

TABLE 7-2. Infant Deaths by Cause and Age at Death, Oregon Residents, Death Cohort 1998

Cause of Death	Age Groups						All Neonates	Post-Neonates
	Total Deaths	Under 1 day	1-6 Days	7-27 Days	All Neonates	Post-Neonates		
Total	246	87	26	30	143	103		
Rate	5.4	1.9	0.6	0.7	3.2	2.3		
Certain conditions of mortality in early infancy	78	52	12	10	74	4		
Conditions of placenta and cord	10	7	3	-	10	-		
Immaturity, unqualified	25	22	-	2	24	1		
Birth trauma without mention of cause	3	1	2	-	3	-		
Anoxic and hypoxic conditions	3	-	-	2	2	1		
Respiratory distress syndrome	8	4	2	2	8	-		
Other respiratory conditions	9	6	1	1	8	1		
Other complications of pregnancy and delivery	8	8	-	-	8	-		
All other	12	4	4	3	11	1		
Other diseases	159	34	14	19	67	92		
Congenital anomalies	79	31	11	11	53	26		
Diseases of the nervous system	5	-	-	-	-	5		
Respiratory diseases	3	1	-	-	1	2		
Sudden Infant Death Syndrome	45	-	-	2	2	43		
All other diseases	27	2	3	6	11	16		
Violent and accidental causes	9	1	-	1	2	7		
Motor vehicle	1	-	-	-	-	1		
Other unintentional causes	6	-	-	1	1	5		
Homicide	1	-	-	-	-	1		
Other external causes	1	1	-	-	1	-		

NOTE: Rates per 1,000 live births. Neonates are infants in the first 27 days of life. Postneonates are 28 days up to one year of age. - Quantity is zero.