

**TABLE 4-5. INFANT, NEONATAL, AND POSTNEONATAL DEATHS, AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES BY SEX OF CHILD, CALIFORNIA, 1991-2005 (By Place of Residence)**  
(Rates are deaths per 1,000 births in specified group.)

YEAR	INFANT DEATHS			INFANT MORTALITY RATES		
	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL	MALE	FEMALE
<b><u>INFANT MORTALITY</u><sup>1</sup></b>						
2005	2,913	1,604	1,309	5.3	5.7	4.9
2004	2,811	1,583	1,228	5.2	5.7	4.6
2003	2,819	1,603	1,216	5.2	5.8	4.6
2002	2,875	1,605	1,270	5.4	5.9	4.9
2001	2,815	1,545	1,270	5.3	5.7	4.9
2000	2,884	1,555	1,329	5.4	5.7	5.1
1999	2,787	1,530	1,257	5.4	5.8	5.0
1998	2,994	1,627	1,367	5.7	6.1	5.4
1997	3,091	1,663	1,428	5.9	6.2	5.6
1996	3,186	1,768	1,418	5.9	6.4	5.4
1995	3,478	1,958	1,520	6.3	6.9	5.7
1994	3,948	2,181	1,767	7.0	7.5	6.4
1993	3,970	2,204	1,766	6.8	7.4	6.2
1992	4,174	2,351	1,823	6.9	7.6	6.2
1991	4,596	2,661	1,935	7.5	8.5	6.5
<b><u>NEONATAL MORTALITY</u><sup>2</sup></b>						
2005	1,977	1,087	890	3.6	3.9	3.3
2004	1,904	1,081	823	3.5	3.9	3.1
2003	1,909	1,056	853	3.5	3.8	3.2
2002	1,922	1,070	852	3.6	4.0	3.3
2001	1,889	1,049	840	3.6	3.9	3.3
2000	1,957	1,039	918	3.7	3.8	3.5
1999	1,843	995	848	3.6	3.8	3.3
1998	1,993	1,068	925	3.8	4.0	3.6
1997	2,056	1,080	976	3.9	4.0	3.8
1996	2,041	1,105	936	3.8	4.0	3.6
1995	2,164	1,208	956	3.9	4.3	3.6
1994	2,467	1,355	1,112	4.4	4.7	4.0
1993	2,429	1,310	1,119	4.2	4.4	3.9
1992	2,545	1,402	1,143	4.2	4.6	3.9
1991	2,774	1,550	1,224	4.6	5.0	4.1
<b><u>POSTNEONATAL MORTALITY</u><sup>3</sup></b>						
2005	936	517	419	1.7	1.8	1.6
2004	907	502	405	1.7	1.8	1.5
2003	910	547	363	1.7	2.0	1.4
2002	953	535	418	1.8	2.0	1.6
2001	926	496	430	1.8	1.8	1.7
2000	927	516	411	1.7	1.9	1.6
1999	944	535	409	1.8	2.0	1.6
1998	1,001	559	442	1.9	2.1	1.7
1997	1,035	583	452	2.0	2.2	1.8
1996	1,145	663	482	2.1	2.4	1.8
1995	1,314	750	564	2.4	2.7	2.1
1994	1,481	826	655	2.6	2.9	2.4
1993	1,541	894	647	2.6	3.0	2.3
1992	1,629	949	680	2.7	3.1	2.3
1991	1,822	1,111	711	3.0	3.6	2.4

<sup>1</sup> Infant deaths are under one year of age.

<sup>2</sup> Neonatal deaths are deaths under 28 days of age.

<sup>3</sup> Postneonatal deaths are deaths occurring on the 28th day and up to one year of age.

Source: State of California, Department of Public Health, Birth and Death Records.