

**VITAL STATISTICS**

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Rhode Island Monthly Vital Statistics Report

Provisional Occurrence Data from the Division of Vital Records

VITAL EVENTS	REPORTING PERIOD		
	MARCH 2025	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH MARCH 2025	
	Number	Number	Rates
Live Births	877	10,860	10.3*
Deaths	953	10,807	10.2*
Infant Deaths	2	44	4.1#
Neonatal Deaths	2	31	2.9#
Marriages	378	6,985	6.6*
Divorces	270	2,580	2.4*

* Rates per 1,000 estimated population

Rates per 1,000 live births

Underlying Cause of Death Category	REPORTING PERIOD			
	SEPTEMBER 2024	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH SEPTEMBER 2024		
	Number (a)	Number (a)	Rates (b)	YPLL (c)
Diseases of the Heart	175	2,426	221.1	3,102.5
Malignant Neoplasms	176	2,206	201.0	4,419.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	31	436	39.7	504.5
Injuries (Accident/Suicide/Homicide)	83	952	86.8	10,755.5
COPD	42	476	43.4	469.5

(a) Cause of death statistics were derived from the underlying cause of death reported by physicians on death certificates.

(b) Rates per 100,000 estimated population of 1,097,379 for 2020 (www.census.gov)

(c) Years of Potential Life Lost (YPLL).

NOTE: Totals represent vital events, which occurred in Rhode Island for the reporting periods listed above.

Monthly provisional totals should be analyzed with caution because the numbers may be small and subject to seasonal variation.