

2011 Winter Weather Fatalities

There were 17 winter storm deaths in 2011, down from 21 in 2010. This number is below the 10-year average of 23. Illinois and South Dakota recorded the highest death toll with 2 fatalities in each state. The most hazardous place to be in the winter of 2011 was outside, where 10 died, (59%) followed by in a vehicle, 5 (29%). The majority of victims were in the 50+ age categories (65%). More males, 10 (59%) than females, 6 (35%) died in winter storms.

2011 Winter Weather Fatalities by State and Location

State	IW	MH	OT	OU	PH	VE	Total
AK (Alaska)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
CT (Connecticut)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
DC (District of Columbia)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
IA (Iowa)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
IL (Illinois)	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
IN (Indiana)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
KY (Kentucky)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
MD (Maryland)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
MO (Missouri)	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
ND (North Dakota)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
OK (Oklahoma)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
PA (Pennsylvania)	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
SD (South Dakota)	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
WI (Wisconsin)	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
WY (Wyoming)	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total	0	0	0	10	2	5	17
Percent	0.00	0.00	0.00	58.82	11.76	29.41	

2011 Winter Weather Fatalities by Age and Gender

Legend

- LS - Long Span Roof
- MH - Mobile/Trailer Home
- OT - Other
- OU - Outside/Open Areas
- PH - Permanent Home
- VE - Vehicle/Towed Trailer

	Female	Male	Unknown	Total	Percent
0 to 9	0	0	0	0	0.00
10 to 19	1	1	0	2	11.76
20 to 29	0	0	0	0	0.00
30 to 39	0	0	0	0	0.00
40 to 49	0	2	0	2	11.76
50 to 59	1	2	0	3	17.65
60 to 69	1	2	0	3	17.65
70 to 79	1	0	0	1	5.88
80 to 89	1	2	0	3	17.65
90 to --	0	1	0	1	5.88
Unknown	1	0	1	2	11.76
Total	6	10	1	17	
Percent	35.29	58.82	5.88		