

South Dakota Mortality Report, 2025 (Provisional)

(All 2025 data are provisional, subject to change, and reflect death records filed with the South Dakota Department of Health as of 8/20/2025)

South Dakota Resident Leading Causes of Death by Year of Death, 2015-2025 January-June

Cause of Death	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total Deaths	3,926	3,908	4,099	3,995	4,167	4,208	4,313	4,516	4,192	4,403	4,386
1. Heart disease	886	877	885	932	943	894	844	936	878	893	908
2. Cancer	806	854	870	765	864	875	827	835	857	890	836
3. Alzheimer's disease	211	211	235	234	250	242	190	234	187	238	239
4. Chronic lower respiratory diseases	300	238	284	251	268	236	211	209	208	218	229
5. Stroke (I60-I69)	188	212	194	214	188	227	194	191	205	213	220
6. Diabetes	144	124	103	135	142	157	147	150	134	144	135
7. Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	67	63	78	86	79	92	149	143	133	127	119
8. Influenza and pneumonia	142	110	146	141	108	81	48	61	59	90	118
9. Accidental falls	81	93	99	56	79	100	119	105	87	93	104
10. Suicide	87	75	94	85	91	75	105	94	97	94	100
11. Dementia	109	95	103	113	81	91	92	93	118	115	80
12. Hypertension	48	52	57	47	64	55	59	67	41	50	69
13. Motor vehicle accidents	56	60	49	72	43	62	81	70	55	63	62
14. Parkinson's disease	39	38	49	49	47	42	38	52	46	61	54
15. Kidney disease	40	48	34	33	47	28	48	37	55	53	53
Cause of death not yet determined	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	124
All other causes	722	758	819	782	873	951	1,161	1,239	1,032	1,061	936

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Source: South Dakota Department of Health, Office of Health Statistics

South Dakota Resident Leading Causes of Death by Month, 2025

Cause of Death	Total	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Total Deaths	4,386	820	763	777	672	723	631						
1. Heart disease	908	175	151	152	159	151	120						
2. Cancer	836	139	139	146	125	148	139						
3. Alzheimer's disease	239	48	49	47	36	32	27						
4. Chronic lower respiratory diseases	229	48	33	33	35	45	35						
5. Stroke (I60-I69)	220	47	39	42	28	27	37						
6. Diabetes	135	27	32	25	20	19	12						
7. Chronic liver disease and cirrhosis	119	18	16	22	22	21	20						
8. Influenza and pneumonia	118	28	44	26	12	6	2						
9. Accidental falls	104	15	24	16	13	16	20						
10. Suicide	100	11	14	23	22	16	14						
11. Dementia	80	24	11	19	10	9	7						
12. Hypertension	69	11	13	13	8	13	11						
13. Motor vehicle accidents	62	11	10	10	10	11	10						
14. Parkinson's disease	54	11	7	14	7	11	4						
15. Kidney disease	53	14	4	8	6	9	12						
Cause of death not yet determined	124	21	18	25	11	22	27						
All other causes	936	172	159	156	148	167	134						

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**South Dakota Resident Deaths Due to Influenza by
Year of Death, 2015-2025
January-June**

Year	Deaths
2025	64
2024	36
2023	15
2022	11
2021	0
2020	16
2019	28
2018	49
2017	32
2016	8
2015	39

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**South Dakota Resident Deaths due to Unintentional and Undetermined Drug Overdose
by the Most Prevalent Drugs Involved and Year of Death,
2015-2025
January-June**

Drugs Involved	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Total Deaths	20	28	32	24	31	46	42	43	44	39	28
1. Fentanyl (Includes Analogs)	4	5	8	8	7	18	8	16	25	18	17
2. Methamphetamine	6	7	12	4	13	20	30	17	19	21	7
T3. Cocaine (Benzoylcegonine)	0	2	2	4	4	4	3	3	3	4	3
T3. Oxycodone (Oxycontin, Percocet, Percodan)	1	2	1	2	1	3	1	2	0	1	3

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