

4.42 Deaths and rate per 100,000 population according to the International Abbreviated List of 50 Causes, 1972 (concluded)

Abbreviated "B" List No.	Detailed List No.	Cause (eighth revision)	Deaths	Rate per 100,000 population
8	032	Diphtheria	1	1
9	033	Whooping cough	1	1
10	034	Streptococcal sore throat and scarlet fever	—	—
11	036	Meningococcal infection	76	0.3
12	040-043	Acute poliomyelitis	—	—
13	050	Smallpox	—	—
14	055	Measles	2	1
15	080-083	Typhus and other rickettsioses	—	—
16	084	Malaria	—	—
17	090-097	Syphilis and its sequelae	41	0.2
18	Remainder of 000-136	All other infective and parasitic diseases	384	1.8
19	140-209	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissue	32,265	147.9
20	210-239	Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature	297	1.4
21	250	Diabetes mellitus	3,133	14.4
22	260-269	Avitaminoses and other nutritional deficiency	169	0.8
23	280-285	Anaemias	330	1.5
24	320	Meningitis	115	0.5
25	390-392	Active rheumatic fever	18	0.1
26	393-398	Chronic rheumatic heart disease	1,253	5.7
27	400-404	Hypertensive disease	1,692	7.8
28	410-414	Ischaemic heart disease	50,119	229.7
29	420-429	Other forms of heart disease	3,679	16.9
30	430-438	Cerebrovascular disease	16,586	76.0
31	470-474	Influenza	671	3.1
32	480-486	Pneumonia	5,154	23.6
33	490-493	Bronchitis, emphysema and asthma	3,487	16.0
34	531-533	Peptic ulcer	816	3.7
35	540-543	Appendicitis	90	0.4
36	550-553, 560	Intestinal obstruction and hernia	667	3.1
37	571	Cirrhosis of liver	2,236	10.2
38	580-584	Nephritis and nephrosis	659	3.0
39	600	Hyperplasia of prostate	213	2.0*
40	640-645	Abortion	1	— ^a
41	630-639	Other complications of pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	53	0.5*
42	740-759	Congenital anomalies	1,925	8.8
43	764-768	Birth injury, difficult labour and other anoxic and hypoxic conditions	1,371	6.3
44	772, 776			
44	760-763, 769-771, 773-775, 777-779	Other causes of perinatal mortality	1,571	7.2
45	780-796	Symptoms and ill-defined conditions	1,252	5.7
46	Remainder of 240-738	All other diseases	14,976	68.6
47	E810-E823	Motor vehicle accidents	6,308	28.9
48	E800-E807	All other accidents	6,517	29.9
49	E825-E949			
49	E950-E959	Suicide and self-inflicted injuries	2,657	12.2
50	E960-E999	All other external causes	869	4.0
		All causes	162,413	744.3

^aLess than 0.1 per 100,000 population.

*Per 100,000 males.

[†]Less than 0.1 per 100,000 live births.

*Per 100,000 females.

4.43 Leading causes of death, by sex at various age groups, 1972

Cause	Male		Cause	Female	
	No.	Rate [†]		No.	Rate [†]
Under 1 year			Under 1 year		
Congenital anomalies	725	405.5	Congenital anomalies	605	359.0
Anoxia and hypoxia	667	373.1	Anoxia and hypoxia	465	275.9
Immaturity	386	215.9	Immaturity	308	182.8
Pneumonia	256	143.2	Pneumonia	171	101.5
Conditions of placenta and umbilical cord	190	106.3	Conditions of placenta and umbilical cord	118	70.0
1-4 years			1-4 years		
Accidents	342	46.7	Accidents	174	24.9
Congenital anomalies	90	12.3	Congenital anomalies	89	12.7
Cancer	83	11.3	Cancer	62	8.9
Pneumonia	38	5.2	Pneumonia	44	6.3
Meningitis	12	1.6	Enteritis and other diarrhoeal diseases	16	2.3
5-19 years			5-19 years		
Accidents	2,038	59.8	Accidents	719	22.1
Cancer	268	7.9	Cancer	156	4.8
Suicide	173	5.1	Congenital anomalies	85	2.6
Congenital anomalies	83	2.4	Suicide	52	1.6
Cardiovascular diseases	58	1.7	Pneumonia	38	1.2