

**Table 13.2**   **Infant Mortality Rates Around the World (per 1,000 live births)**

Region	Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births)
World	37
More affluent (Global North) countries	5
Less affluent (Global South) countries	40
Least affluent (the very poor Global South)	62
Africa	59
Sub-Saharan Africa	64
North America	6
Latin America and the Caribbean	17
Central America	14
South America	18
Asia	33
Europe	6
Western Europe	3
Northern Europe	4
Eastern Europe	8

Source: Population Reference Bureau (2015).