Coronavirus – mortality statistics

An overview of demographic data of deaths caused by the recent outbreak of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19)

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Roadmap



US mortality data

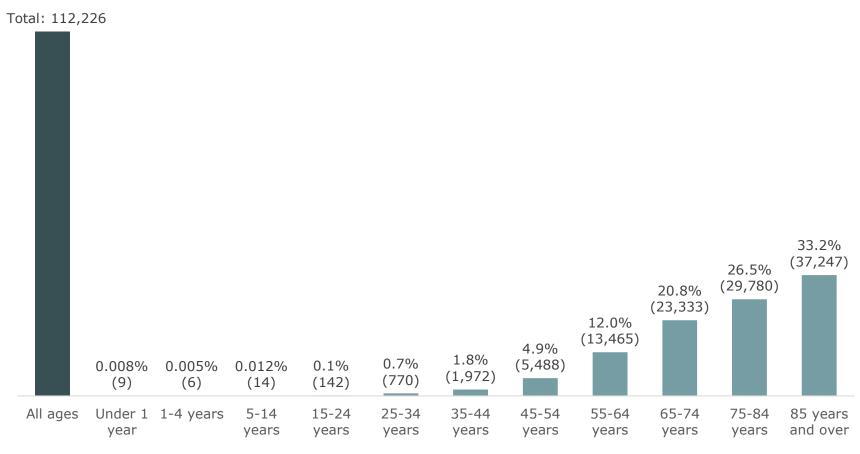


International mortality data

Americans 65 and over account for over 80% of COVID-19 deaths

Share of provisional death counts involving Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), by age

CDC, AS OF JULY 1, 2020

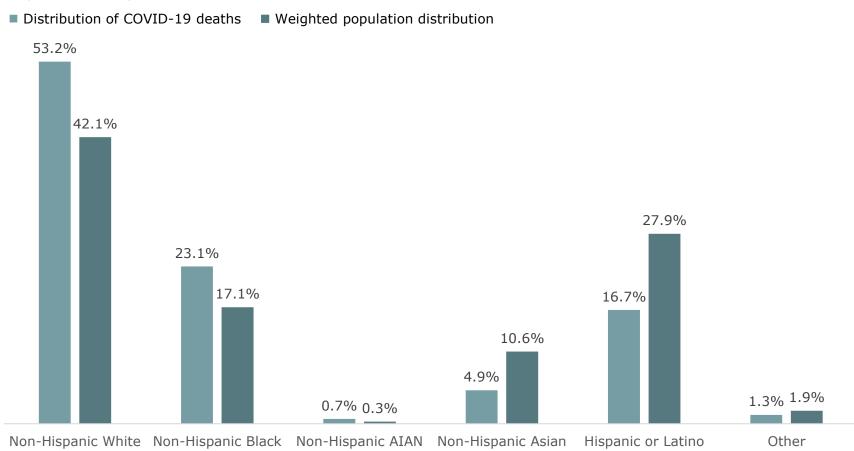


Sources: Centers for Disease Control.

The Non-Hispanic Black population accounts for over 20% of COVID-19 associated deaths

COVID-19 deaths by race and Hispanic origin

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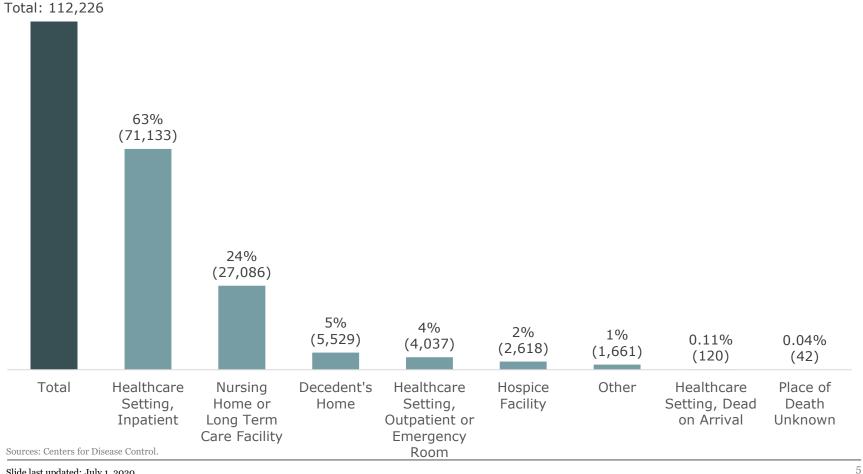


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About one quarter of COVID-19 deaths have occurred in a hospice or nursing home facility

Share of provisional death counts for Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), by place of death

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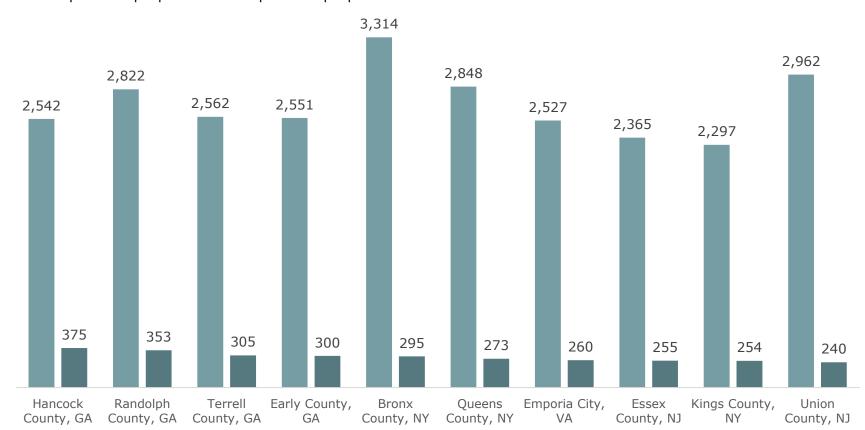


Four Georgia counties fall in the top ten counties with the highest rate of deaths

Counties with highest death rates

WASHINGTON POST, AS OF JULY 1, PER 100,000 PEOPLE





Sources: Washington Post.

Ages 10-19

Public health experts from Harvard predict a 20% minimum infection rate for COVID-19 diagnoses in the US

COVID-19 deaths ranked by age groups, assuming an overall *infection rate of 30%* and *fatality rate of 0.5%* over a 1-year period

Ages 30-39

Ages 40-49

Ages 20-29

Guns	3,148	Drug overdoses	11,477	Drug overdoses	17,303	Cancer	19,395
Car crashes	2,870	Guns	8,929	Guns	6,806	Heart disease	18,276
Suicide	1,532	Car crashes	8,284	Cancer	6,540	Drug overdoses	14,303
Cancer	1,071	Suicide	3,542	Car crashes	6,365	COVID-19	7,100
COVID-19	800	COVID-19	2,300	COVID-19	2,800	Liver diseases	5,916
Ages 50-59	70,996	Ages 60-69 Cancer	147,935	Ages 70-79 Cancer	172,805	Ages 80+ Heart disease	335,740
Heart disease	54,498	Heart disease	102,449	COVID-19	147,000	Brain	220,976
COVID-19	32,000	COVID-19	97,000	Heart disease	135,243	degenerative diseases	
Drug overdoses	14,688	Emphysema/	27,768	Emphysema/	48,288	COVID-19	192,000
Liver diseases	14,642	COPD		COPD		Cancer	177,706
		Diabetes	19,122	Brain degenerative diseases	37,218	Stroke	86,390
Sources: New York Times.				uiseases			

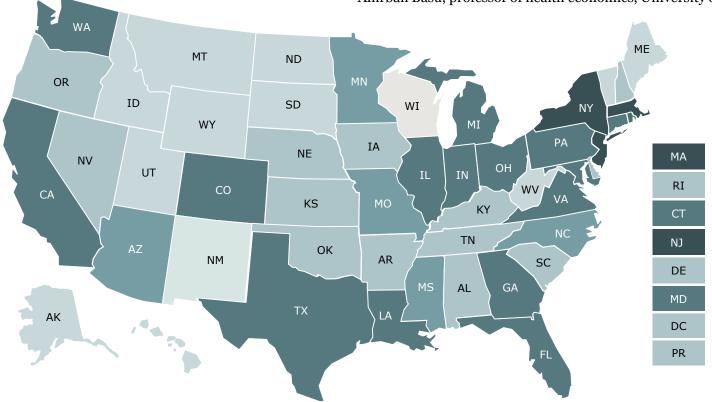
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Studies have found that the national death rate for COVID-19 in the US is 1.3%, compared to a 0.1% death rate for the seasonal flu

Deaths in the US, by state

AS OF MAY 18, 2020 ■5,000+ ■1,000-4,999 ■500-999 ■100-499 ■0-99 COVID-19 infection is deadlier than flu — we can put that debate to rest,

- Anirban Basu, professor of health economics, University of Washington



Sources: Axios, University of Washington.

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International mortality data

The US has a higher death rate and case-fatality ratio than Brazil, Chile, Russia and Peru

Mortality rates by country

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