

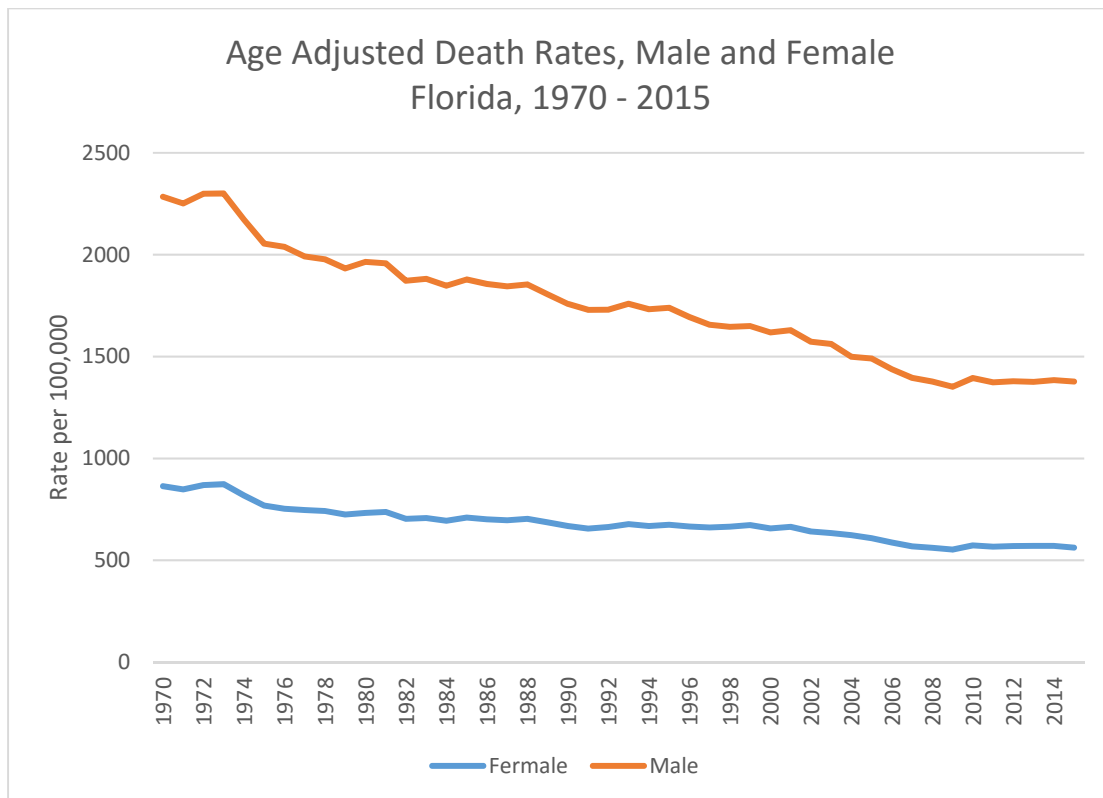


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Death Rates for Males exceed Females by 45%

Death rates for males are generally higher than death rates for females but death rates for both genders have decreased substantially since 1970.

- In 1970 the age adjusted death rate (AADR) for females was 863.7 per 100,000 population, and the AADR for males was 64% higher at 1420.6.
- In 2015 the age adjusted death rate (AADR) for Florida females was 562.4 per 100,000 population, and the Florida male AADR was 45% higher at 815.0.
- Males have higher death rates in all age categories, but the gap between male and female rates is highest in the 20 to 24 age category where in 2015, the Florida male death rate of 146.9 was more than double (rate ratio = 2.75) the Florida female death rate of 53.5 per 100,000 population.



The U.S. AADRs for 2015 were higher than Florida AADRs but showed the same pattern of higher rates for males. In 2015 the U.S. AADR for females was 624.2 per 100,000 population and the U.S. male AADR was 38% higher at 863.2.

The higher death rates for males are also reflected in the lower life expectancy for males compared to females.

- In 2015 the life expectancy for residents of Florida was 76.2 for males and 82.0 for females.