

**Mortality rate according to selected groupings of underlying causes of death, Nunavik and Québec, for the period 2012 to 2016**

(Average annual adjusted rate <sup>1</sup> per 100 000 persons)

| Cause of Death  | Nunavik                    | Québec |
|---|----------------------------|--------|
|   | <i>Per 100 000 persons</i> |        |
| Total, all causes of death                              | 1 361,8                    | 663,5  |
| Tumors (CIM-10 = C00-D48) <sup>2</sup>                  | 398,7                      | 222,7  |
| Diseases of the circulatory system <sup>3</sup>         | 218,1                      | 158,4  |
| Diseases of the respiratory system <sup>3</sup>         | 238,9                      | 66,4   |
| External causes of morbidity and mortality <sup>4</sup> | 228,3                      | 42,0   |
| Suicide and self-inflicted injuries                     | 79,0                       | 13,7   |

Notes:

1. Reference population for standardization: Québec 2006. Rate adjusted according to age structure: 0-4, 5-14, 15-24, 25-44, 45-64, 65-74, 75 and older, both sex, Québec total population, 2006.
2. Includes both malignant and benign tumors
3. As for the Nunavik values, the coefficient of variation is greater than 16.66% and less than 33.33%. The rate values should be interpreted with caution.
4. External causes of morbidity and mortality include: accidents (transport involving pedestrians, cyclists, motorcyclists, occupants of a vehicle, falls, drownings, exposure to smoke / fires, poisoning of harmful substances, assaults, etc.

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