



# Rhode Island Monthly Vital Statistics Report

## Provisional Occurrence Data from the Division of Vital Records

VITAL EVENTS	REPORTING PERIOD		
	FEBRUARY 2023	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH FEBRUARY 2023	
	Number	Number	Rates
Live Births	730	11,061	10.4*
Deaths	863	10,781	10.2*
Infant Deaths	5	45	4.1#
Neonatal Deaths	4	34	3.1#
Marriages	248	6,962	6.6*
Divorces	194	2,702	2.6*

\* Rates per 1,000 estimated population

# Rates per 1,000 live births

Underlying Cause of Death Category	REPORTING PERIOD			
	AUGUST 2022	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH AUGUST 2022		
	Number (a)	Number (a)	Rates (b)	YPLL (c)
Diseases of the Heart	182	2,416	220.2	3,452.0
Malignant Neoplasms	184	2,186	199.2	4,264.5
Cerebrovascular Disease	33	491	44.7	659.5
Injuries (Accident/Suicide/Homicide)	76	1,085	98.89	15,188.0
COPD	36	461	42.0	395.0

(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](http://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.