

State	Deaths with hospice stays (%)	Deaths in a hospital in 1997 (%)	Deaths in a nursing home in 1997 (%)
Alabama	23.5	56.5	14.3
Alaska	4.9	43.5	20.7
Arizona	42.0	42.8	31.7
Arkansas	18.8	55.1	19.9
California	24.2	48.4	24.7
Colorado	36.8	40.6	30.4
Connecticut	19.4	48.0	30.7
Delaware	24.4	46.4	25.9
District of Columbia	13.8	71.9	13.4
Florida	35.3	51.7	20.9
Georgia	24.2	63.7	17.0
Hawaii	19.1	64.7	12.6
Idaho	20.8	37.0	30.7
Illinois	25.0	57.7	22.9
Indiana	18.8	47.4	29.5
Iowa	23.1	48.6	30.4
Kansas	22.5	49.3	27.6
Kentucky	20.8	55.5	19.9
Louisiana	19.7	65.1	13.9
Maine	9.1	43.0	33.0
Maryland	20.5	49.4	23.9
Massachusetts	18.3	48.8	28.8
Michigan	28.2	49.7	24.8
Minnesota	21.8	38.6	37.7
Mississippi	17.6	65.8	12.7
Missouri	22.0	49.0	27.9
Montana	17.5	41.6	30.7
Nebraska	20.0	45.8	35.4
Nevada	28.8	51.8	16.5
New Hampshire	17.9	48.5	27.9
New Jersey	18.7	56.9	16.2
New Mexico	29.6	46.7	21.3
New York	15.8	61.8	17.0
North Carolina	18.9	53.3	22.8
North Dakota	18.1	48.3	33.2
Ohio	26.9	48.8	28.1
Oklahoma	28.4	53.4	22.5
Oregon	31.1	32.5	32.4
Pennsylvania	21.2	49.1	27.7
Rhode Island	18.3	45.8	33.3
South Carolina	19.3	56.5	18.4
South Dakota	12.8	45.8	34.9
Tennessee	15.4	61.5	18.7
Texas	28.4	57.3	19.4
Utah	24.9	38.9	27.0
Vermont	14.9	38.4	31.9
Virginia	18.1	54.0	21.0
Washington	24.1	35.7	34.3
West Virginia	16.6	58.0	15.5
Wisconsin	19.5	40.3	35.2
Wyoming	14.5	42.8	30.6