

TABLE 5

WESTCHESTER COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
NUMBER AND RATE OF INFANT DEATHS ⁽¹⁾ BY RACE
WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK STATE, AND UPSTATE NEW YORK ⁽²⁾
1982 -1998

Year	WESTCHESTER COUNTY			NEW YORK STATE			UPSTATE NEW YORK (NYS excluding NYC)								
	White	Black	Other ⁽³⁾	White	Black	Other ⁽³⁾	White	Black	Other ⁽³⁾						
	Number	Rate ⁽⁴⁾	Number	Rate ⁽⁴⁾	Number	Rate ⁽⁴⁾	Number	Rate ⁽⁴⁾	Number						
1998	33	3.4	30	14.3	3	885	4.8	529	9.8	194	557	4.7	237	15.7	22
1997	44	4.5	19	9.3	4	965	5.3	569	10.4	194	626	5.3	230	15.9	35
1996	38	3.9	17	8.2	2	1,018	5.4	650	11.8	161	622	5.1	240	16.5	16
1995	29	3.1	36	17.6	6	1,134	5.6	728	12.6	200	685	5.4	259	16.6	28
1994	53	5.5	23	10.6	3	1,147	5.7	804	13.9	194	707	5.5	278	17.8	29
1993	50	5.0	37	17.8	5	1,210	5.9	835	14.1	302	759	5.8	292	18.0	22
1992	48	4.8	29	12.7	6	1,305	6.2	857	14.2	342	850	6.3	303	18.4	35
1991	40	3.9	37	15.9	10	1,363	6.3	958	15.6	409	826	6.5	277	19.2	24
1990	61	6.0	27	11.0	6	1,457	6.8	1,006	15.3	358	926	6.6	322	18.1	23
1989	74	7.6	32	13.5	7	1,643	7.8	1,079	16.4	354	996	7.3	316	17.9	23
1988	51	5.4	45	19.7	6	1,619	8.0	1,062	16.8	326	1,014	7.7	283	17.3	23
1987	52	5.8	52	24.5	4	1,560	7.9	958	15.7	375	993	7.6	314	20.5	29
1986	48	5.7	38	18.8	9	1,588	8.2	928	15.7	282	1,026	8.0	292	20.4	25
1985	66	7.9	29	15.6	3	1,620	8.5	865	15.2	288	1,027	8.1	263	19.1	25
1984	70	8.7	30	16.2	2	1,687	9.0	839	15.6	203	1,076	8.6	231	17.6	21
1983	61	7.6	32	17.7	3	1,757	9.4	925	17.4	174	1,097	8.9	266	21.8	18
1982	63	8.1	45	25.2	2	1,906	10.3	964	18.0	131	1,170	9.5	245	19.0	20

⁽¹⁾ Infant deaths are deaths occurring before the first birthday.

⁽²⁾ 'Upstate' New York includes all of New York State outside the City of New York.

⁽³⁾ 'Other' includes live births and infant deaths to mothers of other and unknown race.

⁽⁴⁾ Infant mortality rate is infant deaths per 1,000 live births in designated racial category.

Sources: Vital event data for Westchester County from Westchester County Department of Health analysis of New York State Department of Health vital certificate computer files.
Vital event data for New York State and Upstate New York (NYS excluding NYC) from the New York State Department of Health, Bureau of Biometrics.