

TABLE 6-52. Highest and Lowest Age-adjusted Death Rates by State, 2005*

Cause	Lowest		Highest	
	State	Rate	State	Rate
All Causes.....	Hawaii	628.2	Louisiana	1,011.1
Malignant Neoplasms.....	Utah	136.0	Kentucky	218.2
Diseases of the Heart.....	Minnesota	139.6	Mississippi	286.2
Cerebrovascular Disease	New York	31.1	Alabama	60.9
Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease	Hawaii	19.4	Oklahoma	62.5
Unintended Injuries	New York	23.0	Louisiana	69.1
Alzheimer's Disease	New York	9.4	Washington	37.1
Diabetes Mellitus	Hawaii	15.0	Louisiana	38.5
Suicide	District of Columbia	5.2	Montana	21.8
Influenza and Pneumonia	Florida	11.4	Arkansas	27.9
Alcohol-induced Deaths	Pennsylvania**	3.6	Alaska	19.8
Hypertension with/without Renal Disease	Wyoming	3.9	Mississippi	13.3
Parkinson's Disease	New York	3.8	Utah	11.5
Nephritis and Nephrosis	South Dakota	5.7	Louisiana	27.3
Aortic Aneurysm and Dissection	Alaska	3.3	Vermont	7.5
Septicemia.....	California	3.1	District of Columbia	21.9
Arteriosclerosis	Delaware	0.7	Colorado	11.3
Congenital Anomalies	Vermont	1.9	South Dakota	5.8
Perinatal Conditions	Utah	2.6	District of Columbia	11.7
Homicide	New Hampshire	1.4	District of Columbia	28.2
Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis.....	Hawaii	1.0	Vermont	3.3
Viral Hepatitis	South Dakota	0.5	District of Columbia	6.5
HIV/AIDS	North Dakota	0.5	District of Columbia	35.3

* Most recent available data.

** Tied with Hawaii.