Leading Causes of Death by Age Group, Illinois Residents, 2015

Rank	Cause of Death All Ages	Deaths
	All causes	106,879
1	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	25,653
2	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	24,713
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	5,709
4	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	5,544
5	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	4,853
6	Alzheimer's disease	3,687
7	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	2,818
8	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	2,543
9	Influenza and pneumonia	2,343
10	Septicemia	1,819
11	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	1,362
12	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	1,290
13	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	1,137
14	Parkinson's disease	1,079
15	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	960
16	Assault (homicide)	863
17	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	722
18	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	513
19	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	398
20	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	393
21	Enterocolitis due to Clostridium difficile	301
22	Atherosclerosis	268
23	Anemias	226
24	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	224
25	Nutritional deficiencies	174

Rank	Cause of Death Ages 1-17	Deaths
	All causes	529
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	112
2	Assault (homicide)	82
3	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	61
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	60
5	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	26

Rank	Cause of Death Ages 18-24	Deaths
	All causes	1,089
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	387
2	Assault (homicide)	276
3	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	151
4	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	50
5	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	37

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Rank	Cause of Death Ages 25-44	Deaths
	All causes	4,378
1	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	1,210
2	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	600
3	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	552
4	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	419
5	Assault (homicide)	364
6	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	106
7	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	101
8	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	75
9	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	49
10	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	43
11	Influenza and pneumonia	41
12	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	37
13	Septicemia	35
14	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	35
15	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	27

Rank	Cause of Death Ages 45-64	Deaths
	All causes	20,302
1	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	6,686
2	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	4,510
3	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	1,435
4	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	681
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	678
6	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	677
7	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	651
8	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	516
9	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	373
10	Septicemia	346
11	Influenza and pneumonia	287
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	186
13	Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) disease	144
14	Assault (homicide)	109
15	Viral hepatitis	107
16	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	95
17	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	91
18	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	91
19	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	78
20	Alzheimer's disease	43

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Rank	Cause of Death Ages 65-84	Deaths
	All causes	43,785
1	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	12,872
2	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	10,121
3	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	3,049
4	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	2,338
5	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	1,397
6	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	1,188
7	Alzheimer's disease	1,091
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	933
9	Influenza and pneumonia	856
10	Septicemia	807
11	Parkinson's disease	577
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	448
13	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	432
14	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	332
15	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	325
16	Intentional self-harm (suicide)	183
17	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	181
18	Enterocolitis due to Clostridium difficile	152
19	Anemias	82
20	Atherosclerosis	77

Rank	Cause of Death Ages 85 and over	Deaths
	All causes	35,844
1	Diseases of heart (heart disease)	10,398
2	Malignant neoplasms (cancer)	4,440
3	Cerebrovascular diseases (stroke)	2,628
4	Alzheimer's disease	2,552
5	Chronic lower respiratory diseases	1,755
6	Influenza and pneumonia	1,141
7	Nephritis, nephrotic syndrome and nephrosis (kidney disease)	927
8	Accidents (unintentional injuries)	713
9	Diabetes mellitus (diabetes)	634
10	Septicemia	608
11	Pneumonitis due to solids and liquids	531
12	Essential hypertension and hypertensive renal disease (hypertension)	483
13	Parkinson's disease	476
14	In situ neoplasms, benign neoplasms and neoplasms of uncertain or unknown behavior	269
15	Atherosclerosis	174
16	Enterocolitis due to Clostridium difficile	118
17	Aortic aneurysm and dissection	109
18	Anemias	97
19	Nutritional deficiencies	86
20	Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	71