

**TABLE 6-22. Selected causes of death among males, by veteran status and age,  
Oregon residents age 18 years and older, 2013**

Selected causes of death	All males, age 18+		Male veteran age groups <sup>2</sup>									
			Total (18+)		18-34		35-54		55-74		75+	
	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total .....	16,973	1136.9	9,343	3176.6	36	193.1	234	356.4	2,697	1878.2	6,376	9627.3
Infections & parasitic disease .....	417	27.9	181	61.5	—	—	12	18.3	89	62.0	80	120.8
Septicemia .....	116	7.8	64	21.8	—	—	—	—	22	15.3	42	63.4
Viral hepatitis .....	167	11.2	53	18.0	—	—	6	9.1	47	32.7	—	—
HIV disease .....	44	2.9	6	2.0	—	—	4	6.1	2	1.4	—	—
Malignant neoplasms .....	4,105	275.0	2,304	783.4	3	16.1	39	59.4	942	656.0	1,320	1993.1
Colon .....	253	16.9	132	44.9	—	—	1	1.5	50	34.8	81	122.3
Pancreas .....	241	16.1	124	42.2	—	—	3	4.6	65	45.3	56	84.6
Bronchus & lung .....	1,037	69.5	619	210.5	—	—	13	19.8	276	192.2	330	498.3
Skin .....	129	8.6	79	26.9	2	10.7	1	1.5	27	18.8	49	74.0
Breast .....	4	0.3	3	1.0	—	—	—	—	2	1.4	1	1.5
Prostate .....	391	26.2	267	90.8	—	—	1	1.5	68	47.4	198	299.0
Kidney & renal pelvis .....	123	8.2	72	24.5	1	5.4	4	6.1	25	17.4	42	63.4
Bladder .....	151	10.1	98	33.3	—	—	—	—	28	19.5	70	105.7
Brain .....	129	8.6	59	20.1	—	—	1	1.5	32	22.3	26	39.3
Lymphatic .....	488	32.7	274	93.2	—	—	2	3.0	106	73.8	166	250.6
Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma ....	175	11.7	100	34.0	—	—	1	1.5	40	27.9	59	89.1
Leukemia .....	198	13.3	105	35.7	—	—	1	1.5	38	26.5	66	99.7
Benign & uncertain neoplasms .....	131	8.8	78	26.5	1	5.4	1	1.5	14	9.7	62	93.6
Diabetes mellitus .....	634	42.5	314	106.8	—	—	9	13.7	107	74.5	198	299.0
Organic dementia .....	797	53.4	563	191.4	—	—	—	—	33	23.0	530	800.3
Parkinson's disease .....	235	15.7	170	57.8	—	—	—	—	15	10.4	155	234.0
Alzheimer's disease .....	401	26.9	289	98.3	—	—	—	—	15	10.4	274	413.7
Diseases of circulatory sys. ....	4,736	317.2	2,843	966.6	3	16.1	47	71.6	658	458.2	2,135	3223.7
Heart disease .....	3,505	234.8	2,105	715.7	2	10.7	34	51.8	504	351.0	1,565	2363.0
Ischemic heart disease .....	2,120	142.0	1,236	420.2	—	—	28	42.6	355	247.2	853	1288.0
Cerebrovascular disease .....	756	50.6	465	158.1	—	—	6	9.1	85	59.2	374	564.7
Intracerebral hemorrhage .....	177	11.9	102	34.7	—	—	4	6.1	25	17.4	73	110.2
Cerebral infarction .....	55	3.7	40	13.6	—	—	—	—	8	5.6	32	48.3
Stroke, unspecified type .....	352	23.6	222	75.5	—	—	1	1.5	38	26.5	183	276.3
Hypertension & hyp. renal dis. ....	255	17.1	148	50.3	1	5.4	6	9.1	33	23.0	108	163.1
Aortic aneurysm .....	92	6.2	48	16.3	—	—	—	—	15	10.4	33	49.8
Influenza & pneumonia .....	227	15.2	141	47.9	—	—	2	3.0	20	13.9	119	179.7
Chronic lower respiratory dis. ....	964	64.6	608	206.7	—	—	2	3.0	195	135.8	411	620.6
Diseases of digestive sys. ....	777	52.0	325	110.5	—	—	22	33.5	132	91.9	171	258.2
Dis. of genitourinary sys. ....	250	16.7	163	55.4	—	—	2	3.0	27	18.8	134	202.3
Nephritis .....	156	10.4	100	34.0	—	—	1	1.5	18	12.5	81	122.3
Congenital malformations .....	49	3.3	8	2.7	—	—	1	1.5	3	2.1	4	6.0
Unintentional injuries .....	965	64.6	360	122.4	11	59.0	29	44.2	96	66.9	224	338.2
Suicide .....	515	34.5	153	52.0	13	69.7	32	48.7	57	39.7	51	77.0
Homicide .....	58	3.9	9	3.1	2	10.7	2	3.0	4	2.8	1	1.5
Undetermined intent .....	36	2.4	6	2.0	—	—	3	4.6	2	1.4	1	1.5
Alcohol-induced <sup>3</sup> .....	516	34.6	155	52.7	—	—	25	38.1	107	74.5	23	34.7
Drug-induced <sup>3</sup> .....	302	20.2	62	21.1	7	37.5	12	18.3	35	24.4	8	12.1
Injury by firearms <sup>3</sup> .....	371	24.9	128	43.5	11	59.0	26	39.6	45	31.3	46	69.5

<sup>1</sup> Rates per 100,000 population. Rates were calculated using population tables from Portland State University (Appendix A) and the United States Department of Veteran Affairs ([http://www1.va.gov/vetdata/Veteran\\_Population.asp](http://www1.va.gov/vetdata/Veteran_Population.asp)). WARNING: Rates based on less than five events are unreliable.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes blank and unknown veteran status.

<sup>3</sup> See table 6-6, footnotes 37-41, for a list of included conditions and their ICD codes.

— Quantity is zero.

**TABLE 6-22. Selected causes of death among males, by veteran status and age,  
Oregon residents age 18 years and older, 2013 — Continued**

Selected causes of death	Male non-veteran age groups <sup>2</sup>									
	Total (18+)		18-34		35-54		55-74		75+	
	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>	No.	Rate <sup>1</sup>
Total .....	7,474	623.5	460	106.4	1,405	309.2	3,357	1242.4	2,252	5378.2
Infections & parasitic disease .....	232	19.4	7	1.6	64	14.1	133	49.2	28	66.9
Septicemia .....	49	4.1	—	—	6	1.3	26	9.6	17	40.6
Viral hepatitis .....	113	9.4	1	0.2	33	7.3	78	28.9	1	2.4
HIV disease .....	38	3.2	4	0.9	19	4.2	14	5.2	1	2.4
Malignant neoplasms .....	1,777	148.2	25	5.8	244	53.7	1,035	383.1	473	1129.6
Colon .....	119	9.9	2	0.5	24	5.3	64	23.7	29	69.3
Pancreas .....	116	9.7	—	—	15	3.3	70	25.9	31	74.0
Bronchus & lung .....	414	34.5	—	—	43	9.5	260	96.2	111	265.1
Skin .....	50	4.2	—	—	12	2.6	32	11.8	6	14.3
Breast .....	1	0.1	—	—	—	—	1	0.4	—	—
Prostate .....	122	10.2	—	—	3	0.7	55	20.4	64	152.8
Kidney & renal pelvis .....	48	4.0	1	0.2	6	1.3	31	11.5	10	23.9
Bladder .....	52	4.3	—	—	2	0.4	26	9.6	24	57.3
Brain .....	70	5.8	6	1.4	23	5.1	30	11.1	11	26.3
Lymphatic .....	212	17.7	6	1.4	27	5.9	112	41.5	67	160.0
Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma .....	74	6.2	2	0.5	9	2.0	40	14.8	23	54.9
Leukemia .....	92	7.7	2	0.5	13	2.9	47	17.4	30	71.6
Benign & uncertain neoplasms .....	53	4.4	—	—	8	1.8	23	8.5	22	52.5
Diabetes mellitus .....	314	26.2	8	1.9	56	12.3	156	57.7	94	224.5
Organic dementia .....	232	19.4	—	—	1	0.2	39	14.4	192	458.5
Parkinson's disease .....	64	5.3	—	—	—	—	24	8.9	40	95.5
Alzheimer's disease .....	111	9.3	—	—	—	—	12	4.4	99	236.4
Diseases of circulatory sys. ....	1,852	154.5	24	5.6	266	58.5	851	315.0	711	1698.0
Heart disease .....	1,375	114.7	20	4.6	191	42.0	627	232.1	537	1282.4
Ischemic heart disease .....	867	72.3	5	1.2	131	28.8	424	156.9	307	733.2
Cerebrovascular disease .....	279	23.3	4	0.9	39	8.6	120	44.4	116	277.0
Intracerebral hemorrhage .....	72	6.0	3	0.7	20	4.4	33	12.2	16	38.2
Cerebral infarction .....	14	1.2	—	—	—	—	11	4.1	3	7.2
Stroke, unspecified type .....	126	10.5	—	—	9	2.0	46	17.0	71	169.6
Hypertension & hyp. renal dis. ....	106	8.8	—	—	24	5.3	55	20.4	27	64.5
Aortic aneurysm .....	43	3.6	—	—	8	1.8	16	5.9	19	45.4
Influenza & pneumonia .....	83	6.9	2	0.5	5	1.1	24	8.9	52	124.2
Chronic lower respiratory dis. ....	344	28.7	3	0.7	26	5.7	175	64.8	140	334.3
Diseases of digestive sys. ....	442	36.9	10	2.3	142	31.2	214	79.2	76	181.5
Dis. of genitourinary sys. ....	85	7.1	2	0.5	10	2.2	32	11.8	41	97.9
Nephritis .....	55	4.6	1	0.2	5	1.1	23	8.5	26	62.1
Congenital malformations .....	40	3.3	10	2.3	14	3.1	11	4.1	5	11.9
Unintentional injuries .....	591	49.3	167	38.6	213	46.9	147	54.4	64	152.8
Suicide .....	357	29.8	119	27.5	137	30.1	91	33.7	10	23.9
Homicide .....	49	4.1	27	6.2	16	3.5	6	2.2	—	—
Undetermined intent .....	27	2.3	13	3.0	11	2.4	3	1.1	—	—
Alcohol-induced <sup>3</sup> .....	352	29.4	8	1.9	151	33.2	189	69.9	4	9.6
Drug-induced <sup>3</sup> .....	228	19.0	62	14.3	104	22.9	56	20.7	6	14.3
Injury by firearms <sup>3</sup> .....	241	20.1	89	20.6	81	17.8	63	23.3	8	19.1

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