

**Oregon Deaths and Medical Examiner's Cases by County of Occurrence,
Autopsy Status, and Manner of Death, 2009 Final Data**

County of Occurrence by Manner of Death	All Deaths			M.E. Cases		
	Total	Autopsied	Percent Autopsied	Total	Autopsied	Percent Autopsied
Total	31,623	1,243	3.9	3,653	889	24.3
Baker						
Total	188	5	2.7	46	5	10.9
Natural	165	3	1.8	23	3	13.0
External	23	2	8.7	23	2	8.7
Benton						
Total	619	14	2.3	60	12	20.0
Natural	573	8	1.4	17	6	35.3
External	46	6	13.0	43	6	14.0
Clackamas						
Total	2,854	95	3.3	275	67	24.4
Natural	2,670	52	1.9	106	25	23.6
External	184	43	23.4	169	42	24.9
Clatsop						
Total	339	12	3.5	59	11	18.6
Natural	302	4	1.3	23	3	13.0
External	37	8	21.6	36	8	22.2
Columbia						
Total	216	4	1.9	45	3	6.7
Natural	195	3	1.5	24	2	8.3
External	21	1	4.8	21	1	4.8
Coos						
Total	803	21	2.6	73	16	21.9
Natural	759	11	1.4	32	6	18.8
External	44	10	22.7	41	10	24.4
Crook						
Total	175	5	2.9	25	4	16.0
Natural	162	2	1.2	12	1	8.3
External	13	3	23.1	13	3	23.1
Curry						
Total	239	15	6.3	32	15	46.9
Natural	225	10	4.4	19	10	52.6
External	14	5	35.7	13	5	38.5
Deschutes						
Total	1,252	22	1.8	170	19	11.2
Natural	1,158	13	1.1	88	10	11.4
External	94	9	9.6	82	9	11.0
Douglas						
Total	1,184	50	4.2	119	44	37.0
Natural	1,113	29	2.6	57	24	42.1
External	71	21	29.6	62	20	32.3
Gilliam						
Total	20	1	5.0	3	1	33.3
Natural	18	1	5.6	1	1	100.0
External	2	—	—	2	—	—
Grant						
Total	52	—	—	4	—	—
Natural	48	—	—	—	—	—
External	4	—	—	4	—	—

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	Total	Autopsied	Percent Autopsied	Total	Autopsied	Percent Autopsied
Harney						
Total	67	—	—	15	—	—
Natural	57	—	—	8	—	—
External	10	—	—	7	—	—
Hood River						
Total	173	11	6.4	22	10	45.5
Natural	157	4	2.5	7	3	42.9
External	16	7	43.8	15	7	46.7
Jackson						
Total	2,082	68	3.3	202	55	27.2
Natural	1,931	42	2.2	64	29	45.3
External	151	26	17.2	138	26	18.8
Jefferson						
Total	169	4	2.4	24	4	16.7
Natural	149	3	2.0	6	3	50.0
External	20	1	5.0	18	1	5.6
Josephine						
Total	1,073	65	6.1	128	56	43.8
Natural	998	40	4.0	65	32	49.2
External	75	25	33.3	63	24	38.1
Klamath						
Total	719	40	5.6	101	37	36.6
Natural	655	18	2.7	44	15	34.1
External	64	22	34.4	57	22	38.6
Lake						
Total	80	4	5.0	12	4	33.3
Natural	70	2	2.9	2	2	100.0
External	10	2	20.0	10	2	20.0
Lane						
Total	3,149	140	4.4	370	118	31.9
Natural	2,869	57	2.0	103	35	34.0
External	280	83	29.6	267	83	31.1
Lincoln						
Total	460	5	1.1	76	4	5.3
Natural	421	3	0.7	37	2	5.4
External	39	2	5.1	39	2	5.1
Linn						
Total	1,018	24	2.4	89	17	19.1
Natural	955	16	1.7	33	9	27.3
External	63	8	12.7	56	8	14.3
Malheur						
Total	258	15	5.8	39	15	38.5
Natural	237	8	3.4	20	8	40.0
External	21	7	33.3	19	7	36.8
Marion						
Total	2,668	67	2.5	245	47	19.2
Natural	2,479	40	1.6	75	20	26.7
External	189	27	14.3	170	27	15.9

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Morrow						
Total	71	1	1.4	15	1	6.7
Natural	61	—	—	5	—	—
External	10	1	10.0	10	1	10.0
Multnomah						
Total	6,275	388	6.2	875	213	24.3
Natural	5,695	258	4.5	320	86	26.9
External	580	130	22.4	555	127	22.9
Polk						
Total	464	14	3.0	48	11	22.9
Natural	423	9	2.1	13	6	46.2
External	41	5	12.2	35	5	14.3
Sherman						
Total	12	3	25.0	6	3	50.0
Natural	10	2	20.0	4	2	50.0
External	2	1	50.0	2	1	50.0
Tillamook						
Total	223	9	4.0	46	9	19.6
Natural	199	2	1.0	23	2	8.7
External	24	7	29.2	23	7	30.4
Umatilla						
Total	528	11	2.1	63	8	12.7
Natural	485	7	1.4	23	4	17.4
External	43	4	9.3	40	4	10.0
Union						
Total	248	4	1.6	14	3	21.4
Natural	231	1	0.4	5	—	—
External	17	3	17.6	9	3	33.3
Wallowa						
Total	55	1	1.8	9	1	11.1
Natural	49	—	—	4	—	—
External	6	1	16.7	5	1	20.0
Wasco						
Total	321	10	3.1	37	8	21.6
Natural	296	6	2.0	14	4	28.6
External	25	4	16.0	23	4	17.4
Washington						
Total	2,856	96	3.4	241	53	22.0
Natural	2,672	64	2.4	78	21	26.9
External	184	32	17.4	163	32	19.6
Wheeler						
Total	19	2	10.5	6	2	33.3
Natural	17	—	—	4	—	—
External	2	2	100.0	2	2	100.0
Yamhill						
Total	689	16	2.3	58	12	20.7
Natural	652	9	1.4	31	5	16.1
External	37	7	18.9	27	7	25.9

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