

1942

SUMMARY OF VITAL STATISTICS

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, CITY OF NEW YORK

BUREAU OF VITAL RECORDS AND STATISTICS—STATISTICAL DIVISION

Population, Births, Marriages, Deaths and Infant Mortality, 1898-1942

YEAR	Estimated Population July 1st Each Year	BIRTHS*		MARRIAGES		DEATHS		FETAL DEATHS		INFANT MORTALITY	
		Total Re-ported	Rate Live 1,000	Total Re-ported	Rate per 1,000	Total Re-ported	Rate per 1,000	Total Re-ported	Ratio to 1,000 Live Births	Deaths Under One Year	Rate per 1,000 Live Births
1898	3,272,000	119,000	36.4	28,885	8.8	66,294	20.3	5,638	47.4	16,770	140.9
1899	3,357,000	116,000	34.6	30,474	9.1	65,343	19.5	5,463	47.1	15,381	132.6
1900	3,446,000	123,000	35.7	32,247	9.4	70,872	20.6	5,815	47.3	16,640	135.3
1901	3,554,000	122,000	34.3	33,447	9.4	70,720	19.9	5,750	47.1	15,467	126.8
1902	3,666,000	127,000	34.6	36,207	9.9	68,085	18.6	6,011	47.3	15,526	122.3
1903	3,781,000	129,000	34.1	38,174	10.1	67,864	17.9	6,078	47.1	14,413	111.7
1904	3,901,000	133,000	34.1	39,436	10.1	78,060	20.0	6,288	47.3	16,125	121.2
1905	4,026,000	135,000	33.5	42,675	10.6	73,714	18.3	6,352	47.1	16,522	122.4
1906	4,167,000	141,000	33.8	48,855	11.6	76,203	18.3	6,646	47.1	17,188	121.9
1907	4,314,000	149,000	34.5	51,097	11.8	79,205	18.4	7,351	49.3	17,437	117.0
1908	4,469,000	146,000	32.7	37,449	8.4	73,072	16.3	7,191	49.3	16,231	111.2
1909	4,632,000	142,000	30.7	41,513	9.0	74,105	16.0	6,697	47.2	15,976	112.5
1910	4,785,000	143,000	29.9	46,417	9.7	76,742	16.0	6,751	47.2	16,215	113.4
1911	4,873,000	141,000	28.9	48,765	10.0	75,423	15.5	6,673	47.3	15,053	106.8
1912	4,961,000	140,000	28.2	51,703	10.4	73,008	14.7	6,619	47.3	14,289	102.1
1913	5,049,000	140,000	27.7	51,268	10.2	73,902	14.6	6,629	47.4	13,780	95.4
1914	5,137,000	140,647	27.4	53,051	10.3	74,803	14.6	6,617	47.0	13,312	94.6
1915	5,225,000	141,256	27.0	50,997	9.8	76,193	14.6	6,413	45.4	13,866	98.2
1916	5,312,000	137,664	25.9	54,782	10.3	77,801	14.6	6,253	45.4	12,818	93.1
1917	5,400,000	141,564	26.2	59,210	11.0	78,575	14.6	6,117	43.2	12,568	88.8
1918	5,488,000	138,046	25.2	56,733	10.3	98,119	17.9	6,793	49.2	12,667	91.7
1919	5,576,000	130,377	23.4	60,256	10.8	74,433	13.3	5,984	45.9	10,639	81.6
1920	5,684,000	132,856	23.4	64,422	11.3	73,249	12.9	6,284	46.9	11,340	85.4
1921	5,812,000	134,241	23.1	60,846	10.5	64,257	11.1	6,297	46.9	9,548	71.1
1922	5,939,000	129,684	21.8	58,192	9.8	69,690	11.7	6,125	47.2	9,666	74.5
1923	6,067,000	129,160	21.3	66,430	10.9	69,452	11.4	6,023	46.6	8,578	66.4
1924	6,195,000	130,436	21.1	62,254	10.0	71,252	11.5	6,448	49.4	8,820	67.6
1925	6,323,000	128,790	20.4	64,826	10.3	71,864	11.4	6,134	47.6	8,315	64.6
1926	6,451,000	125,515	19.5	68,417	10.6	76,082	11.8	6,054	48.2	8,509	67.8
1927	6,579,000	128,889	19.6	66,431	10.1	70,430	10.7	5,895	45.7	7,210	55.9
1928	6,707,000	126,332	18.8	62,424	9.3	78,091	11.6	6,121	48.5	8,280	65.5
1929	6,835,000	124,404	18.2	65,780	9.6	77,482	11.3	5,726	46.0	7,281	58.5
1930	6,944,000	122,811	17.7	63,337	9.1	74,888	10.8	5,700	46.4	7,030	57.2
1931	6,995,000	115,621	16.5	61,574	8.8	77,418	11.1	5,579	48.3	6,427	55.6
1932	7,047,000	109,878	15.6	58,957	8.4	74,319	10.5	5,396	49.1	5,694	50.9
1933	7,101,000	103,500	14.6	60,116	8.5	75,153	10.6	5,347	51.7	5,508	53.2
1934	7,153,000	101,239	14.2	67,347	9.4	75,857	10.6	5,070	50.1	5,287	52.2
1935	7,206,000	100,657	14.0	68,372	9.5	75,037	10.4	4,902	48.7	4,790	47.6
1936	7,258,000	98,507	13.6	72,234	10.0	77,638	10.7	4,992	50.7	4,490	45.6
1937	7,311,000	101,988	13.9	69,417	9.5	77,465	10.6	4,847	47.5	4,457	43.7
1938	7,363,000	102,045	13.9	63,493	8.6	73,775	10.0	4,995	48.9	3,910	38.3
1939	7,415,000	102,261	13.8	62,288	8.4	75,439	10.2	6,831	66.8	3,793	37.1
1940	7,468,000	107,287	14.4	78,487	10.5	76,008	10.2	7,986	74.4	3,743	34.9
1941	7,521,000	114,367	15.2	83,012	11.0	74,553	9.9	8,974	78.5	3,519	30.8
1942	7,573,000	131,989	17.4	81,454	10.8	75,674	10.0	10,013	75.9	3,805	28.8

* 1898-1913 birth figures are estimated, as the number actually reported was undoubtedly incomplete.

Births, Deaths, Maternal Deaths and Fetal Deaths as Reported*—1942

Borough	Estimated Population 1942	BIRTHS		DEATHS		MATERNAL DEATHS		FETAL DEATHS	
		Re-ported	per 1,000	Re-ported	Per 1,000	Re-ported	Per 10,000 Births†	Re-ported	Per 1,000 Live Births
Manhattan	1,895,000	40,560	21.4	26,294	13.9	112	25	3,552	87.6
The Bronx	1,424,000	18,963	13.3	12,375	8.7	44	21	1,718	90.6
Brooklyn	2,729,000	52,914	19.4	24,872	9.1	114	20	3,333	63.0
Queens	1,347,000	16,278	12.1	9,486	7.0	30	17	1,263	77.6
Richmond	178,000	3,274	18.4	2,647	14.9	6	18	147	44.9
City of New York	7,573,000	131,989	17.4	75,674	10.0	306	22	10,013	75.9

* Tabulation of births, deaths and still births, by borough of residence, on next page.

† Live births and fetal deaths.

Births, Fetal Deaths, and Deaths, by Borough of Residence—1942

	N. Y. City	Manh'tan	Bronx	B'klyn	Queens	Rich'd
Live Births.....	131,989	26,616	25,065	50,705	26,286	3,317
Rate per 1,000 Population.....	17.4	14.0	17.6	18.6	19.5	18.6
Fetal Deaths†.....	10,013	2,695	2,038	3,346	1,784	150
Rate per 1,000 Total Births.....	70.5	91.9	75.2	61.9	63.6	43.3
Deaths Under One Year.....	3,805	954	671	1,334	751	95
Rate per 1,000 Live Births.....	28.8	35.8	26.8	26.3	28.6	28.6
Deaths Under One Month.....	2,772	662	514	958	576	62
Rate per 1,000 Live Births.....	21.0	24.9	20.5	18.9	21.9	18.7
Deaths of Non-Residents.....	2,589	1,424	525	278	262	100
Total Deaths.....	75,674	23,235	12,592	25,678	12,232	1,937
Death Rate per 1,000 Population.....	10.0	12.3	8.8	9.4	9.1	10.9
1. Typhoid and Paratyphoid Fevers.....	5	2	.....	2	1	.....
3. Scarlet Fever.....	8	2	.....	2	2	2
4. Whooping Cough.....	58	21	8	24	4	1
5. Diphtheria.....	7	1	.....	4	.....	2
6. Pulmonary Tuberculosis.....	3,228	1,419	455	900	382	72
7. Other Tuberculosis.....	274	131	33	68	38	4
8. Malaria.....	5	2	.....	3	.....	.....
9. Syphilis.....	873	421	80	248	102	22
10. Influenza.....	68	18	8	31	9	2
12. Measles.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
13. Typhus Fever.....	2	1	.....	1	.....	.....
14. Other Infectious Diseases.....	420	152	72	136	52	8
(a) Meningococcus Meningitis.....	84	35	4	33	8	4
(b) Acute Poliomyelitis.....	8	4	3	1	.....	.....
(c) Epidemic Encephalitis.....	58	15	12	23	7	1
15. Cancer.....	12,993	3,820	2,595	4,172	2,119	287
16. Non-malignant Tumors.....	359	105	68	122	56	8
17. Chronic Rheumatism, Gout.....	55	16	12	18	6	3
18. Diabetes.....	3,088	758	560	1,251	458	61
19. Alcoholism.....	301	168	11	78	35	9
20. Avitaminoses, Other General Diseases and Chronic Poisonings.....	991	302	172	328	159	30
21. Simple Meningitis and Spinal Cord Diseases.....	246	86	46	80	33	1
22. Intracranial Lesions of Vascular Origin.....	3,531	1,029	538	1,189	654	121
23. Other Diseases of the Nervous System and Sense Organs.....	403	134	58	147	52	12
24. Diseases of the Heart.....	27,705	7,916	4,590	9,965	4,552	682
25. Other Diseases of the Circulatory System.....	1,386	424	177	502	225	58
(a) Arterio-sclerosis.....	982	287	120	405	124	46
26. Bronchitis.....	140	44	23	49	21	3
27. The Pneumonias.....	2,957	896	447	1,065	442	107
(a) Bronchopneumonia.....	1,400	365	205	541	239	50
(b) Lobar Pneumonia.....	1,532	520	235	519	202	56
28. Other Respiratory Diseases (Except Tuberculosis).....	317	121	51	70	62	13
29. Diarrhea and Enteritis.....	258	79	42	88	41	8
(a) Diarrhea and Enteritis Under 2 Years.....	166	55	26	56	23	6
30. Appendicitis.....	439	125	81	140	84	9
31. Diseases of the Liver and Biliary Passages.....	1,594	539	209	534	272	40
32. Other Digestive Diseases.....	1,468	460	228	476	256	48
33. Nephritis, All Forms.....	3,042	890	498	1,025	544	85
34. Other Diseases of the Urinary and Genital Systems.....	902	273	186	287	138	18
35. Puerperal Infection*.....	128	46	19	47	14	2
36. Other Puerperal Causes.....	178	41	35	63	35	4
37. Diseases of the Skin and Bones.....	124	39	28	40	12	5
38. Diseases of Early Infancy.....	3,009	713	559	1,058	613	66
39. Old Age.....	29	6	6	6	3	8
40. Suicide.....	1,013	387	158	255	202	11
41. Homicide.....	267	149	40	59	17	2
42. Motor Vehicle Accidents.....	825	303	135	229	131	27
(a) Automobile Accidents.....	823	302	135	228	131	27
43. Other Accidents.....	2,953	1,190	364	907	398	94
(a) Sunstroke.....	3	1	.....	1	1	.....
44. Causes Not Known or Ill-defined.....	24	6	.....	9	7	2

Numbers at left are those of the Abridged International List, 1938 revision.

* Includes causes 140 and 147 of Detailed International List.

† Stillbirths and reported abortions.

Population in 1940 and Deaths in 1942, City of New York

Age (In years)	Population, Federal Census, April 1, 1940					Deaths in 1942 By Age and Color					
	All Races by Sex				By Color			Total	White	Negro	Other Races
	Percent of				White	Negro	Other Races				
	Persons	Total	Males	Females							
All ages.....	7,454,995	100.0	3,676,293	3,778,702	6,977,501	458,444	19,050	75,674	69,986	5,446	242
Under 5.....	433,894	5.8	221,415	212,479	408,239	29,691	964	4,387	3,841	539	7
5-9.....	470,556	6.3	238,798	231,758	436,484	33,134	938	350	297	53	....
10-14.....	561,108	7.5	283,453	277,655	524,420	35,848	840	326	267	58	1
15-19.....	606,942	8.1	300,717	306,225	571,412	34,678	852	625	512	109	4
20-24.....	649,153	8.7	304,862	344,291	607,184	41,099	870	939	692	241	6
25-29.....	697,153	9.4	322,558	374,595	644,590	50,978	1,585	1,210	929	276	5
30-34.....	691,027	9.3	331,782	359,245	638,687	51,180	2,160	1,698	1,321	370	7
35-39.....	669,421	9.0	330,950	338,471	614,219	52,186	3,016	2,419	1,969	430	20
40-44.....	628,714	8.4	317,471	311,243	584,118	41,789	2,807	3,370	2,847	499	24
45-49.....	550,743	7.4	282,769	267,974	518,427	30,381	1,935	5,046	4,478	539	29
50-54.....	467,020	6.3	243,321	223,699	444,170	21,468	1,382	6,682	6,087	563	32
55-59.....	346,871	4.7	178,162	168,709	331,865	14,251	755	7,596	7,109	453	34
60-64.....	267,974	3.6	132,668	135,306	258,161	9,285	528	8,844	8,390	423	31
65-69.....	190,439	2.6	89,275	101,164	183,669	6,521	249	9,550	9,184	346	20
70-74.....	120,675	1.6	54,474	66,201	117,370	3,197	108	8,699	8,454	234	11
75-79.....	63,479	0.9	27,623	35,856	61,805	1,674	*	6,805	6,646	153	6
80-84.....	28,458	0.4	11,763	16,695	27,769	639	*	4,922	4,334	84	4
85-89.....	8,753	0.1	3,330	5,423	8,438	315	*	1,923	1,875	47	1
90-94.....	2,093	†	716	1,377	1,997	96	*	620	600	20	....
95-99.....	445	†	159	286	408	37	*	136	132	4	....
100 & over.....	77	†	27	50	69	8	*	27	22	5	....

* Included with Negro figures at ages 75 and over, are 61 of Other Races.
 † Less than 0.05 percent.

Cases of Reportable Infectious Diseases—City of New York

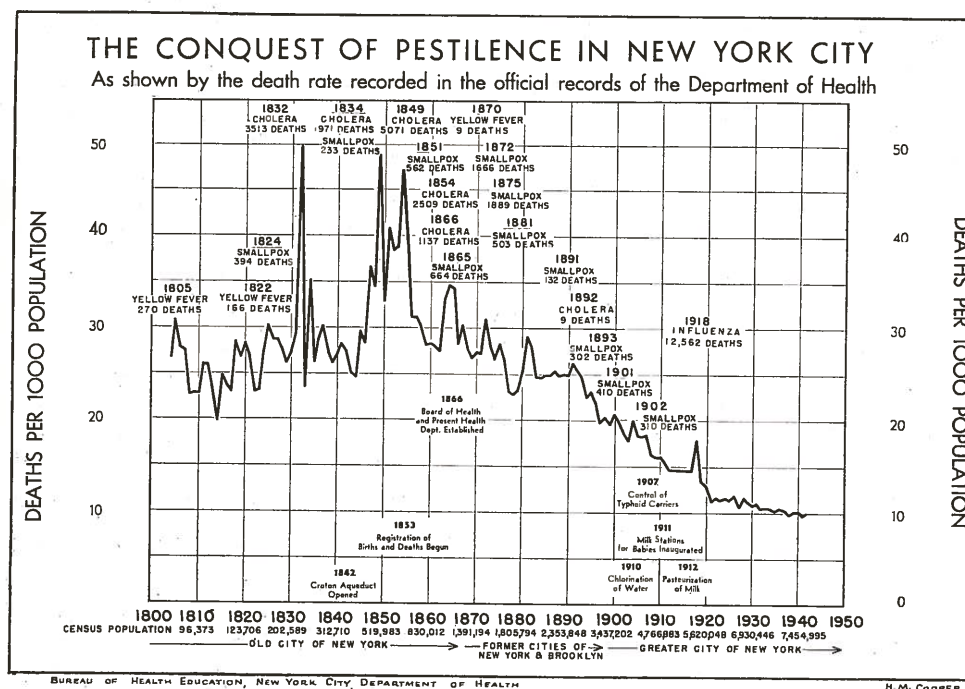
Year	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Diphtheria	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Chickenpox	Typhoid Fever	Whooping Cough	Epidemic Meningitis	Poliomyelitis	Syphilis	Gonorrhea	Influenza	Pneumonia	Epidemic Encephalitis
1900	11,997	12,913	19,298	6,683	1,226	2,658	174	7						
1901	13,703	12,329	11,990	16,692	2,437	2,748	113	13						
1902	12,914	15,319	20,251	11,894	3,269	3,871	313	10						
1903	15,214	13,817	13,689	10,887	4,181	3,671	1,066	20						
1904	13,723	18,158	32,361	13,495	4,263	3,412	1,016	482						
1905	20,831	13,686	19,026	8,071	5,473	4,326	2,637	2,755						
1906	20,085	14,757	38,653	7,881	4,667	3,467	2,177	1,032						
1907	19,725	15,276	16,637	15,788	4,308	4,426	1,920	823						
1908	23,325	16,431	33,276	24,426	5,928	3,058	1,182	380						
1909	25,667	15,097	31,950	12,475	6,765	3,499	2,752	346						
1910	32,065	16,940	35,374	13,924	5,534	3,532	2,018	242						
1911	24,513	13,485	25,540	15,794	6,758	3,450	3,210	266	358					
1912	22,752	13,533	39,018	12,716	7,649	3,076	2,132	250	504					
1913	22,674	14,845	29,350	10,739	6,897	2,643	3,529	232	310	10,623	7,440			
1914	21,604	17,129	25,793	11,105	9,632	2,260	3,798	318	129	21,128	9,526			
1915	22,141	15,279	38,186	9,879	8,721	2,455	6,771	174	95	17,335	9,709			
1916	19,297	13,521	21,603	5,814	9,617	1,617	7,460	263	9,023	20,128	6,341			
1917	17,494	12,624	27,519	6,260	8,548	1,442	5,597	322	139	19,333	8,312			
1918	14,439	11,454	23,675	4,460	4,196	1,238	5,558	477	134	17,320	6,538			
1919	14,570	14,014	8,194	4,594	5,326	854	1,658	317	42	19,241	5,677	25,218	10,325	118
1920	14,035	14,166	35,083	6,537	5,534	969	7,530	244	154	19,440	4,535	69,324	25,983	573
1921	12,966	15,110	7,738	13,516	8,041	899	5,808	279	588	14,096	5,287	2,486	14,148	528
1922	13,329	10,427	40,569	10,260	5,738	790	4,799	218	224	13,199	5,599	21,042	19,121	611
1923	11,336	8,050	13,999	8,237	8,671	890	4,484	133	577	16,379	6,817	16,061	15,952	923
1924	11,924	9,687	33,561	8,399	8,260	1,687	8,244	156	344	16,402	6,137	1,753	18,594	465
1928	11,614	10,776	35,008	10,586	7,082	688	4,826	120	307	15,630	5,466	1,745	15,651	327
1929	11,938	8,548	2,537	7,952	9,264	607	3,487	170	111	17,700	4,728	5,911	22,661	297
1927	10,873	13,507	2,101	18,339	9,444	762	6,052	177	537	24,324	7,006	2,048	18,273	232
1928	11,614	10,776	35,008	10,586	7,082	688	5,876	1,102	572	25,034	7,431	2,878	21,079	193
1929	11,938	8,548	2,537	7,952	9,264	607	2,944	1,000	71	28,772	8,840	11,121	21,132	173
1930	11,821	3,794	23,635	7,592	7,901	552	4,538	503	78	32,219	9,737	1,010	17,081	100
1931	11,794	3,999	26,519	11,900	9,113	637	8,643	392	4,138	34,894	9,745	4,498	21,116	97
1932	10,589	3,581	10,354	21,093	8,862	598	7,126	207	143	42,315	11,640	3,418	17,835	57
1933	9,991	1,891	36,216	8,262	11,966	588	6,009	114	831	42,242	11,164	2,617	16,972	86
1934	9,990	1,593	5,015	8,820	12,177	378	3,764	102	73	46,276	10,953	899	14,489	51
1935	8,796	1,189	28,490	14,602	10,866	349	8,703	529	2,054	47,659	11,069	622	13,185	69
1936	8,987	1,124	36,548	11,417	8,324	334	4,461	538	34	68,969	14,445	1,396	15,786	37
1937	9,123	1,184	12,091	10,058	12,723	299	4,653	223	243	88,101	17,872	4,181	16,393	55
1938	8,748	700	34,604	8,419	11,112	312	12,232	112	43	37,077*	12,935	447	12,969	38
1939	8,277	543	3,653	6,121	9,103	198	5,821	71	184	32,874	12,810	1,546	16,875	62
1940	8,212	386	10,496	13,569	13,046	171	5,775	43	67	30,718	14,639	791	13,808	28
1941	8,459	362	79,646	7,206	9,773	183	7,811	118	404	27,194	12,297	2,677	10,707	49
1942	9,145	392	2,261	7,009	10,978	119	9,240	411	88	30,036	12,022	441	10,130	52

* Figures prior to 1938 were based on positive laboratory findings and included much duplication. Beginning with 1938 duplicates have, as far as possible, been omitted.

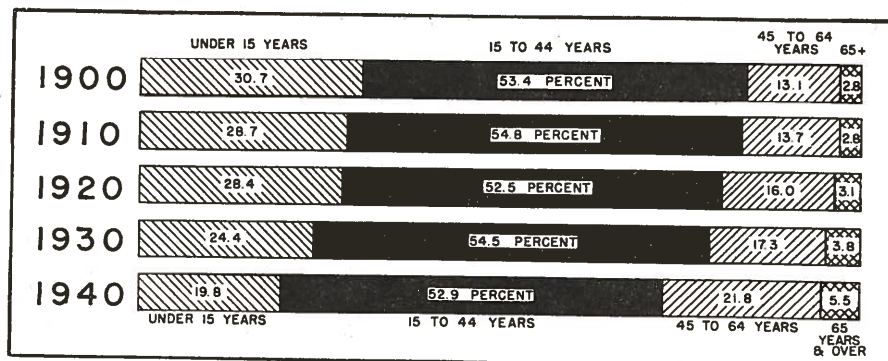
AGE SPECIFIC DEATH RATES, PER 1,000, NEW YORK CITY; 1900-1940, INCLUSIVE

Age	1901-'02-'03		1909-'10-'11		1919-'20*		1929-'30-'31		1939-'40	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
0-4	60.3	52.6	50.2	43.2	32.4	26.5	19.4	15.4	11.6	9.1
5-9	5.8	5.2	4.2	3.9	3.8	3.1	2.5	2.0	1.0	0.8
10-14	2.8	2.8	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.2	1.7	1.3	1.0	0.7
15-19	4.8	4.1	3.9	3.1	4.0	3.7	2.6	2.2	1.3	1.2
20-24	7.3	6.0	5.3	4.6	5.8	5.4	3.4	3.2	1.8	1.7
25-29	9.5	8.2	6.9	5.9	6.5	6.9	3.8	3.4	2.3	2.1
30-34	12.6	9.8	9.6	7.6	7.7	7.0	5.1	4.1	3.2	2.5
35-39	15.1	11.6	13.0	9.3	9.2	7.3	7.0	5.0	4.6	3.3
40-44	19.0	13.2	16.5	11.2	10.9	9.0	10.1	6.9	7.0	4.7
45-49	22.0	15.0	20.8	14.3	15.2	12.1	14.8	10.5	11.4	7.3
50-54	29.2	22.8	26.5	19.1	20.6	16.3	22.0	15.0	17.1	11.6
55-59	38.8	31.4	37.0	28.8	30.1	24.8	32.0	23.4	26.0	17.7
60-64	51.4	43.8	51.4	44.1	40.8	33.8	44.7	35.3	38.0	26.6
65-69	69.9	60.5	68.5	58.9	60.1	55.0	62.0	50.2	54.7	40.7
70-74	95.8	85.2	89.6	81.2	85.1	79.5	84.3	73.3	79.3	62.4
75-79	141.0	119.3	127.3	114.4	116.2	107.6	120.7	109.2	111.9	92.9
80-84	175.9	157.9	167.4	159.6	162.6	143.6	170.9	151.2	147.8	138.1
85 & Over	252.3	223.0	257.4	232.3	224.8	210.2	242.8	227.5	223.4	219.9

* As Census date is the midpoint of the period presented, only two years are used for 1919-'20 calculation, the Census having been made on Jan. 1, 1920.

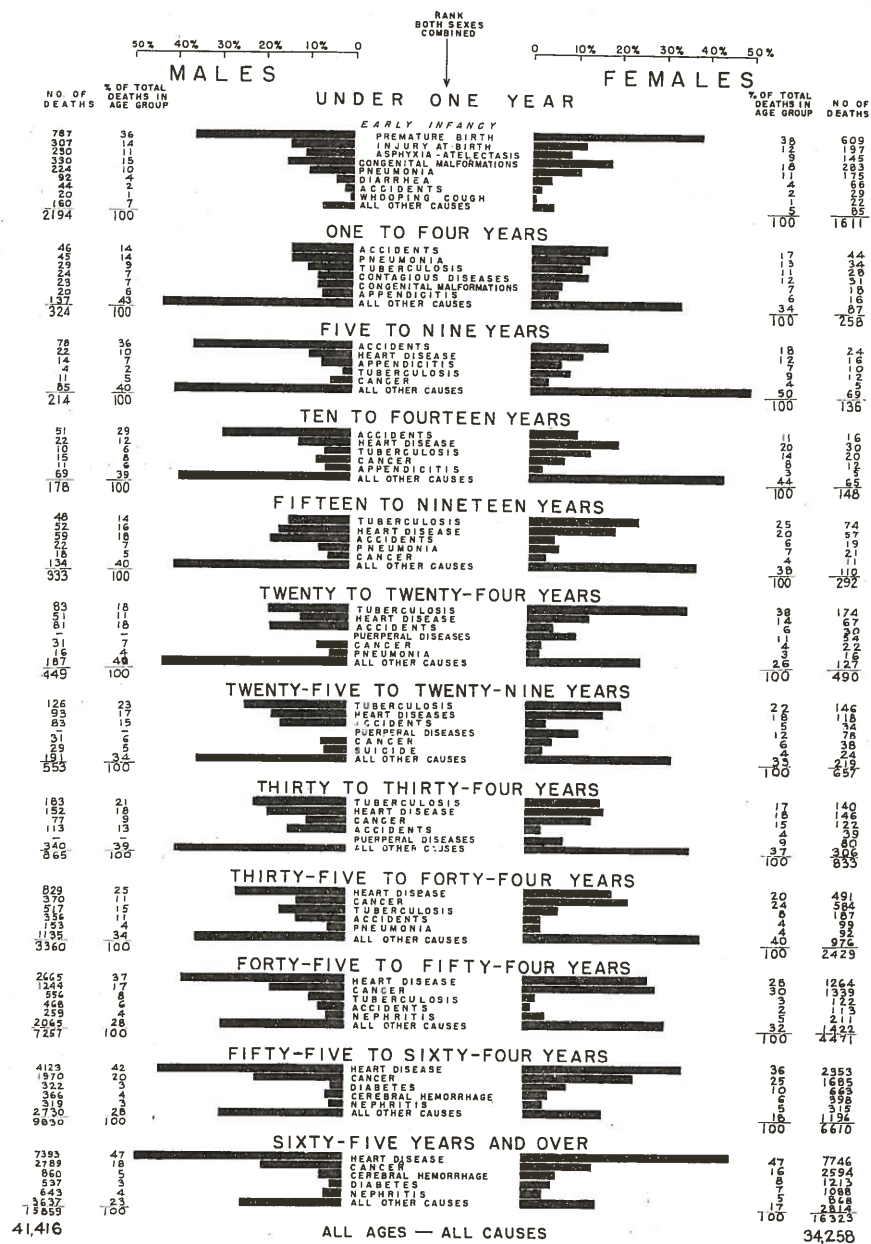


NEW YORK CITY'S AGING POPULATION



CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH IN CERTAIN AGE GROUPS

BAR INDICATE THE PER CENT EACH CAUSE OF DEATH IS OF TOTAL DEATHS IN EACH SEX AND AGE GROUP (BASED ON 75,674 DEATHS REPORTED IN NEW YORK CITY DURING 1942.)



Population, Dea

YEAR	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919
Population.....	5,049,000	5,137,000	5,225,000	5,312,000	5,400,000	5,488,000	5,576,000
Total Deaths.....	73,902	74,803	76,193	77,801	78,575	98,119	74,433
Death Rate.....	1,464	1,456	1,458	1,464	1,455	1,788	1,335
Total deaths under 5 years.....	20,711	19,530	20,291	19,967	18,256	21,019	15,744
Rate on estim. pop. under 5 years	3,952	3,671	3,758	3,664	3,289	3,767	2,811
Deaths under 1 year of age	13,780	13,312	13,866	12,818	12,568	12,657	10,639
Per 1,000 births.....	98	95	98	93	89	92	82
Measles (35).....	628	560	630	490	560	790	218
Rate (See Note).....	119.8	105.3	116.7	89.9	100.9	141.6	38.9
Whooping Cough (9).....	420	279	397	349	489	665	161
Rate (See Note).....	80.2	49.8	73.5	64.0	88.1	119.2	28.8
Scarlet Fever (8).....	507	452	291	96	120	177	136
Rate (See Note).....	35.1	30.8	19.5	6.3	7.8	11.3	8.6
Diphtheria (10).....	1,333	1,491	1,278	1,031	1,158	1,245	1,239
Rate (See Note).....	92.2	101.6	85.7	68.1	75.3	79.8	78.2
Typhoid Fevers (1, 2).....	362	334	332	216	229	196	121
Rate.....	7.2	6.5	6.4	4.1	4.2	3.6	2.2
Epidemic Meningitis (6).....	202	207	119	176	187	262	171
Rate.....	4.0	4.0	2.3	3.3	3.5	4.8	3.1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis (13).....	8,601	8,918	8,825	8,411	8,825	8,779	7,395
Rate.....	170.4	173.6	168.9	158.3	163.4	160.0	132.6
Other forms Tuberculosis (14-22).....	1,430	1,372	1,424	1,237	1,317	1,318	1,103
Rate.....	28.3	26.7	27.3	23.3	24.4	24.0	19.8
Influenza (33).....	350	336	526	853	657	12,562	4,834
Rate.....	6.9	6.5	10.1	16.1	12.2	228.9	86.7
Pneumonia (107, 108, 109).....	10,042	9,678	10,922	10,568	11,051	20,628	10,977
Rate.....	198.9	188.4	209.1	198.9	204.6	375.9	196.9
Other Respiratory (104-6; 110-14).....	1,350	1,246	1,424	1,440	1,420	1,543	1,187
Rate.....	26.7	24.3	27.3	27.1	26.3	28.1	21.3
Cancer (45-55).....	4,223	4,467	4,647	4,701	4,867	4,931	5,147
Rate.....	83.6	87.0	88.9	88.5	90.1	89.8	92.3
Diabetes (61).....	884	979	1,109	1,119	1,153	1,011	955
Rate.....	17.5	19.1	21.2	21.1	21.4	18.4	17.1
Appendicitis (121).....	618	710	723	697	668	584	690
Rate.....	12.2	13.8	13.8	13.1	12.4	10.6	12.4
Bright's Dis. & Nephritis (130-2).....	5,615	5,617	5,521	6,546	6,727	5,269	5,007
Rate.....	111.2	109.4	105.7	123.2	124.6	96.0	89.8
Circulatory Sys. Dis. (90-103).....	12,813	13,469	13,596	14,210	14,818	15,660	14,077
Rate.....	253.8	262.2	260.2	267.5	274.4	285.3	252.5
Apoplexy (83a).....	889	1,075	946	804	794	1,042	811
Rate.....	17.6	20.9	18.1	15.1	14.7	19.0	14.5
Total Degenerative Diseases*.....	19,317	20,161	20,063	21,560	22,339	21,971	19,895
Rate.....	382.6	392.5	384.0	405.8	413.7	400.3	356.8
Suicides (163, 164).....	845	935	958	836	778	724	703
Rate.....	16.7	18.2	18.3	15.7	14.4	13.2	12.6
Homicides (165-168).....	326	299	261	256	248	247	279
Rate.....	6.5	5.8	5.0	4.8	4.6	4.5	5.0
Automobile Accidents (170).....	293	310	346	407	**674	677	767
Rate.....	5.8	6.0	6.6	7.7	12.5	12.3	13.8
Other Accidents (169, 171-195).....	3,467	3,441	3,212	3,561	4,042	3,613	3,059
Rate.....	68.7	67.0	61.5	67.0	74.8	65.8	54.9
Puerperal diseases (140-150).....	668	679	710	653	651	664	644
Rate per 10,000 Total Births.....	46	46	48	45	44	46	47

** In 1917 Horse Drawn Vehicles Included. * Includes Bright's Disease and Nephritis, Diseases of C
 Note:—Rates for Measles and Whooping Cough per 100,000 under five years; rates for Scarlet Fever and

