

TABLE 1-9. NUMBER AND PERCENT OF INFANT DEATHS AND INFANT MORTALITY RATES FOR LEADING CAUSES OF INFANT DEATH, CALIFORNIA AND UNITED STATES, 2008 (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		2,806	100.0	508.7		28,029	100.0	659.3
Q00-Q99	Congenital Malformations, Deformations, and Chromosomal Abnormalities	1	725	25.8	131.4	1	5,647	20.1	132.8
P07	Disorders of Short Gestation and Low Birthweight	2	367	13.1	66.5	2	4,733	16.9	111.3
R95	Sudden Infant Death Syndrome	3	201	7.2	36.4	3	2,292	8.2	53.9
P01	Effect of Maternal Complications of Pregnancy	4	196	7.0	35.5	4	1,764	6.3	41.5
P02	Newborn Affected by Complications of Placenta, Cord and Membranes	5	114	4.1	20.7	6	1,073	3.8	25.2
P50-P52, P54	Neonatal Hemorrhage	6	90	3.2	16.3	10	551	2.0	13.0
P22	Respiratory Distress of Newborn	7	64	2.3	11.6	8	625	2.2	14.7
I00-I99	Diseases of Circulatory System	8	61	2.2	11.1	9	590	2.1	13.9
V01-X59	Accidents	8	61	2.2	11.1	5	1,299	4.6	30.6
P20-P21	Intrauterine Hypoxia and Birth Asphyxia	9	48	1.7	8.7	-	382	1.4	9.0
P77	Necrotizing Enterocolitis of Newborn	10	47	1.7	8.5	-	547	2.0	12.9
RESIDUAL	All Other Causes		832	29.7			8,526	30.4	

- Not among the ten leading causes of death.

Note: The leading causes are presented in 2008 ranking for California infant deaths.
Percents are rounded independently and may not add to totals.

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