

28.—Deaths and Death Rates of Children under One Year of Age (Exclusive of Stillbirths), in Urban Centres of 10,000 or Over, by Place of Residence, 1941-44, with Five-Year Averages, 1931-40, by Place of Occurrence—concluded.

Province and Urban Centre	Infant Deaths					Rates per 1,000 Live Births						
	Average 1931-35	Average 1936-40	1941	1942	1943	1944	Average 1931-35	Average 1936-40	1941	1942	1943	1944
Manitoba—												
Brandon.....	18	16	13	18	13	16	58	57	48	54	30	41
St. Boniface.....	46	43	12	16	28	20	44	33	32	41	64	42
Winnipeg.....	170	138	148	172	190	149	43	36	41	43	43	36
Saskatchewan—												
Moose Jaw.....	24	20	18	15	32	18	51	40	47	32	60	38
Prince Albert.....	27	28	12	18	6	23	68	55	40	53	18	63
Regina.....	61	62	32	39	57	63	48	47	29	34	46	55
Saskatoon.....	48	35	18	28	31	35	50	38	24	35	36	39
Alberta—												
Calgary.....	74	63	66	65	67	75	44	37	37	33	31	34
Edmonton.....	109	107	61	80	70	101	49	39	32	38	28	39
Lethbridge.....	34	30	15	14	17	12	64	47	57	37	43	29
Medicine Hat.....	18	14	9	10	7	21	51	40	40	40	21	63
British Columbia—												
New Westminster.....	24	26	25	13	23	17	43	33	52	30	43	34
Vancouver.....	117	117	119	153	174	168	35	29	27	29	30	29
Victoria.....	23	27	11	34	38	36	33	31	14	33	27	26

Infant Mortality by Causes of Death.—Of the infant deaths that occur in Canada, about 90 p.c. are due to the nine causes and groups of causes specified in Table 29. One cause alone, premature birth, accounts for over 20 p.c. of infant deaths. Male children are more heavily subject to nearly every one of the causes listed than are female children.

29.—Infant Mortality and Rates per 100,000 Live Births, by Principal Causes, 1941-44, with Five-Year Averages, 1931-40

NOTE.—Figures for 1944 are by place of residence.

International List No.	Cause of Death and Year	Numbers			Rates per 100,000 Live Births			Percentage Distribution by Cause of Death
		Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total	
	Communicable diseases ¹							
	Av. 1931-35	916	780	1,696	782	701	743	9.9
	Av. 1936-40	859	698	1,557	731	627	681	10.6
	1941	857	697	1,554	653	561	609	10.2
	1942	611	541	1,152	435	411	423	7.9
	1943	672	628	1,300	461	456	458	8.5
	1944	582	581	1,163	397	422	409	7.5
86	Convulsions.....							
	Av. 1931-35	132	86	218	113	77	95	1.3
	Av. 1936-40	90	57	147	77	51	64	1.0
	1941	80	62	142	61	50	56	0.9
	1942	87	62	149	62	47	55	1.0
	1943	94	54	148	65	39	52	1.0
	1944	62	39	101	42	28	36	0.6
106-109	Bronchitis and pneumonia.....							
	Av. 1931-35	1,121	852	1,973	957	766	864	11.5
	Av. 1936-40	1,080	810	1,890	920	728	826	12.9
	1941	1,274	966	2,240	971	778	877	14.7
	1942	1,220	895	2,115	868	679	777	14.4
	1943	1,240	908	2,148	851	659	757	14.1
	1944	1,158	933	2,091	790	678	736	13.5

¹For footnote, see end of table, p. 167.