

**TABLE 6-23. Selected causes of death among adult males by veteran and combat status and age, Oregon occurrence, 2015-2017**

Selected causes of death	All males, age 18+ <sup>1</sup>		Non-veteran				Veteran											
			18-49		50 or greater		Combat				Non-combat				Unk. combat status			
	No.	Col %	No.	Col %	No.	Col %	18-49		50 or greater		18-49		50 or greater		18-49		50 or greater	
							No.	Col %	No.	Col %	No.	Col %	No.	Col %	No.	Col %	No.	Col %
<b>Total</b> <sup>2</sup> .....	54,526	100.0	4,277	100.0	21,974	100.0	116	100.0	9,285	100.0	228	100.0	13,210	100.0	45	100.0	4,942	100.0
Malignant neoplasms .....	12,608	23.1	380	8.9	5,747	26.2	12	10.3	1,984	21.4	29	12.7	3,313	25.1	6	13.3	1,061	21.5
Heart disease .....	11,224	20.6	401	9.4	4,401	20.0	6	5.2	2,267	24.4	15	6.6	2,957	22.4	4	8.9	1,098	22.2
Unintentional injuries .....	3,659	6.7	1,278	29.9	1,154	5.3	30	25.9	359	3.9	51	22.4	533	4.0	10	22.2	214	4.3
Chronic lower respiratory dis. ....	2,902	5.3	27	0.6	1,115	5.1	—	—	592	6.4	1	0.4	784	5.9	1	2.2	348	7.0
Cerebrovascular disease .....	2,486	4.6	72	1.7	992	4.5	1	0.9	473	5.1	4	1.8	666	5.0	—	—	253	5.1
Diabetes mellitus .....	2,064	3.8	126	2.9	941	4.3	2	1.7	344	3.7	7	3.1	456	3.5	1	2.2	169	3.4
Alzheimer's disease .....	1,633	3.0	1	>0	463	2.1	—	—	428	4.6	—	—	535	4.0	—	—	204	4.1
Hypertension & hyp. renal dis. ....	792	1.5	21	0.5	345	1.6	2	1.7	144	1.6	3	1.3	182	1.4	3	6.7	86	1.7
Parkinson's disease .....	845	1.5	1	>0	301	1.4	—	—	166	1.8	—	—	287	2.2	—	—	89	1.8
Influenza & pneumonia .....	700	1.3	32	0.7	259	1.2	—	—	140	1.5	—	—	187	1.4	1	2.2	72	1.5
Viral hepatitis .....	317	0.6	20	0.5	185	0.8	—	—	28	0.3	2	0.9	49	0.4	—	—	28	0.6
Nephritis .....	626	1.1	23	0.5	244	1.1	—	—	121	1.3	3	1.3	158	1.2	—	—	72	1.5
Benign & uncertain neoplasms .....	371	0.7	13	0.3	146	0.7	—	—	68	0.7	1	0.4	115	0.9	—	—	28	0.6
Septicemia .....	357	0.7	20	0.5	149	0.7	—	—	56	0.6	—	—	95	0.7	—	—	25	0.5
Aortic aneurysm .....	273	0.5	8	0.2	112	0.5	2	1.7	46	0.5	1	0.4	78	0.6	—	—	25	0.5
Pneumonitis due to solids & liquids .....	252	0.5	6	0.1	92	0.4	—	—	55	0.6	—	—	58	0.4	—	—	40	0.8
Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis ....	189	0.3	12	0.3	100	0.5	—	—	22	0.2	—	—	47	0.4	—	—	8	0.2
Congenital malformations .....	127	0.2	37	0.9	64	0.3	—	—	5	0.1	2	0.9	13	0.1	—	—	5	0.1
Suicide .....	1,787	3.3	768	18.0	540	2.5	43	37.1	107	1.2	67	29.4	198	1.5	7	15.6	47	1.0
Homicide .....	273	0.5	177	4.1	58	0.3	2	1.7	5	0.1	8	3.5	18	0.1	—	—	3	0.1
Undetermined intent .....	118	0.2	67	1.6	32	0.1	2	1.7	—	—	1	0.4	11	0.1	—	—	4	0.1
Operations of war .....	1	>0	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	>0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Injury by firearms</i> <sup>3</sup> .....	1,278	2.3	527	12.3	365	1.7	35	30.2	89	1.0	53	23.2	162	1.2	3	6.7	39	0.8
<i>Alcohol-induced</i> <sup>3</sup> .....	1,864	3.4	325	7.6	997	4.5	9	7.8	132	1.4	10	4.4	243	1.8	6	13.3	106	2.1
<i>Drug-induced</i> <sup>3</sup> .....	1,186	2.2	569	13.3	370	1.7	16	13.8	44	0.5	28	12.3	102	0.8	5	11.1	37	0.7

— Quantity is zero.

<sup>1</sup> Total includes all males age 18 and older with missing or unknown veteran status.

<sup>2</sup> The causes in this table represent a selection of the total possible causes; the rows will not add up to the total.

<sup>3</sup> See Table 6-6, footnotes 38-42, for a list of included conditions and their ICD codes.

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