

2017 Provisional Data

Event	Number	Rate/Ratio
Population	3,145,711	
Live Births	38,142	12.1 ^a
Mothers Under Age 20	1,691	44.3 ^b
Maternal Deaths	10	26.2 ^c
Fetal Deaths	166	4.4 ^b
Neonatal Deaths	114	3.0 ^b
Infant Deaths	184	4.8 ^b
Total Deaths	30,217	9.6 ^a

Top Ten Causes of Death	Number	Rate/Ratio
Heart Disease	7,076	224.9
Cancer	6,396	203.3
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	1,915	60.9
Alzheimer's Disease	1,583	50.3
Unintentional Injuries	1,447	46.0
Cerebrovascular Disease	1,397	44.4
Diabetes Mellitus	905	28.8
Influenza and Pneumonia	567	18.0
All Infective and Parasitic Diseases	554	17.6
Suicide	458	14.6
Marriages	19,357	6.2 ^a
Dissolutions <i>(as reported by Clerk of Court offices)</i>	5,750	1.8 ^a

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

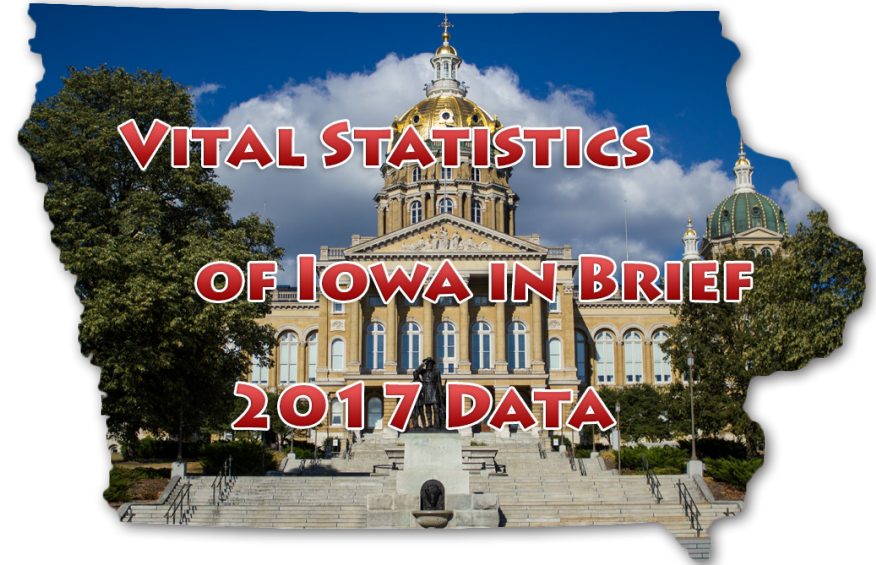
*All rates without ^a or ^b are per 100,000 population.
 All numbers are resident data except marriage and dissolution, which are by occurrence.*

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Baby Names

These are the counts of top girl and boy names lowans chose in 2017 for their babies. The + and – numbers are changes in the name's popularity rank from the previous year.

Girls		Boys	
Harper	174 ⁺²	Amelia	124 ⁺¹
Emma	171 ^{±0}	Nora	124 ^{±0}
Olivia	165 ⁻²	Sophia	94 ^{±0}
Charlotte	160 ^{±0}	Scarlett	89 ⁺⁹
Evelyn	157 ⁻¹	Elizabeth	87 ⁺⁴
Ava	140 ^{±0}	Avery	86 ⁺¹¹
Oliver	209 ^{±0}	Owen	145 ⁻⁵
Liam	180 ⁺⁴	James	132 ⁺⁶
Henry	178 ⁺²	Noah	132 ^{±0}
Lincoln	160 ⁺⁹	Logan	119 ⁺¹¹
Wyatt	153 ⁻¹	Benjamin	118 ⁻⁴
William	151 ⁻³	Mason	115 ⁺²

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A preliminary report of
BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES,
 and **DISSOLUTIONS.**



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Vital Statistics of Iowa in Brief
2017 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	38,142	1,691	166	114	184	30,217	7,076	6,396	1,397	1,915	1,447	567	1,583	905	554	458	19,357	5,750
Adair	78	*	*	*	*	105	18	30	6	7	*	*	*	*	*	*	53	*
Adams	30	*	*	*	*	47	9	9	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	30	*
Allamakee	190	8	*	*	*	186	55	25	9	13	12	*	7	7	*	*	78	29
Appanoose	116	6	*	*	*	150	36	34	11	9	10	*	7	*	*	*	166	11
Audubon	63	*	*	*	*	78	17	10	*	*	*	*	7	*	*	*	22	17
Benton	291	9	*	*	*	255	58	65	10	18	17	6	6	6	*	*	106	43
Black Hawk	1,725	77	12	*	8	1,257	281	261	48	83	51	28	42	32	25	13	653	141
Boone	260	*	*	*	*	306	70	65	11	23	14	6	12	10	*	*	200	31
Bremer	279	*	*	*	*	239	66	49	16	16	*	12	8	*	*	*	137	29
Buchanan	237	6	*	*	*	231	57	46	12	11	12	6	7	14	*	*	123	21
Buena Vista	299	14	*	*	*	172	46	35	8	9	*	7	15	*	*	*	122	48
Butler	130	*	*	*	*	192	52	39	12	14	8	*	6	10	*	*	61	15
Calhoun	98	*	*	*	*	134	36	28	*	7	6	*	6	8	6	*	55	17
Carroll	250	*	*	*	*	262	63	48	24	15	8	7	11	6	7	*	158	33
Cass	139	10	*	*	*	202	46	40	*	15	6	9	16	*	*	*	81	25
Cedar	186	*	*	*	*	165	33	40	15	6	6	*	10	*	*	*	107	43
Cerro Gordo	430	29	*	*	*	511	153	101	22	21	43	*	19	14	6	*	325	132
Cherokee	120	8	*	*	*	144	43	31	8	11	*	*	6	*	*	*	70	23
Chickasaw	144	*	*	*	*	133	33	32	7	12	*	*	*	*	*	*	169	9
Clarke	131	6	*	*	*	104	28	18	6	7	8	*	13	*	*	*	59	6
Clay	202	*	*	*	*	179	36	38	6	16	8	*	*	7	*	*	93	32
Clayton	200	6	*	*	*	210	43	46	9	9	9	*	11	11	*	*	113	23
Clinton	525	34	*	*	*	567	139	114	19	37	22	7	42	16	18	11	270	48
Crawford	219	11	*	*	*	200	50	33	*	10	11	*	18	*	*	*	99	45
Dallas	1,261	23	*	*	*	479	100	112	22	31	17	8	41	10	*	10	497	69
Davis	122	6	*	*	*	79	14	16	7	9	*	*	*	*	*	*	66	*
Decatur	92	9	*	*	*	97	23	20	*	8	10	*	*	*	*	*	40	16
Delaware	206	*	*	*	*	171	37	34	*	9	8	*	11	10	*	*	131	15
Des Moines	425	33	*	*	*	424	94	94	24	29	20	11	29	10	7	10	237	*
Dickinson	148	9	*	*	*	221	57	43	9	17	10	*	12	10	*	*	236	49
Dubuque	1,129	43	7	*	*	933	240	191	57	46	41	8	68	17	22	16	672	189
Emmet	101	10	*	*	*	136	38	22	6	8	*	*	8	*	*	*	44	32
Fayette	213	12	*	*	*	253	71	51	17	16	13	8	9	*	*	*	111	61
Floyd	202	8	*	*	*	199	54	45	*	13	9	*	8	*	*	*	79	18
Franklin	136	*	*	*	*	135	34	23	9	7	*	*	7	*	*	*	55	15
Fremont	90	10	*	*	*	93	13	22	6	8	6	*	*	*	*	*	51	10
Greene	108	7	*	*	*	118	30	25	8	7	8	*	*	*	*	*	65	9
Grundy	121	*	*	*	*	148	36	38	8	10	10	*	*	*	*	*	63	18
Guthrie	121	*	*	*	*	144	34	33	8	7	6	*	14	*	*	*	78	10
Hamilton	163	9	*	*	*	185	44	36	13	18	11	*	14	7	*	*	101	22
Hancock	111	*	*	*	*	119	26	22	6	7	*	7	8	*	*	*	65	18
Hardin	172	6	*	*	*	222	62	58	15	10	*	*	14	*	*	*	98	29
Harrison	157	6	*	*	*	155	30	30	*	9	6	*	12	*	*	*	106	44
Henry	223	18	*	*	*	218	52	54	13	12	6	*	7	*	*	*	114	24
Howard	126	*	*	*	*	116	45	20	*	8	6	*	*	*	*	*	60	17
Humboldt	107	*	*	*	*	122	45	22	*	8	*	*	*	8	*	*	81	21
Ida	76	*	*	*	*	105	22	18	*	*	*	*	*	6	*	*	26	*
Iowa	178	*	*	*	*	183	51	28	8	12	12	*	11	*	*	*	98	21
Jackson	236	7	*	*	*	234	61	39	14	11	9	*	23	*	8	*	117	25
Jasper	385	15	*	*	*	420	83	90	21	33	21	12	21	10	11	9	246	28
Jefferson	161	*	*	*	*	191	57	36	8	11	9	*	11	*	*	*	116	*
Johnson	1,723	29	11	*	8	678	146	155	32	25	42	7	17	8	12	22	974	79
Jones	196	6	*	*	*	184	48	48	7	12	10	*	10	*	6	*	111	30
Keokuk	126	7	*	*	*	132	31	27	*	8	7	*	*	8	*	*	54	6
Kossuth	156	6	*	*	*	179	66	35	13	11	9	6	*	*	*	*	77	50
Lee	406	35	*	*	*	421	89	93	13	37	10	11	15	9	12	10	194	69
Linn	2,790	101	12	9	12	1,790	390	424	57	110	86	33	123	45	28	33	1,308	606
Louisa	132	9	*	*	*	116	24	26	11	*	10	*	*	*	*	*	50	20
Lucas	139	9	*	*	*	113	30	15	*	8	6	*	9	*	*	*	62	9
Lyon	173	*	*	*	*	120	27	26	7	8	*	7	11	*	*	*	82	13
Madison	144	*	*	*	*	142	28	30	8	8	8	6	17	6	*	*	117	16
Mahaska	271	16	*	*	*	253	66	51	14	9	13	*	26	11	*	6	149	15
Marion	358	13	*	*	*	356	98	91	14	23	13	8	17	7	*	9	200	53
Marshall	504	34	*	*	*	462	106	88	26	38	20	9	20	16	8	*	251	46
Mills	150	7	*	*	*	139	22	48	*	18	6	*	16	*	*	*	183	7
Mitchell	122	*	*	*	*	155	50	28	7	8	6	*	6	*	*	*	56	37
Monona	88	*	*	*	*	138	44	23	7	10	7	*	*	*	*	*	39	16
Monroe	83	*	*	*	*	112	27	24	6	10	*	*	10	*	*	*	34	14
Montgomery	108	*	*	*	*	150	35	26	*	18	*	*	9	*	*	*	53	21
Muscatine	525	32	*	*	*	409	90	76	16	24	15	*	24	15	*	*	238	128
O'Brien	167	12	*	*	*	191	48	25	6	14	6	*	12	6	*	*	65	25
Osceola	65	*	*	*	*	64	19	10	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	24	14
Page	143	9	*	*	*	188	52	29	12	18	10	*	9	10	*	*	85	50
Palo Alto	114	*	*	*	*	137	33	28	*	11	6	*	9	10	*	*	58	13
Plymouth	293	9	*	*	*	273	44	64	8	11	15	*	21	12	*	*	158	10
Pocahontas	76	*	*	*	*	96	28	24	7	8	*	*	*	*	*	*	21	11
Polk	6,925	317	36	23	34	3,711	817	818	163	217	227	62	201	109	79	70	3,170	1,493
Pottawattamie	1,152	72	*	7	9	946	195	200	42	80	45	19	64	26	21	17	537	204
Poweshiek	165	*	*	*	*	222	49	47	12	16	8	*	8	8	*	*	81	17
Ringgold	45	*	*	*	*	76	16	23	*	*	*	*	10	7	*	*	43	*
Sac	113	*	*	*	*	146	33	36	*	12	9	7	*	*	*	*	59	22
Scott	2,079	118	12	*	7	1,562	328	347	82	113	76	22	49	40	24	29	1,017	271
Shelby	105	6	*	*	*	146	33	30	7	7	9	*	*	*	*	*	89	40
Sioux	481	25	*	*	6	254	55	51	13	8	7	13	15	7	8	*	195	45
Story	887	21	*	*	*	555	109	107	31	23	25	10	9	19	*	7	444	84
Tama	241	12	*	*	*	196	37	42	11	16	18	*	9	8	*	*	100	22
Taylor	60	*	*	*	*	94	26	18	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	30	6
Union	142	17	*	*	*	136	44	29	*	6	12	*	9	*	*	*	60	36
Van Buren	70	*	*	*	*	88	19	13	*	11	*	*	*	*	*	*	50	*
Wapello	463	29	*	*	6	399	84	92	19	20	16	*	37	17	*	9	221	104
Warren	576	10	*	*	*	455	109	106	19	36	16	*	47	10	7	7	363	124
Washington	266	9	*	*	*	261	63	62	13	9	10	8	6	7	*	6	147	35
Wayne	69	*	*	*	*	78	21	19	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	40	12
Webster	436	25	*	*	*	436	125	79	20	29	26	*	16	11	12	9	230	61
Winnebago	99	*	*	*	*	115	30	15	*	6	*	*	10	*	*	*	61	16
Winneshiek	168	6	*	*	*	192	59	38	15	7	8	7	6	*	*	*	150	35
Woodbury	1,413	98	7	6	8	985	208	199	38	70	37	19	38	44	21	16	540	124
Worth	72	*	*	*	*	66	11	20	*	6	*	*	*	*	*	*	44	9
Wright	146	9	*	*	*	167	43	31	6	11	8	*	10	*	*	*	40	22

* Counts of five or fewer (deaths, births