

**Data table for Figure 23. Death rates among children aged 1–14 years and persons aged 15–24 years, by leading causes of death: United States, 2006–2016**

Excel and PowerPoint: [https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/hus/contents2017.htm#Figure\\_023](https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/hus/contents2017.htm#Figure_023)

**Leading causes of death for children aged 1–14 years: 2006–2016**

Year	Cause of death <sup>1</sup>					
	Heart disease	Cancer	Unintentional injuries <sup>2</sup>	Congenital malformations <sup>3</sup>	Homicide	Suicide <sup>4</sup>
Deaths per 100,000 population						
2006	0.7	2.3	6.8	1.5	1.3	0.4
2007	0.7	2.3	6.7	1.6	1.3	0.3
2008	0.7	2.3	5.9	1.5	1.3	0.4
2009	0.6	2.2	5.5	1.5	1.2	0.5
2010	0.6	2.2	5.3	1.4	1.1	0.5
2011	0.6	2.1	5.3	1.5	1.2	0.5
2012	0.6	2.3	5.1	1.4	1.1	0.5
2013	0.6	2.1	5.0	1.4	1.1	0.7
2014	0.6	2.1	4.7	1.3	1.1	0.7
2015	0.6	2.1	4.8	1.4	1.2	0.7
2016	0.5	2.2	5.1	1.4	1.1	0.8
Standard error						
2006	0.04	0.06	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.03
2007	0.04	0.06	0.11	0.05	0.05	0.02
2008	0.04	0.06	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.03
2009	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.03
2010	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.05	0.04	0.03
2011	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.05	0.05	0.03
2012	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.05	0.04	0.03
2013	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.05	0.04	0.03
2014	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.05	0.04	0.04
2015	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.05	0.05	0.04
2016	0.03	0.06	0.09	0.05	0.04	0.04

**Leading causes of death for persons aged 15–24 years: 2006–2016**

Year	Cause of death <sup>1</sup>					
	Heart disease	Cancer	Unintentional injuries <sup>2</sup>	Congenital malformations <sup>3</sup>	Homicide	Suicide
Deaths per 100,000 population						
2006	2.5	3.8	37.9	1.1	13.3	9.8
2007	2.5	3.8	36.8	0.9	12.9	9.6
2008	2.5	3.8	32.5	1.1	12.2	9.9
2009	2.4	3.8	28.6	1.0	11.2	10.0
2010	2.4	3.7	28.3	0.9	10.7	10.5
2011	2.3	3.7	28.2	1.0	10.4	11.0
2012	2.2	3.6	27.1	1.0	10.5	11.1
2013	2.1	3.4	26.4	0.8	9.8	11.1
2014	2.2	3.6	26.8	0.9	9.5	11.6
2015	2.3	3.4	28.5	0.9	10.8	12.5
2016	2.2	3.3	31.9	0.9	11.9	13.2
Standard error						
2006	0.08	0.09	0.30	0.05	0.18	0.15
2007	0.08	0.09	0.29	0.05	0.17	0.15
2008	0.08	0.09	0.27	0.05	0.17	0.15
2009	0.07	0.09	0.26	0.05	0.16	0.15
2010	0.07	0.09	0.25	0.05	0.16	0.16
2011	0.07	0.09	0.25	0.05	0.15	0.16
2012	0.07	0.09	0.25	0.05	0.15	0.16
2013	0.07	0.09	0.25	0.04	0.15	0.16
2014	0.07	0.09	0.25	0.04	0.15	0.16
2015	0.07	0.09	0.26	0.04	0.16	0.17
2016	0.07	0.09	0.27	0.05	0.17	0.17

<sup>1</sup> Underlying causes of death are based on the *International Classification of Diseases, 10th Revision* (ICD-10).

<sup>2</sup> Unintentional injuries is accidents.

<sup>3</sup> Congenital malformations is congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities.

<sup>4</sup> The majority of suicide deaths in children aged 1–14 years were among those aged 10–14 years.

NOTES: The leading causes of death in 2006 and 2016 are presented. See [Appendix II](#), Cause of death; Cause-of-death ranking; Table IV.

SOURCE: NCHS, National Vital Statistics System, Mortality. See [Appendix I](#), National Vital Statistics System (NVSS).