

TABLE 6-57. Age-adjusted Death Rates for Selected Causes of Death, Oregon and United States Residents, 1995-2009¹

Year	Total			Cancer			Heart Disease		
	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff
1995	882.3	909.5	-3.0	214.2	211.7	1.2	232.4	289.0	-19.6
1996	881.9	893.7	-1.3	208.8	208.6	0.1	230.6	281.4	-18.1
1997	864.0	877.5	-1.5	205.7	205.3	0.2	221.8	273.5	-18.9
1998	862.9	870.1	-0.8	207.9	202.5	2.7	210.7	267.2	-21.1
1999	845.3	875.6	-3.5	199.2	200.8	-0.8	208.0	266.5	-22.0
2000	826.9	869.0	-4.8	197.6	199.6	-1.0	197.5	257.6	-23.3
2001	835.9	851.6	-1.8	198.7	195.6	1.6	195.2	246.8	-20.9
2002	855.0	845.3	1.1	200.9	193.5	3.8	198.0	240.8	-17.8
2003	838.4	832.7	0.7	198.3	190.1	4.3	189.5	232.3	-18.4
2004	814.8	800.8	1.7	196.7	185.8	5.9	179.2	217.0	-17.4
2005	791.4	798.8	-0.9	189.4	183.8	3.0	169.5	211.1	-19.7
2006	784.5	776.5	1.0	185.7	180.7	2.8	162.6	200.2	-18.8
2007	771.6	760.2	1.5	184.7	178.4	3.5	159.7	190.9	-16.3
2008	772.8	758.3	1.9	182.8	175.3	4.3	154.5	186.5	-17.2
2009	739.7	741.1	-0.2	176.7	173.2	2.0	143.0	180.1	-20.6

Year	Cerebrovascular Disease			Chronic Lower Resp. Disease			Unintentional Injuries		
	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff
1995	81.6	66.5	22.7	46.6	41.8	11.5	41.3	36.4	13.5
1996	83.7	65.7	27.4	52.5	42.4	23.8	40.6	36.6	10.9
1997	80.8	64.3	25.7	50.8	42.8	18.7	39.9	36.4	9.6
1998	80.7	62.4	29.3	49.6	43.5	14.0	40.8	36.7	11.2
1999	80.3	61.6	30.4	50.4	45.4	11.0	33.9	35.3	-4.0
2000	70.8	60.9	16.3	47.8	44.2	8.1	34.6	34.9	-0.9
2001	71.4	57.7	23.7	48.7	43.6	11.7	35.4	35.5	-0.3
2002	71.7	56.2	27.6	50.9	43.5	17.0	38.4	36.9	4.1
2003	68.5	53.5	28.0	49.8	43.3	15.0	38.3	37.3	2.7
2004	61.9	50.0	23.8	48.1	41.1	17.0	38.8	37.7	2.9
2005	57.3	46.6	23.0	47.8	43.2	10.6	37.6	39.1	-3.8
2006	48.8	43.6	11.9	46.8	40.5	15.6	40.7	39.8	2.3
2007	44.5	42.2	5.5	47.5	40.8	16.4	41.7	40.0	4.3
2008	45.6	40.7	12.0	48.2	44.0	9.5	42.4	38.8	9.3
2009	44.0	38.9	13.2	46.4	42.3	9.6	38.8	37.3	3.9

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Year	Alzheimer's Disease			Diabetes Mellitus			Suicide		
	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff
1995	19.8	13.3	48.9	22.4	23.6	-5.1	16.8	11.8	42.4
1996	20.6	13.4	53.7	23.0	24.3	-5.3	16.7	11.5	45.2
1997	19.8	13.8	43.5	24.9	24.2	2.9	16.7	11.2	49.1
1998	19.0	13.6	39.7	26.0	24.6	5.7	17.2	11.1	55.0
1999	24.7	16.5	49.7	24.7	25.0	-1.2	14.9	10.5	41.9
2000	24.8	18.1	37.0	23.8	25.0	-4.8	14.3	10.4	37.5
2001	28.1	19.0	47.9	28.8	25.2	14.3	14.9	10.7	39.3
2002	30.3	20.2	50.0	28.6	25.4	12.6	14.5	10.9	33.0
2003	30.6	21.4	43.0	28.1	25.3	11.1	16.3	10.8	50.9
2004	33.4	21.8	53.2	29.0	24.5	18.4	15.2	10.9	39.4
2005	30.4	22.9	32.8	29.3	24.6	19.1	14.9	10.9	36.7
2006	29.5	22.6	30.5	28.9	23.3	24.0	15.1	10.9	38.5
2007	28.0	22.7	23.3	27.9	22.5	24.0	15.6	11.3	38.1
2008	30.5	24.4	25.0	24.8	21.8	13.8	14.7	11.6	26.7
2009	27.7	23.5	17.8	25.3	20.9	20.9	16.1	11.8	36.2

Year	Flu & Pneumonia			Alcohol-Induced			Hypertension		
	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff
1995	19.7	23.3	-15.5	11.3	8.4	34.5	6.7	5.6	19.6
1996	20.1	22.9	-12.2	12.8	8.2	56.1	6.5	5.7	14.0
1997	19.0	23.2	-18.1	11.5	7.9	45.6	7.7	5.8	32.8
1998	20.7	24.1	-14.1	11.0	7.8	41.0	6.6	6.0	10.0
1999	19.5	23.5	-17.0	8.9	7.1	25.4	7.0	6.2	12.9
2000	17.5	23.7	-26.2	10.8	7.0	54.3	6.2	6.5	-4.6
2001	15.7	21.9	-28.3	12.2	7.0	74.3	8.6	6.8	26.5
2002	17.9	22.6	-20.8	12.3	6.9	78.3	9.6	7.0	37.1
2003	17.0	22.0	-22.7	14.2	7.0	102.9	9.3	7.4	25.7
2004	14.7	19.8	-25.8	13.8	7.0	97.1	9.5	7.7	23.4
2005	15.1	20.3	-25.6	13.7	7.0	95.7	10.6	8.0	32.5
2006	12.8	17.8	-28.1	11.7	7.0	67.1	8.9	7.5	18.7
2007	11.4	16.2	-29.6	13.1	7.3	79.5	8.6	7.4	16.2
2008	12.3	16.9	-27.2	12.9	7.4	74.3	9.5	7.7	23.4
2009	12.0	16.2	-26.2	13.4	7.4	81.4	9.5	7.7	23.1

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Year	Parkinson's Disease			Homicide			Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis		
	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff
1995	7.2	4.3	67.4	4.9	8.3	-41.0	1.9	1.6	18.8
1996	7.2	4.6	56.5	4.5	7.5	-40.0	2.0	1.6	25.0
1997	6.4	4.7	36.2	3.9	7.0	-44.3	2.3	1.6	43.8
1998	8.0	4.9	63.3	4.1	6.4	-35.9	2.2	1.6	37.5
1999	7.3	5.4	35.2	3.3	6.0	-45.0	2.2	1.9	15.8
2000	7.7	5.7	35.1	2.7	5.9	-54.2	2.7	2.0	35.0
2001	8.0	5.8	37.9	3.1	7.1	-56.3	2.6	1.9	36.8
2002	8.3	5.9	40.7	3.1	6.1	-49.2	3.0	2.0	50.0
2003	8.4	6.2	35.5	2.5	6.0	-58.3	3.1	2.0	55.0
2004	8.6	6.1	41.0	3.1	5.9	-47.5	2.9	1.9	52.6
2005	7.7	6.4	20.3	2.9	6.1	-52.5	2.8	1.9	47.4
2006	8.7	6.3	38.1	3.0	6.2	-51.6	2.9	1.9	52.6
2007	8.2	6.4	28.1	2.1	6.1	-65.6	2.3	1.9	21.1
2008	8.7	6.4	35.9	2.6	5.9	-55.9	3.0	1.9	57.9
2009	8.3	6.4	29.7	2.6	5.5	-53.3	2.7	1.9	39.8

Year	Arteriosclerosis			Viral Hepatitis			HIV/AIDS		
	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff	Oregon	US	% Diff
1995	9.0	6.6	36.4	1.5	0.9	66.7	11.5	16.8	-31.5
1996	7.5	6.4	17.2	1.1	1.0	10.0	7.6	11.9	-36.1
1997	6.9	6.0	15.0	1.4	1.1	27.3	3.2	6.2	-48.4
1998	6.5	5.6	16.1	1.6	1.3	23.1	2.3	4.9	-53.1
1999	5.6	5.5	1.8	1.3	1.8	-27.8	2.2	5.3	-58.5
2000	6.4	5.2	23.1	2.2	1.9	15.8	1.8	5.2	-65.4
2001	5.3	5.0	6.0	2.5	2.0	25.0	1.9	5.0	-62.0
2002	5.7	4.7	21.3	3.5	2.0	75.0	2.5	4.9	-49.0
2003	5.5	4.4	25.0	2.6	1.8	44.4	2.5	4.7	-46.8
2004	4.6	3.9	17.9	2.9	1.8	61.1	1.8	4.5	-60.0
2005	4.8	3.8	26.3	2.3	1.8	27.8	1.5	4.2	-64.3
2006	2.8	2.7	3.7	2.2	2.3	-4.3	1.4	4.0	-65.0
2007	3.0	2.5	20.0	4.2	2.3	82.6	1.5	3.7	-59.5
2008	2.2	2.3	-4.3	3.8	2.3	65.2	1.0	3.3	-69.7
2009	1.8	2.2	-19.0	3.9	2.2	77.1	1.1	3.0	-62.7

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