

3.5 Five leading causes of death¹, by age group and sex, 1986 (concluded)

Cause of death	Total		Male		Female	
	No.	Rate ²	No.	Rate ²	No.	Rate ²
1 - 4 years						
All accidents	266	18.4	167	22.5	99	14.0
congenital anomalies	114	7.9	57	7.7	57	8.1
Cancer	76	5.2	39	5.2	37	5.2
Respiratory disease	38	2.6	20	2.7	18	2.6
Homicide	32	2.2	20	2.7	12	1.7
5 - 19 years						
All accidents	1,516	27.5	1,116	39.5	400	14.9
Suicide	266	4.8	219	7.8	47	1.8
Cancer	219	4.0	126	4.5	93	3.5
Congenital anomalies	204	3.7	104	3.7	100	3.7
Homicide	60	1.1	37	1.3	23	0.8
20 - 44 years						
All accidents	5,724	54.9	4,517	86.8	1,207	23.1
Cancer	2,294	22.0	1,041	20.0	1,253	24.0
Suicide	2,011	19.3	1,610	30.9	401	7.7
Diseases of the heart	1,093	10.5	886	17.0	207	4.0
Homicide	291	2.8	193	3.7	98	1.9
45 - 64 years						
Cancer	14,415	295.8	8,011	333.7	6,404	258.9
Diseases of the heart	10,304	211.4	7,868	327.8	2,436	98.5
All accidents	2,673	54.8	1,912	79.6	761	30.8
Respiratory disease	1,497	30.7	971	40.4	526	21.3
Cerebrovascular disease	1,448	29.7	788	32.8	660	26.7
65 years and over						
Diseases of the heart	47,343	1,755.1	23,848	2,104.5	23,495	1,501.9
Cancer	30,325	1,124.2	16,958	1,487.6	13,467	860.9
Respiratory disease	13,019	482.6	7,635	673.8	5,384	344.2
Cerebrovascular disease	12,255	454.3	4,932	435.2	7,323	468.1
All accidents	3,478	128.9	1,775	156.6	1,703	108.9

¹ Leading causes of death for both sexes but not necessarily the leading causes for male or female.

² Per 100,000 population.

³ Per 100,000 live births.

3.6 Potential years of life lost (PYLL) by selected causes and sex, 1986

Cause of death	PYLL between 0 and 75 years				Deaths between 0 and 75 years (both sexes)	
	Males No.	Females No.	Total No.	%	No.	%
All malignant neoplasms	229,662	199,313	428,975	25.1	31,310	32.6
Diseases of the heart	216,706	73,442	290,148	17.0	26,346	27.4
Motor vehicle accidents	117,704	42,241	159,945	9.4	3,831	4.0
All other accidents	94,782	28,749	123,531	7.2	3,633	3.8
Suicide	97,626	25,299	122,925	7.2	3,491	3.6
Congenital anomalies	47,976	41,704	89,680	5.3	1,348	1.4
Causes of perinatal mortality (excluding stillbirths)	52,737	38,065	90,802	5.3	1,219	1.3
Respiratory disease	37,931	22,670	60,601	3.5	5,196	5.4
Cerebrovascular disease	26,374	23,257	49,631	2.9	4,404	4.6
All other causes	181,161	109,913	291,074	17.0	15,322	15.9
Total	1,102,659	604,653	1,707,312	100.0	96,100	100.0