

**Table 1. Leading Causes of Death in the United States (2015)**

| Rank | Select Age Groups           |                                |                                |                                |                                |                                |                                 |
|------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|      | 10-14                       | 15-24                          | 25-34                          | 35-44                          | 45-54                          | 55-64                          | All Ages                        |
| 1    | Unintentional Injury<br>763 | Unintentional Injury<br>12,514 | Unintentional Injury<br>19,795 | Unintentional Injury<br>17,818 | Malignant Neoplasms<br>43,054  | Malignant Neoplasms<br>116,122 | Heart Disease<br>633,842        |
| 2    | Malignant Neoplasms<br>428  | <b>Suicide</b><br>5,491        | <b>Suicide</b><br>6,947        | Malignant Neoplasms<br>10,909  | Heart Disease<br>34,248        | Heart Disease<br>76,872        | Malignant Neoplasms<br>595,930  |
| 3    | <b>Suicide</b><br>409       | Homicide<br>4,733              | Homicide<br>4,863              | Heart Disease<br>10,387        | Unintentional Injury<br>21,499 | Unintentional Injury<br>19,488 | CLRD<br>155,041                 |
| 4    | Homicide<br>158             | Malignant Neoplasms<br>1,469   | Malignant Neoplasms<br>3,704   | <b>Suicide</b><br>6,936        | Liver Disease<br>8,874         | CLRD<br>17,457                 | Unintentional Injury<br>146,571 |
| 5    | Congenital Anomalies<br>156 | Heart Disease<br>997           | Heart Disease<br>3,522         | Homicide<br>2,895              | <b>Suicide</b><br>8,751        | Diabetes Mellitus<br>14,166    | Cerebro-vascular<br>140,323     |
| 6    | Heart Disease<br>125        | Congenital Anomalies<br>386    | Liver Disease<br>844           | Liver Disease<br>2,861         | Diabetes Mellitus<br>6,212     | Liver Disease<br>13,278        | Alzheimer's Disease<br>110,561  |
| 7    | CLRD<br>93                  | CLRD<br>202                    | Diabetes Mellitus<br>798       | Diabetes Mellitus<br>1,986     | Cerebro-vascular<br>5,307      | Cerebro-vascular<br>12,116     | Diabetes Mellitus<br>79,535     |
| 8    | Cerebro-vascular<br>42      | Diabetes Mellitus<br>196       | Cerebro-vascular<br>567        | Cerebro-vascular<br>1,788      | CLRD<br>4,345                  | <b>Suicide</b><br>7,739        | Influenza & Pneumonia<br>57,062 |
| 9    | Influenza & Pneumonia<br>39 | Influenza & Pneumonia<br>184   | HIV<br>529                     | HIV<br>1,055                   | Septicemia<br>2,542            | Septicemia<br>5,774            | Nephritis<br>49,959             |
| 10   | Two Tied<br>33              | Cerebro-vascular<br>166        | Congenital Anomalies<br>443    | Septicemia<br>829              | Nephritis<br>2,124             | Nephritis<br>5,452             | <b>Suicide</b><br>44,193        |