



Rhode Island Monthly Vital Statistics Report

Provisional Occurrence Data from the Division of Vital Records

VITAL EVENTS	REPORTING PERIOD		
	FEBRUARY 2026	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH FEBRUARY 2026	
	Number	Number	Rates
Live Births	727	10,655	10.1*
Deaths	812	10,552	10.0*
Infant Deaths	1	37	3.5#
Neonatal Deaths	0	24	2.3#
Marriages	250	6,546	6.2*
Divorces	172	2,456	2.3*

* Rates per 1,000 estimated population

Rates per 1,000 live births

Underlying Cause of Death Category	REPORTING PERIOD			
	AUGUST 2025	12 MONTHS ENDING WITH AUGUST 2025		
	Number (a)	Number (a)	Rates (b)	YPLL (c)
Diseases of the Heart	199	2,315	211.0	2,450.0
Malignant Neoplasms	180	2,163	197.1	4,325.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	43	436	42.2	517.5
Injuries (Accident/Suicide/Homicide)	58	789	71.9	9,046.5
COPD	45	484	44.1	509.5

(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.