

# Quick Reference: Volume 2

## Summary of Oregon Vital Events, 2004

<b>Population</b>	3,582,600	The population increased 41,100, or 1.2 percent over 2003.
<b>Death</b>	<b>Residents</b>	
Number	30,201	The number of deaths decreased by 612.
Rate	8.4	The rate decreased by 3.4 percent.
<b>Infant Deaths</b>	<b>Residents</b>	
Number	252	The number of infant deaths decreased by four.
Rate	5.5	The rate decreased by 1.8 percent.
<b>Neonatal Deaths</b>	<b>Residents</b>	
Number	178	The number of neonatal deaths increased by five.
Rate	3.9	The rate increased 2.6 percent.
<b>Maternal Deaths</b>	<b>Residents</b>	
Number	6	Oregon's average maternal death rate for 2000-2004 (7.5) was 36.4 percent lower than the U.S. rate for 2000-2004 (11.8).
Ratio	13.1	
Crude death rates are per 1,000 population; infant and neonatal death rates per 1,000 live resident births; maternal death ratio per 100,000 live resident births.		