

Infant Mortality Rate by Province and District, 2012 - 2022

Per 1,000 live births

Province/District	Year							
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2019	2020	2021	2022
Sri Lanka	8.3	8.3	7.6	7.5	7.4	6.4	6.0	6.5
Western	10.2	10.1	10.4	9.5	10.4	8.4	8.4	8.7
Colombo	14.3	13.7	13.8	12.7	14.1	11.5	11.0	11.3
Gampaha	5.2	6.0	5.6	5.3	5.1	3.9	4.6	4.8
Kalutara	4.4	4.9	6.5	5.4	5.0	4.2	4.7	5.4
Central	10.2	11.3	10.7	11.5	10.4	9.5	8.2	9.5
Kandy	12.7	13.3	13.3	14.2	12.8	12.6	10.9	12.4
Matale	5.6	8.3	5.4	5.5	5.1	3.4	1.7	3.6
Nuwara Eliya	7.9	8.5	8.1	9.3	8.0	6.1	7.0	6.9
Southern	6.0	5.4	5.2	5.4	5.1	4.7	5.4	5.7
Galle	7.3	6.9	7.1	7.6	6.6	6.4	6.5	8.1
Matara	4.6	5.0	3.5	5.0	4.6	4.8	7.3	5.7
Hambantota	5.4	3.1	3.6	2.0	2.7	1.4	1.7	1.3
Northern	8.8	10.0	8.8	6.3	4.9	4.8	2.7	1.8
Jaffna	12.1	13.3	13.0	10.3	6.2	7.4	2.9	2.0
Mannar	0.6	1.1	3.0	2.4	2.7	3.7	3.4	1.6
Vavuniya	10.8	8.2	7.2	2.8	3.9	2.7	4.1	3.4
Mullaitivu	3.9	9.8	1.0	0.0	3.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Kilinochchi	3.3	7.2	2.7	3.9	3.4	2.2	0.7	0.0
Eastern	6.2	5.2	4.6	4.7	5.9	4.7	5.0	4.8
Batticaloa	15.1	12.1	9.5	10.2	11.0	7.3	7.0	7.3
Ampara	2.7	2.0	2.9	2.0	4.2	3.2	4.7	3.2
Trincomalee	1.6	1.9	1.5	2.8	2.9	4.5	3.1	4.5
North Western	7.9	9.1	6.9	7.8	4.4	4.6	4.3	4.3
Kurunegala	7.9	12.5	8.7	10.2	4.4	4.7	3.3	4.0
Puttalam	7.9	3.5	3.8	3.9	4.5	4.5	5.8	4.7
North Central	8.0	7.7	5.3	5.7	9.5	7.5	6.8	8.0
Anuradhapura	9.7	7.4	6.1	6.2	9.7	7.1	6.4	7.9
Polonnaruwa	4.2	8.4	3.5	4.8	9.0	8.4	7.6	8.4
Uva	6.2	5.9	5.5	4.2	4.8	3.4	2.7	4.5
Badulla	7.3	7.2	6.9	5.4	5.5	3.9	2.6	4.8
Monaragala	3.3	3.1	2.2	1.4	3.3	2.0	2.6	3.7
Sabaragamuwa	6.9	5.0	4.1	4.4	4.6	4.9	4.5	5.1
Ratnapura	7.9	4.6	4.9	5.6	5.4	5.8	4.9	6.5
Kegalle	5.1	5.8	2.6	2.0	2.9	3.2	3.8	2.8

Source: Registrar General's Department

Note:

1 IMR for a given year is computed using the number of infant deaths registered in that particular year on the basis of place of occurrence.

2 Rates are not available for the years 2016, 2017, 2018.