

**TABLE 2D-3
MEDIAN AGE AT DEATH FOR LEADING CAUSES OF MORTALITY BY GENDER, RACE/ETHNICITY AND URBAN/RURAL AREAS*,
ARIZONA, 2008**

	ARIZONA			Area/gender						Race/ethnicity				
	Total	Male	Female	Total Urban	Urban Male	Urban Female	Total Rural	Rural Male	Rural Female	White Non-Hispanic	Hispanic or Latino	Black or African American	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian or Pacific Islander
Total, all causes	77.0	73.0	80.0	77.0	74.0	80.0	75.0	72.0	79.0	78.0	68.0	62.0	59.0	70.0
Major cardiovascular diseases	81.0	78.0	84.0	82.0	78.0	84.0	79.0	76.0	83.0	82.0	76.0	69.0	71.0	76.0
Diseases of heart	81.0	77.0	84.0	81.0	78.0	85.0	78.0	75.0	82.0	82.0	76.0	69.0	69.0	74.0
Coronary heart disease	80.0	77.0	84.0	81.0	78.0	85.0	77.0	74.0	81.0	81.0	76.0	71.0	71.0	76.0
Malignant neoplasms	73.0	72.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	74.0	69.0	64.0	66.0	68.0
Lung cancer	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	72.0	72.0	72.0	73.0	71.0	65.0	69.0	67.0
Prostate cancer	79.0	79.0	NA	80.0	80.0	NA	78.0	78.0	NA	80.0	77.0	69.0	78.0	76.0
Breast cancer	68.0	61.0	68.0	68.0	61.0	68.0	68.0	60.5	68.5	69.0	61.0	60.0	61.5	56.5
Colorectal cancer	74.0	72.0	77.0	74.0	72.0	77.5	73.5	71.5	77.0	75.0	67.0	72.0	77.0	77.0
Malignant melanoma of skin	72.0	71.0	76.0	74.0	72.0	77.5	69.0	69.5	67.0	72.0	56.5	51.5	75.0	0.0
Cerebrovascular diseases	82.0	79.0	84.0	82.0	79.0	84.0	81.0	78.0	83.0	83.0	76.0	69.0	78.0	74.5
Chronic lower respiratory diseases	78.0	78.0	79.0	79.0	78.0	79.0	77.0	76.0	78.5	78.0	79.0	73.0	73.0	84.0
Accidents (unintentional injuries)	54.5	50.0	71.0	55.0	50.0	74.0	52.0	50.0	58.0	63.0	39.5	42.0	43.0	54.0
Motor vehicle accidents	41.0	41.0	42.0	40.0	40.0	40.0	44.5	44.0	45.0	49.0	30.0	38.5	32.0	27.0
Falls	84.0	82.0	86.0	85.0	83.0	86.0	81.0	77.0	85.5	85.0	81.0	67.5	71.0	80.0
Accidental poisoning	45.0	44.0	47.0	45.0	45.0	46.0	46.5	41.0	50.0	45.0	41.0	47.0	49.0	54.0
Accidental drowning	26.5	25.0	38.0	26.5	24.5	38.0	28.0	28.0	39.0	39.0	6.0	21.0	19.0	40.0
Influenza and pneumonia	81.0	80.0	82.0	82.0	79.0	83.0	80.0	80.5	80.0	82.0	75.5	73.0	69.0	75.0
Alzheimer's disease	87.0	86.0	88.0	87.0	86.0	88.0	86.0	84.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	87.0	85.0	88.0
Diabetes	73.0	71.0	75.0	73.0	71.0	75.0	74.0	71.0	77.0	75.0	71.0	73.0	71.0	74.0
Intentional self-harm (suicide)	48.0	48.0	50.0	48.0	47.0	49.0	50.0	49.0	52.5	52.0	36.0	30.0	21.0	51.5
Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.0	58.0	59.0	56.5	58.0	54.0	60.0	59.0	57.0	50.0	46.0
Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis	79.0	78.0	80.0	79.0	78.0	79.5	79.5	78.5	81.0	81.0	74.0	79.5	67.0	80.0
Septicemia	73.0	72.0	74.0	73.0	72.0	74.0	73.0	70.0	75.5	76.0	70.5	55.0	62.0	68.5
Assault (homicide)	29.0	29.0	30.5	29.0	29.0	29.0	34.0	32.5	39.0	45.0	25.0	30.0	28.0	58.5
Parkinson's disease	83.0	82.0	84.0	83.0	82.5	84.0	82.0	82.0	82.5	83.0	80.0	79.5	82.0	81.0
Essential (primary) hypertension and hypertensive renal disease	83.0	80.0	85.0	83.0	80.5	85.0	83.0	77.5	86.0	84.0	80.0	65.0	79.5	79.5
Aortic aneurysm and dissection	76.5	76.0	78.0	76.5	76.0	78.0	76.5	76.0	78.0	77.0	73.0	52.0	64.5	67.0
Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	46.0	46.0	45.0	46.0	46.0	45.0	45.0	45.0	46.0	48.0	39.0	45.0	43.0	49.0
INJURY BY FIREARMS	42.0	40.0	48.0	39.0	38.0	45.0	50.0	50.0	51.0	52.0	26.0	30.0	26.5	57.0
DRUG-INDUCED DEATHS	45.0	43.0	48.0	45.0	45.0	46.5	45.5	38.0	50.5	46.0	41.0	49.0	44.5	52.0
ALCOHOL-INDUCED DEATHS	54.0	55.0	53.0	55.0	55.0	54.0	52.0	53.0	50.0	56.0	54.0	53.0	49.0	51.0

*Urban = Maricopa, Pima, Pinal and Yuma counties.

Median age at death = the middle of the age distribution: half died at age greater than the median and half at age below the median.