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NUMBER OF DEATHS BY CAUSES OF DEATHS 2023



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2023**

In 2023, the number of deaths in Georgia¹ equaled 42 756, registering a 13.0 percent (6 362) decrease from the previous year. Diseases of the circulatory system (40.0 percent) and neoplasms (11.6 percent) are the dominant causes of death.

TABLE №1

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY CAUSES OF DEATH

CHAPTER	MAIN CAUSES OF DEATH*	2022	2023
I	Certain infectious and parasitic diseases	597	513
II	Neoplasms	4 530	4 939
III	Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism	494	426
IV	Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	1 154	1 102
V	Mental and behavioural disorders	257	298
VI	Diseases of the nervous system	713	480
VII	Diseases of the eye and adnexa	0	0
VIII	Diseases of the ear and mastoid process	0	0
IX	Diseases of the circulatory system	17 641	17 100
X	Diseases of the respiratory system	2 951	3 214
XI	Diseases of the digestive system	1 195	1 294
XII	Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue	44	26
XIII	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue	19	6
XIV	Diseases of the genitourinary system	613	595
XV	Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium	18	13
XVI	Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period	245	256

* Based on the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems 10th Revision (ICD-10)

¹ Data do not cover occupied territories

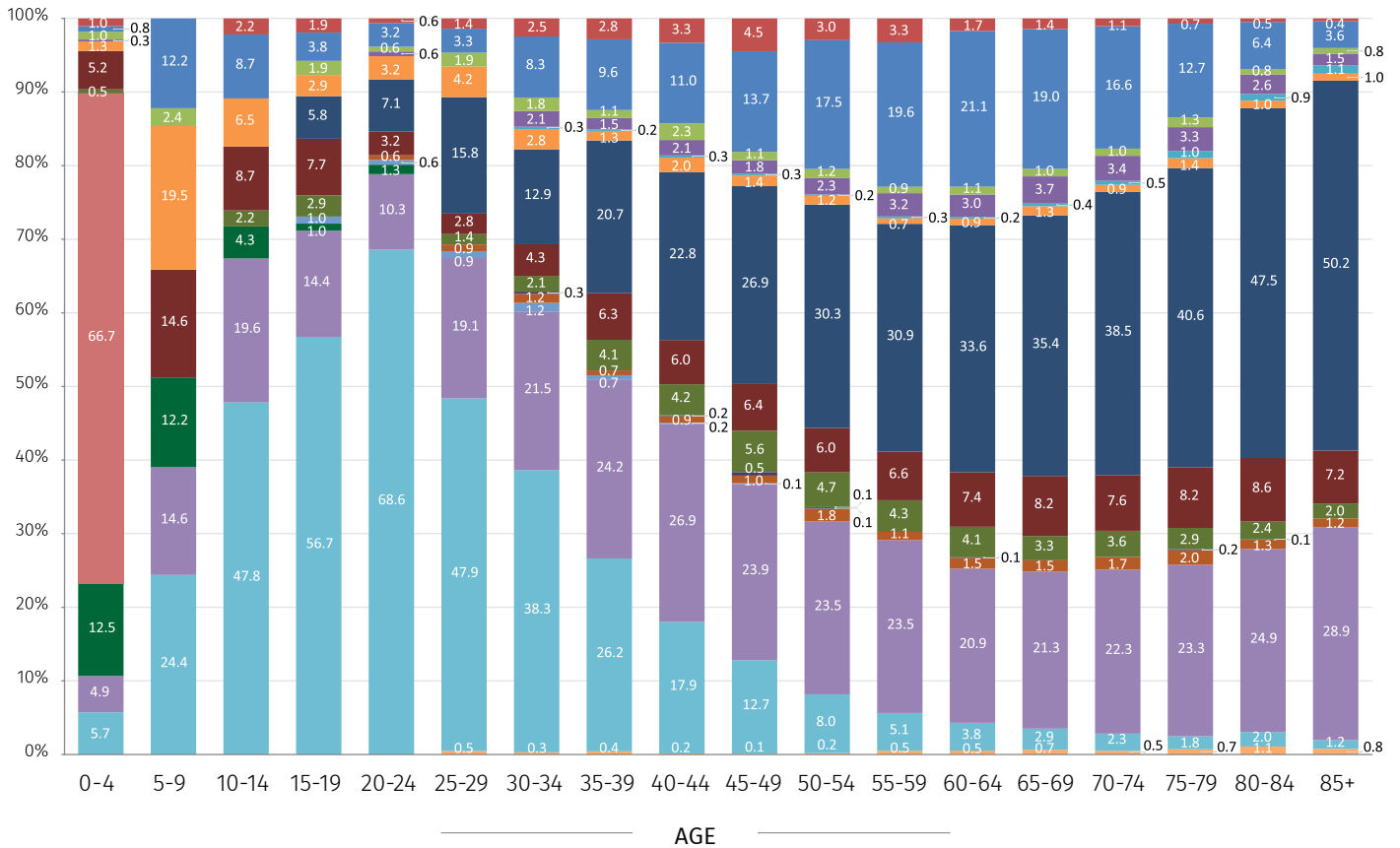
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CHAPTER	MAIN CAUSES OF DEATH*	2022	2023
XVII	Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities	71	58
XVIII	Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified	14 027	10 355
XIX	Injury, poisoning and certain other consequences of external causes	1 917	1 794
XXII	Codes for special purposes (U07.1 - COVID-19, virus identified)	2 632	287
TOTAL		49 118	42 756

Causes of death vary with age. Certain disorders originating in the perinatal period are dominant among children under-5. At the age of 5-39, Injury, poisoning and certain other consequences of external causes prevail, as the risk of accidents is relatively higher for these age groups. At the age of 40 and above, the dominant causes of death are diseases of the circulatory system and neoplasms.

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DISTRIBUTION OF DEATHS (%) BY AGE AND CAUSES OF DEATH, 2023



- I - CERTAIN INFECTIOUS AND PARASITIC DISEASES
- II - NEOPLASMS
- III - DISEASES OF THE BLOOD AND BLOOD-FORMING ORGANS AND CERTAIN DISORDERS INVOLVING THE IMMUNE MECHANISM
- IV - ENDOCRINE, NUTRITIONAL AND METABOLIC DISEASES
- V - MENTAL AND BEHAVIOURAL DISORDERS
- VI - DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM
- IX - DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM
- X - DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM
- XI - DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM
- XII - DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND SUBCUTANEOUS TISSUE
- XIII - DISEASES OF THE MUSCULOSKELETAL SYSTEM AND CONNECTIVE TISSUE
- XIV - DISEASES OF THE GENITOURINARY SYSTEM
- XV - PREGNANCY, CHILDBIRTH AND THE PUERPERIUM
- XVI - CERTAIN CONDITIONS ORIGINATING IN THE PERINATAL PERIOD
- XVII - CONGENITAL MALFORMATIONS, DEFORMATIONS AND CHROMOSOMAL ABNORMALITIES
- XVIII - SYMPTOMS, SIGNS AND ABNORMAL CLINICAL AND LABORATORY FINDINGS, NOT ELSEWHERE CLASSIFIED
- XIX - INJURY, POISONING AND CERTAIN OTHER CONSEQUENCES OF EXTERNAL CAUSES
- XXII - CODES FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES (U071 - COVID-19, VIRUS IDENTIFIED)

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