

**Table 2. Provisional number of deaths under 1 year and infant mortality rates: Each division and State, 12 months ending with August 2000 and 2001**

[Data are estimates by State of residence. Infant mortality rates are deaths under 1 year per 1,000 live births in specified area]

Area	12 months ending with August			
	2001		2000	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
New England . . . . .	772	4.4	867	5.1
Maine . . . . .	66	4.8	61	4.5
New Hampshire . . . . .	36	2.2	47	3.3
Vermont . . . . .	26	4.1	41	6.3
Massachusetts . . . . .	379	4.4	378	4.6
Rhode Island . . . . .	77	6.5	87	7.1
Connecticut . . . . .	188	4.7	253	5.9
Middle Atlantic . . . . .	3,106	6.2	3,399	6.6
New York . . . . .	1,403	5.6	1,635	6.3
New Jersey . . . . .	667	6.4	733	6.4
Pennsylvania . . . . .	1,036	7.2	1,031	7.1
East North Central . . . . .	4,738	7.6	4,742	7.5
Ohio . . . . .	1,213	7.8	1,182	7.8
Indiana . . . . .	373	4.6	454	5.2
Illinois . . . . .	1,534	8.3	1,549	8.4
Michigan . . . . .	1,130	8.3	1,096	8.1
Wisconsin . . . . .	488	7.0	461	6.7
West North Central . . . . .	1,709	6.5	1,830	6.9
Minnesota . . . . .	348	5.0	355	5.3
Iowa . . . . .	242	6.5	276	7.2
Missouri . . . . .	575	7.8	607	8.0
North Dakota . . . . .	56	7.3	39	5.1
South Dakota . . . . .	64	6.0	97	9.2
Nebraska . . . . .	127	5.1	148	6.1
Kansas . . . . .	297	7.1	308	7.7
South Atlantic . . . . .	5,508	7.5	5,644	7.8
Delaware . . . . .	98	9.0	130	11.8
Maryland . . . . .	561	7.6	609	8.3
District of Columbia . . . . .	82	10.5	80	10.1
Virginia . . . . .	707	6.9	694	7.1
West Virginia . . . . .	153	7.4	134	6.4
North Carolina . . . . .	983	8.0	1,065	9.0
South Carolina . . . . .	419	7.4	459	8.2
Georgia . . . . .	1,062	7.9	1,070	8.2
Florida . . . . .	1,443	7.0	1,403	6.9
East South Central . . . . .	2,083	8.8	2,016	8.3
Kentucky . . . . .	382	6.9	391	7.1
Tennessee . . . . .	702	8.9	673	8.5
Alabama . . . . .	545	8.8	494	7.8
Mississippi . . . . .	454	10.9	458	10.4
West South Central . . . . .	3,275	6.3	3,490	6.8
Arkansas . . . . .	264	6.9	313	8.3
Louisiana . . . . .	629	9.1	641	9.4
Oklahoma . . . . .	330	6.8	307	6.2
Texas <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	2,052	5.6	2,229	6.2
Mountain . . . . .	1,733	5.9	1,820	6.3
Montana . . . . .	71	6.5	76	7.0
Idaho . . . . .	126	6.1	166	8.4
Wyoming . . . . .	34	5.4	39	6.4
Colorado . . . . .	383	5.9	412	6.4
New Mexico . . . . .	192	7.2	187	6.9
Arizona . . . . .	521	5.9	497	5.9
Utah . . . . .	240	5.0	245	5.2
Nevada . . . . .	166	5.4	198	6.5
Pacific . . . . .	3,651	5.3	3,953	5.9
Washington . . . . .	416	5.2	357	4.4
Oregon . . . . .	236	5.0	249	5.5
California <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	2,801	5.3	3,164	6.1
Alaska . . . . .	78	7.8	68	6.8
Hawaii . . . . .	120	7.1	115	6.7
Puerto Rico . . . . .	528	9.1	588	10.0

<sup>1</sup>Figures include adjustments for varying lengths of reporting periods.

NOTES: Figures include all revisions received from the States. Figures for the current year reflect revisions received for previous months, and figures for earlier years may differ from those previously published.

SOURCE: Provisional data from the National Vital Statistics System. Data are subject to monthly reporting variation. For discussion of the nature, sources, and limitations of the data, see Technical notes of the associated report, *Births, Marriages, Divorces, and Deaths: Provisional Data for August 2001*, at <http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/products/pubs/pubd/nvsr/nvsr.htm>