## **Quick reference (Volume 2)**

Summary of Oregon Vital Events, 2012		
Population	3,883,735	The population increased 26,110, or 0.7% since 2011.
<b>Death</b> Number Rate	<b>Residents</b> 32,475 8.4	The number of deaths decreased by 256. The rate decreased by 1.2%.
Infant deaths Number Rate	Residents 239 5.3	The number of infant death increased by 29. The rate increased by 12.8%.
Neonatal deaths Number Rate	Residents 163 3.6	The number of neonatal deaths increased by 22. The rate increased by 16.1%.
<b>Maternal deaths</b> Number Rate	Residents 7 15.5	Oregon's average maternal death rate for 2008-12 was 14.2. Oregon's average maternal death rate for 2007-11 (14.8) was 28.7% lower than the average U.S. rate <sup>1</sup> for 2007-11 (20.8).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> NCHS National Vital Statistics Reports, final 2007-2010 and preliminary 2011, are the most recent available.

NOTE: Crude death rates are per 1,000 population; infant and neonatal rates per 1,000 live resident births; maternal death rate per 100,000 live resident births. In 2006, the method of calculating maternal death changed to include a longer time frame after the birth.