

Table S2. Rates and rate ratios of asthma mortality comparing females to males according to age group in Kuwait, 2000 to 2014

Age group (years)	Sex	Average annual mortality rate per 100,000 population (95% CI)[†]	RR[‡] (95% CI)
< 5	Female	1.7 (1.6, 1.8)	0.99 (0.89, 1.10)
	Male	1.7 (1.6, 1.8)	1.00
5 – 19	Female	1.0 (0.7, 1.6)	1.51 (0.98, 2.32)
	Male	0.7 (0.5, 1.0)	1.00
20 – 44	Female	0.8 (0.5, 1.1)	1.55 (1.10, 2.40)
	Male	0.5 (0.4, 0.7)	1.00
45 – 64	Female	3.0 (2.2, 4.0)	1.07 (0.73, 1.58)
	Male	2.8 (2.2, 3.5)	1.00
≥ 65	Female	38.0 (29.9, 48.2)	1.50 (1.06, 2.12)
	Male	25.3 (19.5, 32.9)	1.00

RR: rate ratio; CI: confidence interval.

[†] Model-adjusted average annual mortality rates due to asthma per 100,000 population per year over the period from 2000 to 2014 were calculated using Poisson regression models while adjusting for nationality.

[‡] Age-specific rate ratios comparing females to males while adjusting for nationality.