

**2024 ALABAMA ESTIMATED POPULATION  
BY AGE, RACE & SEX**

AGE IN YEARS	TOTAL	WHITE		BLACK & OTHER	
		MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
TOTAL	5,157,699	1,746,664	1,798,873	756,506	855,656
0 - 4	295,446	95,994	92,390	54,461	52,601
5 - 9	313,184	102,283	97,601	57,235	56,065
10 - 14	319,050	106,592	100,811	56,433	55,214
15 - 44	2,004,763	662,986	656,059	329,767	355,951
45 - 64	1,269,355	450,127	454,132	163,815	201,281
65 - 84	863,187	301,389	351,475	88,488	121,835
85 +	92,714	27,293	46,405	6,307	12,709

*Source: 2024 Estimated Population provided by the U.S. Census Bureau*

**VITAL STATISTICS SUMMARY**

EVENTS	NUMBER	RATE
Live Births	57,909	11.2 <sup>1</sup>
Deaths	58,799	11.4 <sup>1</sup>
Infant Deaths	414	7.1 <sup>2</sup>
Neonatal Deaths	256	4.4 <sup>2</sup>
Postneonatal Deaths	158	2.7 <sup>2</sup>
Fetal Deaths	460	7.9 <sup>2</sup>
Induced Terminations of Pregnancy	2,970	2.9 <sup>3</sup>
Marriages	36,326	7.0 <sup>1</sup>
Divorces	15,020	2.9 <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Per 1,000 population    <sup>2</sup>Per 1,000 live births    <sup>3</sup>Per 1,000 females aged 15-44 years

**DURING EACH DAY FOR ALABAMA RESIDENTS  
THERE WAS AN AVERAGE OF:**

Live Births.....	158.2	Accidental Deaths.....	8.7
Births to Teenagers.....	9.1	Motor Vehicle Deaths.....	2.9
Low Weight Births.....	16.1	Homicide Deaths.....	1.8
Births to Unmarried Women.....	70.9	Suicide Deaths.....	2.3
Induced Terminations of Pregnancy.....	8.1	Infant Deaths.....	1.1
Deaths.....	160.7	Fetal Deaths.....	1.3
Heart Disease Deaths.....	40.2	Marriages.....	99.3
Cancer Deaths.....	28.8	Divorces.....	41.0

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## LIVE BIRTH SUMMARY

EVENTS	NUMBER	RATE/PERCENT
Total Live Births	57,909	11.2 <sup>1</sup>
White Births	41,241	11.6 <sup>1</sup>
Black & Other Births	16,668	10.3 <sup>1</sup>
Low Weight Births	5,875	10.1 <sup>2</sup>
Births to Unmarried Women	25,967	44.8 <sup>2</sup>
Estimated Pregnancies	72,758	71.9 <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Per 1,000 population    <sup>2</sup>Percent of live births    <sup>3</sup>Per 1,000 females aged 15-44 years

## TEENAGE (AGED 10-19) PREGNANCY STATISTICS

EVENTS	NUMBER	RATE/PERCENT
Total Live Births	3,336	10.2 <sup>1</sup>
Births to Unmarried Women	2,981	89.4 <sup>2</sup>
Low Weight Births	405	12.1 <sup>2</sup>
Infant Deaths	43	12.9 <sup>3</sup>
Neonatal Deaths	23	6.9 <sup>3</sup>
Postneonatal Deaths	20	6.0 <sup>3</sup>
Fetal Deaths	38	11.4 <sup>3</sup>
Estimated Pregnancies	4,207	12.8 <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Per 1,000 female teenage population    <sup>2</sup>Percent of live births to teenagers    <sup>3</sup>Per 1,000 live births to teenagers

## MOST POPULAR NAMES FOR BABIES

BOYS	NUMBER	BOYS	NUMBER	GIRLS	NUMBER	GIRLS	NUMBER
William	316	Samuel	177	Charlotte	238	Evelyn	138
John	310	Asher	173	Olivia	225	Sophia	134
James	306	Hudson	167	Amelia	218	Ellie	125
Liam	279	Jackson	149	Elizabeth	172	Lainey	125
Noah	256	Thomas	142	Emma	170	Eleanor	121
Elijah	226	Waylon	142	Mary	161	Ella	111
Henry	201	Levi	138	Harper	160	Willow	111
Oliver	182			Ava	151		

## FIFTEEN LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

CAUSE	NUMBER	RATE <sup>1</sup>	POTENTIAL LIFE LOST (in years) <sup>2</sup>
Diseases of the Heart	14,703	285.1	398,309
Malignant Neoplasms	10,544	204.4	382,626
Cerebrovascular Diseases	3,255	63.1	73,743
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	3,205	62.1	96,985
Accidents (Unintentional Injuries)	3,182	61.7	117,170
Alzheimer's Disease	2,379	46.1	18,843
Diabetes Mellitus	1,482	28.7	56,812
Nephritis, Nephrotic Syndrome & Nephrosis	1,235	23.9	35,398
Septicemia	1,101	21.3	40,343
Chronic Liver Disease & Cirrhosis	992	19.2	48,334
Influenza & Pneumonia	955	18.5	26,400
Essential (Primary) Hypertension	836	16.2	25,027
Intentional Self-Harm (Suicide)	834	16.2	31,336
Parkinson's Disease	715	13.9	10,822
Malnutrition	689	13.4	8,737
All Other Causes	12,692	--	329,162

<sup>1</sup>Per 100,000 population    <sup>2</sup>Age 75 is utilized as potential life span.