

Leading Causes of Death by Age Group, Illinois Residents, 2018

Rank	Cause of Death -- All Ages	Deaths
	All causes	110,012
1	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	25,747
2	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	23,877
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	6,013
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	5,853
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	5,639
6	Alzheimer disease	4,029
7	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	2,879
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	2,644
9	Influenza and pneumonia	2,562
10	Septicemia	1,790
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	1,488
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	1,421
13	Parkinson disease	1,415
14	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	1,234
15	Assault (homicide)	993
16	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	852
17	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	679
18	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	512
19	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	418
20	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	394
21	Nutritional deficiencies	300
22	Anemias	265
23	Enterocolitis due to Clostridium difficile	254
24	Atherosclerosis	188
25	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	156

Rank	Cause of Death -- Ages 1-17	Deaths
	All causes	539
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	118
2	Assault (homicide)	77
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	57
4	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	52
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	36

Rank	Cause of Death -- Ages 18-24	Deaths
	All causes	985
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	365
2	Assault (homicide)	248
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	144
4	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	39
5	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	25

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Rank	Cause of Death -- Ages 25-44	Deaths
	All causes	5,131
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	1,746
2	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	545
3	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	534
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	520
5	Assault (homicide)	471
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	123
7	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	97
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	94
9	Septicemia	52
10	Influenza and pneumonia	48
11	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	46
12	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	38
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	37
14	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	33
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	17

Rank	Cause of Death -- Ages 45-64	Deaths
	All causes	20,612
1	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	5,978
2	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	4,552
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	1,872
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	812
5	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	712
6	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	711
7	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	710
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	539
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	383
10	Septicemia	354
11	Influenza and pneumonia	324
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	196
13	Assault (homicide)	148
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	87
15	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	85
16	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	80
17	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	80
18	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	79
19	Alzheimer disease	67
20	Viral hepatitis	61

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Rank	Cause of Death -- Ages 65-84	Deaths
	All causes	45,920
1	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	12,920
2	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	10,536
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	3,093
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	2,354
5	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	1,422
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	1,275
7	Alzheimer disease	1,211
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	1,087
9	Influenza and pneumonia	979
10	Septicemia	833
11	Parkinson disease	764
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	514
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	509
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	343
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	313
16	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	200
17	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	193
18	Enterocolitis due to Clostridium difficile	115
19	Anemias	100
20	Nutritional deficiencies	92

Rank	Cause of Death -- Ages 85 and over	Deaths
	All causes	35,882
1	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	10,058
2	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	4,352
3	Alzheimer disease	2,751
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	2,675
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	1,683
6	Influenza and pneumonia	1,185
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	928
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	762
9	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	635
10	Parkinson disease	616
11	Septicemia	531
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	510
13	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	431
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	235
15	Nutritional deficiencies	179
16	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	115
17	Atherosclerosis	113
18	Anemias	112
19	Enterocolitis due to Clostridium difficile	109
20	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	78