

2016 Provisional Data

Event	Number	Rate/Ratio
Population	3,134,693	
Live Births	39,054	12.5 ^a
Mothers Under Age 20	1,788	45.8 ^b
Maternal Deaths	13	33.3 ^c
Fetal Deaths	171	4.4 ^b
Neonatal Deaths	144	3.7 ^b
Infant Deaths	231	5.9 ^b
Total Deaths	29,427	9.4 ^a

Top Ten Causes of Death	Number	Rate/Ratio
Heart Disease	6,592	210.3
Cancer	6,138	195.8
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	1,923	61.3
Alzheimer's Disease	1,384	44.2
Unintentional Injuries	1,342	42.8
Cerebrovascular Disease	1,329	42.4
Diabetes Mellitus	796	25.4
Influenza and Pneumonia	483	15.4
All Infective and Parasitic Diseases	429	13.7
Suicide	416	13.3
Marriages	19,251	6.1 ^a
Dissolutions <i>(as reported by Clerk of Court offices)</i>	3,783	1.2 ^a

- ^a Per 1,000 population
^b Per 1,000 live births
^c Per 100,000 live births

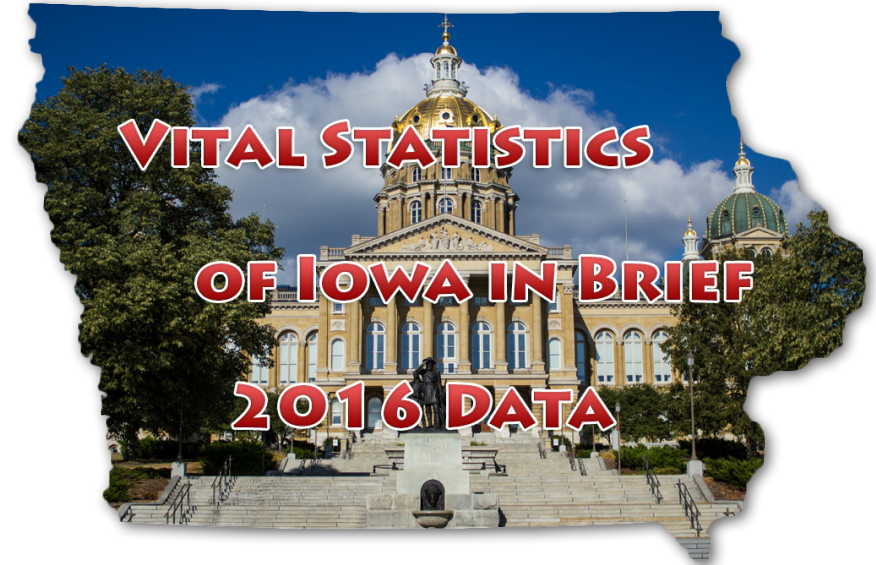
*All rates without ^a or ^b are per 100,000 population.
 All numbers are resident data except marriage and dissolution, which are by occurrence.*

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Baby Names

These are the counts of top girl and boy names lowans chose in 2016 for their babies. The + and – numbers are changes in the name's popularity rank from the previous year.

Girls				Boys	
Olivia	206 ⁺¹	Nora	123 ⁺⁴	Oliver	199 ⁺²
Emma	172 ⁻¹	Amelia	122 ⁼⁰	Owen	180 ⁺³
Harper	155 ⁼⁰	Sophia	107 ⁻⁴	William	174 ⁻¹
Charlotte	151 ⁺³	Addison	100 ⁺⁸	Wyatt	167 ⁺⁵
Evelyn	151 ⁼⁰	Grace	95 ⁺⁴	Henry	165 ⁻¹
Ava	148 ⁼⁰	Isabella	95 ⁺²	Liam	152 ⁻⁵
				Benjamin	151 ⁺¹¹
				Noah	148 ⁻²
				Jackson	136 ⁺¹
				Grayson	124 ⁺⁵
				Jack	124 ⁺⁷
				Elijah	117 ⁻⁴

Look for additional Iowa vital statistical facts in the **2016 Vital Statistics of Iowa** publication scheduled for release later in 2017. You can also visit our website at idph.iowa.gov.

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