

TABLE 5-11. LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH AND PERCENT OF DEATHS BY RACE\*, CALIFORNIA, 2001 (By Place of Residence)

RACE OF DECEDENT	TOTAL ALL CAUSES A00-Y89	LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH FOR CALIFORNIA												ALL OTHER CAUSES Residual
		Diseases of the Heart I00-I09, I11, I13, I20-I51	Malignant Neoplasms C00-C97	Cerebro-vascular Diseases I60-I69	Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases J40-J47	Accidents V01-X59, Y85-Y86	Influenza/Pneumonia J10-J18	Diabetes E10-E14	Alzheimer's Disease G30	Cirrhosis K70, K73-K74	Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide) X60-X84, Y87.0	Hypertension I10, I12	Assault (Homicide) X85-Y09, Y87.1	
<b>DEATHS:</b>														
TOTAL	232,790	69,004	53,810	18,078	13,056	9,274	8,167	6,457	4,897	3,759	3,256	2,348	2,301	38,383
2 OR MORE RACE GROUPS	469	91	97	29	16	37	10	13	7	15	11	-	16	127
AMERICAN INDIAN	978	237	179	52	44	73	31	53	10	66	12	7	16	198
BLACK	18,137	5,380	4,070	1,344	654	725	484	711	214	221	136	302	638	3,258
CAMBODIAN	294	55	58	40	11	17	11	15	-	6	5	9	10	57
CHINESE	4,412	1,148	1,301	493	193	146	220	133	36	24	54	55	23	586
ESKIMO/ALEUT	3	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FILIPINO	4,100	1,224	996	434	195	156	139	162	26	24	45	55	21	623
GUAMANIAN	79	22	21	4	1	3	6	7	-	2	2	1	-	10
HAWAIIAN	89	29	19	5	6	5	1	4	1	-	4	2	-	13
HMONG	160	27	26	20	9	9	6	5	1	-	6	5	8	38
INDIAN (INDIA)	716	257	118	54	16	47	19	23	5	18	16	10	4	129
JAPANESE	2,167	613	623	227	71	51	103	55	28	13	25	21	4	333
KOREAN	1,247	247	399	146	40	67	59	44	5	9	29	11	14	177
LAOTIAN	249	54	50	24	9	22	4	16	-	5	3	4	3	55
SAMOAN	191	56	42	12	3	9	7	13	-	2	1	1	7	38
THAI	94	12	30	6	2	7	1	4	-	5	5	2	1	19
VIETNAMESE	1,213	255	343	128	40	59	51	32	13	7	27	12	22	224
WHITE	197,439	59,098	45,268	15,016	11,727	7,799	6,992	5,139	4,543	3,333	2,865	1,845	1,475	32,339
OTHER ASIAN	256	70	78	24	5	12	9	7	2	1	2	2	2	42
OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER	206	71	49	13	8	9	6	13	1	-	1	2	1	32
OTHER	115	27	23	6	2	6	2	6	2	6	4	2	5	24
UNKNOWN	176	30	18	1	4	15	6	2	3	2	3	-	31	61
<b>PERCENT<sup>1</sup> BY RACE</b>														
TOTAL	100.0	29.6	23.1	7.8	5.6	4.0	3.5	2.8	2.1	1.6	1.4	1.0	1.0	16.5
2 OR MORE RACE GROUPS	100.0	19.4	20.7	6.2	3.4	7.9	2.1	2.8	1.5	3.2	2.3	-	3.4	27.1
AMERICAN INDIAN	100.0	24.2	18.3	5.3	4.5	7.5	3.2	5.4	1.0	6.7	1.2	0.7	1.6	20.2
BLACK	100.0	29.7	22.4	7.4	3.6	4.0	2.7	3.9	1.2	1.2	0.7	1.7	3.5	18.0
CAMBODIAN	100.0	18.7	19.7	13.6	3.7	5.8	3.7	5.1	-	2.0	1.7	3.1	3.4	19.4
CHINESE	100.0	26.0	29.5	11.2	4.4	3.3	5.0	3.0	0.8	0.5	1.2	1.2	0.5	13.3
ESKIMO/ALEUT	100.0	33.3	66.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FILIPINO	100.0	29.9	24.3	10.6	4.8	3.8	3.4	4.0	0.6	0.6	1.1	1.3	0.5	15.2
GUAMANIAN	100.0	27.8	26.6	5.1	1.3	3.8	7.6	8.9	-	2.5	2.5	1.3	-	12.7
HAWAIIAN	100.0	32.6	21.3	5.6	6.7	5.6	1.1	4.5	1.1	-	4.5	2.2	-	14.6
HMONG	100.0	16.9	16.3	12.5	5.6	5.6	3.8	3.1	0.6	-	3.8	3.1	5.0	23.8
INDIAN (INDIA)	100.0	35.9	16.5	7.5	2.2	6.6	2.7	3.2	0.7	2.5	2.2	1.4	0.6	18.0
JAPANESE	100.0	28.3	28.7	10.5	3.3	2.4	4.8	2.5	1.3	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.2	15.4
KOREAN	100.0	19.8	32.0	11.7	3.2	5.4	4.7	3.5	0.4	0.7	2.3	0.9	1.1	14.2
LAOTIAN	100.0	21.7	20.1	9.6	3.6	8.8	1.6	6.4	-	2.0	1.2	1.6	1.2	22.1
SAMOAN	100.0	29.3	22.0	6.3	1.6	4.7	3.7	6.8	-	1.0	0.5	0.5	3.7	19.9
THAI	100.0	12.8	31.9	6.4	2.1	7.4	1.1	4.3	-	5.3	5.3	2.1	1.1	20.2
VIETNAMESE	100.0	21.0	28.3	10.6	3.3	4.9	4.2	2.6	1.1	0.6	2.2	1.0	1.8	18.5
WHITE	100.0	29.9	22.9	7.6	5.9	4.0	3.5	2.6	2.3	1.7	1.5	0.9	0.7	16.4
OTHER ASIAN	100.0	27.3	30.5	9.4	2.0	4.7	3.5	2.7	0.8	0.4	0.8	0.8	0.8	16.4
PACIFIC ISLANDER	100.0	34.5	23.8	6.3	3.9	4.4	2.9	6.3	0.5	-	0.5	1.0	0.5	15.5
OTHER	100.0	23.5	20.0	5.2	1.7	5.2	1.7	5.2	1.7	5.2	3.5	1.7	4.3	20.9
UNKNOWN	100.0	17.0	10.2	0.6	2.3	8.5	3.4	1.1	1.7	1.1	1.7	-	17.6	34.7

<sup>1</sup> Percents are rounded independently and may not add to totals.

- Represents zero events.

\* Beginning in 2000, up to three races were reported on death certificates. The list of races on this table is compiled by identifying decedents who were reported as being of 2 or more race groups before tabulating single races. These groups are only comparable with the year 2000 data tables. See Chapter 6.

Note: Causes of death are coded to the Tenth Revision of the International Classification of Diseases.

Source: State of California, Department of Health Services, Death Records.