

TABLE 1-9. NUMBER AND PERCENT OF INFANT DEATHS AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES FOR LEADING CAUSES OF INFANT DEATH, CALIFORNIA AND UNITED STATES, 2002 (By Place of Residence)

(Infant mortality rates are per 100,000 live births.)

ICD CODES REV. 10	CAUSE OF DEATH	TOTAL INFANT DEATHS - CALIFORNIA				TOTAL INFANT DEATHS - UNITED STATES			
		RANK	DEATHS	PERCENT	MORTALITY RATE	RANK	DEATHS	PERCENT	MORTALITY RATE
A00-Y89	All Causes		2,875	100.0	543.2		27,974	100.0	696.0
Q00-Q99	Congenital Malformations, Deformations, and Chromosomal Abnormalities	1	723	25.1	136.6	1	5,655	20.2	140.7
P07	Disorders of Short Gestation and Low Birthweight	2	412	14.3	77.8	2	4,598	16.4	114.4
R95	Sudden Infant Death Syndrome	3	168	5.8	31.7	3	2,035	7.3	50.6
P01	Effect of Maternal Complications of Pregnancy	4	113	3.9	21.4	4	1,723	6.2	42.9
P02	Complications of Placenta, Cord, and Membrane	5	100	3.5	18.9	5	1,017	3.6	25.3
P22	Respiratory Distress of Newborn	6	82	2.9	15.5	6	958	3.4	23.8
I00-I99	Diseases of Circulatory System	7	69	2.4	13.0	9	649	2.3	16.1
P20-P21	Intrauterine Hypoxia & Birth Asphyxia	8	63	2.2	11.9	10	578	2.1	14.4
V01-X59	Accidents	9	57	2.0	10.8	7	893	3.2	22.2
P36	Bacterial Sepsis of Newborn	10	46	1.6	8.7	8	734	2.6	18.3
RESIDUAL	All Other Causes		1,042	36.2			9,134	32.7	

Note: The leading causes are presented in 2002 ranking for California infant deaths.  
Percents are rounded independently and may not add to total

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