

Disease Through the Ages

Death Rates by age and age-adjusted death rates – United States 1999-2006*

Ages	Diseases of the Heart		Hypertension and Stroke		Diabetes		Alzheimer		Parkinson's Disease	
	1999	2006	1999	2006	1999	2006	1999	2006	1999	2006
25-34	7.6	8.2	0.2	0.3	1.4	1.7				
35-44			0.7	0.9	4.3	4.8				
45-54			2.2	3.0	12.9	13.2			0.1	0.2
55-64			5.5	6.9			1.9	2.1	1.0	1.3
65-74			15.2	16.8			17.4	20.2	11.0	12.2
75-84			43.6	51.0			129.5	175.6	58.2	69.8
85+			152.1	189.4			601.3	848.3	124.4	144.8

*Source (21) Centers for Disease Control

Leading Causes of Death Worldwide Developed & Developing Countries 2001*(thousands)

Disease World Rank	Disease	Worldwide	%	Developed Countries	%	Developing Countries	%
1	Diseases of the Heart	11,004	19.6	225.8	28	874.6	18.1
2 or 3	Cancers	7,021	12.5	206.6	26.2	495.5	10.2

*Source: (20) Global Cancer Facts & Figures 2007

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