10.2
Suicide	137	20.4	Motor vehicle accidents	57	8.7
Motor vehicle accidents	136	20.3	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	52	7.9
Cirrhosis of liver	80	11.9	Cancer of digestive system	52	7.9
Cancer of digestive system	45	6.7	Cerebrovascular disease	40	6.1
Other causes	451	67.2	Ischaemic heart disease	33	5.0
All causes	1,276	190.1	Other causes	365	55.0
			All causes	750	114.1
40-44 years			40-44 years		
Ischaemic heart disease	471	73.2	Breast cancer	131	21.0
Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	224	34.8	Ischaemic heart disease	81	13.0
Motor vehicle accidents	170	26.4	Suicide	71	11.4
Suicide	165	25.6	Cerebrovascular disease	62	9.9
Cirrhosis of liver	127	19.7	Malignant neoplasms of genito-urinary organs	61	9.8
Cancer of digestive system	122	19.0	Malignant neoplasms of digestive system	60	9.6
Lung cancer	77	12.0	Accidents (other than motor vehicle)	56	9.0
Other causes	669	104.0	Motor vehicle accidents	53	8.5
All causes	2,025	314.6	Other causes	457	73.2
			All causes	1,032	165.2