

Table 2.10a. LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY RANK: 2002

Rank	Description	Number	Percent of Total
	Total	289	100
1	Heart diseases	62	21.5
2	Neoplasm	37	12.8
3	Diabetes	29	10.0
4	Cerebrovascular	17	5.9
	Accidents	16	5.5
6	Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases	14	4.8
	Pneumonia & influenza	11	3.8
7	Nephritis & neprosis	10	3.5
8	Homicide	10	3.5
9	Hypertension	9	3.1
10	Septicemia	9	3.1
11	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	8	2.8
12	Suicide	4	1.4
14	Liver diseases & cirrhosis	4	1.4
15	Congenital anomalies	3	1.0
	All other diseases	46	15.9

SOURCE: Health Information System Office, ASG Department of Health

Table 2.10b. LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH BY RANK: 2001

Rank	Description	Number	Percent of Total
	Total	244	100
1	Heart diseases	55	22.5
2	Neoplasm	37	15.2
3	Diabetes	20	8.2
4	Accidents	15	6.1
5	Cerebrovascular	19	7.8
6	Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases	8	3.3
7	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	10	4.1
8	Septicemia	4	1.6
9	Suicide	4	1.6
10	Nephritis & neprosis	9	3.7
11	Pneumonia & influenza	4	1.6
12	Congenital anomalies	1	0.4
13	Liver diseases & cirrhosis	4	1.6
14	Hypertension	3	1.2
15	Homicide	-	0.0
	All other diseases	51	20.9

SOURCE: Health Information System Office, ASG Department of Health