

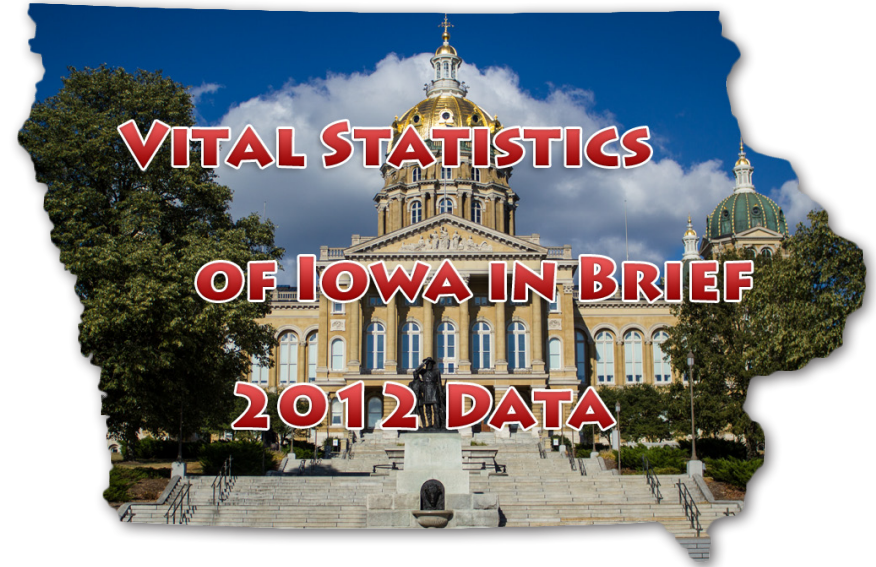
2012 Provisional Data

Event	Number	Rate/Ratio
Population	3,074,186	
Live Births	38,686	12.6 ^a
Mothers Under Age 20	2,532	65.5 ^b
Maternal Deaths	8	20.7 ^c
Fetal Deaths	174	4.5 ^b
Neonatal Deaths	126	3.3 ^b
Infant Deaths	205	5.3 ^b
Total Deaths	28,301	9.2 ^a

Top Ten Causes of Death	Number	Rate/Ratio
Heart Disease	6,966	226.6
Cancer	6,415	208.7
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	1,817	59.1
Cerebrovascular Disease	1,411	45.9
Unintentional Injuries	1,362	44.3
Alzheimer's Disease	1,335	43.4
Diabetes Mellitus	687	22.3
Influenza and Pneumonia	656	21.3
All Infective and Parasitic Diseases	511	16.6
Suicide	381	12.4
Marriages	20,986	6.8 ^a
Dissolutions	6,715	2.2 ^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.*



Fun Facts

These are the counts of top girl and boy names lowans chose in 2012 for their babies. The + and – numbers are changes in the name's popularity rank from the previous year.

Girls		Boys	
Emma	252 ^{±0}	Addison	124 ⁻²
Sophia	225 ^{±0}	Avery	119 ⁺¹
Olivia	188 ^{±0}	Emily	112 ⁺⁵
Harper	164 ⁺¹¹	Elizabeth	110 ⁺⁸
Ava	156 ⁻¹	Lillian	110 ⁺¹²
Ella	129 ^{±0}	Isabella	106 ⁻⁴
		Liam	207 ⁺⁷
		Mason	199 ^{±0}
		Carter	178 ⁻²
		Owen	169 ⁻¹
		William	168 ⁺²
		Noah	154 ⁻²
		Jacob	144 ⁻¹
		Logan	142 ⁺¹
		Henry	138 ⁺²⁰
		Wyatt	137 ⁺¹⁰
		Jackson	132 ⁻⁶
		Ethan	128 ⁻²

Look for additional Iowa vital statistical facts in the **2012 Vital Statistics of Iowa** publication scheduled for release later in 2013. You can also visit our website at www.idph.state.ia.us.

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Vital Statistics of Iowa in Brief
2012 Resident Data

	Live Births	Mothers Under Age 20	Fetal Deaths	Neonatal Deaths	Infant Deaths	Total Deaths ¹	Heart Disease ²	Cancer ²	Cerebrovascular Diseases ²	Chronic Lower Resp. Diseases ²	Unintentional Injuries ² (Including MVC)	Pneumonia and Influenza ²	Alzheimer's Disease ²	Diabetes Mellitus ²	All Infective and Parasitic Diseases ²	Suicide ²	Marriages ^{**}	Dissolutions ^{**}
State Totals	38,686	2,532	174	126	205	28,301	6,966	6,415	1,411	1,817	1,362	656	1,335	687	511	381	20,986	6,715
Adair	68	*	*	*	*	106	22	21	8	9	*	*	6	*	*	*	54	19
Adams	50	*	*	*	*	53	17	11	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	25	13
Allamakee	179	17	*	*	*	175	49	45	9	*	10	*	11	*	*	*	94	47
Appanoose	159	16	*	*	*	168	55	26	*	10	13	*	10	*	*	*	148	14
Audubon	50	*	*	*	*	86	23	22	*	6	*	*	6	*	*	*	30	21
Benton	256	9	*	*	*	196	64	50	9	14	10	*	7	6	*	*	129	52
Black Hawk	1,729	108	8	8	12	1,172	250	258	62	79	36	22	52	25	22	15	754	208
Boone	317	22	*	*	*	298	79	57	11	20	23	9	15	8	*	*	204	74
Bremer	263	7	*	*	*	220	63	42	13	9	6	6	15	*	*	*	142	40
Buchanan	267	14	*	*	*	206	55	60	10	10	8	*	*	*	*	*	140	37
Buena Vista	339	41	*	*	*	183	54	46	*	15	9	*	9	7	*	*	121	57
Butler	168	*	*	*	*	189	54	43	9	9	6	6	*	11	*	*	76	34
Calhoun	124	8	*	*	*	129	36	25	6	10	10	*	*	*	*	*	64	22
Carroll	256	21	*	*	*	244	60	57	14	12	13	*	9	6	7	*	151	65
Cass	152	10	*	*	*	197	56	37	6	11	9	6	24	*	*	*	86	41
Cedar	178	10	*	*	*	176	58	33	11	*	11	*	10	*	*	*	79	43
Cerro Gordo	450	28	*	*	*	473	151	100	15	29	18	6	17	*	13	8	361	166
Cherokee	140	11	*	*	*	164	45	34	*	6	*	*	7	7	*	*	88	14
Chickasaw	153	12	*	*	*	131	40	25	7	13	*	6	*	*	*	*	234	20
Clarke	126	*	*	*	*	110	29	23	*	*	10	*	8	*	*	*	77	19
Clay	193	15	*	*	*	188	35	39	9	10	9	*	6	*	*	*	95	51
Clayton	212	10	*	*	*	196	44	45	14	9	10	13	6	*	7	*	142	58
Clinton	568	52	*	*	*	525	172	147	27	21	18	8	21	10	11	13	339	32
Crawford	229	26	*	*	*	153	37	36	*	14	7	*	6	6	*	*	122	34
Dallas	1,165	40	*	*	7	378	80	94	22	28	14	10	21	12	*	8	426	99
Davis	133	*	*	*	*	97	17	27	*	6	*	7	*	*	*	*	79	18
Decatur	82	10	*	*	*	92	22	21	*	6	*	*	*	*	*	*	49	19
Delaware	189	10	*	*	*	177	55	40	11	9	10	*	7	*	*	*	132	34
Des Moines	470	40	*	*	*	432	106	90	28	32	27	10	22	*	9	6	279	30
Dickinson	161	10	*	*	*	199	70	41	11	12	7	*	6	6	*	*	220	52
Dubuque	1,176	71	9	*	*	865	201	203	50	47	42	23	45	15	11	9	881	225
Emmet	115	15	*	*	*	146	49	28	9	9	4	*	12	*	*	*	47	31
Fayette	219	15	*	*	*	277	85	51	19	18	14	13	12	10	*	*	111	55
Floyd	168	10	*	*	*	185	55	38	*	12	6	*	6	*	*	*	87	33
Franklin	108	12	*	*	*	135	35	31	*	13	*	*	7	*	*	*	56	24
Fremont	81	7	*	*	*	97	25	24	*	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	58	23
Greene	97	11	*	*	*	133	39	27	*	6	7	*	*	*	*	*	58	22
Grundy	124	*	*	*	*	127	26	33	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	40	28
Guthrie	104	9	*	*	*	109	21	25	8	6	*	*	*	*	*	*	77	35
Hamilton	143	7	*	*	*	168	35	31	12	*	9	*	12	8	*	*	92	31
Hancock	113	*	*	*	*	134	29	29	6	12	9	*	*	*	*	*	53	20
Hardin	179	17	*	*	*	223	53	52	8	9	12	*	17	*	*	*	116	43
Harrison	138	11	*	*	*	177	37	29	11	8	12	*	16	6	*	*	77	48
Henry	224	12	*	*	*	195	45	50	18	12	8	6	*	8	6	*	129	39
Howard	130	*	*	*	*	99	32	15	7	*	*	7	7	*	*	*	57	32
Humboldt	101	*	*	*	*	120	37	26	*	9	12	*	*	*	*	*	75	20
Ida	93	*	*	*	*	97	16	22	*	6	*	6	10	*	*	*	41	28
Iowa	197	9	*	*	*	174	46	35	9	6	7	*	19	*	*	*	112	41
Jackson	207	21	*	*	*	232	70	57	14	8	8	*	8	*	6	7	134	50
Jasper	441	34	*	*	*	356	91	98	24	15	16	15	11	11	*	*	204	31
Jefferson	140	12	*	*	*	150	37	33	*	8	11	*	*	*	*	*	104	36
Johnson	1,830	51	8	*	*	658	158	169	25	32	40	8	15	14	12	16	950	223
Jones	209	6	*	*	*	211	53	48	10	11	8	*	10	*	*	*	105	47
Keokuk	128	9	*	*	*	120	41	26	9	8	8	*	*	*	*	*	64	33
Kossuth	151	*	*	*	*	183	46	36	12	15	8	8	8	6	*	*	78	37
Lee	431	51	*	*	*	414	120	81	20	34	17	6	29	13	11	*	245	84
Linn	2,722	148	14	*	12	1,667	378	397	72	115	99	43	64	33	46	24	1,175	603
Louisa	137	11	*	*	*	99	33	18	*	7	7	*	*	*	*	*	39	26
Lucas	82	7	*	*	*	108	24	23	7	*	*	*	10	7	*	*	51	24
Lyon	169	8	*	*	*	96	29	15	6	*	7	*	6	*	*	*	77	12
Madison	166	7	*	*	*	143	25	36	7	7	*	6	8	10	*	*	109	51
Mahaska	267	11	*	*	*	232	48	58	17	21	8	8	12	*	*	*	172	46
Marion	368	16	*	*	*	320	100	73	13	21	12	8	17	7	*	*	226	119
Marshall	583	72	*	*	*	459	114	100	13	30	36	12	16	11	7	*	247	75
Mills	179	16	*	*	*	163	42	38	13	8	*	*	9	*	*	*	165	35
Mitchell	106	*	*	*	*	142	49	26	*	*	10	6	*	*	*	*	68	10
Monona	95	*	*	*	*	150	56	25	*	8	7	*	*	*	*	*	49	28
Monroe	82	9	*	*	*	86	18	21	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	29	24
Montgomery	114	8	*	*	*	138	39	21	14	10	*	*	*	8	*	*	73	43
Muscatine	557	55	*	*	*	421	107	96	21	30	14	*	42	20	17	14	307	147
O'Brien	153	8	*	*	*	183	36	41	6	8	13	8	17	*	*	*	84	32
Osceola	80	7	*	*	*	74	19	21	10	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	22	9
Page	183	25	*	*	*	230	61	51	10	17	7	*	8	7	*	*	103	60
Palo Alto	88	*	*	*	*	125	30	23	7	9	*	*	*	*	*	*	60	23
Plymouth	293	17	*	*	*	240	45	53	11	15	10	*	14	13	*	*	149	27
Pocahontas	69	*	*	*	*	110	29	16	*	11	6	*	*	*	*	*	42	18
Polk	6,729	370	31	26	41	3,095	667	766	141	230	157	84	168	63	57	49	3,416	799
Pottawattamie	1,180	116	*	8	10	862	202	204	45	48	38	14	42	20	17	14	757	377
Poweshiek	178	10	*	*	*	228	63	30	21	17	8	9	16	6	*	*	115	51
Ringgold	56	*	*	*	*	68	12	18	*	*	*	*	8	8	*	*	52	*
Sac	101	6	*	*	*	145	31	35	11	14	*	*	*	*	*	*	69	32
Scott	2,200	174	*	8	14	1,419	309	371	66	82	62	20	51	26	32	27	1,213	347
Shelby	135	7	*	*	*	119	39	22	*	8	8	*	9	*	*	*	75	44
Sioux	510	27	*	*	*	268	68	62	16	16	11	11	6	*	*	*	201	44
Story	919	21	9	6	7	432	94	119	27	22	14	13	22	*	6	*	497	144
Tama	219	15	*	*	*	201	39	42	9	16	16	*	14	13	*	*	113	32
Taylor	77	*	*	*	*	69	17	14	*	*	*	*	7	*	*	*	36	15
Union	130	14	*	*	*	146	52	27	*	10	9	*	*	*	*	*	105	53
Van Buren	107	6	*	*	*	84	21	16	*	8	7	*	*	*	*	*	56	10
Wapello	432	53	*	*	*	412	97	86	33	24	24	11	34	6	6	*	247	102
Warren	542	46	*	*	*	369	64	89	13	33	16	11	40	*	7	*	331	126
Washington	278	19	*	*	*	228	57	48	11	18	8	*	9	*	8	*	142	63
Wayne	92	*	*	*	*	107	30	16	10	8	9	*	8	*	*	*	58	31
Webster	449	39	*	*	*	482	112	99	15	57	20	8	44	11	8	*	250	107
Winnebago	105	9	*	*	*	135	46	31	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	76	23
Winneshiek	163	7	*	*	*	168	49	37	9	11	6	*	*	*	*	*	220	30
Woodbury	1,504	147	*	*	7	930	171	192	46	81	57	20	26	30	32	13	635	71
Worth	86	*	*	*	*	107	26	19	*	6	10	*	*	*	*	*	43	12
Wright	128	8	*	*	*	143	38	28	7	13	7	*	*	*	*	*	41	33