

TABLE 6-4.
THE FIVE PRINCIPAL CAUSES OF DEATH BY AGE,
OREGON RESIDENTS, 1995

CAUSE OF DEATH	BOTH SEXES		RATE ¹	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE
ALL AGES				
ALL CAUSES	28,190	100.0	925.0	875.8
1 HEART DISEASE	7,529	26.7	256.3	224.9
2 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	6,824	24.2	227.7	208.4
3 CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	2,483	8.8	59.4	98.6
4 CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE	1,460	5.2	48.2	45.1
5 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	1,293	4.6	53.7	29.3
UNDER 1 YEAR²				
ALL CAUSES	262	100.0	627.2	598.9
1 SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME	76	29.0	178.5	177.3
2 CONGENITAL ANOMALIES	54	20.6	123.6	129.4
3 OTHER PERINATAL CONDITIONS	19	7.3	54.9	33.5
4 IMMATURITY	17	6.5	50.4	28.7
5 OTHER RESPIRATORY CONDITIONS	12	4.6	27.5	28.7
1 - 4 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	70	100.0	39.1	34.9
1 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	32	45.7	15.5	18.5
2 CONGENITAL ANOMALIES	8	11.4	6.2	2.2
3 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	7	10.0	3.1	4.4
4 HOMICIDE AND LEGAL INTERVENTION	3	4.3	1.0	2.2
4 EXTERNAL CAUSES OF UNDETERMINED MANNER	3	4.3	2.1	1.1
5 - 14 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	97	100.0	23.1	20.2
1 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	48	49.5	12.6	8.7
2 CONGENITAL ANOMALIES	11	11.3	3.0	1.8
3 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	7	7.2	0.9	2.3
4 SUICIDE	5	5.2	1.3	0.9
5 HOMICIDE AND LEGAL INTERVENTION	4	4.1	0.9	0.9
10 - 19 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	265	100.0	80.4	40.0
1 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	137	51.7	40.6	21.7
2 SUICIDE	43	16.2	15.6	3.8
3 HOMICIDE AND LEGAL INTERVENTION	27	10.2	7.6	4.7
4 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	17	6.4	4.0	3.8
5 CONGENITAL ANOMALIES	12	4.5	4.5	0.9
15 - 24 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	389	100.0	127.6	55.0
1 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	189	48.6	57.8	31.1
2 SUICIDE	85	21.9	33.7	5.8
3 HOMICIDE AND LEGAL INTERVENTION	46	11.8	16.2	5.4
4 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	22	5.7	6.0	4.4
5 HEART DISEASE	7	1.8	2.3	1.0

¹ Rates per 100,000 population except where noted.

² Rates per 100,000 live births.

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CAUSE OF DEATH	BOTH SEXES		RATE ¹	
	NUMBER	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE
25 - 34 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	543	100.0	185.3	65.1
1 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	177	32.6	66.1	15.4
2 SUICIDE	97	17.9	35.8	8.9
3 ACQUIRED IMMUNE DEFICIENCY SYNDROME	87	16.0	33.5	6.6
4 HOMICIDE AND LEGAL INTERVENTION	39	7.2	12.8	5.1
5 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	28	5.2	6.9	6.1
35 - 44 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	1,129	100.0	304.3	129.4
1 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	238	21.1	69.5	22.0
2 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	198	17.5	31.7	44.0
3 ACQUIRED IMMUNE DEFICIENCY SYNDROME	152	13.5	55.6	3.0
4 HEART DISEASE	117	10.4	34.0	11.0
5 SUICIDE	115	10.2	35.5	8.7
45 - 54 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	1,602	100.0	496.8	298.4
1 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	536	20.3	126.7	34.7
2 HEART DISEASE	325	33.5	124.2	141.8
3 UNINTENTIONAL INJURIES	134	8.4	46.2	20.3
4 ALCOHOLISM AND ALLIED CONDITIONS	86	5.4	28.8	13.9
5 SUICIDE	84	5.2	33.8	7.9
55 - 64 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	2,525	100.0	1,256.4	831.8
1 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	998	39.5	434.4	387.2
2 HEART DISEASE	609	24.1	369.9	137.8
3 CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE	131	5.2	50.1	57.4
4 CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	122	4.8	60.2	40.6
5 DIABETES MELLITUS	85	3.4	37.3	32.7
65 - 74 YEARS				
ALL CAUSES	5,642	100.0	2,961.5	1,929.9
1 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	2,017	35.7	1,013.7	727.4
2 HEART DISEASE	1,484	26.3	895.8	410.4
3 CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE	451	8.0	198.4	186.1
4 CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	359	6.4	163.8	143.3
5 DIABETES MELLITUS	182	3.2	85.2	70.9
75 YEARS AND OLDER				
ALL CAUSES	15,931	100.0	9,232.6	7,529.1
1 HEART DISEASE	4,957	31.1	2,925.7	2,309.4
2 MALIGNANT NEOPLASMS	3,010	18.9	2,066.8	1,220.0
3 CEREBROVASCULAR DISEASE	1,929	12.1	849.6	1,080.3
4 CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISEASE	827	5.2	600.6	314.6
5 PNEUMONIA AND INFLUENZA	733	4.6	431.5	342.2

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